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The Carlisle Education Foundation is thrilled that you will join us for *An Evening with Gatsby*. We encourage you to bid high and bid often to help support the mission of the CEF!

We wish to thank all of the sponsors who have generously donated auction items for our event. We are grateful for the overwhelming support we receive from our community and hope you will mention CEF when you visit their businesses.

This spectacular event would not be possible without tremendous effort from our volunteers, in particular:

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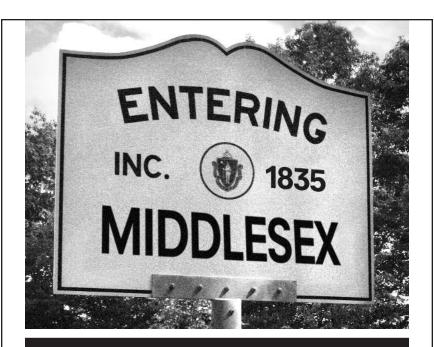
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#### LIVE ITEMS

#### Weekend Escape to Gatsby's Gilded Age in Newport

Welcome spring from the seaside town of Newport, RI from June 6th to June 13th. Enjoy a long weekend or up to 7 days at The Wellington Resort in a spacious two-bedroom, two-bathroom suite that is beautifully decorated with fine furnishings and modern conveniences. The suite sleeps up to six (including sleep sofa) and is perfect for a couple or an entire family. Start your adventure by tasting the region's best chowder at the Newport Chowder Festival on Saturday and then walk back in time as you stroll along the ocean side Cliff Walk and admire the architectural treasures of the Gilded Age mansions. Tour the decadent mansions and understand what it was really like to live at the time both upstairs and downstairs at an American Downton Abbey. Leave the mansion life and hunt for seashells on one of Newport's magnificent beaches, climb the stone tower or fly a kite at Brenton Point State Park, and then watch the sunset at Castle Hill. Explore the Tennis Hall of Fame or travel 10 minutes out of town to one of the two local wineries on the Coastal Wine Trail where you can hear jazz, tour and taste!

Package includes: 2-7 nights at The Wellington, 4 tickets to any mansion of your choice, 2 tickets to the Servant Life Tour, Selection of 4 bottles of wine from the local boutique Westport River Vineyards, \$100 gift certificate to enjoy at any one of the Newport Restaurant Group properties (includes Castle Hill Inn, The Mooring, and Smoke House). Explore this fantastic escape at www.wellingtonresort.com, www.newportmansions.org, www. newportrestaurant group.com, coastalwinetrail.com

Generously donated by Catherine & Bill Fink, Amy & Joe Versaggi, and The Preservation Society of Newport County.





#### Farm to Table Sit Down Dinner for 8

Dinner for eight prepared and served by chefs Diane Sills and Emily Williams - in their historic home in the heart of Carlisle. Relax with your guests in an elegant cozy private dining room, as you enjoy a full services epicurean experience. Dinner will include a welcome cocktail, followed by a four course "Farm to Table" menu\*, featuring sourced ingredients.\* Menu based on seasonal ingredients and winner input. Date to be agreed upon by donor and winner.

Generously donated by Diane Sills & Emily Williams.

#### **Grand Cayman Vacation**

Enjoy seven consecutive nights in a ground floor beachfront Condo in the tranquil East End of Grand Cayman at the Reef Resort. Amenities include two bedrooms, two bathrooms and a fully equipped kitchen with a dishwasher and washer and dryer. Whether you



want to snorkel, scuba dive, swim with the stingrays or just sit on the beach this is the place to go. There is a restaurant and Tiki bar onsite and a liquor store, supermarket, souvenir shop and restaurant across the street. Available for mutually agreeable dates from June 1, 2014 to May 31, 2015. Black out dates are December 13, 2014 to January 17, 2015

Generously donated by Mary Keeler.

#### Portrait Sitting for Individual or Family

Since beginning her wedding photography business in 1997, Gigi de Manio quickly became one of Boston's preeminent wedding photographers, earning *Boston Magazine's* coveted "Best of Boston" for wedding photography in only her second year business in 1999. They said, "de Manio takes the cheese out of wedding photos, adopting a photojournalistic style that's more candid than controlled, catching those moments nobody notices." de Manio is selected for her documentary style to photograph events throughout the country and internationally, including the Chelsea Clinton and Marc Mezvinsky wedding, Owner of the Boston Red Sox-John Henry and Linda Pizutti's wedding, and the upcom-

#### LIVE ITEMS

ing nuptials of Nate Berkus and Jeremiah Brent later this May. With her warm personality, clients feel completely at ease as she captures intimate and authentic moments throughout their day.

Generously donated by Genevieve de Manio Photography.





#### Shopping Spree at Long's Jewelers' Estate Collection

Throughout the years, different pieces of jewelry enter our lives and jewelry boxes, and over time your jewelry tells a story about you. Sometimes these stories extend beyond ourselves... a string of pearls worn by your grandmother on her own wedding day, or a ring passed down to you from a favorite aunt, who purchased the ring while vacationing Italy. There is a special charm and whimsical allure to jewelry of a bygone era, for each piece has it's own story. Why not continue your story? The winner of this auction item will enjoy the red carpet treatment with a guided tour of Long's pre-owned jewelry collection and a \$1500 shopping spree to transform a previously-loved jewel into a cherished piece of artwork to its new owner.

Visit their website, Longs Jewelers.com to preview a portion of their extensive pre-owned collection. Bid high on this unique and generous donation to the CEF Auction!

In addition, for any purchases at Long's Jewelers made between now and Mother's Day, Long's will donate a portion of the proceeds to the CEF. Please use the card in included in your gift bag when making your purchase.

#### Coppa & Collards Dinner for 10

Coppa & Collards: Southern soul & home-made charcuterie for you and up to 10 of your closest friends. Ken & Giuia Grady have restored part of the original Foss farmhouse to its earliest purpose, raising chickens, pigs & a garden to fill their larder and their curing cellar. Enjoy an outdoor seating and sampling of classic prosciutto that hasn't traveled more than 500 feet from where it was raised before being aged two years. Linger through a set of dinner courses served with the Southern spirit that still inspires their menu - fried green tomatoes & collards fresh picked from the field, or shrimp, pancetta & grits that highlights what regional cooking still has to offer. To enjoy the fresh garden-to-table choices at their best, the dinner should be scheduled in July-September, to be agreed between the hosts and winning bidder.

Generously donated by the Grady family.

#### Week Respite on Beautiful Vermont Homestead

This picturesque old Vermont farm, set on 102 acres, was once a working farm in the heart of Woodstock, VT. The property features two frog ponds and multiple trails through pastures and sugar maple woods. The surrounding area of Woodstock offers many recreational opportunities including alpine skiing, cross-country skiing, snowshoe trails, snowmobile trails, ponds for swimming, boating, and fishing, golfing, tennis, and hiking. Unique shops in the village of Woodstock will keep the shopper in your family happy and picking up healthy ingredients for dinner will be easy and fun at the many markets featuring locally grown and produced products.

The first level of the L-shaped farmhouse, parts of which date back to the 1790s, has a large kitchen with a generous space for dining, a dining room as part of a





#### LIVE ITEMS

larger sitting area, a "piano" room, a family or TV room, and a study. There is also a full bath, two fireplaces, and a wood burning stove on the first floor. The second floor has five bedrooms, one of which is a large space which can be used by a single family. There are two bathrooms on this level.

This property is being offered as a week-long getaway to be arranged mutually between the owners and the winners. Known "blackout", times are June 27th through July 10th, the month of August, the weekends of September 13-14 and 20-21, October 4-5, Thanksgiving, and December 13-14.

Generously donated by Phyllis and Gordon Bewick.

#### Orlando Fun and Magic

Here's the answer to the perfect, affordable, warm weather family vacation! Pack your bags for a week-long stay at our Orlando area (Champions Gate) condo. It's a spacious 3-bedroom/2 full bath condo, with a full kitchen, balcony, living and dining areas / and there's even a washer/dryer in the unit! In this private, gated community you will find a gorgeous, clean, & enormous heated pool, jacuzzi, toddler pool, poolside bar/lounge area and plenty of beach chairs and shaded canopies. You can even reserve the small movie theater for your family to watch movies on a big screen! Explore this community at www.tuscanaresort.com.

The bustling world of Disney, Sea World, Universal, Legoland etc. are only about a 20-minute drive with easy on/off highway access. The condo management company will even go grocery shopping for you so that your fridge can be stocked upon your arrival! A fantastic, family-friendly vacation! Summer 2014 and 2015 school vacation dates possible if confirm dates with owner by May 2014.

Generously donated by Vanessa & Ray Moroney.





#### Spend a Relaxing Week on Cape Cod

Imagine a summer week (July dates available) on Cape Cod. A 2 hour drive from Carlisle and situated in a private community in Nye's Neck, North Falmouth, MA. The house has 5 bedrooms, three baths, outside shower, laundry, sleeps a total of 9 in beds, 2 large living spaces (BR rooms large enough to accommodate additional air mattresses), screen porch. Perfect for 2 families if you want to invite your friends. The association has its own beach a 2 minute walk from the house, a larger beach (New Silver) 15 minute walk from house. Owners will provide a letter of rental so occupants can get a Falmouth beach pass from the town (\$60/week) to visit the 9 other Falmouth beaches. 10 minutes from the bike path to Woods Hole, 20 minute drive to Woods Hole and Falmouth Center, 15 minutes from the Canal bike path. Convenient to shopping and restaurants. Quiet, kid friendly neighborhood. Bring your bikes, bathing suits and relax.

Available the month of June, July 7-25, and the month of September. For Carlisle residents only. Date to be agreed upon by high bidder and owners. High bidders responsible for bed linens and towels.

Generously donated by Karen & Ben Smith.





#### Complete Orthodontic Care

Get ready for a new, beautiful smile and run into half the Carlisle Middle School at the office! Receive complete orthodontic treatment, including braces and all related care, at Reichheld Ting Orthodontics. This is a true "family practice," where Carlisle's own Dr. Jay Reichheld and his staff are committed to ensuring that patients have an exceptional orthodontic experience. RTO take pride in their ability to listen to your concerns and to deliver thorough, caring treatment in a relaxed and professional manner. Adult or child, new patients or observation patients not under active orthodontic care are eligible.

Generously donated by Reichheld Ting Orthodontics.

#### SILENT ITEMS

## Escape

#### Weekend at Sugarbush Condo (Super Silent)

Enjoy a relaxing 3-day weekend adventure (excluding holidays) anytime from May 1st, 2014 to May 30th, 2015 in this well appointed two-story townhouse at the corner of the Sugarbush Access Road and German Flats Road. Located at Club Sugarbush, this beautiful condo sleeps up to 6, and offers the ultimate convenience: a five-minute commute to Sugarbush Mountain's Adventure Center and the Trent Jones pro-golf course(sugarbush.com). The loft-like first floor of the townhouse features a living room with a fabulous fireplace and great nature views, a dining area, and a new kitchen with granite counter tops and eat-in bar. The living room's two twin-size chaise lounge couches, offer additional sleeping options for guests. There is also a mudroom and full bathroom on the first floor, as well as cable television and a CD/DVD player. The second story includes a master bedroom with a king-size bed and a large bedroom with two twin bedseach bedroom includes full bathrooms and features sliding glass doors.

The surrounding towns of Warren and Waitsfield offer fantastic shopping, art galleries, theater, award-winning restaurants, and picturesque New England scenery that will make your vacation unforgettable and inspire you to return season after season. *Generously donated by Kim and Ted Selig*.

## **Delicious Things**

#### Eat Out

#### Dinner for 4 at Blue Stove, Nordstrom Burlington

Come and enjoy a unique dining experience. Blue Stove offers sharable small plates and an extensive wine bar. Blue Stove offers globally inspired cuisine against a dramatically designed exhibition kitchen. Enjoy dinner for 4 at their Chef's Table at Nordstrom Burlington. Reservations required for the Chef's Table. (Alcohol and Gratuity not included). *Generously donated by Blue Stove at Nordstrom Burlington*.

#### Dinner for 2 at 80 Thoreau with bottle of wine selected by Maitre d'

It's date night! Where can you find world class cuisine close to home? 80 Thoreau is the perfect place. Located in Concord's train depot, you wont have far to go for your sophisticated culinary adventure. Ian Calhoun and Vincent Vela, co-owners, look forward to welcoming you to their fine restaurant, They have kindly donated dinner for two (2) with a bottle of wine selected by the Maitre d'. This is a night out not to be missed! *Generously donated by 80 Thoreau, Concord.* 

#### Your Choice: Dinner at Lumiere or Area 4

Lumière Restaurant is a unique and extraordinary dining experience offering simple and sophisticated food in an elegant setting. Lumière chef Michael Leviton is nationally recognized for his creative showcasing of organic, locally-grown, and sustainably-raised produce and meats. Michael is nominated for the 2014 James Beard chef award for best restaurant. Enjoy A Chef's Tasting Menu for 2 at Lumière Restaurant in West Newton.

For a more relaxed setting visit Area Four or an A4 outpost for amazing, cutting-edge entrees and the best wood-fired pizza in Boston. Chef Michael Leviton likes to say that the A4s are united by creativity, fearlessness and an unrelenting commitment to quality. Their team is made up of passionate and forward-thinking specialists on the cutting edge of their craft. They aren't fancy or fussy and they believe in real, straightforward food and drink. (\$50 gift card to their Cambridge location and \$50 gift card to their Somerville location).

Lumière Gift Certificate valid Sunday-Thursday only. Wine, beverage, tax & gratuity not included. *Generously donated by Michael Leviton, Lumière & Area 4* 

#### Red Raven Gastropub Gift Card

What is a gastropub? gástr pùb noun Brit. a British term for a public house that specializes in serving high-quality food. The gastropub movement started in the early 90's in London, England. The idea of taking an existing pub, injecting a gourmet chef, and elevating the experience for its patrons crossed the pond and has been permeating this country for a few years now. Only in recent years has Boston become a destination for such fare. So come check out the new local gastropub, treat yourself to dinner and drinks. Bid high and enjoy! *Generously donated by Red Raven, Acton.* 

#### L'Andana Restaurant Gift Certificate

Enjoy a warm welcome at the door and an unparalleled dining experience. L'Andana. an elegant interpretation of a Tuscan farmhouse, is a unique and luxurious venue offering an abundance of fresh, seasonal Tuscan fare in a rustic-modern setting. No matter what the occasion, it is truly is a magical place to share all of life's special moments. The soothing ambiance hosts the flavors of woodgrilled meats and fishes, house-made pastas, and decadent desserts. *Generously donated by L'Andana Restaurant*.

#### Eat In

#### CEF Board Cooks for You! (Super Silent)

The illustrious chefs of the Carlisle Education Foundation have teamed up to offer a delightful, delectable and undeniably delicious treat. The lucky winner of this item will receive 6 home cooked dinners, one per month, each carefully prepared by a member of the CEF board. Our chefs will satisfy you with some of their family favorites delivered to your door on a mutually agreeable date...just plate and serve! Why cook when you can let CEF do all the work? This is a one-of-a-kind item that is sure to please the entire family. *Generously donated by the Bohn, Gladstone, Harring, Kalkstein, Lober and Smith families.* 

#### Nashoba Brook Bakery Loaf of Bread Weekly for 6 Months

Nashoba Brook Bakery, voted Best of Boston 2006, is a great bakery, coffee and sandwich shop in West Concord. Tucked behind other retail establishments on Commonwealth Avenue, you will be thrilled to find this little oasis of fresh baked goods and great atmosphere! The high bidder of this items will be able to visit this working bakery and eatery when they pick up their loaf of bread each week for 6 months! They will even help you decide which great bread to choose with their "fresh today" indicator on their web site, slowrise.com. All ships (and bread) rise when you bid high on this yummy item! *Generously donated by Nashoba Brooks Bakery*.

#### Local Chef Cooks for 8 and Delivers to Your Home

CPS parent Nancy Shohet West and her mother, cookbook author Carolyn Shohet, will together prepare a five-course dinner for eight, to be delivered to your kitchen. We will lend you a copy of Carolyn's most recent cookbook, "Carolyn's Kitchen Revisited," to peruse; from among its many delicious and popular recipes, you can choose an appetizer, soup or salad, vegetable, main dish, and dessert for us to prepare and drop off at your home just before your dinner party. Bon appetite! *Generously donated by Nancy West and Carolyn Shohet*.

#### 2 Dozen Delicious Cookies Delivered to You!

Your family will enjoy the simple pleasure of receiving two dozen freshly baked cookies once a month for six months! These delicious treats will be home made by local baker, Nancy West. Nancy is known to many as a fine baker and well regarded *Boston Globe* Correspondent. Nancy will work with you to find cookie varieties appealing to your family. Schedule of delivery of baked goods will have to be mutually agreed upon betweenbaker and winner, once per month from May 2014 to June 2015. Starting when the bidder chooses. Aw, c'mon, you know you want 'em. Do good for your spirit and the Carlisle Educational Foundation by bidding high on these delicious cookies. *Generously donated by Nancy West*.

#### Become a Pie Judge at OHD

Join the elite group of supertasters at Old Home Day and become a member of the Pie Judging Panel! On Saturday, June 28th, taste the most delicious creations in Carlisle from 10:30 – 11:30 and opine. One in a life time opportunity! *Generously donated by Sally Duscha, OHD Committee* 

#### **Summer Fun**

#### Camps

#### Summer Arts Under the Umbrella 2014: 1 Week of 1/2 Day Program

Learning, growing, and experimenting through art is at the heart of what we do. We offer fine arts education for ages 4-13 and an excellent Counselor in Training program for ages 14-16. We offer arts for every interest. Children have the opportunity to try Drawing & Painting, 2D Mixed Media, 3D Mixed Media, Ceramics, Performance, Art & Nature, and Woodworking/Workshop.

Located at the heart of historic Concord, Emerson Umbrella is home to over 50 artists' studios. Its teaching facilities offer a fully equipped clay studio, four art classrooms, and a dance studio. Each week is unique with projects designed to engage you child's creativity and artistic spirit. Families may sign up for individual weeks or for the full eight-week program.

For more information visit www.emersonumbrella.org or call 978-371-0820.

Generously donated by Emerson Umbrella Center for the Arts

Please call prior to June 1, 2014 to register with this gift certificate. (Parent may "upgrade" to the full-day program by paying the difference in tuition. Sibling discount (10%) will not apply when one tuition is covered by winner certificate.)

#### Concord Academy Summer Camp: One Free Week of Day Camp

Full-Day (9am-4pm) program offering morning swimming lessons, snack, lunch, daily activity choices, and an afternoon swim. Choose 1 week from list:

Week 1: June 23-27 Superhero Week

Week 2: June 30-July 3 (no camp July 4) America Week

Week 3: July 7-11 Olympic Week

Week 4: July 14-18 Wish Week

Week 5: July 21-25 Musical Arts

Week 6: July 28-August 1 Helping Hands Week

Week 7: August 4-8 Pirates Week

Week 8: August 11-15 Summer Camp Week

Generously Donated by Concord Academy.

## Marcus Lewis Day Camp: One Week of Junior Discovery or Teen Exploration Camp

The winner of this gift certificate for The Marcus Lewis Day Camp can choose one week of either the Junior Discovery or Teen Exploration program!

The Junior Discovery Camp is for campers who will be entering kindergarten through fifth grades in the coming fall. Junior Discovery Camp offers the most popular traditional day camp activities combined with the opportunity for campers to choose and explore a variety of new interests. To promote a sense of wonder and engagement, we offer programs that facilitate exploration and active involvement. Campers attend activities designed to foster independence and self-expression as well as enhance their intellectual, physical, and social development.

The Teen Exploration Camp is for campers who will be entering the sixth through tenth grades in the coming fall. The camp operates from 9:00am-4:00pm and is the only 100% free choice program for teens. This exciting and innovative program allows campers to choose ALL of their activities each day based on their skill development. Campers can specialize in artistic, athletic, technology based activities or they can choose other, varied interests. This concept allows us to provide a great experience for every type of camper versus having to have the camper strive to assimilate into a program that may not be a good match for him or her.

Winners must be new to the camp and must register for the Summer 2014 program.

Generously donated by The Marcus Lewis Tennis Center.

#### One Week at Star Sports Camp

Star Camps always has an 7:1 campers to staff ratio. The programs are specially-designed to be age-appropriate and to meet the needs of both beginners and advanced players. During baseball, basketball, lacrosse, field hockey and softball camps, a camper can attend a combination of camps during one week (one in the morning and another in the afternoon) or just attend one camp. These weeks are set up this way to give children an opportunity to play two sports that they enjoy, or to concentrate on just one. Star Camp offers separate all-girls and all-boys soccer camps, volleyball camp, and a continuation of our flag football camp. This year, Star Camp will have all camp sessions at Sanborn Middle School in Concord. Camp week to be mutually agreed upon by donor and high bidder and must be redeemed by the end of summer 2014. Awe c'mon, send a great kid to camp! Bid bid bid! *Generously donated by Star Sports Camp*.

#### Summer Fenn: One Week General Camp

The Fenn Summer camp has programs for grades K-10, with programs in nature and science, adventure, sports and games, arts & crafts, and swimming. Something for everyone in an environments that challenges students to take responsibility for their actions and attitudes as well as seeking ways to treat each other well. Check out the Fenn Summer Camp website and choose a great week for your child! Fenn.org *Generously donated by Fenn Summer Camp*.

#### 2 Days at Flying Change Stables Horsemanship Camp

Come spend some of your summer on a horse where many Carlislileans have gone over the years! Campers experience a variety of equine activities, including lessons, trail rides, grooming, tacking up and tack care, horse care and management. All activities are horse-related and are supervised by licensed instructors and seasoned, child-friendly staff. Camp is from 9am-1pm on Wednesday and



A Sports Day Camp for boys and girls ages 5-15.

Concord, MA 978 618 0232 www.starcamps.com

#### **Sports Offered:**

Baseball
Boys Basketball
Girls Basketball
Field Hockey
Boys Lacrosse
Girls Lacrosse
Multi-Sport
Boys Soccer
Girls Soccer
Volleyball

Thursday of the following weeks in 2014: April 23 - 24; July 22 - 23; August 5 - 6; August 26 - 27. Generously donated by Flying Stables.

#### 1 week of Behn Basketball Camp in Concord

Enjoy a week at the largest and most successful basketball camp in New England! Behn Basketball Camp is entering its 20th season and remains passionate and focused on excellent teaching based on fundamentals and fun. This summer, the camp will be at the Nashoba Brooks School . Two sessions are offered for the weeks of 7/21 and 7/28. Each week session is M-F, 9-3, for ages 7-15. *Generously doanted by Behn Basketball Camp*.

#### \$500 Middlesex School Summer Arts Scholarship

The Middlesex School Summer Arts program is providing to the lucky high bidder \$500 towards the tuition for any of the 2-week, 3-week, or 5-week MSSA programs held in the summer 2014. *Generously donated by Middlesex Summer Arts*.

#### **Sports**

#### VIP Bruins Experience (Supet Silent)

Since 1924, the Boston Bruins have been at the epicenter of hockey in New England! They were the winners of the 2011 Stanley Cup trophy, ending a 39-year drought! The Bruins are on a 9 away game winning streak and are heading to the The Stanley Cup playoffs for 2014 in April. Bid high and often to win 4 Loge Level Tickets for the 2014-2015 season (regular season games prior to November 30, 2014). Winner (age 12 or older) is entitled to ride the Zamboni during a regular season game! So bid high and fulfill your dream of seeing a Boston Sports team in their element and ride the Zamboni - you know you have always wanted to! *Generously donated by The Boston Bruins* 

#### New England Patriots vs Buffalo Bills (for TWO) (Supet Silent)

You and a lucky guest will enjoy the Pats game against the Bills in excellent seats that are up CLOSE to the action. Sit only 21 rows away on the 35th yard line in section 133. Official NFL schedule with specific date of game to be release on April 17th. *Generously donated by Stephanie and Tim Blunt*.

#### See the Red Sox vs. Oakland A's at Fenway (4 tickets)

You know it's Spring when baseball season begins. Take advantage of seeing the Red Sox in action on Friday, May 2nd at 7:10 pm when they take on the Oakland A's at Fenway Park. Enjoy the game from Seats - Grandstand 18, Row 7

Seats 15-18. So bid high and win, bring your peanuts and crackerjacks and sit back and enjoy the game. Generously donated by Nutter, McClennen & Fish LLP

#### David Ross Autographed Bat

This is your chance to own a piece of Red Sox history! Bid on an autographed baseball bat from Red Sox catcher David Ross #3. Ross was a key player in Boston's run to the 2013 World Championship, started 4 games during the Series and drove in the game-winning run with an RBI double in Game 5. Ross is back again this season as the Red Sox hope to repeat with back to back Championships. Keep your new lucky autographed bat by your side as you root the Sox on to another World Series win! *Generously donated by the Boston Red Sox* 

#### Official Olympic Jacket

Look like a member of the US Olympic Luge Team without having to don a speed suit! This waterproof and windproof shell was an official team jacket for the US Luge Team that just returned from the Sochi Games where USA Luge won their first medal in singles competition. Stay warm and look cool in this limited edition jacket. Size XL. *Generously donated by Warren-Hansel Family & U.S. Luge Association.* 

#### Golf for 3 at Woodland Golf Club, Auburndale, MA

Golf for three at historical Woodland Golf Club in Auburndale, accompanied by member Charlie Albanese. Outing includes green fees, carts, lunch, and drinks in the Grill Room. As Woodland was one of the first clubs where legendary golfer Francis Ouimette played and held membership, this auction item includes a DVD of *The Greatest Game Ever Played. Generously donated by Jen and Charlie Albanese.* 

#### Foursome of Golf at Butter Brook Golf Club

Whether you are a competitive golfer or a weekend enthusiast, Butter Brook Golf Club is the area's finest new championship semi-private golf course. We are committed to providing you with exceptional service as well as an exceptional golf experience.

The course was created on over 210 acres of serene rolling hills, tall pine, beautiful ponds and the babbling Butter Brook which flows directly down the middle of the property. It is conveniently located at the junction of Route 225 and Route 27 on the Westford, Carlisle and Acton town lines. This Mark Mungeam design is a par 72 layout stretching from 5100 yards to over 6800 yards with four sets of tees.

Winner of this items is entitled to a round of golf for 4 players, carts included at the beautiful Butter Brook Golf Club in Westford any day of the week. Tee times may be booked no further out that 7 days and may be arranged by calling the golf shop at (978) 692-6560. This certificate expires on November 1, 2014. Proper dress and etiquette are required. Dust off you shoes and round up your friends. *Generously donated by Butter Brook Golf Club*.

#### Men's Golf for Three at Concord Country Club

We're sorry, membership is closed - but not to you! As the high bidder you will be a guest of Concord Country Club mem- ber Vaughn Harring! Yes, you and two friends will enjoy a round of golf on one of the area's most beautiful private courses. Lunch and drinks at the club house are included afterwards. *Generously donated by Heidi and Vaughn Harring*.

#### 1 Week Family Pool Membership at Quail Ridge

Do your children enjoy a refreshing swim on a hot summer day? If so, you'll enjoy spending a week at Quail Ridge, where the 3,200 square-foot outdoor pool is as beautiful as it is fun! It is located conveniently close to the Family Center, so you can easily use the snack bar and full changing facilities. Designed to thrill and chill, the pool area features a baby pool for the youngest members and a zero-grade entry to the main pool that makes it safe for toddlers and small children. Their mushroom fountain delights children of all ages, particularly on hot days. The membership will be for 7 consecutive days. *Generously donated by Quail Ridge Country Club*.

#### 30 Day Membership to Boston Sports Clubs for Kids in Lexington

The Sports Club for Kids offers classes for tots through teens to help build strong bodies while kids have a blast participating in fun, recreational, athletic programs. *Generously donated by Boston Sports Club Lexington*.

#### Yard/Home

#### Mr. Handyman Tackles Your "To Do" List (Super Silent)

Busy schedules can make home repairs hard to get to. Does your growing "To Do" list look overwhelming and unmanageable? Where do you start? It takes just one call to hire your local Mr. Handyman to solve all your home repair headaches. Professional, safe, reliable handyman services on-time, every time,

that's their guarantee. Mr. Handyman completes all major and minor home repairs in a quick, efficient manner, making your "To Do" list manageable allowing you to spend your time doing what you enjoy most. High quality, consistent work means every home repair, installation, maintenance or odd job is quickly checked off your list so you can officially get it off your mind. Item includes up to 8 hours of labor; use it all yourself or split it with a friend! *Generously donated by Mr. Handyman*.

#### Spring Clean Up by Turf's Up Landscape

As Spring rapidly approaches and this sunny weather begins to unveil the debris that covers your property, allow the professionals at Turf's Up Landscape Services to take care of your dreaded Spring Clean up. They will remove leaves, branches, and other debris that have accumulated over the course of the winter season throughout your property and landscape beds and haul away the debris. They love what they do and take exceptional pride in doing it well.

Carlisle's own Turf's Up Landscape kindly donated this gift of Five (5) manhours of services. They have also kindly provided each guest today with a copy of their informative Consumer Awareness Guide to Lawn Care and Landscape Maintenance Serives - So you can make an educated decision about hiring a landscape professional. The company owners are proud graduates of our very own Carlisle Public Schools. You can visit their website at http://www.turfsuplandscape.com *Generously donated by Turf's Up Landscape Services*.

#### **Decorative Bird House**

Spring is in the air and crocus's are blooming. This beautiful decorative bird house would look beautiful on your porch or in your garden. It's shiny silver decor will brighten up whatever space you put it in. You may even get a friend to move in. So treat yourself to a bit of Spring and bid high on this beautiful one-of-akind birdhouse. *Generously donated by Barrett Sotheby's International Realty*.

#### Spring Daffodil Explosion

Carlisle resident and real estate agent extraordinaire, Casey Smith of The Attias Group Real Estate sells beautiful homes and now she wants to help make your home beautiful too! Casey would like you to bid as high as possible for the CEF and will enhance your home with 200 spring daffodil bulbs! No need to pull out your shovel and gloves, you will also benefit from Casey's work ethic as this amazing auction item includes her planting the 200 Spring daffodils in the location of your choice!!! *Generously donated by Casey Smith*.

#### O'Connor Hardware Gift Certificate and This Old House® Saw

O'Connor True Value Hardware in Billerica, MA specializes in paint, plumbing, equipment rental, lawn and garden, electrical, hardware, housewares and more. This gift certificate, combined with a This Old House® cast-signed saw will start all of your home projects with style. *Generously donated by O'Connor's Hardware and Peg Gladstone*.

## Our Children

## Happy Birthday!







#### Birthday Party Extrodinaire!

Take all the worry out of planning your child's next birthday party. Winner of this items wins a themed birthday cake (feeds up to 30) and cookies, on-line invitations and thank-you cards, and entertainment as it comes with a Mega House bouncy house delivered to your home and set up by WRMF Bouncies! Generously donated by Nancy Szczesniak, Laura Marshall and Dawn Buckelew, WRMF Bouncies.

#### **Boston Sports Club Birthday Party**

Celebrate your child's birthday or special event with a Sports Club of Kids party. The Boston Sports Club offers fun and creative fitness based parties for tots, preschoolers, and school age kids. Choose from themes parties or create your own, whatever you choose, your guaranteed a party to remember. The all-inclusive party package provides it all - from invitations, to cake, to decorations, and

everything in between. It is that easy, the only thing you need to do is show up and have a blast. Be a hero in your kids eyes and bid high. *Generously donated by Boston Sports Club* 

#### Birthday Party at Gymnastics Academy

Come celebrate your child's birthday at GAB with 2 instructors leading the party kids through obstacle courses, moonwalk, games, tumble trak trampoline and foam pit. Their experienced and friendly staff will give your child and 20 of their closest friends a party they will never forget. One hour party in the gym and 30 minutes in the party room. You supply all the food, drinks, and paper goods and they will handle the clean up. Bid high and give your child a party to remember! *Generously donated by Gymnastics Academy of Boston*.

#### **Amazing Dance Party**

Does your child like music and are you looking for something fun & different for a party? Cool and hip DJ Fadayz may be your answer. Local Carlisle mom claims" I have never seen anything like it, he transformed my house into a dance club for twenty 9 year olds, teaching them dances and playing exactly the music they want. They were thoroughly entertained the entire time!" Party includes: 2 hours of Professional DJ at your location with Dance entertainment by his dancer. So bid high and throw your child a party to remember! *Generously donated by DJ Fadayz*.

#### Activities

#### Take a Police Car to Kimball's (Super Silent)

Is there a cooler way to go to Kimball's after school than in a Carlise Police car? Send in a special note with your child on this day because the parent picking him/her up for the play date will be a distinguished Carlisle Police officer! From school, the officer will take your child to Kimball's to enjoy a cone and then a drop off at your home. We will make sure that this event is captured in the *Carlisle Mosquito! Generously donated by the Carlisle Police Department*.

#### Crush the Trash at the Transfer Station

Let your child feel the power and watch as the huge trash compactor at the Carlisle Transfer Station crushes the trash beyond recognition! The child of the high bidder of this item will push the lever to set the compactor in motion!

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(Don't you wish you were a kid again!) Going to the transfer station has a whole new feeling when you've supported the Carlisle Educational Foundation along the way! *Generously donated by Town of Carlisle Public Works*.

#### A Rider's Dream!

What a wonderful way to introduce your child to all things horses! This items includes, one horse back riding lesson, a beautiful bracelet, and a Breyer's Model Horse Set. Family owned Esquestrian Snowcreek Farm stretches across twenty-four acres of slopes and meadows in Westford, MA. Their facilities feature two barns, two large outdoor rings and an expansive indoor arena. At Snowcreek Farm, they believe that anything worth doing is worth doing right. That's why you'll find them paying a lot of attention to detail as your rider prepares to ride, takes a lesson, and learns his or her way around the barn. The bracelet will adorn your child's wrist reminding them of their experience, the Breyer horse will become a great friend when away from the stables. Bid High and often on this great experience! Generously donated by Snowcreek Farm, Horseman's Exchange, and The Concord Toy Shop.

#### 2 Riding Lessons (in a group)

Have you always wanted to ride a horse or learn how to do it better? Flying Change has developed into a program specializing in children's riding. They are committed to providing the best environment for both horse and rider. Each lesson can be with up to 3 other paying children, will be 40 minutes in duration (plan on being there an hour), and is open to any child 4 and up. *Generously donated by Flying Change Stables* 

#### Acton Discovery Museum Family Pass

The Discovery Museums blend the best of science, children's and environmental learning on a beautiful 4.5 acre campus in Acton, MA. Little ones can wander from room to room in the historic Victorian-style house, where each room offers a different theme and surprises are around every corner. With 3 floors of handson, interactive exhibits imaginations are free to grow. Visit the Science Discover Museum and children of all ages can use their natural curiosity to explore the ordinary in extraordinary ways. Using their senses and critical thinking skills, visitors explore science, math and engineering concepts in an inviting, hand-on environment. High bidder of this item wins a one year membership for four to the Discovery Museum. Unlock your child's imagination. Bid high! *Generously donated by The Discovery Museums*.

#### 4 Day Passes to the New England Aquarium and a Stuffed Sea Turtle

Curious about taking the plunge but hesitant to don scuba gear and an oxygen tank? Instead, enjoy the adventure of 4 full day passes to the New England Aquarium along with a souvenir stuffed animal sea turtle! The Aquarium has recently completed a spectacular renovation of its centerpiece exhibit, the Giant Ocean Tank, and it is home to a stunning new Caribbean coral reef teeming with more animals than ever before. Today your Aquarium adventure includes sea turtles, stingrays, bustling penquins, playful seals and a series of kid-friendly touch tanks.

There are plenty of new species, but also a bunch of old favorites at the Aquarium. Don't miss the fearsome lionfish, the delicate leafy seadragons and the mysterious giant Pacific octopus. Go out back to see the Northern fur seals and California sea lions in action, and be sure to visit the Atlantic harbor seals out front. Don't miss the amazing excursion and family experience by bidding now. *Generously donated by The New England Aquarium*.

## 4 Boston Science Museum Passes: General Admission, Omni Theater & Planetarium

Come visit for the day the Boston Science Museum! One of the world's largest science centers and New England's most highly attended cultural institution, the Museum of Science is ideally positioned to lead the nationwide effort to promote engineering education awareness, bringing science, technology, and mathematics alive through its exhibits, programs, and more. So come and explore the wonders of Science, the Planetarium and the Onmi Theater. Winner will receive 4 one day passes to general admission to the museum, the planetarium and the Omni Theater. Generously donated by Karen & Ben Smith.

#### 2-day Pet Sitting and Gift Basket from Pet Thingz

My name is Pam Ziehler and I am a Carlisle resident. After working for Mass Audabon Drumlin Farm taking care of sick and injured animals. I started Pams Personel Pet Care to care for Carlisle pets. Please bid generously for (2) two days-twice a day visits to take care of you favorite kitty or pup.

This item also includes a gift basket from Pet Thingz in Westford and a \$25 gift card to Especially for Pets. *Generously donated by Pam Ziehler*.

#### Wellness

#### Personal Health & Beauty

## Day of Beauty at Elite Hair Design & Day Spa: The Day Belongs To You! (Super Silent)

Come enjoy the experience at Elite Hair Design and Day Spa where It's All About You! Elite is pleased to have you as our special guest where you will enjoy a full day of luxury and pampering. Escape the stress of the day and enjoy the following services to complete your special day!

- Relaxing European Facial (90 minutes)
- Eye brow wax and sculpting
- Awapuhi Ginger Keratin Treatment
- Wash~ Cut~ Blow-dry and Style
- SpaRitual Spa Manicure and Deluxe Spa Pedicure

Your special gift also includes a variety of professional Hair, Skin & Nail Beauty Products. *Generously donated by Elite Hair Salon*.

#### Microdermabrasion Facial: Beautiful Skin!

Rejuvenate your skin with a microdermabrasion facial. This treatment is a safe non-surgical skin resurfacing procedure performed under the supervision of a certified aesthetic professional. It uses medical grade crystals to remove the dead outermost layer of the skin leaving the skin soft, smooth and receptive to nutrients. It's fast, predictable and painless...the perfect lunch time peel. *Generously donated by Dr. Mollie McCormack, MD and Lahey Hospital and Medical Center.* 

#### Organix Spa & Salon Haircut & Spa Manicure

Organix Spa and Salon in Bedford offers services for hair, skin, nails, tanning, and laser treatment. This item includes a haircut and style and a spa manicure with a fingertip to elbows relaxing massage and exfoliation. Perfect for the woman in your life, Mother's Day is right around the corner. *Generously donated by Organix Spa & Salon*.

#### 1 Hour Massage Gift Certificate at Maria Cornelia

Marie Cornelia is a massage therapist, offering services geared at helping the aching backs and sore shoulders of Acton and surrounding towns. Please call for more information. *Generously donated by Maria Cornelia*.

#### Elements Massage Gift Certificate

Enjoy the gift of relaxation with a therapeutic massage handcrafted just for you! Elements Massage focus on providing a true therapeutic experience. Whether you need relief from pain, release from tension, stress reduction or simply to relax and feel you best, Elements Massage is committed to promoting your wellbeing. So treat yourself to an hour of pleasure. Bid high and relax. *Generously donated by Elements Massage*.

#### Fitness

#### Best Fitness Full Year Membership

Now is the time to get in that "better shape" you have been talking about for months. Enjoy a full year at the Best Fitness in Chelmsford. Membership includes unlimited group exercise classes (Zumba, Pilates, Step, Spin, Boot Camp, etc) and access to state of the art fitness machines. Child care at the Kids Club is available for a small addition fee. *Generously donated by Best Fitness*.

#### 3 Months Unlimited Jazzercise Classes

Are you ready for the original dance exercise phenomenon! Each 60 minute workout is a fusion of dance adn muscle toning movements choreographed to today's hottest music. Welcome to Jazzercise, a powerfully fun and effective workout that will lift your spirits and strengthen your heart, muscles, and core. You'll get a healthy does of cardio, strength and stretch moves and finish up feeling energized. Just in in time for bathing suit weather. This certificate entitles the high bidder to 3 months of Jazzercise. *Generously donated by Jazzercise Fitness Center Acton*.

#### Thoreau Club: One month unlimited group Fitness

The Thoreau Club is providing to the lucky high bidder a full month of unlimited fitness classes including yoga, cycling, and water fitness. It's a great way to get yourself back in shape and check out all that the Thoreau Club has to offer! *Generously donated by The Thoreau Club*.

#### **Great Brook Touring Center 2 Season Passes (2014-2015)**

Catch the spirit of winter at Great Brook Farm State Park. Great Brook Ski Touring Center provides over 10 miles of machine-groomed trails for cross country skiing from December 1 to March 20, snow conditions permitting. The trails include all levels of difficulty and explore the beautiful landscape of farmland, forests, streams and ponds at 1,000-acre Great Brook Farm State Park. Skiers can stride past fields and a working dairy farm on the easy Lantern Loop, venture through the quiet woods around Meadow Pond on the Pine Point Loop, or test their strengths on the hills of the more difficult Woodchuck Trail. Whether you come for the family fun, the natural surroundings, or the physical exercise, Great Brook has a beautiful trail groomed for you. The high bidder of this item receives 2 season passes so set your skis in motion... you'll be surprised where they can bring you. *Generously donated by Great Brook Touring Center*.

#### Wachusett Mountain Ski Resort 2 Lift Tickets

Come enjoy one of New England's most accessible ski areas! Winner of this items will enjoy 2 Community Spirit Day Tickets. These lift vouchers are valid for the 13/14 and 14/15 ski seasons. Winner also goes home with a Transpack - a boot, helmet & gear backpack! *Generously donated by Wachusett Mountain Ski Resort.* 

#### 2 Months of Unlimited Catz Fitness

Bring your fitness routine to another level with CATZ training. Work muscles that are ignored at the typical health club and focus on cross training workouts that develop total body conditioning. Boston.com described CATZ as "making fitness fun" while Men's Health rated it one of the top 10 fitness programs in the US. *Generously donated by Catz Fitness*.

#### 2 Kid Passes Boston Rock Gym

Kids Climb! The Boston Rock Gym strives to be the best indoor rock climbing facility in New England by offering the best terrain, instruction, and staff. They believe in creating an environment that is friendly and fun by staffing our facility with experienced and professional climbers and outdoor enthusiasts. Experienced Rock Gym Instructors will be available to belay your child and encourage the to challenge themselves in a supportive, noncompetitive environment. Each session include two hours of instruction and equipment rental. *Generously donated by Boston Rock Gym*.

#### Our School

#### Reserved Seating at the 2014 8th Grade Graduation

You know how busy it gets around graduation! Wouldn't it be great to have your seats reserved for the 2014, 8th grade graduation? Better yet, wouldn't you want to sit front and center? Imagine how great your photos will be! Well this item does all of that! The high bidder will receive four front and center seats for this year's 8th grade graduation. These seats are for the 2014 commencement only. Bid high on this one of a kind item and support the Carlisle Education Foundation at the same time. *Generously donated by the Administrative Team*.

#### Create Your Own Mosaic with Mrs. Levy

It's creative, fun, messy, and will last forever! Bid now on this great activity for your child and their friends! Carlisle teacher Mrs. Levy will hold a two session, Create your own mosaic art class for up 5 students. The sessions will be held after school (3:05-4:00 pm), on dates and times mutually agreed upon by Mrs. Levy and the high bidder. *Generously donated by Rachael Levy*.

#### Elementary School Principal for a Day

Every kid dreams of taking over the principal's office - now your kid can! One lucky child can spend the morning at Dr. Sidells's desk, "running the school." No, they won't be able to cancel school or make the teachers do homework for them, but the child of the high bidder can make an announcement on the PA system, carry a walkie-talkie, do morning classroom walk-through, and lunch monitoring. The winner can bring lunch and invite two friends to eat lunch with Dr. Sidell. *Generously donated by the Administrative Team*.

#### Halloween Parade Marshall for 2014

Every child has leadership potential, here is a chance for your child to lead as the Grand Marshal of the 2009 Carlisle Halloween Parade! Your child will lead their costumed classmates as grades K through 5 walk the traditional Halloween parade route next fall. This item is for the 2014 Carlisle School Halloween Parade only. Bid high on this one of a kind item and support the Carlisle Education Foundation at the same time! *Generously donated by the Administrative Team*.

#### Reserved Parking Spot 2014-2015 School Year (Super Silent)



Tired of double parked cars, traffic jams, no place to park? Are you racing to school stressed that you will be late for pick-up? Well, the lucky winner of this item will worry no more! Imagine pulling into the circle and having a spot reserved just for you. Bid high on this item and ensure your drop off and pickup are stress free. Bid alone or split the spot with a few friends. Either way, this coveted spot will make you the envy of all! Well, the lucky winner of this item will worry no more! *Generously donated by Carlisle Public Schools*.

#### Mini-Golf with Mrs. Niemierko

A round of mini-golf is one thing, A round of mini-golf with a great teacher is another. Let your young Tiger show their teacher a thing or two with a round of mini-golf and some ice cream. One student and three friends, 3rd through 6th grade, will spend a couple hours with Ms. Niemierko for a round of mini-golf and ice cream at Kimball's. This item must be used by the end of the school year, June 2014. Put your child in the "driver" seat and a round of mini golf, and support the Carlisle Educational Foundation at the same time! *Generously donated by Aria Niemierko*.

#### Catch the Lowell Spinners with Mrs. Denaro!

Take 'em out to the ball game! Bid on this amazing opportunity for your child and two of their friends to see a Lowell Spinner's game with 5th grade teacher Mrs. Denaro! Who knows, you may just see a future hall of famer while you're there! This game is on June 23rd, at 7:05pm. All three of the Red Sox World Series trophies will be on hand for taking photos all game long. Make sure to bid high on this great opportunity to see a Lowell Spinners game with favorite teacher, Mrs. Denaro! *Generously donated by Carlisle Public School* 

#### Gym Time for 20

It's big, it has lots of great equipment and it can be your child's for a full hour after school! Carlisle teacher Lynne Carmel will be on hand for your child and up to 20 of their friends to use the school gym for the game of their choice. Is this cool or what? Cinderella had to be in by midnight, you must redeem this in

May or June of this year. Generously donated by Lynne Carmel.

#### 2nd Grade Team: Mini Golf & Ice Cream

Who will win? Will your little golfer immediately take the lead or will Ms. Vanaria and Ms. Langton get a hole in one? Will Mrs. Clapp and Mrs. Caron show them how the game is played? Or will your child's friends walk away with the green jacket? All right, we're getting carried away here. Carlisle 2nd Grade teachers Mrs. Caron, Mrs. Vanaria, Mrs. Clapp and Ms. Langton will take your child and 7 friends mini golfing at Kimball Farms in Westford. They will celebrate with an ice cream at the end of the game. Be sure to check the bid sheet often, this one is always popular! *Generously donated by Amy Caron, Donna Clapp, Amanda Langton and Linda Vanaria*.

#### First Grade Teacher Book Group

Three times during the 2014-2015 school year, the First Grade teachers will select and provide a fun, new book to your child and 3 of their friends. Then, your child and their friends will bring their lunches and join the first grade teachers for lunch and book talk! *Generously donated by Vanessa Gerade, Sandy Graham and Shawna Horgan.* 

#### Movie Night at School!

Friday night flick! Bid high on this item and the School Superintendent will open the doors of the school for your child and their friends to enjoy movie night at the school! Your little winner will pick the movie and make the guest list, the Superintendent will do the rest! Drinks, popcorn and the movie will be provided! What's not to bid on? This is a great item and a great chance to support the Carlisle Educational Foundation! *Generously donated by The Administrative Team*.

## Beautiful Things

#### Art

#### Charm Necklace designed by Alison Storry

A perfect Mother's Day present! Local Carlisle resident and jewelry designer Alison Storry will customize this beautiful charm necklace for you. Your choice of sterling silver or gold and up to 4 personalized initial charms. The coin charms are hand stamped and each charm measures 8mm. The sterling or gold necklace

comes in your choice of a 16 or 18 inch length. Included with this item is a \$50 dollar gift certificate that you can spend in Alison's studio right here in Carlisle. Bid high on this beautiful item! Generously donated by Alison Storry

#### Alchemy 9.2.5 Jewelry Gift Certificate

ALCHEMY 9.2.5 is a contemporary jewelry and fine craft gallery in Belmont Center, offering beautiful handmade work including gold and silver studio jewelry, ceramics, fiber and glass. All work is of the highest handcrafted standard and created as one-of-a-kind or in limited editions. Whilst many artists are locally, nationally and internationally recognized, ALCHEMY 9.2.5 also enjoys promoting the work of emerging artists whose work show strong design and great potential. Customers may commission ALCHEMY 9.2.5 to create custom pieces or repurpose old jewelry and gemstones. Generously donated by Alchemy 9.2.5.

#### Sara Cassidy Smith Original Artwork: "Kimball's at Sunset" (Super Silent)



Local artist, Sara Cassidy Smith, paints Carlisle's most cherished summer hangout location. With bright colors and a strong brush stroke, Smith brings Kimballs at twilight alive on the canvas. The viewer is brought back in time to a warm summer evening when nothing could quite satisfy like a scoop of Mocha Almond Assault or Moo Tracks and a quick

hello to the ducks and goats. Generously donated by Sara Smith.

#### Interior Color Consultation with Bonnie Krims

Are you unsure what color to paint your rooms? Let a nationally known color consultant and color expert for This Old House® help simplify the process. Bonnie Krims will transform up to 3 rooms in your house to make them look fabulous! Winner also receives a copy of The Perfectly Painted House written by Bonnie Rosser Krims. Generously donated by Bonnie Krims.

#### Magic in Your Child's Bedroom

Local children's illustrator, Sandy Eisenbies, will work with you to design a custom wall mural for your home. Incorporate a favorite character, location, or artistic/fabric motif into a gorgeous piece of wall art. Mural size is limited to 4 ft x 6 ft. *Generously donated by Sandy Eisenbies*.



#### Tom Veirs Original Art Work "Sea Crane"



I am mostly a self-taught painter. That being said, I have had the opportunity to take classes with a number of people who have provided me with valuable guidance and techniques. My paintings are based on the emotions I get from looking at form, color and shape. There is nothing more than that. Joni Mitchell says it best for me: "I am a lonely painter. I live in a box of paint. I'm frightened by the devil and drawn to those ones who ain't afraid."

I am an oil painter working in a predominantly abstract style. I maintain "Hatchie Bottom Studios" (studio #425) at Western Avenue Studios in Lowell, MA. Call 617-852-386 or email me at Tom. Veirs@NEmoves.com. *Generously donated by Tom Veirs*.

#### Maris Platais Original Artwork "Winter Solstice"



Maris Platais was born in Latvia and has lived in New England since 1949. He is a graduate of Tufts University and The Museum School of The Museum of Fine Arts, Boston where he later became a member of the faculty. He lectures and demonstrates to art associations throughout the northeast. He is a member of The Guild of Boston Artists where he has had several one-man shows. He has received several

awards for excellence in the Mystic International Competition and also Top 100 Competition, Arts for the Parks, Jackson Hole, WY. In 1996 and 1997, he re-

#### BEAUTIFUL THINGS: PERFORMANCES

ceived the Honors Award in Graphics from The Academic Artists Association, Springfield, MA. The American Society of Marine Painters has awarded him membership and he is past President of The Concord Art Association, Concord, MA.

Platais is well known for his acrylics on canvas, pen & inks and limited edition etchings of New England landscapes and boats. Many of his fine works depict Kennebec, ME and the magnificent trees that surround his studio near Concord. He paints in every season on location, but the blazing colors of his autumn scenes are treasures. *Generously donated by Maris Platais*.

#### Performances

#### 4 Tickets to the Boston Ballet Nutcracker, Winter 2014

Don't miss this magical Boston tradition! The winner of this item will receive 4 tickets to Boston Ballet's *Nutcracker* at the Boston Opera House during the 2014-15 run (date and seat location subject to availability). The timeless story of Clara, who bravely saves her Nutcracker Prince and is swept away on a magical journey through the Nutcracker Prince's kingdom in the clouds, is an engaging tale for the whole family and surely not to be missed. *Generously donated by Hans and Mary-Lynne Bohn*.

## 2 Tickets to any Show, 2014/2015 Season at the Merrimack Repertory Theater

Now in its 34th season, MRT is the only non-profit professional theatre serving Greater Lowell and its surrounding region. MRT's performance facility is the 279-seat Nancy L. Donahue Theatre, located in the Liberty Hall wing of Lowell Memorial Auditorium, a city-owned venue constructed in 1922 and located in downtown Lowell.

MRT's seven-play season is produced and presented from September through May, serving an audience of 40,000 including a stable base of 4,000 subscribers. For the 12-13 Season, 82% of subscribers renewed their subscriptions with 90% of those purchasing a full 7-production package before play titles were announced. This loyal audience has been built by the regular selection of contemporary plays with titles that are largely unfamiliar to the majority of patrons; programming that, in the words of a Nashua (NH) Telegraph critic, "delights us with novelty and makes us think." Plan your evening out as high bidder will walk away with 2 complimentary tickets to any show in the 2014-2015 season. *Generously donated by Merrimack Repertory Theater.* 

#### Orchestra of Indian Hill

Don't miss this opportunity to discover the premier professional orchestra west of Boston! The winner of this item will receive 2 tickets to the concert of their choice during the 2014-15 season at their home in the performing arts center at Littleton High School. The Orchestra of Indian Hill, led by Artistic Director Bruce Hangen, performs a broad range of repertoire from the Baroque to works by 21st century composers. "It is a joy to encounter an orchestra, conductor and audience of such high character and quality as that of the Orchestra of Indian Hill."—John W. Ehrlich, Boston Music Intelligencer. These tickets are good for the 2015 orchestra season. Program dates for this season will be released late Spring/Summer 2014. Please check www.indianhillmusic.org or call 978-486-9524 for programming information. Generously donated by Indian Hill Music and the Orchestra of Indian Hill.

#### Magical Mystery Box

Who knows what surprises are in store for the winner of this mystery box of items? Be assured that it is something good with a little bit of this and a little bit of that, but the retail value of the contents is a minimum of \$215. Take a chance, enjoy your winnings or give them as gifts!

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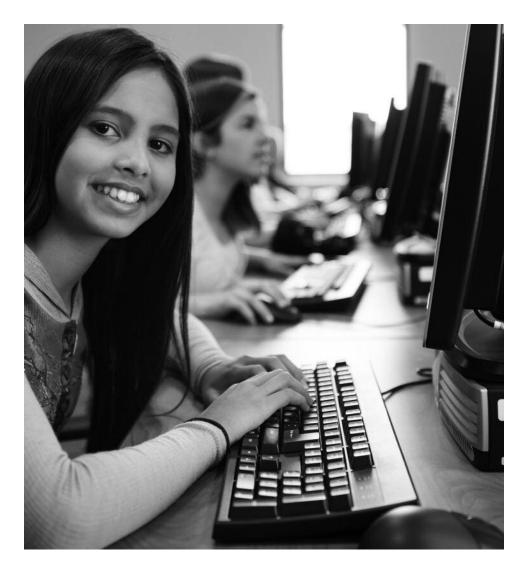


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