



**Theme:** BASH 2025 A Nautical Night “Anchored in Brotherhood”

**Event Date:** Saturday, April 26, 2025

**Event Website:** [www.CreightonPrep.org/BASH](http://www.CreightonPrep.org/BASH)

**Event Location:** Creighton Prep Heider Center, 7400 Western Avenue (east side entrance)

**Parking:** Valet parking available

**Attire:** Casual Chic with a Nautical Flair

Step aboard for A Nautical Night with timeless maritime style. Think Cape Cod, Nantucket or the Hamptons—elevated yet effortless. Suggested attire for the ladies includes blue and white summer dresses, linen separates or nautical-inspired prints paired with stylish sneakers or sandals. Gentlemen, consider khaki or navy pants, polos, blazers, linen shirts or Gingham dress shirts. A light sweater or jacket adds a refined touch. Embrace a blue, white, and gold color palette to sail smoothly into an unforgettable evening!

**BASH Mission Statement:** BASH (Building A Scholastic Heritage) plays a vital role in Prep’s ongoing commitment to educational excellence for 1,000 young men, helping to keep their tuition affordable. This year, we provided \$4.5 million in financial assistance to over half of our students and families. **Bottom line, all funds raised through BASH go to support financial assistance for our students.**

**BASH Executive Committee:** Amber and Brian Fahey ’94, Brady and Ryan Gibson ’93, Abbie Raikes Gouttierre and Adam Gouttierre ’89, Kara and Tom Kelley ’94, Beth and Ed McGill ’85, Lisa and Mike Meridith and Elen and Justin Shanahan ’97

#### **Schedule for the Event:**

- Monday, April 21 through Saturday, April 26
  - Online auction open for bidding
- Saturday, April 26
  - 5 p.m. – Mass in the Skinner Chapel
  - 5:30 p.m. – Cocktail reception
  - 7 p.m. – Welcome and opening prayer
  - 7:15 p.m. – Gourmet dinner
  - 8 p.m. – Raise the paddle in support of Prep students, live auction and raffle drawing
  - 9:30-10:30 p.m. – After-party with a live performance by THE RETAKES, Prep’s faculty/staff band

The BASH book is full of important event information, and for the first time since 2019, will be made available in printed form at the event. In addition, all information (including advertisers, donors and auction items) will be shared via email and social media as well as through links on the Prep website and BASH auction site prior to the event day.

This event would not be possible if not for the tireless efforts of more than 600 volunteers, and the generous support and in-kind donations of our parents, alumni, friends and community partners.