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Party + Auction

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2019 LIVE AUCTION ITEMS

Milbrandt Vineyards Dinner for 8 at Heritage Restaurant | Bar in Woodinville + 6 Bottles of Wine

The winning bidder and friends will enjoy dinner in the private dining room of Woodinville's hottest new restaurant, Heritage Restaurant | Bar, located in the heart of the Hollywood District. Chef/Owner Breanna Beike will create a special multi-course menu to pair with wines individually selected by Washington wine pioneer Butch Milbrandt, winery owner of Milbrandt Vineyards. Expect him to show off his finest wines from the Wahluke Slope and Ancient Lakes AVAs, including wine club only and library wines. As a special bonus, tonight's winning bidder will take home six bottles of Milbrandt's 2015 Sentinel Red Wine (Wahluke Slope). **Thank you, Milbrandt Vineyards! Value: \$2,800**

Food, Wine, and Hockey Weekend in Vancouver, B.C. for 4

Spend a weekend in Vancouver, BC and experience all this amazing city has to offer! This package includes four tickets to a Vancouver Canucks game at Rogers Arena on a mutually agreeable date in March. Enjoy a pre- or post-game dinner at Vancouver's Cin Cin Ristorante and Bar – a multi-year recipient of Wine Spectator's "Best of" Award of Excellence – with Aquilini Red Mountain wines. You will also be treated to two rooms for two nights in downtown Vancouver! **Thank you, Aquilini Red Mountain Vineyards! Value \$2,100**

Eritage Resort Experience for 4

Four lucky people will experience Washington's newest luxury resort! Beautifully nestled on 300 acres in the rolling fields of wheat and vineyards of Washington wine country, Eritage is only minutes from downtown Walla Walla. Each suite opens to expansive views of the Blue Mountains, rolling farmland and a pristine man-made lake. This intimate property is designed to provide guests with an unparalleled Washington wine country experience with exceptional lodging and cuisine. Four guests will spend two nights in two rooms and will be treated to a special Chef's Wine Dinner featuring farm-inspired fare and sommelier selected wines. **Thank you, Fire & Vine Hospitality! Value: \$2,000**

Gamache Vintners at The Bradley Dinner for 8

Come enjoy an exclusive five-course dining and wine experience for 6-8 guests at The Bradley on Columbia Point with Gamache Vintners' veteran grape grower, Roger Gamache. The courses will be locally inspired dishes by Chef Andrew Grassick and wines will be paired from Gamache Vintners' extensive wine library. Plus guests will have the opportunity to talk one-on-one about the journey of the Washington State wine industry! **Thank you, Gamache Vintners + The Bradley! Value: A Priceless Evening**

Collection of Magnums Presented by the Foundation Board + Handcrafted Magnum Wine Rack

The famed Foundation Board Magnum Collection this year features:

- 2014 Chateau Ste. Michelle Artist Series Red Wine (Columbia Valley), Etched
- 2004 Januik Winery Cabernet Sauvignon Champoux Vineyards (Horse Heaven Hills)
- 2015 Cadence Ciel du Cheval Vineyard Red Blend (Red Mountain) signed by Ben Smith, winemaker
- 2010 Brian Carter Cellars Tutturosso Red Blend (Yakima Valley)
- 2015 Gamache Vintners Cabernet Sauvignon (Red Mountain)
- 2015 Fidelitas Ciel du Cheval Cabernet Sauvignon (Red Mountain), Etched
- 2015 Sheridan Vineyard "L'Orange" Red Blend
- 2014 Browne Family Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon (Columbia Valley)
- 2011 Campo Giovanni Brunello di Montalcino
- 2012 Northstar Merlot (Walla Walla Valley)
- 2011 Northstar Red Blend (Walla Walla Valley)
- 2013 L'Ecole No. 41 Ferguson Estate Red Bordeaux Blend signed by Marty Clubb
- 2005 Spring Valley Uriah
- And More!

Your new collection of magnums will be beautifully protected in a 24, magnum bottle rack handcrafted by Steven Bechard of Reasonable Racks. **Thank you, Board of Directors and Reasonable Racks! Value \$2,500**

Napa Experience for 4

The Terlato Group invites you to join them on an adventure. We all know Napa as the “other” wine region, so take this opportunity to get up close and personal with some of Napa’s notable vineyards. Four guests will enjoy two rooms for two nights in Napa and experience VIP tours and dinner, hosted by Doug Fletcher, Vice President of Winemaking at Terlato.

On Day 1 your first stop will be Chimney Rock Winery for a VIP tour. Located in Stag’s Leap District, this beautiful and distinctive architecture will draw you in where you will learn about their meticulous vineyard management program and artistically minimal winemaking principles. After tasting through their wines, you will head to Rutherford Hill Winery, a pioneer in the development of California Merlot. Enjoy a VIP tasting and tour and lunch. You will also be treated to a tour of Terlato’s other vineyard holdings which includes locations in Atlas Peak, Stag’s Leap and Rutherford appellations in Napa and Dry Creek and Russian River Valleys in Sonoma. Doug will host your party for dinner and provide ample recommendations for how to spend Day 2 exploring the area. **Thank you, Terlato Wine Group! Value: \$3,000**

100 Cases of Screen Printed Wine Labels

A lucky new Monvera Glass Decor customer is going to receive 100 cases of their screen printed wine label, sample included! Your existing paper label will be modified to a screen label while maintaining your brand identify. Elevate the look of your label in 2019. **Thank you, Monvera Glass Décor! Value: \$2,500**

Clay Pigeon Vineyard Shoot for 6 with Jeff Gordon & Marc Nelson + Dinner and a Mixed Case

Guns & Wine, not at the same time, but in that order! The winning bidder and five guests will join owner Jeff Gordon and vineyard manager (and avid hunter) Marc Nelson for a clay pigeon and target shooting experience in the estate vineyard overlooking the Snake River. A private tasting of estate library selections and current releases will follow, leading up to a home-cooked meal with the Gordon/Nelson family. Choose your favorite of the current releases you taste and take home a mixed case. **Thank you, Gordon Estate Winery! Value: Guns & Wine!**

Chihuly Studio Boathouse Tour + Garden & Glass Experience + 1 Night at the Crowne Plaza for 4

Experience the art of Dale Chihuly from a behind the scenes - then immerse yourself in the exhibition. This package includes a private invitation for four people to tour The Boathouse and Hotshop, which is located on the shores of Lake Union, in Seattle. The building has sweeping views of the ship canal and city skyline. The Boathouse offers guests a unique opportunity to view the artwork of Dale Chihuly and his diverse presentation of acquired collections. Chihuly's design aesthetic is reflected in each distinctive room, including an 85-foot single slab Douglas-fir table, a collection of American Indian trade blankets, a reflecting lap pool, saltwater aquarium, and vintage car gallery. The Boathouse and Hotshop are not open to the public; therefore, visiting the facility is truly a unique and exceptional Seattle experience!

Next head over to Chihuly Garden and Glass, located at Seattle Center, to view a comprehensive look at Dale Chihuly's significant series of work. The Exhibition Hall contains eight galleries and three Drawing Walls; the Glasshouse presents a suspended 1,400-piece, 100-foot-long sculpture; and the Garden is a backdrop for four beautiful and monumental sculptures. In the Collections Café, enjoy a delicious lunch while surrounded by Dale Chihuly's personal collections.

Thank you, Chihuly Studios! Value: \$1,250

South Africa 5-Day Luxury Lodge Safari + Cape Town Wine Tour

Take the trip of a lifetime to amazing South Africa! This package includes a 5-day/4-night stay at Ezulwini Game Lodge in the Greater Kruger National Park of South Africa. While there, your accommodations are inclusive of all meals, coffee/tea, wine tasting in the underground wine cellar, and two daily game drives per day, morning and evening, with skilled game rangers and trackers.

This package also includes an opportunity to explore Cape Town's fantastic wine culture with a specialist tour lead by a Cape Wine Master. The tour will be planned according to the winning bidder's interests, typically including tours and tastings at three wineries, usually at least one with the winemaker.

Please note that airfare, transfers, lodging other than Ezulwini, and gratuities are not included, however Ezulwini staff and Cape Wine Master Catherine Dillon are available to advise you in making travel arrangements. **Thank you, Ezulwini Lodge + Sphere Foods! Value: \$5,500**

\$2,500 Inland Desert Nursery Gift Certificate

Family owned and operated for over 40 years, Inland Desert Nursery is committed to providing clean, healthy, and certified plant stock and delivering the highest quality vines. Inland Desert partners with growers to make long term planting decisions as seamless as possible. **Thank you, Inland Desert Nursery! Value: \$2,500**

3-Day/2-Night Private Yacht Charter for 6 from Anacortes

You and five friends will explore the San Juan Islands and beyond in style on this 3 day/2 night private cruise aboard the 70' yacht *Ocean Romance*. Your adventure includes a captain, as well as moorage and fuel up to a \$600 allowance. You and the captain will route your journey to wherever you wish to explore. Your adventure begins and ends at Anacortes Yacht Charters in Anacortes. **Thank you, Anacortes Yacht Charters! Value: \$10,000**

Wine Dinner for 6 at Tandem with Wines by Brian Carter

Invite your friends to join you for a private dinner with Tandem Dinner & Wine Bar. Co-owners Lisa and Bradly will create a custom six-course seasonal menu to pair with wines individually selected by legendary winemaker Brian Carter. Tonight take home a magnum of Brian Carter Cellars wine! **Thank you, Brian Carter Cellars + Tandem Dinner & Wine Bar! Value: \$2,200**

Seattle Seahawks Club Seats + 2-Night Stay in Seattle

You and a guest will enjoy intimate, panoramic views of the game from club level seats, which include premium food and beverage offerings; in-seat food and beverage ordering; and pregame photo appearances by Seahawks legends, Blitz, and Taima the Hawk! This package includes a 2-night stay at the Silver Cloud Inn Pioneer Square, so you have the full day to enjoy all the game-day festivities! The donor will provide four games from which the winner will choose one to attend. **Thank you, Jordon McIntire! Value: GO HAWKS!**

One Ton of Kiona Heart of the Hill Vineyard Red Mountain Cabernet Sauvignon Grapes

How would you like to get your hands on some of the best Cabernet Sauvignon on the planet? Here's your chance! Kiona's Heart of the Hill Cabernet on Red Mountain has been an important component of award winning wines from Kiona, Betz, Sparkman, Abjea, Col Solare, Swiftwater, Longshadows, Duckhorn, and many others. Most of the blocks are contracted long-term so don't miss this opportunity to have some of your own from the 2019 vintage! **Thank you, Kiona Vineyards and Winery! Value: \$4,000**

Sagemoor Tour+Tasting, Dinner at LuLu with Devona Winery, and Stay at The Lodge for 8

Eight people will savor this unique educational and delicious experience. Begin the event with a tour of Sagemoor's Bacchus and Dionysus Vineyards hosted by General Manger, Kent Waliser, while tasting Wines of Sagemoor.

Following the vineyard visit and tasting, guests will proceed to LuLu Craft Bar and Kitchen in Richland for a complete Winemaker Dinner. John Abbott, of Devona Winery, and Kent Waliser of Sagemoor will present wines from Devona and Sagemoor and the stories behind the wines and their 17 year relationship in growing and making wine.

After dinner, guests will retire next door at the Lodge at Columbia Point, where four guest rooms await.

Thank you, Sagemoor Vineyards, Devona Winery, Lulu Craft Bar and Kitchen, and The Lodge! Value: \$4,400

James Beard Foundation 10-Day Cruise for 2 from Vancouver to San Diego

Ten days fly by as you take inventory of the west coast's most intriguing ports of call and cuisines. Small ship-only moorages in places like Portland and Sausalito alternate with grand dames like Seattle, San Francisco, and San Diego. Go wine tasting in Sonoma and Oregon's Willamette Valley. Take a cable car to lunch in San Francisco's Chinatown and taste wild California sardines at Monterey's famous Cannery Row. From food trucks to fine dining, farmers' markets to cooking classes that put you at the heart of the action; this is a cruise for people who have a taste for life and a thirst for adventure!

Included in this package:

- Windstar James Beard Foundation Culinary Cruise for 2 in stateroom
- Two (2) complimentary shore excursions per person up to \$150 per excursion
- Captain's Dinner with Ship's Captain and James Beard Foundation Guest Chef or Beverage Expert
- James Beard Foundation Guest Chef Cooking/Beverage Demonstrations
- Port taxes, NDAs, gratuities, and transfers between ship and airport

Thank you, Windstar Cruises! Value: Priceless

South Africa Feast for 8 Celebrating Washington Wines

You don't have to get on a plane to get to beautiful South Africa! Just hop in your car and head to the eastern WA home of Jerry Judkins-Smith and Robert V Taylor.

This stunning home designed by internationally acclaimed architect, Tom Kundig, is the backdrop for your South African evening. Take in the sweeping views of Red Mountain as you and your guests enjoy cocktails and appetizers before moving to a sumptuous dinner paired with Washington wines. **Thank you, Jerry Judkins-Smith, Robert V. Taylor, and Gamache Vintners! Value: A Priceless and "Kief" Evening**

Raise the Paddle: Scholarships for Students Pursuing Degrees in Wine-Related Studies

We're here tonight to support WWIF's work—bringing together partners and facilitating funding to craft sustainable solutions for our industry's greatest needs. One of the industry needs that WWIF has been committed to from the beginning is growing the next generation of industry leaders. For the last fifteen years, thanks to funding provided by the industry, WWIF has provided over 170 scholarship awards totaling \$225,000 to students pursuing wine-related studies at higher education institutions in Washington State.

Tonight, we invite you to raise your bid card and affirm your own commitment to growing the next generation of Washington's wine industry leaders. 100% of your contributions will directly fund tuition, books, and student fees for students who are committed to our industry – those who are enrolled full-time in an undergraduate or graduate wine-related program, have achieved at least a 3.0 GPA, and have submitted an exemplary scholarship application vetted by WWIF's Scholarship Committee, made up of industry leaders.

Thank YOU for investing in the future of Washington wine!

Barrel of Gold

What's inside? That's up to you! Party attendees are invited to add their own amazing items to the barrel. Do you have access to an amazing vacation rental? Season tickets you'd be willing to give up for one game? An amazing bottle of wine in your cellar? Donate them to the Barrel! You could even donate the cash in your wallet. A few highlights describing what's inside will be announced during the Live Auction, but the rest will be a truly wonderful surprise! **Thank YOU! Value: A Barrel of Fun!**

Raffle: 2 Alaska Airlines Vouchers!

Only 50 tickets are available at \$100 each for this fantastic prize valued at \$2,500! Look for the auction staff wearing sparkling hats to purchase your tickets!

Let Alaska Airlines take you to one of their spectacular destinations this year! Two coach roundtrip tickets system-wide on Alaska Airlines. That includes Mexico, Hawaii, Alaska, Miami, DC, New York, Charleston, Atlanta, and more! Transportation is valid on Alaska Airlines flights and no blackout dates apply. Vouchers need to be ticketed prior to their expiration date printed on the voucher (one year from the date of the event). Paid or mileage upgrades are allowed. **Thank you, Alaska Airlines! Value: \$2,500**