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Saturday, January 28, 2012

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Live Auction Items:

ID#: F1001: **Category** (see legend): SO **Offered by:** John & Mimi Snyder

Patio & Hot Tub Party

Bar-B-Q dinner served on our patio. Bring swim suit for hot tubbing - towels provided.

Quantity offered: 15 **Minimum bid:** \$15

ID#: F1002: **Category** (see legend): PI **Offered by:** Deb Bliss

Composting Food Waste

Learn how managing food waste can beautify your gardens. Three food waste composting techniques will be demonstrated: worm composting, bio-digesters, and Bokashi. All of these techniques require very little space, will not attract rodents and will produce a nutrient rich soil amendment. Composting worms are available to those interested in beginning bins.

Location: 2421 Winterstone Dr., Plano, TX 75023

Date/Time: February 11, 2012, 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Quantity offered: 10 **Minimum bid:** \$15

ID#: F1003: **Category** (see legend): EN **Offered by:** Bliss, Jennings, Smith & Friends

Game Night and Tapas

Come enjoy a Wonderful Game Night with Deb Bliss, Kathy Smith, Mary Jennings and friends and find out the answer to "what are tapas?" (hint they originated in Spain). We will be playing a variety of board games and card games (children who are interested in playing games with adults are welcome) - March 24th, 6:30 - 10:00pm.

Quantity offered: 16 **Minimum bid:** \$10

ID#: F1004: **Category** (see legend): PS **Offered by:** Sarah Reiling

Organizing Services

2-1/2 hours of Sarah's time to help you organize whatever. Worth \$75.

Quantity offered: 1 **Minimum bid:** \$25

ID#: F1005: **Category** (see legend): SO **Offered by:** Valerie Gomes

Enchilada Dinner for Five

Valerie will host an enchilada dinner at her home in Allen in the early spring or fall. There will be a choice of chicken or spinach & mushroom enchiladas (or both). There will be sides dishes and dessert, all homemade.

Quantity offered: 5 **Minimum bid:** \$15

ID#: F1006: **Category** (see legend): SO **Offered by:** Lionel & Donna Bening

Wine Tasting

Wine tasting at the Bening home, comparing red wine varietals and blends. Tasting will be randomized double-blind. Sip and savor accompanying cheeses, bread, crackers, chocolates. Will be held on 3/10/12.

Quantity offered: 16 **Minimum bid:** \$10

ID#: F1007: **Category** (see legend): EN **Offered by:** Heritage Farmstead

Birthday Party

A Birthday Party at the Heritage Farmstead Museum for 15 children and the choices are: (1) The Outlaw's Buried Treasure, (2) Go West! Pioneer Party, and (3) Pitman Creek Walk (available May-September Only)

Quantity offered: 1 **Minimum bid:** \$75

ID#: F1008: **Category** (see legend): PS **Offered by:** Ona Tannehill

Genealogy Research

Three hours of research of your family history plus a report and documentary evidence.

Quantity offered: 2 **Minimum bid:** \$20

ID#: F1009: **Category** (see legend): SO **Offered by:** Nancy Barlow

Valentine's Tea Party

At Nancy Barlow's house on Sunday, February 12, 2012.

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ID#: F1010: **Category** (see legend): VA **Offered by:** Doubletree Hotel Dallas/Richardson

Hotel Gift Certificate

Gift certificate for a complimentary weekend night stay with breakfast for two at the Doubletree Hotel Dallas/Richardson. Certificate expires 1/31/2013.

Quantity offered: 1 **Minimum bid:** \$50

ID#: F1011: **Category** (see legend): EN **Offered by:** Bill Daffinee

Adult Chicago Stuff Pizza & Pool Party

Pizza is from Giordano's, direct from Chicago. To be held June 9, 2012.

Quantity offered: 12 **Minimum bid:** \$20

ID#: F1012: **Category** (see legend): SO **Offered by:** Paul & Jan Gandy

Grilling at the Gandy's Gazebo

Dinner in the garden in/around the gazebo on May 19 (rain date May 26). Mojitos available as well. Vegan/vegetarian alternative will be available.

Quantity offered: 10 **Minimum bid:** \$20

ID#: F2001: **Category** (see legend): SO **Offered by:** Nabil Morgan

Exotic Egyptian Dinner

This dinner is constituted of many courses: Pre-dinner drinks, at least seven different appetizers from the Middle East countries, red lentil soup, tabouli salad, dessert from Egypt; the main course?, a surprise, after dinner drinks. Nabil will host two groups of five people on September 1st, September 15th and/or October 5th, 2012.

Quantity offered: 10 **Minimum bid:** \$10

ID#: F2002: **Category** (see legend): EN **Offered by:** Mark Rachel

Balloon Artist (Twister)

One hour of the services of a balloon artist for a party event. Time & place to be coordinated. Valued at \$100.00.

Quantity offered: 1 **Minimum bid:** \$25

ID#: F2003: **Category** (see legend): SO **Offered by:** Lolisa Laenger

Garden Lunch

Join Lolisa for her annual garden luncheon in the garden under the trees on May 6, 2012

Quantity offered: 25 **Minimum bid:** \$15

ID#: F2004: **Category** (see legend): PI **Offered by:** Carrie Dubberley

Landscape Consulting - Sustainable

Two hours' help with design or problem-solving - water-wise, low maintenance, earth-friendly. Valued at \$200.

Quantity offered: 2 **Minimum bid:** \$50

ID#: F2005: **Category** (see legend): EN **Offered by:** Bob & Deb Bliss

Night on the Town with the Dallas Wind Symphony

Bob and Deb Bliss will host two guests at the Dallas Wind Symphony Concert on Tuesday, March 13, 2012, 8:00 p.m. at the Meyerson Symphony Center. Our on-stage chorale seats provide an up-close and personal view of the exceptional musicians and animated conductor, Jerry Junkin. Transportation, dinner in Deep Ellum at the All Good Cafe and pre-concert lecture included. It will be a night you'll long remember! Estimated time of departure from Plano 5:00 p.m. You will be home by 11:00 p.m.

Quantity offered: 2 **Minimum bid:** \$15

ID#: F2006: **Category** (see legend): SO **Offered by:** Clint & Arlene Burleson

Burleson House Dinner

Dinner and conversation at the Burleson's. Menu: Chicken breast topped with lemon sauce, vegetables, homemade bread and a choice of pecan or chocolate pie. To be held Saturday, September 15, 2012.

Quantity offered: 8 **Minimum bid:** \$10

ID#: F2007: **Category** (see legend): VA **Offered by:** Dawn Graham

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Kansas Cabin Getaway

Spend a weekend or a week at Dawn Graham's "wooden tent with plumbing" in the woods on a state lake in Kansas.

One hour west of Kansas City and half an hour on scenic country roads from both the state capitol of Topeka to the west and the University of Kansas in Lawrence to the east.

The house backs up to a wooded state-park border around Perry state lake, where you can fish and boat year-round, and hunt seasonally.

The house is a 700-square-foot A-frame that sleeps four easily and more if you don't mind blowing up the air mattress or unfolding the cot. It has all the comforts of home: full bath and kitchen, broadcast TV with DVD player, CD stereo, and air conditioning.

You may have to sweep away some cobwebs and turn the water and electricity on and off, but it's still easier than pitching a tent!

Quantity offered: 1

Minimum bid: \$50

ID#: F2008: **Category** (see legend): EN

Offered by: Marty & Diana Behannese

Sunday Lunch & Games Party

We will serve lunch on Sunday, March 25, 2012 at 1:00pm after church at which we will have an assortment of games (such as Cranium) for people to play

Quantity offered: 10

Minimum bid: \$8

ID#: F2009: **Category** (see legend): SO

Offered by: Ty & Karen Hall

A Taste of South Louisiana

Celebrate Mardi Gras with the Halls. Traditional Creole and Cajun food from family recipes; includes vegetarian dishes. To be held Saturday, February 18, 2012 at 6:30pm.

Quantity offered: 10

Minimum bid: \$15

ID#: F2010: **Category** (see legend): PS

Offered by: John Wise

Orthodontic Services

Donate between \$500 and \$2,000 to CUUC, and Wise Orthodontics will double your donation in orthodontic services for comprehensive or interceptive orthodontic treatment. (i.e., if you bid \$500, CUUC will get \$500 dollars, and your certificate entitles you to \$1,000 in orthodontic services.)

Quantity offered: 1

Minimum bid: \$500

ID#: F2011: **Category** (see legend): SO

Offered by: Dick Hildenbrand

Balloon Festival Chuckwagon Dinner

Dick Hildenbrand's popular outdoor dinner done on our "East Forty" on the Saturday evening of the annual Plano Balloon Festival, September 22, 2012. Munchies, drinks, appetizers, main course cooked to order on the chuckwagon, and dessert are served. See the balloon launch, balloon glow and fireworks afterwards at a prime location (and parking is free).

Quantity offered: 20

Minimum bid: \$15

ID#: F2012: **Category** (see legend): EN

Offered by: Religious Education Board

Child's Birthday Party

You provide the cake, the RE Board will provide the fun! RE Board will plan a child's birthday party with decorations, snacky foods, activities, and party favors for up to 25 children. Theme to be decided by the birthday child.

Quantity offered: 75

Minimum bid: \$1

ID#: F2013: **Category** (see legend): PS

Offered by: Todd Miller

Eye Examination

With Dr. Todd Miller at the Eyecare Center of Dallas (6510 Abrams Road). Valued at \$90.00.

Quantity offered: 2

Minimum bid: \$50

ID#: F3001: **Category** (see legend): FA

Offered by: Mina Daffinee

Peony

Watercolor by Mina Daffinee. Valued at \$150.00.

Quantity offered: 1

Minimum bid: \$50

ID#: F3002: **Category** (see legend): SO

Offered by: Bill Daffinee

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Live Auction Items:

Pork Chop Dinner

Join Bill for an all time favorite. 6 people only. To be held April 28, 2012 at 6:30pm.

Quantity offered: 6

Minimum bid: \$25

ID#: F3003: **Category** (see legend): EN

Offered by: Chris Wolff & Seana Saxon

Music for Your Special Occasion

Will perform up to 6 pieces, voacl and/or piano of your choice for your special event held at the church. Chris Wolff on piano; Seana Saxon on vocals. Please schedule at least 3 months in advance. Memorial services understandably cannot be planned in this way but music selection may be limited. Valued at \$200.

Quantity offered: 1

Minimum bid: \$50

ID#: F3004: **Category** (see legend): PS

Offered by: Dick Hildenbrand

Four Hours of Handyman Services

The handyman torch has been passed from Bill & Clint to Dick. Do you have a fix-up or improvement project that you just haven't gotten around to, inside or outside? Dick will provide design help, labor & tools; you pay for the materials. 16 hours (Four 4-hour increments) are being offered.

Quantity offered: 4

Minimum bid: \$75

ID#: F3005: **Category** (see legend): SO

Offered by: Smiths & Daffinees

St. Patrick's Day Meal

The Smiths & Daffinees will prepare a Giving of the Green Meal from their Scotch/Irish roots to be held at the Daffinee's home on St. Patrick's Day March 17, 2012 at 6:30 pm.

Quantity offered: 10

Minimum bid: \$20

ID#: F3006: **Category** (see legend): EN

Offered by: James & Marilyn Hinton

Picnic & Shakespeare

A picnic at the church followed by an indoor Shakespeare play at Collin College Spring Creek on Saturday, June 30, 2012.

Quantity offered: 6

Minimum bid: \$20

ID#: F3007: **Category** (see legend): SP

Offered by: Sandra Farlow

Dessert of the Month Club

Just imagine - a new surprising dessert for envery month of the coming year from the kitchen of Sandy Farelow!

Cherry cheesecake, pineapple upside down cake, pumpkin pie, lemon bars, peach cobbler, mincemeat pie, cranberry/pistachio biscotti, triple chocolate cherry cookies -- only a sampling of what you might get.

Come on now -- even if you are watching your weight or your waist, you can splurge every now and then. Or share with your bridge club. Or send something off to that college student...

Eight winners total - 2 each for January/May/September, 2 each for February/June/October, 2 each for March/July/November, 2 each for April/August/December.

Quantity offered: 8

Minimum bid: \$15

ID#: F3008: **Category** (see legend): SO

Offered by: Jo Howser

Valentine's Dinner

Champagne toast followed by delicious dinner and professional musical entertainment and dancing. All in an historic home in downtown Plano with a suitably pink dining room. So all of you forgetful spouses should take this opportunity to get your backup plan in place....."You don't think I'd really forget? I just wanted to surprise you, darling!" Date: February 18, 2012.

Quantity offered: 10

Minimum bid: \$25

ID#: F3009: **Category** (see legend): EN

Offered by: Jackie Darnell

A Day at the Races

Box seats at Lone Star Park On Saturday June 16, 2012. Daily Program and bad advice will be provided. Hosted by Tracy & Tommi Homuth.

Quantity offered: 20

Minimum bid: \$15

ID#: F3010: **Category** (see legend): VA

Offered by: John & Carol Wise

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Three Night Stay at Barton Creek Resort

A three night stay at Barton Creek Resort- 3 night's at the Owner's Club. You'll enjoy a 3 bedroom, 3 bath home on the resort property adjacent to the highly acclaimed Crenshaw Course. The house sleeps up to 8 people comfortably. There is a full kitchen, laundry room, family room with entertainment center and large outdoor patios/balconies where you can enjoy beautiful hill country sunsets. You'll have access to every Barton Creek Resort amenity while you are in residence as a separate charge. Subject to availability. Offer good through 12/31/2012. Value of \$1,200.

Quantity offered: 1

Minimum bid: \$500

ID#: F3011: **Category** (see legend): SO

Offered by: Bruns & Sharpsteens

Italian Feast

Italian Feast created by a Sicilian chef hosted by the Bruns/Sharpsteens. Come join us for appetizers, entree, dessert and wine in the Bruns' home. Wonderful homemade pastas and pizzas created by Roberto Cusumano (Sharpsteens' son-in-law). This is a feast that should not be missed. Date: June 24, 2012 - 6:00 P.M. Vegan/vegetarian options available.

Quantity offered: 12

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