

MID-COLUMBIA MASTERSINGERS HOLIDAY FRIENDRAISER

> DECEMBER 15, 2013 TRI-CITY COUNTRY CLUB



Red & White - A Perfect Pairing

MENU

Bruschetta
BBQ Chicken Flatbread
Crab Stuffed Wonton Wrappers
Treveri Sparkling Syrah Brut
Treveri Sparkling Gewürtztraminer

Spring Mix Blend Kalamata Olives, Pine Nuts, Cranberries Barnard Griffin Rosé of Sangiovese Terra Blanca Rosé of Cabernet Franc

Steak au Poivre
Jamaican Curry Chicken
Fresh Garden Vegetables
Roasted Fingerling Potatoes
Smasne Cellars Old Vine Cabernet Sauvignon
JBK Family Estates Gewürtztraminer

Homemade New York Style Cheesecake with Strawberry Compote
Coffee and Tea Service
Terra Blanca Forte
Kiona Ice Wine

ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

Justin Raffa

PERFORMERS

Michael Edmondson, guitar Tara Swanson, piano

VOCALISTS
Molly Holleran
Kelli Kruse
Tyler Kruse
Mitzi Lundberg

FRIENDRAISER COMMITTEE

Jo Brodzinski, Friendraiser Chair
John Williams, Fund Development Chair
Jeremiah Griffith
Lisa Hill
Molly Holleran
Mitzi Lundberg
Jeanette Mendell
Ted Miller
Tina Miller
Sam Purvine

Justin Raffa

Renée Smith

SILENT AUCTION

To bid on a silent auction item, please sign your auction number on the bid sheet for each item, next to the bid amount.

RED TABLE

- 1. Weekend Getaway to Spokane
- 2. Walla Walla, Wine Tasting & Whitehouse Crawford
- 3. Mid-Columbia Symphony Deluxe Date Night
- 4. Dickens Christmas Collectible
- 5. Barnard Griffin Award-Winning Wine
- 6. Victoria Gravenlung Raku Pot
- 7. Mid-Columbia Mastersingers Deluxe Date Night
- 8. Art & Wine from Barnard and Griffin
- 9. Tri-City Americans Hockey Tickets & Dinner
- 10. Jewelry
- 11. JBK Family Estates Private Wine Tasting
- 12. Starbucks Gift Basket

PEPPERMINT TABLE

- 13. Game Night & Dinner at Rosie's Diner
- 14. Seattle Deluxe Date Night
- 15. Red Mountain Wine Tasting & Picnic
- 16. Thomas Kincaid Holiday Artwork
- 17. Hinzerling Cigar and Port Tasting
- 18. Original Artwork by Jeremiah Griffith
- 19. Atomic Ale Brewer-Hosted Beer Tasting
- 20. Wednesday Night Dinner at Emerald of Siam
- 21. Moueix 2009 Bordeaux
- 22. Terra Blanca Wine
- 23. Home Maintenance Services
- 24. Portland Opera Getaway

WHITE TABLE

- 25. Smasne Winery Private Tasting
- 26. Richland Players Deluxe Date Night
- 27. Gourmet International-Themed Dinner
- 28. Men's Jewelry
- 29. Take Me Out to the Ball Game!
- 30. Dickens Village Collectible
- 31. Tri-City Country Club Golf Package
- 32. Red Wine & Chocolate
- 33. Wine & Cheese on the Columbia
- 34. Les Miserables Deluxe Date Night
- 35. Thurston Wolfe Magnum
- 36. Z-Place Spa Package
- 37. Theme-Decorated Cake by Jennifer Schuster

JOHN CLEMENT PHOTOGRAPHY

- 37. Red Truck Winter (8x16)
- 38. Waiting For Spring (11x14)
- 39. Two Birches (20x50)
- 40. Chapel Door (16x20)
- 41. Chapel Window (11x14)
- 42. White River Fall (11x14)
- 43. Palouse Winter (16x24)
- 44. Fall Shower (11x14)
- 45. Kalhotus Highway Sentinel (12x24)
- 46. Red Leather Bench (11x14)
- 47. Rainbow Birch (18x30)
- 48. Red Barn Mt. Adams (18x24)
- 49. Lemberger Art (14x24)
- 50. Red Hook (11x14)
- 51. Transparent Reds (10x20)
- 52. Hanford Twilight (23x48)
- 53. Claar Vines (16x20)
- 54. 7 Cats & a Deere (8x16)
- 55. Snow Day (8x16)
- 56. Kiona Fall (11x14)
- 57. Fall Delight (11x14)
- 58. Iced II (11x14)

ALSO FOR SALE

2014 NW Drylands Calendar \$15 autographed

Northwest Drylands-Seasons book \$35 autographed

LIVE AUCTION

Lot 101 - Bird's Eye View of the Tri-Cities

This lot entitles the winner and two friends to a 1 hour airplane flight over the beautiful Tri-Cities. Your pilot, Dr. William Kalichman, will give you the experience of a lifetime on his Maule 825SE.

Lot 102 - Luxury Dining at Patit Creek

You'll be whisked away in a limousine for dinner with five friends at Patit Creek, Dayton's own four-star French restaurant.

Lot 103 - "Quiet Meditation"

This gorgeous John Clement photograph speaks for itself.

Lot 104 - VIP Theatre Package

You and three friends will receive VIP house seats to any Main Stage or Shakespeare Walla Walla Presents Series during the 2014 season. Enjoy wine and cheese in the SWW private lounge, a backstage tour of the Gesa Powerhouse Theatre, and a meet-and-greet with the actors after the show.

Lot 105 - Choose Music for the Mastersingers to Perform

Now is your chance to help Artistic Director Justin Raffa select some of the music for the Mastersingers to perform during their upcoming 2014-15 season. Bid will be based on length of music at \$200 per minute or \$250 per minute if additional instrumental forces are required beyond piano. Music choices and concert scheduling will be finalized in consultation with Justin.

Lot 106 - Mexican Cruise

Take time out for a fabulous week of cruising the beautiful coastline of California and northern Mexico. Enjoy the ports of call and time away for a few days of relaxation and luxury.

Lot 107 - Dinner Out for a Year

This item will please the gourmand! A night out once each month for a year provides a wonderful chance to enjoy the regions finest restraurants.

Lot 108 - Instant Wines of the World Cellar

Build an instant wine ceellar with wines from around the world, along with some of the finest from our local wineries.

Lot 109 - Ted Neth Metal Art Sculpture

Grace your walls with a one-of-a-kind Ted Neth original. Ted's work with stainless sculpture is unique and tantalizing. He blends rich shades of color and light elequently into each of his piecees of art.

Lot 110 - Justin's Red & White Dinner

Back on the live auction by popular demand, MCM Artistic Director Justin Raffa will once again host up to 10 people at his home for a South Jersey Italian style meal in honor of tonight's Friendraiser theme, Red & White. Justin's father Fred will fly in to serve as head chef for a dinner that will feature a variety of red and white sauce Italian dishes served family style as part of a customized menu created with the winning bidder's input. Justin will provide a selection of red and white themed specialty cocktails and some of his favorite wines throughout the evening in his dual role as bartender and sommelier. If the dinner is scheduled in early June 2014, Justin's mother Connie will also be in attendance to give you the full Raffa family experience. This is sure to be a memorable evening of great food and fellowship. No one ever leaves the Raffa house hungry. Tutti a tavola!

Lot 111 - A Week in Paradise

Enjoy a romantic ocean-side condo for two at Sea Village in Kailua-Kona, Hawaii. One week accommodation includes pool, jacuzzi and picnic area (no elevators).

Lot 112 - Wine and Cheese In Dayton

Have you ever wondered just what goes into making the cheese we all enjoy? This lot gives the bearer a chance to travel to Dayton Washington and visit a goat cheese farm and discover the fine art of cheese making.

Lot 113 - Murder Mystery Weekend

Join the Weinhard Hotel folk in the picturesque town of Dayton, Washington where things may not be as charming and innocent as they would appear. Descover Dayton as you look for clues that may help you catch a killer, or if the need arises, prove your own innocence. The weekend includes 2 night's accommodation for two people, continental breakfast, murder mystery character packets, a map to show points of interest for super sleuthing, a wine and cheese reception on Saturday evening, and a four course murder mystery dinner on Saturday evening with an awards presentation on Sunday. This is not to be missed for the adventurist traveler. Pick your date: January 10/11, January 25/26 or February 8/9.

Lot 114 - Conduct the Mastersingers

Have you always dreamed of being a maestro? Want a chance to stand in front of a great choir and be the director? The winner of this bid will have the opportunity to conduct the Mastersingers on a particular piece of music at a live performance during the 2014-15 season. Timeline and music to be conducted shall be negotiated with Artistic Director Justin Raffa. Winner will also receive preparatory conducting lessons, a baton if desired, and practice time with the Mastersingers leading up to the performance.

GUIDELINES

Use only the bid number assigned to you. Remember that a bid is your personal commitment to purchase. Please pay for your items with check to Mid-Columbia Mastersingers (MCM), cash, VISA or Mastercard. Credit card payments will include a service fee, debit card payments will not.

Where applicable, lot prizes are subject to availability and will be arranged at a mutually agreeable time and date. Any amount paid above the value of the item, and \$35 of this evening's ticket price, are tax deductible contributions. Consult your tax advisor.

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