

CASINO Royale



ST. THOMAS SCHOOL 2022 AUCTION



Online Auction

Open · Friday, March 4, 9:00 a.m. Close · Tuesday, March 8, 9:00 p.m.

Live Auction

March 12, 2022 The Westin - Bellevue 6:00 p.m. Cocktail Reception 7:00 p.m. Dinner & Live Auction

The mission of St. Thomas School is to develop responsible citizens of a global society. In partnership with parents, we inspire and motivate intellectually curious students.

Our small, nurturing environment supports the acquisition of a broad academic foundation with an emphasis on critical thinking, leadership skills, and the development of strong character and spiritual awareness.

Welcome

This Auction's success is the result of the amazing collaborative effort of many parents in our community who have shared their time and creativity, and who have given generously in support of St. Thomas School. Thank you to this year's Auction Co-Chairs Jill McNamara, Karen Stone, and Xiaoying Haparnas for their countless hours planning Casino Royale.

Our Online and Live Auctions raise money to support everything that ensures an outstanding acadmic foundation for each student. The funds raised directly benefit our students by supporting our operating budget, including faculty salaries, student financial aid, and classroom equipment and supplies.

This year's Raise-the-Paddle is in support of presentation enhancements in our new spaces which include audio/visual equipment for our new Athletics and Performing Arts Center, and for the Center for Leadership and Innovation.

Thank you for your participation and support of St. Thomas School and our entire community of outstanding students!

Auction Rules

Payments

Winning bid payments will be processed in the weeks after the Auction. Payments must be made in full and may be made by personal or company check, VISA, American Express, Discover, or MasterCard. If you plan to pay by check or via stock, please contact development@stthomasschool.org. All sales are final and there are no exchanges or refunds on items unless specified in the catalog.

Anonymous Bidding

If you are not able to attend and would like to participate in the Live Auction or Raise-the-Paddle, or prefer to bid anonymously, please contact Leila Thomas, Director of Development at 206-940-3162 or leila.thomas@stthomasschool.org. Let her know your max bid for the items you would like her to bid on, and she will bid on your behalf.

Similarly, if you want to participate remotely or anonymously in the Raise-the-Paddle, please let Leila know how much you would like to contribute, and your donation will be added to the night's totals.

Collaborative Bidding

Some Auction items may be split amongst friends. Prior to the auction, speak with your friends, collaborate on items that you would like to win together, and select a primary bidder for the group. Please contact development@stthomasschool.org if you have won an item that is intended to be split amongst several purchasers.

Certificates

Some packages require the buyer to coordinate with one or several donors. It is important to read all certificates and specifications for each item. If an expiration date is not stated, all items expire one year from the date of the Auction. You must maintain original certificates for redemption purposes. Copies of certificates are not guaranteed for redemption.

Heads or Tails

Join the fun in this game of chance and opportunity to win a Year of Flowers from City Flowers! To play, just take the card, clipped to your large bid card, and place it in the large numbered envelope on your table. The cost of \$25 will be added to your tab.

Jennifer Winter Photography Student Portraits

A St. Thomas School Auction tradition! One portrait of each student is available to purchase for \$100 on the Auction website prior to the event up until May 31, 2022. At the event, you will find a card, clipped to your large bid card, that you may also use to order your photos. Please place these cards in the large numbered envelope on the table once you are seated and we'll add this purchase to your tab. An 8x10" print plus digital file are included in the purchase. Photographs will be available beginning in March.

Item Pick Up

Certificates for winning items will be distributed the week of March 14. A member of the Development team will contact you about any items you may have won to arrange a time for pick up.

Note: For tax purposes, the value of the meal, including beverages, is estimated to be \$150 per person. St. Thomas School urges all attendees, donors, and contributors to consult Internal Revenue Service rules and their tax consultant or attorney concerning tax deductibility of gifts to this event.



Heads or Tails

The cost to play is \$25 per person. Place the Heads or Tails card, that is clipped to your bid card, in the large envelope on your table for a chance to play and win the grand prize which is Flowers for a Year from City Flowers. Once a month for a whole year you will receive a beautiful seasonal floral arrangement from City Flowers!

Arrangements cannot be combined, i.e. can only be taken once per month. No Valentine's, Thanksgiving or Christmas arrangements.

Arrangements may be picked up or delivered locally. Wire orders, out of town, and out of state are excluded. Expires March 12, 2023.

Value \$1,800

Thank YouCity Flowers



1 Viva Las Vegas!

VIP Vegas trip for 4 people May 20-22, 2022. This special package includes two rooms for two nights at the fabulous Aria Resort and Casino. What's a trip to Vegas without seeing a show? We've got you covered with four tickets on Saturday night May 21st to the unforgettable "O" Cirque du Soleil show at the Bellagio Hotel & Casino. Pamper yourselves with an \$800 credit to the luxurious Spa at ARIA – massage? Facial? You choose! And start your day off right with \$30/person breakfast credit, and a \$100 resort credit for each room.

For 4 people, May 20-22, 2022

ValueElvis Would Love This!

Thank YouJohn & Piper Hanson



Wine Dinner for Two Couples + Six Rare Bottles to Take Home

Two couples will join Kevan and Sherry Mah (parents of Hudson) at their home near downtown Bellevue and enjoy a wine night with rare bottles from their cellar, expertly paired with delicious food. You will drink and learn about different rare wines from around the world including Krug Champagne, Hudson Chardonnay, Bevan, Realm, and Chateau d'Yquem. For those interested in bourbon and whiskey, you can optionally try some rare bourbons such as Pappy Van Winkle 23 and Hibiki 21.

At the end of the night, each couple will take 3 special bottles home with them, separate from the wines to be enjoyed on wine night.

Couple One:

2016 Opus One (est. \$360) 2011 Dominus (est. \$180) 2017 Bevan Tench EE (est. \$180)

Couple Two:

2018 Sine Qua Non Ziehharmonika (est. \$275) 2016 Myriad Dr. Crane (est. \$250) 2019 Realm The Bard (est. \$180)

Two couples (4 people total). Mutually agreeable date on a Friday or Saturday night 7:30pm to midnight.

Value Cheers!

Thank YouKevan & Sherry Mah



Poker + Rare Whiskey + Rare Car Evening for 20

Take in the incredible Danz family car collection at their private garage in Kirkland while you taste these rare Scotch Whiskeys: Macallan 25, Port Charlotte MRC:01 2010, and Tomatin 40 year old Single Malt. Even better? The evening includes poker, and dinner catered by Radiator Whiskey.

This unforgettable evening will be available to bid on as a buy-in. The Auctioneer will start at a per-person bid amount and will then gradually raise the bid amount. The last 20 bid cards still raised will be the 20 people attending the party.

Limited to 20 people. Scheduled for May 14, 2022.

Value

Know When to Hold 'Em!

Thank You

Ron & Margie Danz Dan & Jill McNamara Andrew & Leslie Person Jeremy & Lauren Silvernail Addison & Karen Stone



VIP Sports Package for Four

This is a dream come true for every avid Seattle sports fanatic – four great seats for five fantastic games! Package includes:

Four Seattle Sounder Suite Tickets

Catered food and drink included with tickets, mutually agreeable date.

Four University of Washington Huskies Football Tickets

Cheer for the Huskies in your Patio Suite for 4 on Saturday, September 10 vs Portland state.

Four Seattle Kraken Tunnel Club Suite Tickets

Enjoy 4 front row seats as the Seattle Kraken take on the Calgary Flames on Saturday, April 9th at 4 pm. These seats are in the exclusive Tunnel Club Suites located next to the locker room where you can see the players enter/exit the ice. Seats also come with full dinner and drinks. Tunnel Club 9 Seats A7 & 8 and Seats B7 & 8!

Four Club Level Seattle Seahawks Tickets

Four Club Level seats in section 210, row E, seats 11-14. These seats are covered and are great any time of year. North Lot parking pass included. Once the schedule is released the game of choice can be chosen. Does not include season opener or playoff games.

Four Owner's Seats for a Seattle Mariner Game

Cheer on the Seattle Mariners at a mutually agreed upon, regular season game.

Value

Long Live Seattle Sports!

Thank You

Rich & Michelle Hunt B.J. & Liz Kuula Dan & Jill McNamara Wayne Perry

Dine Like an Egyptian for 12 Couples

Egypt - home of the ancient Pyramids, the river Nile, and one of the longest histories of any country in the world. Twelve lucky couples will join Mina Abouseif & Merna Elaggar (parents of Talia and Tyana) for a bit of Egypt brought to their home in Clyde Hill for an unforgettable Egyptian experience. The evening includes extraordinary Egyptian cuisine, music, festivities, and great company. Scheduled for Saturday, June 4, 4:00 p.m.

This fabulous party will be available to bid on as a buy-in for couples. The Auctioneer will start at a per-couple bid amount and will then gradually raise the bid amount. The last 12 bid cards still raised will be the 24 people attending the party.

For 12 couples, Saturday, June 4, 4 p.m.

Value Can't Miss This

Thank You Mina Abouseif & Merna Elaggar



Weekend for Four in Napa

Perfect for 2 couples or 4 ladies looking for a weekend getaway! Enjoy a two-night stay in David and Shelley Sinegal's (parents of Ben and Lucy) charming Victorian guest cottage at Sinegal Estate. During your stay, you'll be hosted at the winery for an elevated tasting experience which includes a guided tour through the winery, subterranean cave, organic vineyard, vegetable garden, and gorgeous lake with Sauvignon Blanc, followed by a sit-down tasting of Cabernet Sauvignon, and Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon with cheese and charcuterie pairings. Take home two magnums of 2015 and 2017 Cabernet Sauvignon.

Limited to two couples (or four ladies) for two nights on a mutually agreed upon date between SINEGAL Estate and auction winner. Subject to blackout dates.

Value A Grape Escape!

Thank YouDavid & Shelley Sinegal



Spectacular Kraken Suite for 20 on the Blue Line

An entire Kraken Suite (20 tickets) on the blue line is yours for a game this season! Treat your friends to food and beverage (up to \$2,000) and cheer on our home team.

Mutually agreed upon date during the 2022 season.

Value

Go Kraken!

Thank You

Jeff & Chantal Razore



Eight Front Row Seats at the Holiday Program

The Holiday Program is a beloved tradition at St. Thomas School, but getting a seat with the perfect view can be challenging. This is your opportunity to secure eight reserved front row seats and enjoy the entire performance up close. Your child will know right where to look to find you as he or she takes the stage. Don't add trying to find a seat to your long holiday list—take a seat up front and enjoy the performance!

December 2022 Holiday Program. Limited to eight seats.

Value

Holiday Happiness!

Thank You

St. Thomas School



Family Fun Summer Kick-Off Party for 18 Families

18 lucky families will spend the afternoon of Sunday, June 12 at the fabulous Rockwood Farm in Snoqualmie (owned by STS parents Yuexi Mao and Shixu Li). Enjoy horseback riding, tractor rides, petting zoo, bouncy house, carnival play station, and on-site BBQ. Such a fun way to kick off summer before the end of school!

This fabulous party will be available to bid on as a buy-in for families. The Auctioneer will start at a per-family bid amount and will then gradually raise the bid amount. The last 18 bid cards still raised will be the families attending the party.

Limited to 18 families. Scheduled for Sunday, June 12, 2022, 1:00 p.m.

Value

Family Fun!

Thank You

Ziv & Xiaoying Haparnas Yuexi Mao & Shixu Li Frank Wang & Christine Yu



A Night to Remember at Hagerty Garage + Social for 12

Enjoy exclusive access to the Hagerty Garage + Social clubhouse in Redmond and a private catered multiple course meal or heavy appetizers for 12, including wine pairings.

Limited to 12 people on a mutually agreeable date, expires December 31, 2022.

Value

A Night to Remember

Thank You

B.J. & Liz Kuula



Mariners Suite for 20

Grab your friends and enjoy a Mariners game in a Private Suite for 20 guests, four VIP parking passes with private access to suite level. \$1,000 catering credit towards food and a visit from the Mariners Moose!

Mutually agreeable date. Regular season game only.

Suite comes on a first come/first served basis so the sooner the game is chosen, the better.

Value

Making Mariners Memories

Thank YouJohn & Leigh Dyer



Dinner Cruise for 8 Couples Luxury at Sunset!

Enjoy the last days of summer break with a cruise around Lake Washington on an 80' Lazzara while enjoying dinner and drinks. Six hours of luxurious fun with your besties!

Scheduled for Saturday, August 27, 2022.

Value

Late Summer Luxury

Thank YouRich & Michelle Hunt



Cliff Avril Seahawks Package

Take in a Seahawks game like a pro bowler – Cliff Avril, our own STS Trustee and Parent, is gifting 2 VIP tickets to a Seattle Seahawks regular season game. And if you know Cliff, he'll show up on Auction night with a couple of surprises to make this a sweet package!

Mutually agreed upon regular season game.

Value Priceless

Thank You Cliff & Tia Avril Russell & Ciara Wilson



Raise-the-Paddle

Each year at our St. Thomas School Auction, we raise our bid cards to support a particular area of the school during our "Raise-the-Paddle" and we hope every family will participate.

This year's paddle raise is in support of presentation enhancements for our new spaces which include audio/visual equipment for our Athletics and Performing Arts Center, and for the Center for Leadership and Innovation.

In our new Gym, we will add a projector and retractable screen that will be positioned above the performance area for plays, concerts, and presentations. In addition, we will be able to complete the CLI's presentation needs including tiered seating and additional whiteboards.



Special Thanks and Acknowledgements

Auction Co-Chairs

Jill McNamara, Karen Stone, Xiaoying Haparnas

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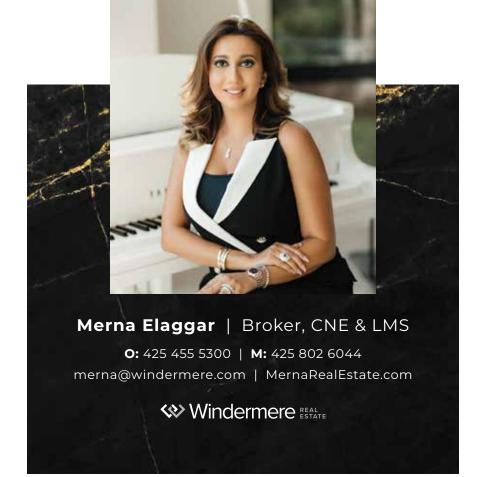
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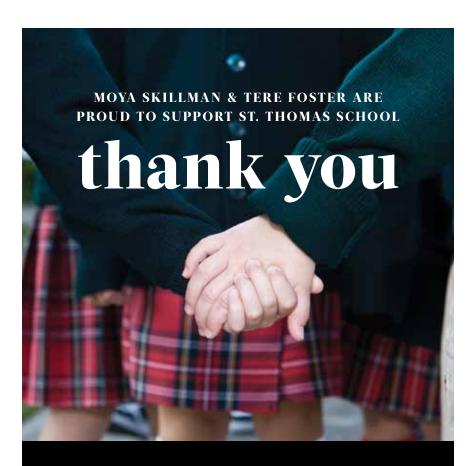
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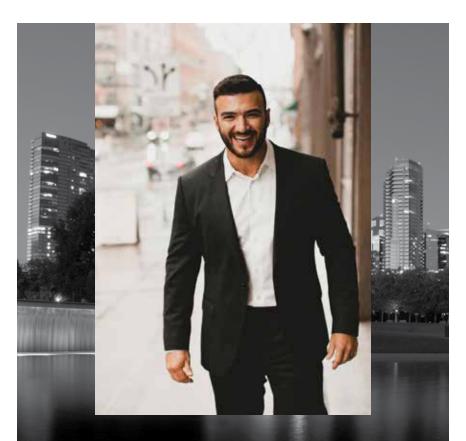
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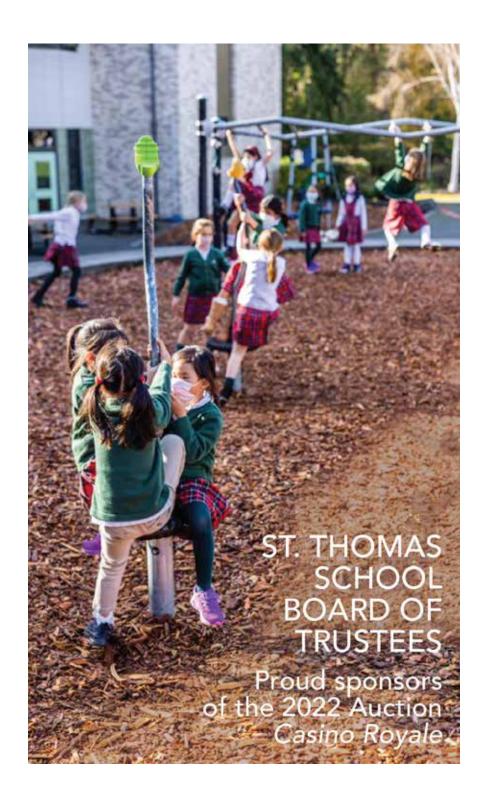
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