



# St. Anne Catholic School Auction

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## Save the Date

# February 11, 2012

## Auction Donations:

Each school family is required to contribute at least \$50 in donations but please don't consider \$50 a cap. The more donations we receive, the more we can sell at auction, the larger the benefit to the school. You can contribute to the classroom basket, silent or oral auction. Your donation may be cash, purchased item(s), or donated item(s) you acquire from family, friends or a business. Help us make this event spectacular with an outstanding range of items. Some classes will be sponsoring a game instead of a traditional themed auction basket. In the recent past auctions, games have been enjoyed by the auction participants and generate more money than some of the baskets. Families in the grades that sponsor a game are asked to donate \$50 toward the purchase of the prize. There are so many other ways for your family to contribute:

- Ask your employer to make a product or cash contribution, or to purchase an ad for our catalog. The ad forms are on the school website.
- Ask friends and family members who own businesses for a donation. Nothing is too small as items will often be packaged together with other items.
- For those local businesses you support, ask for a donation of support in return, such as certificates from restaurants, sporting goods, specialty clothing stores, jewelry stores, spas, toy stores – the list is limited only by your imagination.
- Do you or someone you know have a second home you could donate for a week or a long weekend? These are some of our best and time honored donations.
- Do you have a special talent you could share, e.g., knitting, fused glass making, painting, tiling, woodworking, or jewelry craft?
- Are you a gourmet cook? Want to donate a fabulous dinner by teaming up with friends to help host a great evening?
- Do you have connections to hotels, restaurants, outdoor adventure companies? Help us put together some out of town trips!
- Are you, or do you know someone who is a season ticket holder for Ducks or Beavers? Surely, you can give up one game.

**If you have a question about a possible donation, contact the school office. Classroom basket items for 1<sup>st</sup> grade, 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> grade and 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> grade may be brought to the classrooms. All other donations should be brought to the school office at any time. If a donor needs an item picked up, and you are not able to do this, contact the school office.**