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## WOMEN & WINE

Ladies only! Join us for our popular Women & Wine excursion on **Sunday, May 19, 2024**, for a fun day together at the beautiful Laurel Ridge Winery in Carlton.



We gather at La Salle at 10:30 AM for a continental breakfast before boarding our private luxury bus to Laurel Ridge Winery for a four-flight tasting and a delicious lunch.

The price is \$85, and there are only 50 seats! Reserve your space by filling in your bidder number on the sign-up board in the Main Hallway.

Special thanks to Laurel Ridge Winery and Blue Star Transportation

And, an extra special thanks to our Women & Wine sponsors:







## WHISKEY TASTING

This one's for the guys! Grab a buddy or two and head on over to 503 Distilling in SE Portland on **Friday, March 15, 2024**, for whiskey tasting, heavy appetizers, pub games and even a cigar (if that's your thing).



The place will be all ours, and the fun kicks off at 7 PM.

The price is \$65, and there are only 50 spots! Reserve your spot by filling in your bidder number on the sign-up board in the Main Hallway.

Special thanks to 503 Distilling and Sellwood Cigars





# THANKS TO OUR COMMUNITY OF VOLUNTEERS, STUDENTS, ALUMNI, PERFORMERS, AND FRIENDS WHO HELPED MAKE THE 2023 BELIEVE BENEFIT DINNER & AUCTION A SUCCESS!

#### Welcome

Grant Ellison '24 Ale Garcia '24

#### Blessing

Alanna O'Brien *Principal* 

#### Master of Ceremonies

Pat Dooris *KGW* 

#### Auctioneer

Mark Schenfeld
Stokes Auction Group

### Student Speakers

Rylan deSouza '25 Josephine Robinson '24 Vance Sheffield '25 Isabella Sulloway Ferreras '24

#### Volunteer Leadership Team

Michele Bonn
Tracy Brunkhorst
Leigh Ann Chapman
Kymberlee Dressel
Tyra Dressel
Nick Hardigg
Rebecca Kapanoske
Lisa Keller
Jill Ludwig
Kristi Maulding
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#### Special Thanks

La Salle Choir La Salle Student Ambassadors



## ROUND OF CHAMPAGNE

#### A toast for your table

Don't be outbid for a chance to raise your glasses in style. A round of fine champagne will be delivered to your table amid celebration and great merriment, so you can toast to La Salle's:

- Students.... the focus of our love and generosity, who enjoy our unwavering commitment to their success.
- **Distinguished Programs**.... the avenues through which students are challenged to reach their fullest potential.
- Dedicated Community.... together to celebrate the heart, soul, and strength that make La Salle distinct and cherished.

Raise your glass and give three cheers!!

Value: \$510

Special thanks to Friends of La Salle



## (Believe)

#### Family fun and relaxation on the Sandy River

Waiting just for you—a bright and airy waterfront mountain home nestled in a woodland neighborhood on the Sandy River. River's Edge Retreat is a fantastic space for a family ski vacation, summer retreat, or simply a bit of quiet time in the mountains exploring the nearby trails, rivers and lakes.

The house is spacious and welcoming for groups of up to 9 people to gather together while offering plenty of additional spaces to branch off for solitude. Tons of amenities to keep the whole family busy, including a hot tub, riverside fire pit, large back deck, and a fully-stocked game room with a pool table and dart board. And, when you're ready to leave the house, use your \$100 VISA card for one of the many nearby restaurants or activities. Family fun awaits!

#### Includes:

- 3-night stay in a 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath home on the Sandy River in Welches
- Sleeps 9 with a king master suite, 2 queen bedrooms (one with an extra twin) and 1 bedroom with 2 twins
- Amenities include a hot tub, riverside fire pit, large back deck, and a fully-stocked game room with a pool table and dart board
- \$100 VISA gift card for a restaurant or activity of your choice

Value: \$1,600

#### Special thanks to Allison Bonifay & Thomas Percival and Friends of La Salle

Fine Print: Dates of stay to be mutually agreed upon and excludes holidays. Expires October 14, 2024.



## DINNER AT KANN FOR 6

#### Experience what others only dream of

Are you a foodie? Have you been trying—and failing—to secure a reservation at the city's most acclaimed restaurant of all time? Then you have surely heard of Kann—where Haitian cuisine meets Pacific Northwest bounty from James Beard Award-Winning Chef Gregory Gourdet. With this package, you'll appreciate that someone else has done the hard work of securing this "almost impossible to get" reservation. Grab this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity!

#### Includes:

- Dinner reservation for 6 on **Sunday, October 29, 2023**, at 6:30 PM
- \$100 VISA gift card for your first round of drinks
- Copy of Gregory Gourdet's cookbook, Everyone's Table

#### Value: Priceless!

#### Special thanks to a Faithful Falcon Supporter

Fine Print: Reservation only. Does not include the price of dinner.



## Believe)

#### Visit the sun this winter!

Located in the tranquil community of Loreto Bay, Mexico, this 2-bedroom, 2-bath condo provides you with a hub from which to enjoy all the activities this area offers, including kayaking, snorkeling, paddleboarding, fishing, hiking, golfing, tennis and pickleball. You are also just steps from cozy cafes and restaurants and minutes from the beach.

The Village of Loreto Bay boasts charming walkable stone slate streets, surrounded by lush gardens. Enjoy your \$100 VISA card at one of the nearby restaurants, spas, bars or shops. Or just head to the beach, spread out on a blanket and enjoy the delights of the Sea of Cortez. Adios!

#### Includes:

- 7-night stay in a 2-bedroom, 2-bath condo in Loreto, Mexico
- Sleeps 6 people with 1 king bedroom, 1 queen bedroom (with an extra twin) and a nook with a twin
- Includes air conditioning and WiFi
- Amenities include a rooftop patio with mountain, sea and golf course views, 3 pools, golf course and an uncrowded beach just minutes away
- \$100 VISA gift card to use for nearby restaurants and activities

Value: \$1,850

#### Special thanks to Amanda & Zachary Fritz and Friends of La Salle

Fine Print: Airfare not included. Dates of stay to be mutually agreed upon and excludes Thanksgiving and Christmas. Expires October 14, 2024.





## VIP FALCON

#### For serious La Salle lovers only!

Back by popular demand! This is for the ultimate La Salle fan, volunteer, super parent, and coolest kid around. Your student is set for lunch and dances all year, and you're automatically covered for every fun event. Best of all, you never have to worry about being late because your parking spot will always be there.

This package includes:

- Å reserved parking spot 24/7 at La Salle from 9/1/24 8/15/25
- A \$750 lunch account credit for cafeteria meals during the 2024-25 school year
- One Booster family membership for the 2024-25 school year
- Two tickets to the Believe Benefit Dinner in October 2024
- Two tickets to Yulefest in December 2024
- Two tickets to Steak & Seafood in February 2025
- One student ticket to select 2024-25 school dances (such as Homecoming and Prom)

Value: \$1,885

#### Special thanks to Friends of La Salle

Fine Print: A junior or senior with a valid driver's license must be available to use the parking space by the first day of school. One parking spot per family.







#### Chef-prepared dinner for 8 couples

Do you love Italian food and fine wine? Cherish time with friends? Then this Italian feast for 8 couples, hosted by the Buss family, is just your thing! A delicious Italian dinner, catered by Chef Kara from Miere Catering, will be served with wine from the Buss family cellar, including wines from Willamette Valley, Sonoma/Napa, Santa Barbara and Paso Robles. There will also be an open bar for those who are not keen on wine. An evening not to be missed!

- Catered dinner for 16 at the Buss Family home on the Alameda Ridge in NE Portland
- Wine selection from the Buss Family private cellar
- Dinner prepared by Chef Kara from Miere Catering

Value: \$2,400

#### Special thanks to the Buss Family

Fine Print: Choose from two available dates: August 31 or September 28, 2024.





## WANDERERS COVE

#### Watching the waves and savoring sunsets

Bring your whole clan to Lincoln City and connect, relax, explore and play for six nights and seven days at Wanderers Cove. Your headquarters? A spectacular oceanfront home in the historic Taft Neighborhood with five bedrooms and 3.5 bathrooms that can accomodate 14+. Your plans? Beach walks, agate hunting, tide pooling, games, cards and puzzles. Cooking big meals and making lasting memories. Grocery and restaurants are nearby. A dream family vacation!

Value: \$4,000

#### Special thanks to James & Mayumi Kuffner Jr.

Fine Print: Reservation must be scheduled with the donor by November 17, 2023, for a mutually agreeable date between November 1, 2023 - October 31, 2024. Not valid for major holidays or the month of July 2024.





#### Dollars for Scholars

Our founder, St. John Baptist de La Salle, set the overall Lasallian mission more than 300 years ago to serve all students, but "especially the poor." Centuries later, we are fortunate to be able to carry out St. La Salle's vision to make Catholic education accessible to all who seek it despite financial obstacles. Your generosity makes it possible to distribute \$3.2 million in need-based financial assistance to more than 50% of our students.

With more than half of our students receiving financial assistance, you are guaranteed your DFS gift makes La Salle a joyful reality for students who directly enrich your children's experience and life at La Salle – their friends, teammates, castmates, fellow artists and musicians, study partners, lab partners, carpool buddies and many others – *relationships that often last a lifetime*.

The Dollars for Scholars paddle raise supports tuition assistance efforts for student scholars who make us **believe** in the power of Lasallian education.

#### Raise Your Paddle!

#### Special thanks to our matching gift sponsors, Jim '77 & Linda Pliska

- All \$1000 donations will be matched up to \$30,000
- All \$250 donations will be double matched up to \$20,000





## FALCON COVE EXCURSION

#### Escape to the beach!

Between Arch Cape and Manzanita you'll find a special place called Falcon Cove. In this special place you have the opportunity to enjoy four nights of relaxation in a secluded coastal forest retreat just one block from the beach. You'll enjoy views of the horizon from the oversized deck as well as an outdoor shower with a woodland view. This home comfortably sleeps six in two bedrooms and a loft and has two (indoor!) bathrooms. Surrounded by Oswald West State Park and only five miles north of Manzanita—you are truly in for a one-of-a-kind experience!

- 4-night stay at a 2-bedroom/1 loft/2-bath vacation home in Falcon Cove
- Sleeps up to 6 with 1 queen bedroom, 1 bedroom with two twins, and a loft with a full-size bed
- \$50 gift card to Bill's Tavern

Value: \$1,650

#### Special thanks to Leigh Ann & Patrick Chapman and Bill's Tavern

Fine Print: To be arranged for a mutually agreeable date between November 1, 2023 - October 1, 2024.





#### Beautiful views + delicious food = amazing evening

Gather 11 of your favorite friends for an amazing evening of cocktails and dinner on the Willamette River. Literally, on the river! Imagine you and your friends enjoying cocktail hour on the deck of a houseboat at the Oregon Yacht Club, soaking up the view as the sun sets over the west hills. Your delicious, family-style dinner of authentic Lebanese cuisine will be lovingly prepared by Lydia and Joseph Massaad, La Salle alumni parents and owners of Al-Amir Restaurant. An evening to remember, for sure!

- Catered dinner for 12 on a houseboat, located on the Willamette River in the Oregon Yacht Club
- Catering by Al-Amir Lebanese Restaurant
- Appetizers, cocktails, wine and dessert included

Value: \$1,700

#### Special thanks to Rose City Label, Joseph & Lydia Massaad and Al-Amir Restaurant

Fine Print: All guests must be 21+. Choose from two available dates: June 8 or June 15, 2024. Must be arranged by November 17, 2023.





## BANDON BEACH TRIP

#### It's better at the beach!

Retreat to the Southern Oregon Coast for a three-night getaway at the Spindrift house on the beach in Bandon. This large, oceanfront home sleeps up to 10 people and features three separate living spaces, each with its own bedroom, bathroom and kitchen. The design of this house allows for group fun AND privacy.

Located just minutes from the world-famous Bandon Dunes Golf Resort, the house features beach access and a large deck with panoramic views of the Pacific Ocean.

• 3-night stay at the Spindrift House in Bandon, sleeps 10

• Valid November 1, 2023 - April 30, 2024

Value: \$1,400

#### Special thanks to Ken & Mary Nichols

Fine Print: To be scheduled in advance and arranged for a mutually agreeable time between November 1, 2023 - April 30, 2024. Not valid Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's.



## Believe)

#### A sport for everybody

Invite your friends to join you for a friendly competition of America's fastest-growing sport—Pickleball! Invented in 1965 on Bainbridge Island, pickleball is a cross between tennis, badminton, and ping-pong. And, rumor has it, that anyone can play!

You and your friends will enjoy 2.5 hours of playing time at RECS, one of the metro area's largest indoor pickleball facilities. So grab your favorite pair of athletic shoes and hit the courts!!

• 2.5 hour session on 3 courts for 16 people

• 1 instructor for 1.5 hours

Paddle rentals included

• \$50 gift card to Breakside Brewing

Value: \$700

#### Special thanks to RECS and Breakside Brewing

Fine Print: Expires October 1, 2024







## MULTNOMAH WHISK{E}Y LIBRARY

#### We'll drink to that!

Skip the waiting list and enjoy a one-year individual membership at the Multnomah Whisk{e}y Library (MWL), a membership-based bar housing a 2,000 bottle collection of spirits. Experience the MWL firsthand where they undertake to honor their collection through education, shared experience, and classic hospitality.

Evolving from the classic social club and updated to reflect the vibrant times we live in, MWL is a place to gather and celebrate. Filled with members and guests and animated by the thrum of conversation, the clink of swirling ice, and the rumble of ladders and bar carts across the wood floors, the Library is as much a feeling as a place.

One-year individual membership

Winning bidder may renew their membership after their first year Winning bidder may nominate other people to skip the wait for

membership

Value: \$999

Special thanks to Ed Hutson and Multnomah Whisk{e}y Library

Fine Print: Valid through October 14, 2024.





#### Quick getaway for eight!

Looking for an easy-to-get-to, fun-filled family getaway? Pop over to Bingen, WA, just across from Hood River, for a 3-night stay in a cozy home with stunning Columbia River views. This home has plenty of room for everyone to sleep comfortably with 1 king, 2 queens and 2 twin beds.

You'll be at the center of all the outdoor activities the Northwest has to offer, including windsurfing, kiting, kayaking, mountain biking, fishing, hiking, and skiing. Plus, you'll be just a stone's throw from the Society Hotel and Spa and a quick trip to Hood River, White Salmon or Mt. Hood. Don't forget to pop into pFriem to enjoy your \$100 gift card. Your getaway awaits!

#### Includes:

- 3-night stay in a 4 bedroom, 2 bath home in Bingen, WA Sleeps 8 people with 1 king bedroom, 2 queen bedrooms and 1 bedroom
- \$100 gift card to the pFriem Tasting Room in Hood River

Value: \$1,700

#### Special thanks to Holly & Ali Rahimi, Brad & Tiffany Schiff, and pFriem Family Brewers

Fine Print: Dates of stay to be mutually agreed upon and excludes holidays and weekends. Expires October 14, 2024.





## TIME FOR A REFRESH!

#### Raise your paddle to transform the Cafeteria from lunchroom to social hub.

It's time to convert the La Salle Cafeteria from lunchroom to student commons! A true community hub, the Falcon Commons will be a flexible space where students can unwind and balance the intensity of study with lighthearted fun. Nothing is more important than creating a place where students can come together, forge community and make La Salle their own.

With your investment this evening, the Falcon Commons will provide our students with a gathering space they can be proud of!

#### Features include:

- Flexible furniture to better accommodate the various ways the students use the space throughout the day
- Improved acoustics to elevate the experience for community events
- Enhanced school spirit through the use of school colors, logos, large-scale graphics and other imagery
- Fresh paint, improved lighting, new flooring and more!

Our goal is to raise \$30,000 tonight to begin the transformation from Cafeteria to Falcon Commons.

By raising your paddle, you will help to create a vibrant environment that celebrates the values of the La Salle community while fostering a sense of pride and belonging for all of our students!

#### Special thanks to Albina Fuel for matching all \$100 gifts up to \$5,000





## **AUCTION RULES**

#### Registration

Guests must check in online or at the registration table to secure a bidder number. Only bids by registered bidder numbers will be honored. Signing the bid sheet for a live item and/or online silent auction item is considered an agreement to purchase that item for the amount listed.

#### Payment

Anyone bidding agrees to pay the amount of their bid if it is determined to be the successful bid. No payment will be accepted before the conclusion of the program (approximately 9:30 p.m.). Bidders may pay with check or credit card. A source of payment must be provided the evening of the auction unless prior arrangements have been made. YOU DO NOT NEED TO CHECK OUT IF YOU PRE-SWIPED YOUR CARD. All sales are final. There will be no exchanges or refunds except where specified. Cash refunds are not available on any unused portions of gift certificates or items.

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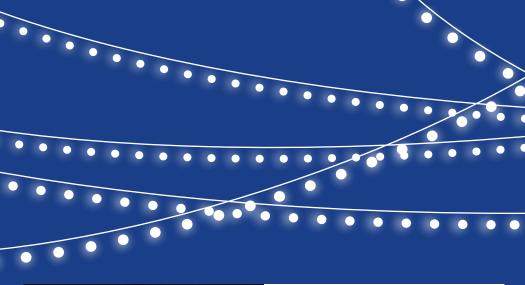
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All auction items and services must be used within one year of purchase (by October 14, 2024) or in accordance with any other specified expiration date. Reservations for all trips and vacation homes must be arranged with the donor at a mutually acceptable date or in accordance with the specified restrictions. It is the responsibility of successful bidders to leave accommodations in the same condition in which they were upon arrival. "Paid" receipts will be required before any item may be taken from the auction site. All items must be claimed and removed from the premises by 4 pm on Tuesday, October 31, 2023, unless special arrangements have been made.









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Thank you for trusting us to steward your assets and craft your investment strategy. We are honored and proud to support the students, staff, and families of the La Salle community.





