

## ***The Evening's Events***

*6:30 pm Cocktails & hors d'oeuvres, Silent Auction opens in the tent*

*7:30 pm Welcoming remarks in the tent*

*8:00 pm Buffet Dinner created by Froggy's of Highwood*

*8:30 pm Live Auction & Raffle Drawing\* in the tent*

*9:00 pm Dessert & coffee, Silent Auction continues*

*10:30 pm Silent Auction closes*

*10:45 pm Silent Auction checkout*

**Raffle Prize: A 14K white gold 16" chain with pendant consisting of a pavé diamond oval and twelve scattered diamonds on white gold arcs, 72 diamonds with a total weight of .38 CT. Retail value \$900, partially underwritten by T. J. Cullen Jewelers, Winnetka.**

## **LIVE AUCTION 8:30 pm**

### **GOLF AT EXCLUSIVE WINGED FOOT GOLF CLUB**

Treat yourself and two very lucky friends to the best golf in the world! Don't miss this rare opportunity of golf for three (players to join member Joe Gagliardi for a golf four-some) at Winged Foot Golf Club, in Mamaroneck, New York. This historic private club, founded in 1921, has been the site of professional tournaments since its inception; these include the U.S. Senior Open in 1980, the PGA Championship in 1997 and five U.S. Opens, the most recent in 2006. Test yourself on this A. W. Tillinghast gem from the Golden Age of golf course design. This offer includes lunch and caddies and is good Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday between May and October and expires October 1, 2008.

Arrangements must be made through member, Joe Gagliardi.

*Donated by Joe Gagliardi*

## **ELEGANT CHICAGO WEEKEND PACKAGE FOR TWO**

Surround yourselves in luxury at the Fairmont Hotel Chicago. This package includes a one night stay in a beautiful suite, dinner for two in the Fairmont's elite restaurant, *Aria*, and breakfast in bed! Then get ready to brush up your Shakespeare with two complimentary tickets to a performance of *Othello* at Chicago Shakespeare Theater's intimate *Courtyard Theatre* located on Navy Pier (performances February 3-April 6). These are exclusive "house seats" located in the first row! Tickets are subject to availability and must be reserved in advance. Don't miss this rare and upfront opportunity! (These items do not need to be used concurrently).

*Donated by Kevin & Lynne Frid and Chicago Shakespeare Theater*

## **CANDLELIGHT COCKTAIL PARTY AT THE SCHMIDT BURNHAM LOG HOUSE**

Imagine a magical night at the historic Schmidt Burnham Log House with up to 20 of your friends. Beer, wine and delicious hors d'oeuvres will be served, if you chose, by costumed Society docents who can also give a brief explanation of the house to you and your guests. We'll consult with you about the menu and work with you to choose a mutually agreeable date. This offer expires September 2008.

*Donated by Becky & Chris Hurley, Betsy Landes & Barry Levenstam*

## **PRIVATE TOUR OF NBC-5 STUDIOS IN CHICAGO WITH NBC NEWS ANCHOR NESITA KWAN**

Get a private tour for up to six people at the NBC-5 Chicago Studios from NBC-5 anchor and correspondent, Nesita Kwan! Enjoy lunch or dinner after the tour with a \$200 gift certificate to nearby Southwater Kitchen.

*Donated by Nesita Kwan & Southwater Kitchen*

**EXTRAORDINARY DINNER EXPERIENCE AT  
RESTAURANT MICHAEL**

Spend the afternoon of your choice in the kitchen with Chef Michael Lachowicz of Restaurant Michael followed by a four course early dinner for two paired with a flight of three wines expertly selected by wine director Marcello Cancelli.

*Donated by Chef Michael Lachowicz*

**SILENT AUCTION**

**Wine Lover's Basket**

Tempt your palate with this special basket which includes a bottle of Louis Latour 2001 Montagny 1 er cru La Grande Roche, a bottle of Chateau de Sancerre Sauvignon Blanc, a Wine Spectator book, wine accessories and gourmet food

*Donated by Nancy Davis & Stuart McCrary*

*Value: \$70*

**Historic Dearborn Inn/ Henry Ford Museum**

A historical weekend for two including a two night weekend stay in a deluxe room at the beautiful Dearborn Inn in Dearborn, Michigan and a visit to the Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village awaits you. Don't miss lunch at the Eagle Tavern, the Wright Brothers' Home and Cycle Shop or Lincoln's Chair!

*Donated by The Santis & The Dearborn Inn*

*Value: \$360*

**Nancy Behles Framed Giclee of "Beach Day"**

"Beach Day" giclee (fine art digitally reproduced archival print) of gouache painting by North Shore Art League member and teacher, Nancy Behles, custom framed by "As You Like It Framery & Gallery"

*Donated by Nancy Behles & Carolyn Casey*

*Value: \$450*

### **Pair of framed postcards of Historic Chicago**

Get a view of the past with these 1912 postcards depicting the site of Marshall Field & Co. store in 1839 and a stroll down Lake Shore Drive, parasols and all!

*Donated by Sally Wille*

*Value: \$20*

### **Et tu Brute? Box seats to Lyric's *Julius Caesar***

2 tickets (Box 5, center lower box) to Handel's *Julius Caesar* at Lyric Opera of Chicago-Sunday, November 11, 2007, 1:00pm matinee performance

*Donated by Joan & Kevin Evanich*

*Value: \$374*

### **Behind the scenes tour at WGN Studios**

You and your family are invited to take a behind the scenes tour of Channel 9's studios in Chicago. Then stick around to watch a live TV newscast-PLUS meet the anchors! (Expires September 13, 2008)

*Donated by Julie Unruh, WGN Reporter*

*Value: Priceless*

### **"Modern" Chicago framed postcards**

Two 1943 postcards depicting Chicago's "Modern" skyline, a great glimpse into the past!

*Donated by Sally Wille*

*Value: \$20*

### **Book: *Breakfast Table Autocrat***

Calling all of you alumni of Quaker Oats Co! This 1946 book tells the story of Henry Parsons Crowell, the turn-of-the-century Chicago entrepreneur who founded the Quaker Oats Company as was known as the father of modern merchandising, marketing and advertising.

*Donated by Becky Hurley*

*Value: \$20*

### **Romantic Dinner for Two at Restaurant Michael**

Enjoy a wonderfully romantic evening with this \$200 gift certificate to Restaurant Michael, Winnetka's superb French cuisine restaurant.

*Donated by Cathy Jorgensen*

*Value: \$200*

### **House Portrait Plate**

Have your house custom painted on a handmade 16" porcelain charger.

*Donated by Susan Curry*

*Value: \$250*

### **Santa Fe School of Cooking Basket**

This spicy basket includes 2 pieces of La Chandra black clay pottery, a *Coyote Café* cookbook, spices, apron, hot sauce, red and green "Christmas" chili sauces, Margarita cookbook, glasses, tequila and more!

*Donated by Susan Curry & Joan Evanich*

*Value: \$240*

### **Sunset over the North Shore by boat**

Experience a private 2 hour sailing charter from Wilmette Harbor for up to 6 passengers on a 42', two-mast sailboat. This beautiful boat, available Monday-Thursdays on a mutually agreeable date, is captained by Coast Guard licensed Allen Smith (lucky bidder is responsible for food and beverages)

*Donated by Tom & Sally Wille*

*Value: \$370*

### **Go Cubbies!**

Four tickets to a 2008 Chicago Cubs home game at Wrigley Field. Seats are in the fourth row behind 3<sup>rd</sup> base and are available at a mutually agreeable date.

*Donated by David & Susan Curry*

*Value: \$260*

### **Tickets to the 2008 Cross Town Classic**

Four tickets (20 rows behind 1<sup>st</sup> base) to the 2008 Cross Town Classic, Cubs vs. White Sox. The date for this Sunday game held at Wrigley field is TBD.

*Donated by Laurie & Michael Petersen*

*Value: \$164*

### **Luxurious Manicure with Marjorie**

Pamper yourself with a soothing manicure with Marjorie. (Marjorie is now at *Pauline's* 554 Green Bay)

*Donated by Betsy Hammond*

*Value: \$20*

### **Own a piece of Chicago Bear's History!**

Official NFL football signed by Mike Singletary, linebacker for the Super Bowl Champion Chicago Bears and 1998 inductee to the Pro Football Hall of Fame. Signed "Michael Singletary HOF 98"

*Donated by Chris & Becky Hurley*

*Value: \$100*

### **Framed Original Oil Painting**

This original oil painting depicting a charming impressionist style scene of children playing at the beach is beautifully framed and was purchased at Kamp Gallery.

*Donated by Joan Evanich*

*Value: \$350*

### **Antique Fort Dearborn Commemorative Ladle**

Antique silver ladle with scene of Ft. Dearborn 1833 engraved in the bowl, created by R. Wallace Silversmiths in approximately 1900 and engraved "B. V. Chicago" on the handle.

*Donated by Becky Hurley*

*Value: \$40*

### **Classic Kids Photo Shoot**

Certificate for a black & white portrait sitting for up to two and an 8' x 10" black & white archival photo.

*Donated by Classic Kids*

*Value: \$440*

### **Printed works from the Century of Progress, 1933**

Not to be outdone by the creation of the Winnetka Historical Society in 1932, the Century of Progress Exposition in 1933/34 was a huge success. Enjoy a photographic journey back to the Fair with two books: the *Official View Book* with color plates and *A Century of Progress Exposition* with black and white photographs. A contemporary copper-plated bookmark accompanies the above. Also, an original issue of the Chicago Tribune (May 28, 1933) headlined "Star Sets 1933 Fair Ablaze" is included.

*Donated by Cynthia Peters & Liz Nesler*  
*Value: \$150*

### **Yummy Homemade Biscotti**

Four dozen delicious, handmade almond Biscotti, either chocolate or vanilla on a date of your choice.

*Donated by Jude Offerle*  
*Value: \$50*

### **Hostess Gift Basket**

So many invitations, so many hostess gifts to buy! Make your life easier with this basket of unique hostess gifts for all occasions. This includes a year's worth of hostess gifts complete with wrapping paper and ribbon.

*Donated by Susan Whitcomb & Sandy Ober*  
*Value: \$200*

### **A Night at the Opera**

2 Lyric Opera tickets (Dress Circle, Row B seats 6 & 8) to *La Traviata*, by Giuseppe Verdi on Tuesday, October 9, 2007, curtain is at 7:30 pm.

*Donated by Michael & Laurie Petersen*  
*Value: \$300*

### **Handmade Hooked Rug**

This doormat sized rug was made by 91-year-old Rita Behles. The message reads: "We welcome all to this abode. Have a chair. Unwind. Unload." You can purchase this rug or customize your own 45 letter message with colors of your own choosing.

*Donated by Rita Behles*  
*Value: Priceless*

### **Own a piece of prehistoric wonder**

*Chesapecten jeffersonious* is the first fossil figured and described in North America. Martin Lister included a figure of the pecten, but did not name it in his 1687 work, *Historiae Conchyliorum, Liber III*. The fossil was named in 1824 for former president and sometimes paleontologist Thomas Jefferson..

*Donated by Charles Shabica*  
*Value: \$250*

**Matched pair of custom framed watercolors**

A beautiful pair of botanical paintings! These original watercolors of irises are custom framed and measure 24" x 14".

*Donated by Susan & David Curry*  
*Value: \$500 for pair*

**Framed Reproduction Photo: *Oak Street Sledding, c.1900***

This 8" x 10" photo of children sledding down the big hill on Oak Street is a classic! The photo is a digital reproduction of an original in the Winnetka Historical Society's permanent photograph collection.

*Donated by Susan Whitcomb*  
*Value: \$200*

**Framed Reproduction Photo: *The Ice Man Cometh, early 20<sup>th</sup> century***

Before modern refrigeration, the ice man was a welcome face at every Winnetka home. This photo shows the Winnetka Artificial Ice man and his horse. The 8" x 10" photo is matted with archival materials and framed. Photo is a digital reproduction of an original in the Winnetka Historical Society's permanent photograph collection.

*Donated by Susan Whitcomb*  
*Value: \$200*

**Framed Reproduction Photo: *All Aboard the North Shore Line, early 20<sup>th</sup> century***

Own this 8" x 10" photo of Winnetka's North Shore Line. The electric train ran from Chicago to Wisconsin along the North Shore from the 1890's through the 1950's. The photo is matted with archival materials and framed. Photo is a digital reproduction of an original in the Winnetka Historical Society's permanent photograph collection.

*Donated by Susan Whitcomb*  
*Value: \$200*

**2 Tickets to *Jersey Boys* and dinner at the Atwood Cafe**

2 tickets to *Jersey Boys*! The 2006 Tony Award winning best musical about Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons is sure to be the hottest show in town this winter. Two mezzanine seats, located in Row F (seats 9 & 11) are for the Wednesday, December 12, 2007, 7:30pm performance at the LaSalle Bank Theater. Also included is a \$150 gift certificate for dinner at the Atwood Café in the historic Hotel Burnham (dinner certificate can be used anytime before September 2008)

*Donated by Joan Evanich & Nan Greenough*  
*Value: \$320*

### **Shop Winnetka Gift Certificate Basket**

Spend the day shopping on West Elm Street in Winnetka with a \$100 gift certificate from Multiple Choices, a \$50 gift certificate from Gray, a \$50 certificate from S'Agaro and a \$25 gift card from The Bookstall.

*Donated by Pat Horne, Multiple Choices and others*

*Value: \$225*

### **Ladies' Black Leather Jacket**

Keep stylishly warm all winter with this stunning Marc New York black leather jacket, size large.

*Donated by Susan Curry*

*Value: \$475*

### **1933 Century of Progress Exposition Collectibles**

These items will make a great start to a Century of Progress collection. Included is an original felt pennant from the Fair, a deck of playing cards depicting the Sky Ride, a New York Central Railroad ticket to the Fair, and a 1933 commemorative Fort Dearborn plate (8") celebrating 100 years of Chicago history.

*Donated by Liz Nesler & Cynthia Peters*

*Value: \$90*

### **Homemade Thanksgiving Pies**

Two homemade pies of your choice will be made fresh and delivered to your North Shore Home either the day before Thanksgiving (11/21/07) or by 1 p.m. on Thanksgiving Day (11/22/07) or another mutually agreeable date. Pie choices include either Apple, Blueberry, Pumpkin, Pecan or Chocolate Pecan. The chef is willing to substitute a Pumpkin Cheesecake for one of the pies, to attempt one of your family recipes or accommodate your dietary needs.

*Donated by Stuart McCrary*

*Value: \$40*

### **Japanese Basket**

Experience the "Land of the Rising Sun" in the comfort of your own home. This basket includes a Japanese "lunch box", beautiful sake and sushi ceramic sets, tea, inlaid chopsticks, sake, snacks, phrase book and more.

*Donated by Joan Evanich & Susan Curry*

*Value: \$170*

### **Dinner for Four at Froggy's Restaurant**

A gift certificate for a fabulous dinner for 4 at Froggy's Restaurant located at 306 N. Greenbay Road, Highwood, alcohol and tip not included, expires 9/16/08

*Donated by Froggy's Catering*

*Value: \$120*

### **A Day of Beauty at Charles Ifergan Salon**

\$130 gift certificate to Charles Ifergan Salon and Day Spa located at 380 Lake Cook Road, Deerfield. Enjoy a shampoo, haircut, style, manicure and makeup application serviced by Kimora, Tania and Marina, expires March 15, 2008

Donated by Charles Ifergan Salon & Day Spa  
Value: \$130

### **Evanston Art Center**

Dabble in the Fine Arts with this \$100 gift certificate toward classes/workshops at the Evanston Art Center.

*Donated by the Evanston Art Center*  
Value: \$100

### **A Day at the Races**

Invite your family or friends to view the races at Arlington Park in style. This Club House Box Seat Package includes clubhouse admission for 6 plus 6 reserved clubhouse box seats in the 2007 season. Not valid on Opening Weekend, Belmont Day, Independence Day, the International Festival of Racing weekend & Labor Day, expires 9/30/07.

*Donated by Arlington Park Racecourse, LLC*  
Value: \$60

### **Manicure at Bella's Skin Care, Ltd.**

Treat yourself with a manicure Bella's Skin Care, Ltd. located at 720 Elm Street, Winnetka (expires July 20, 2008).

*Donated by Bella's Skin Care, Ltd.*  
Value: \$20

### **Log House Platter I**

This 14" hand thrown, custom sculpted and glazed stoneware platter beautifully depicts Winnetka's oldest structure, the Schmidt-Burnham Log House.

*Donated and created by Susan Curry*  
Value: \$150

### **Log House Platter II**

Another opportunity to own a 14" custom made stoneware platter depicting the Schmidt-Burnham Log House. Each one is unique and beautifully crafted; maybe you need both of them! Maybe one for you and one for a friend?

*Donated and created by Susan Curry*  
Value: \$150

### **A pair of tickets to Steppenwolf's 32<sup>nd</sup> Season**

Voucher good for two tickets for any subscriber production during the 2007-2008 season. Steppenwolf's award winning ensemble company will explore the American experience through five different plays during their 32<sup>nd</sup> season.

*Donated by Betsy Hammond*

*Value: \$110*

### **Women's National Basketball Association Tickets**

Four ticket to WNBA Chicago Sky at the UIC Pavilion. This offer is for a mutually agreeable date during the regular 2008 season (June-August), also includes a parking pass.

*Donated by Betsy Hammond*

*Value: \$155*

### **Championship Billiard Balls**

Purchase a legend in the billiard world with this set of "The Belgian Billiard Balls". Made with Aramith phenolic resin, these billiard balls are designed for high precision play...where quality is a tradition. Who knows, your game may improve so much, you may be able to play on the pro tour!

*Donated by Sandy & John Ober*

*Value: \$250*

### **Chicago's Best Blues**

Two certificates each admit 4 guests to Kingston Mines, Chicago's premiere Blues club. These certificates also provide a free drink for each over-21 guest.

*Donated by Kingston Mines*

*Value: \$160*

### **Golf for Four at Historic Lake Zurich Golf Club**

Here is a rare opportunity to golf at historic Lake Zurich Golf Club (45 minutes west of Winnetka). LZGC was founded in 1895 and is one of the oldest original golf links in the Chicago area. It is a private 9-hole course (played twice) and still maintains much of its historic charm and décor. This day of golf includes cocktails in the Historic Club House built in 1897 and either lunch or dinner at Hackney's Restaurant, depending on tee time. Arrangements must be made with member, Peter Horne, your host for the day.

*Donated by Peter Horne*

*Opening bid: \$250*

### **Vera Bradley Gift Assortment I**

Do a little holiday shopping! This gift assortment includes a Windsor Navy bowler bag, a Mesa Red zip ID case, mini notebook, 2008 day planner and Baekgaard tie.

*Donated by Anonymous*

*Value: \$140*

### **Vera Bradley Gift Assortment II**

Maybe you will want to keep this one for yourself! This gift assortment includes a Java Blue tote, Pink Elephant notes, a file folder and 2008 day planner.

*Donated by Anonymous*

*Value: \$70*

### **Winnetka Community House Fitness Centre**

Two six-month memberships to the WCH Fitness Centre. The Fitness Centre offers the highest quality equipment to meet all your fitness needs. The memberships must be redeemed by December 31, 2007 but are good for 6 months.

*Donated by Winnetka Community House*

*Value: \$365 each (can be sold separately)*

### **Eat Healthy with 2 x 2 Meal Plan**

A custom Meal Plan (2 entrees, each with a side dish for 2 people, for a total of 4 meals). Cindy Steinman, Personal Chef, will complete all of the shopping, selecting the finest and tastiest ingredients. She will arrive at your home with cooking equipment in tow, prepare 2 entrees for two with side dishes that have been customized to your specific taste, special diet and eating goals. These meals can be conveniently stored in your refrigerator or freezer.

*Donated by Cindy Steinman*

*Value: \$145*

### **Dream of Summer with this Potting Party for 10**

Held on the grounds of James Martin Associates, landscape architects located in Vernon Hills, this potting party for 10 includes lunch and demonstrations of potting techniques. Complimentary flowers & pots provided for all. Valid Mon-Fri 11am-2pm, early summer through fall only, expires 9/13/08.

*Donated by James Martin Associates, Inc.*

*Value: \$600*

### **Antique Print**

Antique hand-colored estate print by James Beeverall, published in 1707 (later colored). Custom framed and matted, this piece measures 13½" w x 12½ h".

*Donated by Marge Francis of Caledonian*

*Antiques, Inc.*

*Value: \$325*

### **Support a Free Spirit**

Book: *Okeanos: Great River Circling the Earth* and photograph by free spirit Richard Roshon of Maui, HI (book is autographed to "Friends of the Winnetka Historical Society" and signed by the author.

*Donated by Phil & Lucy Hoza*

*Value: \$50*

### **Two tickets to Goodman Theatre 2007-08 Season**

Two tickets to one Goodman Theatre production during the 2007-2008 season. Goodman's upcoming season features brilliant stories by today's most celebrated playwrights!

*Donated by Goodman Theatre  
Value: \$120*

### **September 22, Cubs vs. Pirates!**

Two Terrace Reserve Cubs Tickets for the Saturday, September 22, Cubs vs. Pirates game. Aisle 224, Row 10, Seats 5 & 6. See the Cubbies clinch the pennant!

*Donated by Michael Ward  
Value: \$150*

### **Private Pilates Lesson**

Learn to strengthen your body with this private pilates lesson at Pilates Barre, located in Hubbard Woods.

*Donated by Pilates Barre  
Value: \$80*

### **Pilates with Friends**

Exercise is always more fun with friends! This certificate entitles three friends to take a class together at Pilates Barre.

*Donated by Pilates Barre  
Value: \$120*

### **Winnetka Centennial Plate**

Issued in 1969, this green and white transfer ware plate was commissioned to commemorate Winnetka's 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

*Donated by Rosalie Clary  
Value: \$25*

### **Calling all Needlepointers!**

Here is a special gift for history lovers and needlepoint aficionados. This basket includes a canvas with a picture of the Schmidt Burnham Log House, a scissors, needles and a \$50 gift certificate from Canvasback toward wool to complete your project.

*Donated by Susan Curry  
Value: \$100*

### **Four pieces of art by Lola Maverick Lloyd**

Lola Maverick Lloyd, born in 1875 was the daughter of George Madison Maverick and Mary Elizabeth Vance. She grew up in St. Louis and on the cattle ranch owned by her family in Texas. Lola graduated from Smith College in 1897 and taught mathematics there in 1901. Married in 1902 to William Bross Lloyd, son of social reformer, Henry Demarest Lloyd, the couple settled in Winnetka. Divorced in 1916, Lola and her four children: Mary, William Jr., Georgia, and Jessie Lloyd moved into the Swedish inspired Arts & Crafts house at 455 Birch that she helped to design. Ms. Lloyd was a pioneer suffragist; a pacifist, and co-founder, with Jane Addams, of the Women's Peace Party, 1915. She was a delegate to the Congress of Women at the Hague, 1915; sailed on Henry Ford's Peace Ship, 1915; co-chaired, with Rosika Schwimmer, the Campaign for World Government; and co-founded the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom. Lloyd was also a painter and studied modeling in Paris, 1931-32. She designed the Texas State House and executed the details. Lola Maverick Lloyd died in 1944.

*Apple Tree in a Meadow:* Pastel on board, measures approximately 14" x 15"

*Value:* \$50

*Woods at Twilight:* Pastel on paper, measures approximately 9" x 11"

*Value:* \$25

*Pine Tree with Branch:* Pastel on paper, measures approximately 9" x 11"

*Value:* \$25

*Paper cutout note card of pine branch and pinecone:* paper, measures approximately 4" x 6"

*Value:* \$15

*Donated by Margot Funke*

### **Tour for 10 at Crab Tree Farm plus lunch**

Crab Tree Farm, located in Lake Bluff, is a private decorative arts museum not open to the public.

This rare collection of furniture and decorative arts is housed in five 1909 buildings on an estate in Lake Bluff. It includes outstanding works by William Morris, Gustav Stickley, Harvey Ellis and many others. This private museum was begun in 1987 and is now considered one of the finest Arts and Crafts collections in the world. Following this exclusive tour, take your guests to lunch with a \$250 gift certificate to the historic Deerpath Inn located in Lake Forest.

*Donated by Jan Pavlovic & Susan Curry*

*Value:* \$450