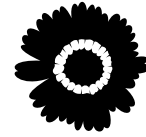
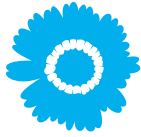


SAVE THE DATE!

PS132 *spring* GALA AUCTION

Thursday, April 22nd, 2010 | Giando's on the Water



WHAT IS THE PS 132 SPRING GALA AUCTION?

- * This year the PTA is expanding a previous PTA event, the Penny Social, into the Spring Gala Auction
- * Held at Giando's on the Water on April 22nd, admission will include food and wine
- * A fun night out (without the kids) with fellow parents, teachers, friends & members of the community
- * A fundraiser for our PTA with raffle & silent auction items
- * Spend time with good friends, and also help your local public school
- * Score great deals on gifts, tickets, art, dinners, kid art projects, and other fun stuff

HOW WILL IT RAISE MONEY?

- * The ticket price will pay for the cost of the event, food and wine
- * The raffle and donated items for auction will hopefully raise at least \$10,000 for the PTA

WHAT WILL BE AUCTIONED?

- * Four kinds of donations: Class Projects; Teacher Treats; Parent Donations; and Business Donations. Items will hopefully include: Music, Sports, & Broadway tickets, Restaurant gift certificates, Beauty and Spa Treatments, Electronics, Camp Discounts, Art, Workshops, Clothing, Toys, Wine, Music, and more!

WHERE WILL THESE AUCTION ITEMS COME FROM?

We need YOU for parent-generated donations and business donations. Do you know somebody who owns a restaurant or business who may donate a certificate or item? Do you know a business that can provide a corporate donation? Would you be willing to call a sports team in search of donated game tickets? Are you a photographer who would donate a family portrait sitting? Do you have a connection at a resort hotel and would you be willing to call them? Could you offer a service, like editing or painting? This is what we mean by parent-generated donations and business donations—the sky's the limit. See the back for more ideas!

HOW CAN I START HELPING?

- * **By soliciting donations** / We need YOU to start soliciting donations now. Our hope is at least 1 per family. Donation form and form letter are attached. Please feel free to make copies. You can also download forms from the www.ps132pta.com website.
- * **By supporting your class parent** / Class parents will be helping with class projects that many classes will be producing for auction. Please give them your support.
- * **By planning to attend** / Secure childcare for April 22nd! And come enjoy a fun and gratifying evening held in support of your child's school.

Any level of involvement is greatly appreciated. Happy donation hunting. We can't wait to see what comes in!

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