

**AN EVENING  
AT  
WAYLAND**

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**50<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL SPRING  
GALA & AUCTION**



# Peace & Solitude—Teresa Machie `75

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Bring the beauty of the outdoors into your home with this stunning framed original oil painting on canvas by Teresa Machie `75. Dappled sunlight filters through tall trees, illuminating a peaceful woodland scene rich with color and movement. This one-of-a-kind artwork captures nature's quiet elegance and makes a captivating addition to any space.

**Donated by:**  
Teresa Machie `75

# Peju Wine Collection

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**Donated by:**  
**Kandiss Schulz**

Indulge in the best of Napa Valley with this elegant wine collection featuring **six premium bottles from Peju Winery**—a family-owned estate known for its exceptional craftsmanship and vineyard-to-bottle quality.

Founded in 1983, **Peju Winery** is celebrated for its sustainably farmed vineyards and dedication to producing expressive, balanced wines that showcase the true character of Napa Valley. With a reputation for both bold Cabernet Sauvignons and beautifully refined Chardonnays, Peju remains a favorite among wine enthusiasts.

- three (3) bottles of 2022 Peju Cabernet Sauvignon—rich, full-bodied with notes of dark fruit and oak (92 points, *Decanter*)
- three (3) bottles of Peju Chardonnay—smooth and vibrant with hints of citrus and vanilla (92 points, James Suckling and *Wine Advocate*)

A sophisticated selection for wine lovers, ideal for dinners, celebrations, or gifting.

# Mansion Hill Inn

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Indulge in luxury TWICE with two gift certificates, each good for a one-night stay at the prestigious Mansion Hill Inn in the best available room. Enjoy the charm and elegance of Madison's renowned boutique hotel, offering exceptional services and sophisticated design. Experience a piece of history at this iconic 160-year-old inn, owned by Trek.

**Donated by:**  
Trek Bicycle Corporation

# Brewers for Four

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**Donated by:**  
**Marina & Noah Rickun P`24**

See the reigning National League Central Division Champion Milwaukee Brewers take on either the Pirates, Dodgers, Cubs, or Marlins. You get to pick from these four games!

- Sunday, April 26: 1:10 pm vs. Pirates
- Sunday, May 24: 1:10 pm vs. Dodgers
- Sunday, June 28: 1:10 pm vs. Cubs
- Sunday, July 19: 1:10 pm vs. Marlins

These are incredible seats behind the Brewers' dugout and near where the owner sits when he and his family are at the game. You won't want to miss your opportunity to see an up-and-coming Pittsburgh Pirates team, the reigning World Series Champion Los Angeles Dodgers, the heated division rival Chicago Cubs, or the always scrappy Miami Marlins.

Package includes four (4) Field Diamond Box tickets in Row 6, seats 1,2,3,4, and a Gold parking pass.

# Cooking Classes for a Year!

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Get ready to transform your culinary skills with a full year of live cooking classes led by the talented Serena Wolf! A Harvard graduate and alumna of Le Cordon Bleu Paris, Serena has dazzled as a private chef, culinary instructor, recipe developer, and blogger at Domesticcate-Me.com. Serena's culinary genius has been showcased on The TODAY Show as well as in The Huffington Post, SELF, Woman's Day, and The New York Post, among many other renowned media outlets. Enjoy a full year's subscription to Serena's Cooking Club—access to approximately 4 live, interactive cooking classes each month via Zoom, plus an on-demand video library of over 200 past classes—cook along at your leisure and learn at your own pace! Plus, receive her acclaimed cookbooks, *The Dude Diet*, *The Dude Diet: Dinnertime*, and her upcoming August release, *You Do You: 100+ Endlessly Adaptable Recipes to Boost Your Culinary Confidence*.

**Donated by:**  
Trustee John Unland '70  
and his daughter-in-law  
Serena Wolf

# White Gull Inn Getaway

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Indulge in a charming and relaxing retreat with a two-night stay at the White Gull Inn in Fish Creek, Wisconsin. This exceptional package includes accommodation for two in a suite or room of your choice, along with breakfast each morning and a delightful dinner one evening.

Renowned for its hospitality and voted “America’s Best Breakfast” by viewers of Good Morning America, the White Gull Inn offers the perfect blend of comfort, cuisine, and coastal charm—creating an unforgettable Door County getaway for two.

**Donated by:**  
Meredith Coulson-Kanter `95  
& Chris Kantar, White Gull Inn

**Expires:** June 11, 2027

# Camp Nicolet Campership

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## *The Camp Nicolet Experience*



Camp Nicolet Campership offers a vibrant summer experience for girls ages 7-16! Receive a voucher for one full basic tuition campership to Session II (27 days), July 12 through August 7, 2026. This camp fosters friendships and personal growth through a variety of outdoor activities, arts, and crafts, all set in a stunning natural landscape.

### **Donated by:**

Jeremy Starz `97 & Former Trustee  
Georgianna Starz P`97, `01,  
Camp Nicolet Inc.

# Broadway & Bites: The Lion King Experience

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**Donated by:**  
Disney Theatrical Group,  
Lynn Wagenknecht '71,  
Kyle Banks, and  
Carrie & Seth Ahlborn

**Two tickets to Broadway's *The Lion King* and a personal backstage tour with a cast member!** Lion King has been running for 28 years and is one of the most celebrated and visually stunning productions of all time. The show won six Tony Awards in 1998, including Best Musical and Best Direction of a Musical.

Complete your evening with a **\$250 gift card to Café Luxembourg**, perfect for a memorable dining experience before or after the show. The package also includes **75,000 Marriott Bonvoy** points to stay at a wonderful Marriott hotel in the city!

**Show Voucher Expires:** March 20, 2027

# Lobster and Wine for Six

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Indulge in an exquisite dining experience with our “Lobster and Wine for 6” package. This lot features \$600 in gift cards to The Lobster Guy, ensuring a seafood feast to remember. Alongside, enjoy a selection of six (6) fine wines, including:

**Reds**—1997 Henri de Villamont Pommard, 2007 Nuits-Saints-Georges, 2010 Chateau Haut-Tayac Margaux

**Whites**—2023 Vovray Voltaire, 2024 Chateau L’Orangerie Bordeaux Blanc, Valdobbadene Prosecco Superiore

**Donated by:**  
Trustee Burnett Sullivan `69

# Kohler: The American Club Resort Experience

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Indulge in luxury with this two-night stay at The American Club, in Kohler, WI. This premium auction lot offers deluxe room accommodation in a five-star setting. Explore the exquisite restaurants, rejuvenate at the spa, or tee off at the golf course. And to enhance your experience, enjoy a \$500 Kohler gift card. Bid now for the ultimate getaway!

**The stay expires on December 31, 2027.**

**Donated by:**  
Destination Kohler

# Stitched in Tradition: 2026 Wayland Quilt Set

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Celebrate craftsmanship and Wayland pride with this beautifully made 2026 Wayland Quilt. Measuring 76" x 88", it's perfectly sized to fit a twin or full bed, offering both warmth and timeless style. Paired with a coordinating king-size sham and pillow (24" x 26"), this set brings a polished, cohesive look to any bedroom. A meaningful and functional keepsake for years to come.

**Donated by:**  
Marge Gerbers GP`27

# Sister Bay Stay

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Experience a three-night tranquil retreat in Sister Bay, WI, featuring a spacious 1600 sq ft condo with three cozy bedrooms and two modern bathrooms. The unit boasts a convenient in-unit washer and dryer, along with a fully equipped kitchen ready for your culinary creations. Comfortably accommodates up to six guests, with space for eight with an air mattress. Perfect for family getaways or group vacations, this serene escape awaits your visit!

**Donated by:**  
Marina & Noah Rickun P`24

# Dinner with the Warnicks

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You and three friends can enjoy dinner and drinks with Wayland’s Head of School Jason Warnick and his wife, Colleen. The now famous “Surf and Turf” culinary adventure will take place at Patterson House. This is the perfect chance to have time with leadership of Wayland Academy in a private setting. Don’t miss out on this unique opportunity for you and your friends to spend an evening with the Warnicks!

**Donated by:**  
Jason & Colleen Warnick

# TREK E-Bike

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**Donated by:**  
Angela & Casey Mietzel P`26,  
TREK Bicycle Corporation

Take your ride to the next level with this sleek and powerful TREK Allant+ 7S mid-step electric bike in size Large. Designed for both comfort and performance, this premium e-bike features a user-friendly mid-step frame for easy mounting and dismounting, making it perfect for riders of all experience levels.

With its smooth pedal-assist technology, you'll enjoy effortless cruising on city streets, bike paths, or longer weekend adventures. Built with TREK's signature quality and modern design, the Allant+ 7S combines style, speed, and reliability in one exceptional ride.

# Beautiful Sedona in 2027

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Escape to the breathtaking red-rock landscapes of Sedona, Arizona, with this unforgettable week-long getaway in 2027! Enjoy a full seven-night stay in a spacious two-bedroom suite at Sedona Springs Resort, complete with access to top-notch amenities including an outdoor pool, three relaxing hot tubs, and a fully equipped fitness center.

Spend your days exploring Sedona's stunning natural beauty and vibrant culture—take in Grand Canyon tours, scenic state parks, historic sites, art galleries, festivals, skiing, and tennis.



# Wines of the World

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**Donated by:**  
**Kathryn & Former Trustee**  
**Curtis Radford '73,**  
**P'00, '03, '05, '06, '08, GP'27**

- 2022 Inama Foscarino 30th Anniversary Soave (Veneto, Italy)—97 points, *Wine Enthusiast* (Cellar Selection, #12 Top 100 of 2025) / 95 points, James Suckling / 94 points, *Falstaff Guide*
- 2024 Michel Thomas Sancerre (Loire Valley, France)—Not yet rated
- 2023 Quintessa “illumination” Sauvignon Blanc (Napa/Sonoma, USA)—95 points, *Wine Spectator*
- 2023 Claude Manciai Pouilly-Vinzelles 1er Cru ‘Les Longeays’ (Burgundy, France)
- 2020 Silver Oak Alexander Valley Cabernet Sauvignon (Sonoma, USA)—94 points, James Suckling and *Decanter* magazine
- 2020 Felsina Chianti Classico Riserva ‘Berardenga’ (Tuscany, Italy)—94 points, James Suckling and *Wine Spectator* / 93 points, *Vinous* and *Wine Advocate*
- 2022 Kosta Browne Sta. Rita Hills Pinot Noir (Central Coast, USA)—95 points, *Wine Enthusiast* / 93 points, James Suckling

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- 2022 Chevalier de Lascombes Margaux (Bordeaux, France)—93 points, Jeb Dunnuck / 90 points, James Suckling and *Vinous*
- 2021 Justin Isosceles Red Blend (Paso Robles, USA)—93 points, *Vinous*, *Wine Enthusiast*, and James Suckling
- 2021 Staglin 'Salus' Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon (Napa Valley, USA)—92 points, *Wine-Searcher*
- 2021 Division Wine Co. 'Cinq' Pinot Noir (Ribbon Ridge, Oregon)—95 points, *Wine Enthusiast*
- 2019 Belpoggio Brunello di Montalcino (Tuscany, Italy)—98+ points, Luca Gardini / 95 points, *Wine Enthusiast* / 93 points, James Suckling

# Experience the Best of the Big Apple!

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**Donated by:**  
Trustee John Unland '70,  
Lynn Wagenknecht '71,  
and Carrie & Seth Ahlborn

Discover the magic of New York City with an exclusive **private tour of the Metropolitan Museum of Art**, guided by esteemed art dealer and historian Alan Salz. After exploring the gallery, savor a delightful dinner with a **\$250 gift card to The Odeon NYC**, owned by the celebrated restaurateur Lynn Wagenknecht '71. In addition, the winner will receive **75,000 Marriott Bonvoy Points** (enough for a one-night stay), a **\$500 gift card** for Broadway tickets, and a **\$200 gift card for tickets to Dizzy's Club**, a local jazz club at Lincoln Center. Reservations for the room stay must be scheduled with the donor. This is a once-in-a-lifetime New York adventure!

# Vacation Destination—Your Choice



**Donated by:**  
**Carrie & Seth Ahlborn**

Enjoy a full week, seven (7) nights and eight (8) days, in a three-bedroom, three bath resort condo between April 31, 2027 and February 28, 2028. A Marriott Resort has been deposited in INTERVAL INTERNATIONAL just for you. Based on availability, choose from hundreds of affiliated villa resorts along the coast, amid the mountains, or the spaces in between—all around the world. Depending on where you choose to go, amenities include a full living area with flat screen TV, dining area, a fully appointed kitchen with everything you need to cook on site, washer and dryer, and in the resort itself there is a game area, indoor and outdoor pools, fitness center, and at some resorts golf and on-site restaurants. Work with the donors, Carrie and Seth Ahlborn, as soon as possible to open up all your possibilities for an unforgettable getaway.

# Badgers vs. Irish at Lambeau

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Experience one of the season's most exciting matchups in unforgettable fashion! This package includes **two (2) suite tickets** to the **Notre Dame vs. Wisconsin Badgers** game at **Lambeau Field on September 6, 2026**. Enjoy the game from the comfort of a premium suite, complete with food and parking included—the ultimate way to cheer on your team.

**Donated by:**  
Amy Holwerda P`28

# Exclusive Cruise on the 47-foot Chris Craft, Blackhawk

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## Donated by:

Trustee Jennifer Downey  
Wirtz `86 & Arthur Wirtz `86

An experience that practically defines summer in Chicago. Imagine this: you and **13 of your favorite people** stepping aboard a **47-foot luxury Chris-Craft yacht—the *Blackhawk***—departing from beautiful Belmont Harbor. For three full hours, you're cruising in style. Will you go through the locks to cruise the **Chicago River**, surrounded by world-famous architecture and glowing bridge lights? Or opt to stay along the **Lake Michigan shore** for those unbeatable skyline views? And if you're feeling strategic . . . book a **Wednesday or Saturday night**, and you might just catch the Navy Pier fireworks lighting up the sky.

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Now let's talk about the good stuff. You'll enjoy **catered food from Gibsons**—yes, that *Gibsons*—paired with a wide selection of beverages onboard. And the best part? You get to **customize your experience**, working with the planning team to choose your route, your menu, and your perfect date. This exclusive experience, based on availability, can be yours, **June 1 through September 30, 2026**, so you've got the whole summer to make it unforgettable. And yes—**children are welcome**, so this can be a family celebration, a birthday bash, or the ultimate experience with family, friends, colleagues, or business partners.

**\*This item is excluded from Golden Ticket Raffle.**

# The Spirit of Wayland on Canvas

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**Donated by:**  
Trustee Elizabeth  
Burnham Wallman `71, P`21

Celebrate Wayland's legacy with this extraordinary Live Event Painting at Wayland's 50th Annual Spring Gala and Auction. As the evening unfolds, talented artist Nicole Bobholz will capture the spirit, tradition, and community of Wayland in a one-of-a-kind painting created in real time.

A meaningful and lasting keepsake, this piece will serve as a beautiful tribute to Wayland for years to come.