

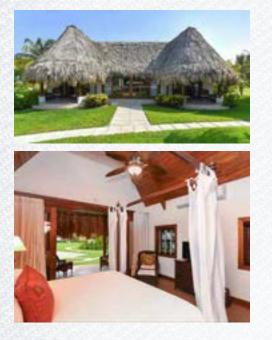
## SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2023

## 36<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL HOUSTON CATTLE BARON'S BALL



# **LIVE AUCTION**

## GET READY TO RAISE YOUR TEXAS PADDLE FOR THESE AMAZING PACKAGES BELOW!



## ITEM #400 UN-BELIZE-ABLE VICTORIA HOUSE!

The sea breezes are calling you to Ambergris Caye, Belize for a 4-night stay at the idyllic Victoria House Resort & Spa. Unwind in a privately owned luxury villa, featuring a spacious living room, dining area, full kitchen, 2 large bedrooms with king beds, and a furnished private terrace overlooking the lush tropical grounds and 70' infinity pool. Traveling there will also be a breeze with first-class round trip airfare for 2 on Delta Air Lines.

Adventure beckons as the impressive second largest barrier reef in the world is less than a half-mile from the beach, offering spectacular diving, snorkeling, and fishing. The hotel boasts a beautiful restaurant, palapa beach bar, and full-service spa. Or venture to the charming town of San Pedro approximately 2 miles away for souvenir shopping, art galleries, and a variety of oceanfront restaurants and beach bars. Mutually agreed upon dates excluding November 20-27 and December 21-January 2; expires September 30, 2024.

## Donated by Ellen & Drew Elam, and $\mathbf{D}$



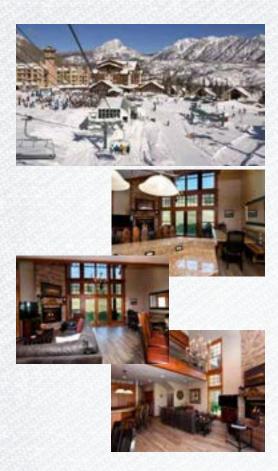




## **ITEM #401** BMW ELECTRIC 2-WHEE-LER!

Ready, Set, Go on this BMW Exploro Urban Electric, an agile bike for urban environments that teams nimble 27.5-inch aluminum wheels with flat handlebars and a comfortable Brooks Cambium saddle. It also excels over longer distances courtesy of the efficient pedal assistance delivered by its Mahle X20 hub motor with 350 Wh battery.









## ITEM #402 DURAN-GO!

Winter, Spring, Summer, or Fall...anytime is the right time for an escape to Durango! Enjoy 5 nights in a luxury ski in/ski out 5 bedroom, 3 bath townhome that sleeps 13 at Purgatory Mountain Resort, built right on the slopes and just a short walk or ski to the main plaza. Configured with 4 king beds, a bunkroom with 2 sets of bunk beds, and a loft with sleeper sofa. Amenities include a gourmet kitchen, flat screen TVs in every bedroom, Jacuzzi tub in the primary bath, Wi-Fi, and an attached heated garage. Whether it's abundant outdoor recreation, art and culture, a historic railroad, Old West heritage, clean, cool air, or the beauty of the landscape that attracts you to Durango, put this spot on your "go to" list!

You'll be Colorado chic with a custom hand trimmed hat, woman's fine western wear, and private styling session from Animo Hat Company, a \$50 Bronca gift card towards a handmade poncho, and a pair of custom handmade leather boots, men's or ladies, with matching belt and buckle from AI's Handmade Boots.

Boots may be upgraded to an exotic leather; mutually agreed upon Durango dates excluding Thanksgiving week and December 15-January 4; stay expires December 31, 2025.

*Donated by* Christine and Steve Johnson, Animo Hat Company, Bronca, Al's Handmade Boots

## **ITEM #403** CATTLE BARON'S BALL CHILDREN'S PROJECT

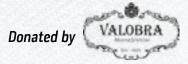
This year's project is a sculpture created by Taft McWhorter, Edgar Medina, and Boyer Construction in conjunction with pediatric cancer patients in the Houston Area who are currently undergoing treatment. Inspiration was taken from the artwork created by the children at our 2023 Little Wranglers Party on August 6th. All donations raised by this package will be restricted to the American Cancer Society's Pediatric Cancer Research fund. The winner of this package will also gift "a day without cancer" to 5 families impacted by cancer, including pediatric cancer, staying at the American Cancer Society Richard M. Schulze Family Foundation Hope Lodge here in Houston. THAAR will host the families for a meal and an exclusive fire station experience.

Donated by Taft McWhorter, Edgar Medina, Boyer Construction, THAAR



## **ITEM #404** PRETTY IN PINK KUNZITE GEMSTONE RING

You'll be tickled pink to be the lucky winner of this incredibly beautiful lady's ring handmade in 18K rose gold featuring a 30 carat pink kunzite gemstone set in an 18K rose gold detailed filigree basket.





## **ITEM #405** VIP NIGHT IS GREAT AT STEAK 48!

Enjoy a unique VIP Chef's experience for 8 with the Executive Chef at Steak 48 Houston.

You and your guests will join Chef for an in-kitchen experience, complete with personalized chef coats! Then, your table awaits for an exceptional Chef curated dinner which will include Steak 48 favorites, sommelier pre-selected wines, and decadent desserts.

Reservations must be made at least 4 weeks in advance and based on availability; excludes market priced entrées, caviar, Wagyu, liquor, and gratuity.





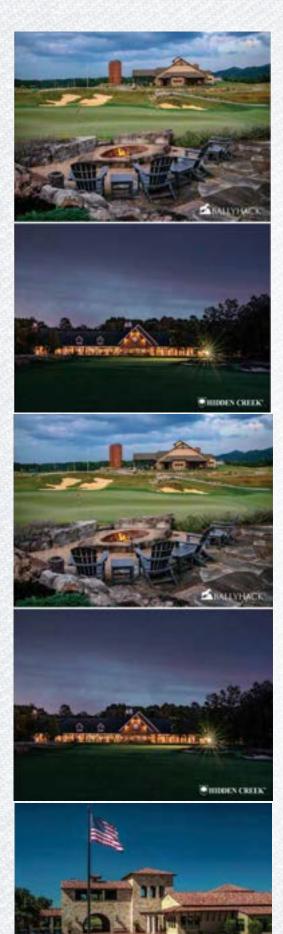
## **ITEM #406** TEXAS OASIS RANCH LIFE

Spread Oaks Ranch, just 90 minutes from Houston, is an all-inclusive 5,500acre pristine and historic guest ranch along the Colorado River offering luxury accommodations, unlimited fishing and clay-target shooting, guided tours, and more. Enjoy chef-prepared field-and-farm-to-table cuisine, wine and handcrafted cocktails, Jacuzzi and infinity-edge pool, and the expansive fire pit overlooking the lake.

Choose from 3 incredible 1-night stay packages. Couples Getaway – 5 couples will enjoy world-class amenities. Girlfriends Getaway - grab 9 of your favorite gal pals for a chance to escape and connect. Culinary Adventure invite 9 foodie friends for an immersive culinary experience.

Booking is available in March, April, May, and October on a mutually agreed upon date and expires on September 9, 2024; check-in is at 1pm and check-out is the following day after brunch; additional activities are available for a fee; cannot be exchanged or returned; no cash value.





## **ITEM #407** DESTINATION GOLF FIT "FORE" A CHAMPION

Enjoy a 1-year membership and initiation fee with the Dormie Network, a national network of golf clubs combining the experience of destination golf with the premier hospitality of private membership. Includes full membership privileges at these 6 private clubs: ArborLinks (Nebraska City, NE), Ballyhack (Roanoke, VA), Briggs Ranch (San Antonio, TX), Dormie (West End, NC), Hidden Creek (Egg Harbor Township, NJ), and Victoria (Newburgh, IN). These exceptional clubs offer more than just 18 holes of golf, each club offers an intimate, pure golf experience in a relaxing environment ideal for business or leisure.

Membership gets you access to:

- 6 nationally ranked courses designed by master architects with no green fees, cart fees, or reciprocal play arrangements
- Onsite cottages in various sizes per club, with 4 master suites, fireplace, fully stocked bar, and private patio and firepit
- Regionally inspired, seasonal farm-to-course menus and a creative cocktail program to be enjoyed at the clubhouse, in a private dining space, or at your cottage
- Fully stocked golf shops, club fittings, personal shopping, custom orders, corporate merchandising, and cottage gifts for your stay
- State-of-the-art practice facilities and personalized clinics

The winner will have the option to continue their membership after 1 year with no additional initiation fee required.

Valid for 1 person 23 years or older; cannot live within 75 miles of any Dormie Network property or have a vacation home within the same vicinity; cannot be a prior Dormie Network member or Donated member; package is for an individual membership only and is not intended for corporate membership; member's significant other and immediate family members (children living at home under the age of 23) enjoy exclusive access to and full member privileges at each club; experience cannot be resold, re-auctioned, or transferred; blackout dates may apply; travel and accommodations are not included; to be scheduled at a mutually agreed upon date based on availability.

## Donated by







## **ITEM #408** A PITCH-ER PERFECT DAY AT MINUTE MAID PARK

Slider, changeup, fastball...which will it be?

Wind up for the first pitch at an Astros 2024 regular season home game and then join 3 of your favorite fans in the iHeart Suite to take in all the action. Food, drinks, and VIP parking are included for a winning time at the ballpark!

Donated by SportsTalk 790, Christine & Steve Johnson



## ITEM #409 GET TRUCKIN' WITH A 2023 GMC SIERRA 1500 ELEVATION

Hit the road in Texas style! This double cab in Summit White with Jet Black interior is upfitted with a 5.3L V-8 EcoTec3 Dynamic Fuel Management engine, front bucket seats with center console, integrated trailer brake controller, and All Terrain Blackwall tires.

Your chariot awaits!

Winner is responsible for paying tax, title, and license and must present a valid driver's license at pickup.







# **GRAND CHAMPION AUCTION**

## **ITEM #300** OOH LA LA – A CHANEL DENIM BAG!

For the quintessential closet staple, say Oui, Oui to this CHANEL blue denim, diamond quilted, single flap shoulder bag with white stitching. The bag features an aged gold chain-link and denim threaded shoulder strap, a rear pocket, and an aged gold CC turn-lock on the front. This opens the flap to a matching blue fabric interior with a zippered pocket.

**Donated by The Vintage Contessa & Times Past** 

## **ITEM #301** MIGRATE SOUTH FOR A HUNT

Have you dreamed of traveling to South America for a hunt?

Now is your chance to migrate south for premier wingshooting at one of MGW's signature lodges in Argentina or Uruguay. You and 4 others will enjoy 5 days of the finest dove hunting in the southern hemisphere. You'll spend your days shooting with professional field guides and your nights being pampered by lodge staff all while experiencing local South American cuisine and Argentine wine and beer. This hunt of a lifetime also includes spacious accommodations, gun cleaning, transfers to and from dove fields, and laundry service.

Not included in this package: Airfare, airport transport/field fee (\$445/hunter in Argentina & \$570/hunter in Uruguay), hunting license (\$375/hunter in Argentina & \$395/hunter in Uruguay), gun rental (\$75/day) for those not wishing to bring their own gun, shells, and gratuity.

Hunts must be taken by September 9, 2025 and scheduled within 60 days of the event; availability of dates/lodges is on a first come first serve basis; airport transport/field fee and license fee due at time of booking; cancellation fees may apply.

#### Donated by Whiddon Wingshooting

#### ITEM #302 STOCK YOUR BAR

Spirited times ahead!

- Clase Azul Tequila Reposado
- Agazul Tequila Reposado
- Blanton's Single Barrel Bourbon
- E.H. Taylor Bourbon
- Buffalo Trace Bourbon
- My Drink Bomb gift box Drink Bombs, Gentle Ben Gin, and cocktail inspired candle
- ROKS personalized ice molds Texan bundle, Aggie Bundle, Texas Tech bundle

*Donated by* Suzanne Stiles, Christine and Steve Johnson, Hal Martin's Watch & Jewelry, My Drink Bomb, ROKS



#### **ITEM #303** FIJI – WHERE HAPPINESS COMES NATURALLY

The exclusive 5-star Fiji resort hideaway, Raiwasa, can be all yours!

This tropical paradise package includes a 2-night private buyout of the 3-acre property for 4 guests. A dedicated staff of 12 highly trained employees and your own personal chefs will produce gourmet food for all meals, as well as non-alcoholic beverages, at 8 unique dining locations. Pristine accommodations include 2 king bedrooms, ensuite bathrooms with twin honeymoon showers and outdoor bathtubs, a large wraparound deck, infinity pool, and endless ocean views. Additional days may be added for an additional charge.

Airfare is not included; travel anytime outside of April-September except if you extend your stay by 4 extra nights (total of 6-night stay with winning certificate); booking must occur within 6 months after winning and you must travel within 12 months of winning (if you extend your stay you can travel anytime into the future); availability is on a first come first serve basis.

**Donated by Patrick Janin** 

## ITEM #304 READY, AIM, FIRE!

Channel your inner Lara Croft but do it Barbie pink fashionably as you sharpen your skills with a pink Taurus G2 pistol and a VIP Elite Annual Membership to Texas Gun Club. Benefits of this luxury membership experience include free use of the ranges and shooting suites, free firearm rental, lounge access, 2 guests per visit, free targets, discounts, and more.

Winner must be 18 years of age or more to redeem this prize and work with donor for transfer of weapon and to obtain FFL (federal firearms license). Winner is responsible for any applicable sales tax or transfer fees.

#### Donated by Texas Gun Club



## **ITEM #305** A BIRD IN THE HAND – IN ARGENTINA

High tail it to Cordoba...the ultimate spot for dove hunting!

This is a bucket list Argentinian hunt experience for 4 hunters with 4 nights accommodations. You will be treated like royalty in every way. In the field you will experience lavish asado (meat) lunches with a siesta in a hammock afterwards, if you choose. The shooting is unlimited with some guests shooting 8000 times! Your field assistant will keep your gun loaded and do all field work for each hunter. At the lodge of this well-appointed estancia, you will have a private and cozy experience as well as a butler to handle every need.

Inclusions:

- 4 nights accommodations based on double occupancy
- 4 hunters (penalty fee of \$650 for fewer than 4)
- Full breakfast and amazing dinners at the lodge
- Vehicles and field transportation for every hunt
- Lunch in the field with soft drinks, beer, and wine
- Alcoholic beverages at dinner; guests are welcome to bring their own specific alcohol

#### Exclusions:

Airfare, shells (\$22/box, subject to change), gratuities, gun rental (\$95 pp/day), hunting license (\$70 pp/day), land lease fee (\$220 pp), transfers to/from airport based on lodge location

Must be used within 3 years from date of purchase; voucher may be extended for up to 24 months for a fee of \$650; hunters may be added for an additional charge; upgrades available to a mixed bag hunt of ducks, dove, and perdiz, fishing, or alternate dove lodges.

## **Donated by Pointer Outfitters**

## **ITEM #306** KICKIN' IT UP A NOTCH IN NASHVILLE!

Slip into your new pair of Grade-One leather (bison, bull, calf, or kangaroo) luxury handmade custom fit boots, then 2 of you will fly first-class round trip on Delta Air Lines to Nashville to boot scootin' boogie around Music City. A \$100 Amex gift card is provided to treat you to some cool vibe eats at Adele's in the heart of The Gulch, serving elevated farm-to-table comfort food, incomparable cocktails, and a legendary weekend brunch buffet. When it's time to kick off your boots and rest your head, a 2-night stay in a king room at W Nashville is there for the W!

Boot fittings within 6 months of event; hotel blackout dates may apply; excludes holiday weekends.

## Donated by Travion Dickson, Delta Air Lines, Ellie and Michael Francisco, W Nashville



### **ITEM #307** COUNTRY ROADS, TAKE ME TO ROUND TOP

The fresh air and quiet of the country paired with quaint historic buildings overflowing with charm make Round Top an ideal getaway for city-dwellers. Slow down, recharge, and escape the buzz of the city with a 2-night stay in a luxury king room at Hotel Lulu. The boutique property includes a pool, herb garden, formal garden, restaurant, and intimate cocktail bar. A \$100 dining credit is also included for the onsite Lulu's restaurant or any Palacios Murphy restaurant.

#### **Donated by Palacios Murphy Hospitality**

## **ITEM #308** "WINE" NOT MAKE IT A FAB NIGHT AT FLEMING'S?

Transform your evening into an "Oh, what a night!"

Begin by opening a bottle of 2019 Les Cadrans de Lassègue Saint-Émilion Grand Cru then head to Fleming's River Oaks with a \$1000 gift certificate. Featuring exceptional Prime steak, best-in-class seafood, innovative plant-based options, and fine wine, Fleming's has something for everyone lucky enough to join you!

Valid only at Fleming's River Oaks; not valid on holidays; does not include tax and gratuity; expires July 1, 2024.

Donated by Fleming's Prime Steakhouse & Wine Bar

## **ITEM #309** FOR THE GLAM COWGIRL AND COWBOY

Designer shades, bag, and duds ...'nuff said!

- Gucci sunglasses
- BY FAR Gib denim stud leather bag with \$200 Tootsies gift card
- Hamilton custom shirt

• Selected from his personal collection of more than 350 tequila bottles, Hector Villarreal will share primo tequilas and lite bites in this one-of-a-kind private tasting for 5 gents at LUCHO. The winner will also receive a \$1,000 gift certificate towards the purchase of a custom suit designed by Brazilian-Italian designer Patricia Sturion.

LUCHO donation – must be 21 to participate, agree to a waiver of liability, and be redeemed by January 31, 2024 for a mutually agreed upon date and time.

Donated by Janette Masten Gardner, Tootsies, Hamilton Shirts, LUCHO



## **ITEM #310** AMY MALKIN PAINTS IT LIVE!

Add a pop of color to your wall with an original creation painted LIVE at Cattle Baron's Ball by Houston native Amy Malkan, whose murals beautify our city. Through her art, she works with but is not limited to acrylic, aerosol, and mixed media to create fine art, commissions, and public art for the community. Every piece is done with purpose and intention to transfer positive energy through the artwork. Truly a treasured memento of the Rhinestone Rodeo!

Donated by Amy Malkan, Tammie and Dr. Charles Johnson

## **ITEM #311** HEAVENLY HILL COUNTRY – FREDERICKSBURG + MORE!

#### Gotta love Texas!

- Barons Creek Vineyards Fredericksburg, 1-night suite stay and 2 tastings
- Black Stone Restaurant & Hospitality Group Fredericksburg, \$100 gift cards to both Martini's Seafood House and Jack's Chophouse; 1-night stay in Bankersmith's Dance Hall Airbnb and \$100 gift card to Bankersmith Texas Saloon; 1-night stay in a Safari Tent Airbnb at Grapetown Vineyard, \$100 gift card to Grapetown Vineyard, and a safari wine tour for 4
- Longneck Manor Fredericksburg, Conservation Ambassador tour for 4 providing close encounters and photo ops with resident giraffes and rhinos
- Lost Draw Cellars Johnson City, 2 Signature Tastings for 4
- William Chris Vineyards Hye, 2 Winemaker's Tastings for 4

Barons Creek Vineyards stay excludes holiday weekends unless combined with more than 1 night; Black Stone Airbnb stays are not valid on Friday, Saturday, or most 3-day holiday weekends.

*Donated by* Barons Creek Vineyards, Black Stone Restaurant & Hospitality Group, Longneck Manor, Lost Draw Cellars, William Chris Vineyards

## **ITEM #312** TWO-STEPPIN' IN REPUBLIC BOOTS

Boots for him and boots for her in a Texas VIP experience!

- 2 pair of custom smooth leather boots calf, bull, buffalo, or bison with all color stitching and standard inlay design options
- Learn about the craftsmanship process in Republic's boot shop while sipping bourbon and enjoying tunes

Donated by Republic Boot Co.

## ITEM #313 NOLA ON MY MIND!

You'll be living large with a 2-night stay in a king room at The Windsor Court Hotel, a haven for those who seek revelry, comfort, and beauty through unique experiences, located in the heart of the legendary city of New Orleans. You'll also be sampling signature dining with a gift card for the celebrated restaurant, Brennan's, and a \$100 gift certificate to Couvant, a French-inspired brasserie. The Big Easy is sure to pleasey!

Donated by Christine and Steve Johnson, Couvant at The Eliza Jane Hotel

## ITEM #314 SUSHI AND SAKE

Let the good times roll! Your home will be party central for 20 as you all sip sake while Chef Jeff with Mikimoto Sushi Catering prepares a live presentation of a fantastic assortment of sushi and enticing appetizers. Party guests are certain to delightedly say, "you maki miso happy!"

A \$200 Spec's gift card is provided for the sake; mutually agreed upon date with Chef Jeff.

Donated by Tammie and Dr. Charles Johnson, Ellie and Michael Francisco

## ITEM #315 CALIFORNIA DREAMIN' OF NAPA

A wine lover's paradise awaits!

- 4 first-class round trip airfare on Delta Air Lines
- \$500 Amex card
- Aonair wine tasting certificates for 6 guests features handcrafted rich, full-bodied wines in limited barrel quantities
- 2019 Aonair Mountains Proprietary 1.5L magnum
- Reverie II wine tasting for 6 guests boasts sweeping views and features 3 Bordeaux-style mountain wines and 3 unique grape varietals rarely found in Napa Valley, all limited in production and availability
- 2021 Reverie II Special Reserve 1.5L magnum
- Summit Experience wine tasting for 6 at Pride Mountain Vineyards a seated tasting in an unparalleled environment featuring both current and limited release offerings such as library, Vintner Select, or Reserve wines
- 2018 Pride Mountain Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon

Donated by Aonair Wine, Delta Air Lines, Reverie II Wine, Ellie and Michael Francisco

## **ITEM #316** BARREL OF FUN AT REBECCA CREEK DISTILLERY

It's a Texas-sized shindig at The Creek! 30 people will gather at the distillery in San Antonio for a private party with 3-hour open bar, along with a private tour with Founder Steve Ison or the head distiller. And, for a Texas-sized party favor, a previously used Rebecca Creek whiskey barrel is yours for the taking!

Food is not included but catering may be arranged.

#### **Donated by Rebecca Creek Distillery**







## **GIDDYUP GETAWAYS**

## **ITEM #200**

## **JETAWAY ON DELTA**

Here's your boarding pass to travel...round trip domestic economy airfare for 4 on Delta Air Lines.

**Donated by Delta Air Lines** 

## ITEM #201 A HUNTING YOU WILL GO – IN SOUTH AFRICA

Take a shot at African Plains big game!

- 7-night stay in a hunting lodge for 4 hunters (single occupancy)
- 6 full hunting days
- 3 gourmet meals per day with wine and beer
- 1 hunter to 1 guide ratio
- Professional hunters with each hunter in the field
- Hunting for trophy class animals
- Daily laundry and field preparations of trophies
- Pickup and drop-off at Johannesburg Airport

Hunt is good for the 2024, 2025, or 2026 hunting seasons (February through November); hunters must harvest a minimum of 3 animals per trophy fee price sheet; non-hunters are \$1750 pp.

#### **Donated by Charity Safaris**

#### **ITEM #202**

## **BEACHY KEEN AT THE SAN LUIS!**

Galveston is calling you, so hit the road to step out onto the balcony of an oceanview condo at the San Luis Resort and feel the sea breezes. Enjoy a 2-night stay in a 1 bedroom/1 bath unit that accommodates up to 4 with king bed and queen sleeper sofa, and receive full use of the property's pool, restaurants, and services. A \$200 Landry's gift card is included for your dining pleasure. Take a deep breath – you have arrived!

Mutually agreed upon dates based on availability; excludes holidays.

## EXPERIENCES WORTH ROPING

#### **ITEM #203**



Yippee-ki-yo-ki-YAY!

Get gussied up with a \$500 gift card for a Teressa Foglia handmade Ready-to-Wear hat, a \$250 gift card toward a pair of Fraulein feminine boots steeped in vintage style, and a Strom Rinzen custom made leather clutch, then hit the trail with 3 pardners for a good ol' time at the 2024 Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo with 4 Club Level seats and a Green Lot parking pass as you lasso all that RODEOHOUSTON has to offer. This one's a doozy...don't be left in the dust!

Date to be mutually agreed upon; excludes Opening Night.

*Donated by* Teressa Foglia, Fraulein Boot Company, Strom Rizen, Ellie and Michael Francisco

## **ITEM #204**

## **CHRISTMAS JOYS FOR GIRLS AND BOYS**

A ho, ho, ho, merry and bright day!

- Cindi Rose 10 children's silhouettes to be done at a mutually agreed upon time
- Mister French's Gourmet Bakery a hot cocoa and mini gingerbread house decorating party for 10 in your home or location in Houston, with 1 hour of decorating demo by Mr. French, the winner of The Food Network's Christmas Cookie Challenge in season 3

Party to be scheduled by October 15, 2023 for any time 1 week before Thanksgiving until 1 week before Christmas.

#### Donated by Cindi Rose, Mister French's Gourmet Bakery

#### **ITEM #205**

## THAT FOOTBALL FEELING

You'll be doing your touchdown celebration happy dance if you score these!

4 NRG Stadium lower level tickets and an Orange Lot parking pass to a mutually agreed upon 2023 regular season Texans game.

Donated by Disney Harris

**Donated by Christine and Steve Johnson** 

## HIGH-TECH SWINGING TIME AT TOPGOLF

#### Game on!

A side-by-side pair of Topgolf bays with food, drinks, music, and energetic hum will be a BIG hit for 12 guests!

Valid at any Topgolf location in Texas.

Donated by Topgolf

#### **ITEM #207**

## **GEAUX TIGERS!**

Let them hear you roar with 4 Club Level tickets to a mutually agreed upon LSU football game at Tiger Stadium in Baton Rouge.

Excludes any potential championship game.

Donated by Christine and Steve Johnson

#### **ITEM #208**

## DATE NIGHT OUT ON THE TOWN

Just the two of us is music to our ears!

- Houston Symphony 2 premium tickets in the 23-24 season to a Classical or Bank of America POPS Series concert at Jones Hall with valet and Greenroom access
- Uchi/Uchiko \$150 gift card and Uchi: The Cookbook

Donated by Houston Symphony, Hai Hospitality

#### **ITEM #209**

## **DATE NIGHT ENCORE**

Just the two of us is music to our ears!

- Houston Grand Opera 2 tickets to a performance in the 23-24 season (excludes Opening Night)
- Uchi/Uchiko \$150 gift card and Uchi: The Cookbook

#### Donated by Houston Grand Opera, Hai Hospitality

#### **ITEM #210**

## **BALLET THAT'S TOTALLY EN POINTE!**

Join Houston Ballet for a performance of Bespoke with 2 orchestra seats, valet pass, and Greenroom pass. Select from March 7, 9, 15, and 16 at 7:30pm or March 10 and 17 at 2pm.

**Donated by Houston Ballet** 

#### **ITEM #211**

## **IT'S A FAMILY AFFAIR**

Something for everyone!

- Buffalo Bayou Park Cistern 4 passes for a 30-minute guided history tour of this former drinking water reservoir built for the City of Houston in 1926 (ages 9 and up)
- Chick-fil-A \$100 gift card
- Houston Zoo family membership and a gift bag
- Lovebug's Playground 1-month membership for 1 child
- Marble Slab \$100 gift card
- Texas Renaissance Festival 4 tickets

*Donated by* Buffalo Bayou Partnership, Christine and Steve Johnson, Houston Zoo, Texas Renaissance Festival, Swoon Media LLC

#### **ITEM #212**

## WET AND WILD AT LAGOONFEST

"Water" you waiting for?

Lagoonfest in Texas City, a beach club and aquatic adventure park, is offering admission for your entire party, a cabana with 5 towels and 1 server, and access to kayaks, paddleboards, and Aqua Cycles.

Excludes holidays; expires June 30, 2024.

#### Donated by Lagoonfest Texas





## **HOME ON THE RANGE**

#### **ITEM #213**

## A LENS WORTHY KEEPSAKE

Express yourself in an underwater or studio portrait session and 16" x 20" fine art print by Diana Marie Fine Art. Underwater session includes 2 hours in the pool for 1 person with no clothing changes and is available from June to September 2024. (October to May available with a charge for pool heating). Studio session is also for 2 hours for 1 person with no clothing changes and is available until December 2024. A digital social media file is provided for the image chosen.

**Donated by Diana Marie Fine Art** 

#### **ITEM #214**

## PARKER MCCOLLUM SIGNED GUITAR

A top hit "To Be Loved By You."

Donated by Janette and Bobby Gardner

#### **ITEM#215**

# LADY A SIGNED GUITAR MAKES THE GRADE

Show your smarts and bid high to take this home tonight!

Donated by Lady A

## **ITEM #216**

## **STRUM ALONG**

Have a noteworthy time with this Luna Woodland Cedar Nylon Acoustic/Electric guitar.

**Donated by Baxter Graham Design LLC** 

#### **ITEM #217**

#### A LITTLE BIT COUNTRY BARBIE ART

Barbie is all dolled up in her country best in this original creation by Kadriye Alcorn.

**Donated by Kadriye Alcorn** 

## ROUND UP THESE INDULGENCES



## **ITEM #218**

#### A PEARL FOR YOUR GIRL

Drape her neck with this 14K yellow gold natural pearl diamond drop 16" necklace...she'll be sure to thank you!

Donated by iTouchDiamonds

#### **ITEM #219**

#### **3 FIT BLONDES**

These blondes help you get it done, done, DONE!

- Heather Hirschman Holistic Health 4 virtual 1-on-1 personalized health and nutrition coaching sessions to use by November 1, 2023
- InstaTan Houston 4 custom spray tans good until February 2024
- Jessica Archer 4 yoga/fitness/personal training sessions

Donated by Heather Hirschman Holistic Health, InstaTan Houston, Jessica Archer

#### **ITEM #220**

## SPARKLY ARM CANDY TO LONGHORN LOVE

A limited edition Debra Linse crystal handbag with longhorn belt buckle is a showstopper. Will you be the lucky lady to call this rhinestone rodeo beaut your own?

Donated by Debra Linse

#### **ITEM #221**

## FOLLOW YOUR NOSE TO FERRAGAMO

A gift box of men's and women's fragrances makes perfect "scents."

**Donated by The Garcia Family** 



## **PRETTY PLEASE!**

Studio Essex Med Spa's 6-month Diamond Membership includes a monthly service of either:

- Hydrafacial
- IPL
- Chemical Peel
- Dermaplane
- IV Drip
- Skin Pen (limit 2)

Plus 10% off all skin care products and a take-home skin care kit

## Donated by Heights Plastic Surgery & Studio Essex Med Spa

#### **ITEM #223**

## TRENDY TOTS TRANSFORMED IN A WORLD OF ENCHANTMENT

Dress your little ones for every occasion in unique, quality, and customized clothing with a \$500 Ann + Reeves Kids gift card. Then, let their imaginations run free in a fairy garden as they pose for a children's fantasy portrait session and 10" art portrait by Fairytale Photography Studio.

Donated by Ann + Reeves Kids, Fairytale Photography Studio

#### **ITEM #224**

#### **RENEW, REFRESH, RECHARGE**

Here's a wellness package to get you started!

- EMS Enhanced 4 sessions of electrofitness
- Cutting Edge Core Pilates \$100 gift certificate
- Illuminate Pilates 1 Pilates reformer class
- Christian Procel Massage Therapy 1-hour session
- Dr. Shel Wellness & Aesthetic Center EMsculpt Neo treatment & Slim Shot injection, Dermaplane face treatment, Laser Genesis skin rejuvenation, IV Nutrition Therapy & Slim Shot injection
- Men's Christian Dior cosmetic box

Donated by EMS Enhanced, Cutting Edge Core Pilates, Illuminate Pilates, Christian Procel Massage Therapy, Dr. Shel Wellness & Aesthetic Center, The Garcia Family

#### **ITEM #225**

#### ME AND YOU – PILATES FOR TWO

Private Pilates training for you and your bestie includes 3 customized Pilates sessions with a master Pilates instructor (new clients only).

#### **Donated by Elevate Pilates HTX**

#### **ITEM #226**

## LET'S FACE IT, CHANGE CAN BE GOOD!

Signature Facial Optimization by Board-Certified Plastic Surgeon, Dr. Kristy Hamilton, focuses on making a series of fine, subtle, finesse millimeter-level changes to the overall face (with injectable neuromodulators and dermal fillers) to instantly sculpt, smooth, and contour your face non-surgically – for a vibrant, youthful look that will maximize your global facial beauty.

#### Donated by Dr. Kristy Hamilton Plastic Surgeon

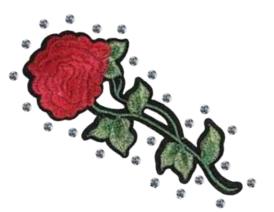
## **ITEM** #227

## PRIORITIZE YOURSELF

Look and feel your best!

- Barry's 5 class pack
- EYEBAR Houston eye exam, retinal imaging, refraction, and PRAE frames with lenses or \$100 off brand name frame
- Massage Heights \$100 gift card
- Pure Body Studio private Pilates class, t-shirt, grippy socks, chapstick, and toe correctors
- quã Salon basket of hair care products and an \$80 gift certificate for services with Fany

Donated by Barry's Houston, EYEBAR Houston, Massage Heights, Pure Body Studio, quã Salon, Swoon Media LLC



## **BEST BITES AND SIPS**

#### **ITEM #228**

#### **HTX GRAZING**

Dine around town!

- CRÚ Food & Wine Bar lite bites paired with hand selected wines at a tasting for 4
- Dish Society \$50 gift card
- Grand Lux Cafe \$50 gift card
- H Town Restaurant Group \$75 gift card redeemable at Backstreet Cafe, Caracol, Hugo's, Prego, Urbe, or Xochi
- Landry's \$50 gift card
- Perry's Steakhouse & Grille \$300 gift card
- Ragin' Cajun \$50 gift card
- State Fare \$50 gift card
- Taste of Texas \$100 gift card
- Toulouse \$150 gift card

Donated by Swoon Media LLC, CRÚ Food & Wine Bar, Dish Society, Grand Lux Cafe, H Town Restaurant Group, Landry's, Perry's Steakhouse & Grille, Ragin' Cajun, State Fare, Taste of Texas, Toulouse

#### **ITEM #229**

## **SIP AND SAVOR**

Enjoy a private seated wine tasting for 10 to 16 people at the Houston studio of Nice Winery. A wine expert will enhance your knowledge of wines and lead you on a tasting of 6 of their award-winning wines. Wine, stemware, and a charcuterie platter are provided. Join them on a Nice journey!

*Classes held Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays at 5:30pm, or Saturdays at 11:30am depending on availability.* 

**Donated by Nice Winery** 

#### **ITEM #230**

# CHAMPAGNE WISHES AND CAVIAR DREAMS

Be treated to a sense-sational and immersive tasting experience for 10 led by the Haus Sommelier, featuring 4 champagnes and 4 caviar species with traditional accoutrements.

#### ITEM #231

## DON'T SKIP THIS COOKING CLASS!

Calling all chefs of all levels for a cooking class for 2 at The Cookery. The goal is to empower and excite people in the kitchen, making cooking approachable and fun. Participants are guided through the creation of a 3-course dinner which is then enjoyed together. An A+ approach to cooking with no pop quizzes!

**Donated by The Cookery Houston** 

#### **ITEM #232**

## WINE AND DINE AT MARMO

Tantalize your taste buds at a family style chefs dinner with wine pairings for 4...buon appetito!

Donated by Marmo

#### **ITEM #233**

## **ATTENTION FOODIES!**

Partake in gastronomical delights with a \$1000 gift card to Guard and Grace, a steakhouse that features Prime, Dry Aged, and local Wagyu cuts of beef as well as a plethora of seafood to truly highlight the best of the gulf and beyond. Enhance your meal with innovative cocktails and wines from around the world.

**Donated by Guard and Grace** 

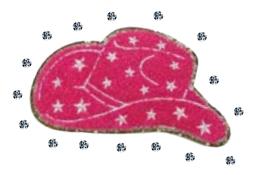
#### **ITEM** #234

#### THE BRUNCH BUNCH AT POSTINO

Gather round the table at Postino where your party of 6 will enjoy an entrée and 2 drinks per person...on weekends, we brunch!

Good at any location; gratuity not included.

#### Donated by Postino



**Donated by Haus Of Cellars** 

## **2023 CBB SUPER SILENT AUCTION**

## **ITEM #235**

## **GET A RUSH WITH THIS BEER STEIN**

A vintage collector Avon 1/2-liter beer stein, titled "Gold Rush" features images of miners panning for gold, fortune seekers in wagons, and The San Francisco Mint.

**Donated by Terri Wang** 

#### **ITEM #236**

## HOUSE OF BLUES TRIBUTE BAND CONCERT

No feeling blue with this VIP package!

- 6 General Admission tickets
- Reserved lounge space in the VIP Members Only Foundation Room Lounge, connected to the House of Blues Music Hall
- Food and beverages prior, during, and after the concert in the Foundation Room Lounge

Donated by Nick Abrego

#### **ITEM #237**

## **"TIE"ME TO ACCESSORIZE**

Spiff up your western wear with this men's bolo tie.

Donated by Terri and Sam Wang

#### **ITEM #238**

## **PORTRAIT AT THE PIERRE NEW YORK**

Check in for a creative experience with a 1-night stay at The Pierre Hotel, the setting for an unframed 16" x 20" Masterpiece Portrait, hand-painted on canvas, for up to 8 individuals and inclusive of family pets.

Hotel stay is for the night of the portrait session and is for 1 room only.

**Donated by Steven Kramer Studios** 

#### **ITEM #239**

## SMILE AND SAY "CHEESE"

Flash those pearly whites for a photography session and 11" x 14" print.

#### Donated by Hallie Keller Photography

## **ITEM #240**

#### **A FOREVER MEMORY**

Artist Lenore Prud'Homme will capture those special moments in time with an 11" x 14" oil portrait artistically created from a sitting or photograph.

#### Donated by Lenore Prud'Homme

## **ITEM #241**

#### **STRIKE A POSE**

Vogue, vogue, vogue...an in-studio photo shoot and 16" x 20" print is a real hit.

Session can accommodate up to 6 people; not for commercial use; additional fee for adding location; expires August 31, 2024.

**Donated by AI Torres Photography** 

## **ITEM #242**

## **PICTURE THIS**

If the only recent photos you have are on your phone, then a Michael Martinez In-Home Portrait Package which includes a weekday children's or family portrait session in your home, a 5" x 7" acrylic portrait block, plus a \$250 credit toward any package or wall portrait 20" or larger will be an "old school" welcome addition!

Not valid toward head shots, event photography, or previous sessions; certificate is non-transferable and cannot be combined with other special offers or discounts; expires April 30, 2024.

#### **Donated by Michael Martinez Fine Portraits**



### **ON THE COUNT OF THREE**

A Michael Martinez Garden Portrait Package which includes a weekday children's or family portrait session in the studio's garden, a 5" x 7" acrylic portrait block, plus a \$250 credit toward any package or wall portrait 20" or larger.

Not valid toward head shots, event photography, or previous sessions; certificate is non-transferable and cannot be combined with other special offers or discounts; expires April 30, 2024.

**Donated by Michael Martinez Fine Portraits** 

#### **ITEM #244**

## FINANCIAL FINESSE – FOR 50- AND 60-YEAR OLDS

\$1000 private wealth management review for discerning individual and couples in their fifties and sixties interested in establishing an investment advisor relationship to help achieve their financial goals.

#### Donated by The Goff Financial Group

#### **ITEM #245**

## **FINANCIAL FINESSE – FOR TECH EXECS**

\$1000 private wealth management review for the discerning technology executive interested in establishing an investment advisor relationship.

**Donated by The Goff Financial Group** 

#### **ITEM #246**

## FINANCIAL FINESSE – FOR ENERGY EXECS

\$1000 private wealth management review for the discerning energy executive interested in establishing an investment advisor relationship.

Donated by The Goff Financial Group

#### **ITEM #247**

## SOMETHING TO BARK ABOUT

Capture your dog's unique personality in an 8" x 10" pet portrait featuring your furry family member. WOOF!

#### **Donated by Robin Jackson Photography**

#### **ITEM #248**

#### ALL IT'S QUACKED UP TO BE!

- 1989 Lesser Scaup by Neal Anderson Federal duck stamp print, framed, with stamp
- The Wild Duck Chase book
- The Duck Stamp Story book
- The Million Dollar Duck DVD
- America's Darling: The Story of Jay N. Darling DVD

Donated by Sam Houston Duck Co.

#### **ITEM #249**

## **GIRLS JUST WANNA HAVE FUN AND SHOP**

French Cuff Boutique is the place that you and up to 10 fashionista femmes will want to be to receive 15% off during a private shopping party. The winner will also receive \$100 to spend at any FCB location and 15% off at a complimentary 1-on-1 styling appointment.

#### **Donated by French Cuff Boutique**



## **NEW ZEALAND BIG GAME HUNT**

• 4-night stay in a hunting lodge for 4 hunters (double occupancy)

- 3 full hunting days with a guide
- 3 gourmet meals per day with wine and beer
- 2 hunters to 1 guide ratio
- Professional hunters with each hunter in the field
- Hunting for trophy class animals
- New Zealand hunting license, rifle rental, and ammunition
- Transportation from Christchurch airport to the lodge

Hunt is good for the 2024, 2025, or 2026 hunting seasons (February 15 through the end of July); hunters must harvest a Red Stag with a minimum score of SCI375 or equivalent in the price of a Tahr and Chamois; non-hunters are \$1250 pp.

#### **Donated by Charity Safaris**

#### **ITEM #251**

#### **ARGENTINA BIG GAME HUNT**

- 4-night stay in Estancia lodging for 4 hunters (double occupancy)
- 3 full hunting days with a guide
- 3 gourmet meals per day with wine and beer
- 2 hunters to 1 guide ratio
- Pickup and drop-off at San Luis Airport
- All transportation in the hunting area

Hunt is good for the 2024, 2025, or 2026 hunting seasons; hunters must harvest a minimum of 2 animals per trophy fee price sheet; non-hunters are \$1250 pp.

#### **Donated by Charity Safaris**



