

Live Auction Rules



Live Auction Commences at 8:00 p.m.

- 1. Each live auction item has a number assigned to it, and the items are displayed on the gym's main floor. They may be viewed prior to the auction, beginning at 5:00 p.m.
- 2. To enter a bid, raise your bid number high to attract the attention of the auctioneer. The auction is fast-paced, so bids must be made quickly.
- 3. Acceptance of your bid by the auctioneer is **BINDING**; a winning bid will be confirmed **IMMEDIATELY** by your signature on the bid contract.
- 4. Bid contracts will be delivered to the successful bidders' tables.
- 5. Payment in full is mandatory. All purchases must be paid for (in the auction bank) at the end of the auction. A receipt is issued for each purchase upon payment.
- 6. For your convenience, cash, check, Discover, MasterCard, and Visa are accepted by the bank. All sales are final; no exchanges or refunds.
 - *If you have registered for **EXPRESS BANKING**, a bid sheet confirming "paid" will be delivered to your table for each successful bid. (**NO WAITING IN BANK LINES** at the end of the evening!)
- 7. The auction committee has endeavored to catalog and describe the items and services accurately, but everything is sold "AS IS." Please note restrictions/requirements regarding reservations and expiration dates. It is the <u>responsibility of the successful</u> <u>bidder</u> to contact donors where special arrangements are necessary.
- 8. The auction committee makes no express or implied warranties or representations for merchandise. Values set forth in the auction catalog are **donors' estimates** and are not quaranteed by the committee for tax purposes or general value.
- 9. The purchaser will receive a certificate for items not displayed. Unless otherwise specified, all gift certificates <u>must be used within one year</u> from the date of the auction.
- 10. All auction items must be removed from the Duchesne High School premises at the conclusion of the evening. Special arrangements for pick-up of large items must be made at the time of payment. Any items left for more than seven days become the property of Duchesne High School.



01 FREDBIRD FRENZY

Ever since he was born in April of 1979, the St. Louis Cardinals' mascot Fredbird has been entertaining everyone at Cardinal baseball games. He is the best-known mascot in baseball! Fredbird will make a 30-minute appearance at your event anywhere within the St. Louis metro area on a mutually agreeable date. Valid through April 30, 2017.

Donor: St. Louis Cardinals Value: \$150

02 EXPERIENCE FLY FISHING AT WESTOVER FARMS

Be the "flyest" fly fisher there is with this Westover Farms Fly Fishing Package! Meandering across close to 600-acres of Westover property, the spring-fed waters offer year-round access to some of the best trout fishing in Missouri. Enjoy one day and one night in a two-bedroom stone house, along with one hour of fly fishing instruction for four people at Westover Farms on a mutually agreed upon date. Rods and reels are included. You'll feel relaxed and one with nature once you experience Westover Farms, located in the beautifully secluded Mark Twain National Forest near Steelville, Missouri.

Donor: Westover Farms, Duchesne Grandparents Value: \$450

03 BEHIND THE SCENES TOUR AT KMOV 4 WITH ALISSA REITMEIER

This lucky auction item winner (or designee) will be the guest of former Duchesne student Alissa Reitmeier, news anchor at KMOV Channel 4! The winner will have the opportunity to shadow Alissa from 2 p.m. through the 6 p.m. newscast on a mutually agreeable date from May 25 – June 30, 2016. Experience the pulse of the news room as Alissa prepares for the news cast and stay in the studio to watch her do the 6 p.m. live broadcast! (Participant must be at least 16 years old.)

Donor: Alissa Reitmeier, KMOV4 Value: Lights, Camera, Action!

04 THE DRESS-DOWN DEAL

With this card, your Pioneer can enjoy the comforts of his or her out-of-uniform attire! Perhaps it's a special reward for your child working hard in the classroom or the athletic field. Maybe it's a one-of-a-kind birthday present! The student will receive a punch card and may choose 10 days (excluding Mass days) to dress out of uniform.

Donor: Fritz Long, Principal Value: Dress Down Days

Kurt Clodius, Dean of Students



05 I-70 SERIES KANSAS CITY PACKAGE

Watch our St. Louis Cardinals take on the Kansas City Royals for the annual I-70 Series! Win this package and walk away with an amazing cross-state getaway to Kansas City, MO. Enjoy a two-night stay at the beautiful Embassy Suites—Country Club Plaza on June 26 and 27, 2016. You'll also receive four tickets (Section 438, Row A, Seats 9-12) to see the Cardinals take on the Royals, as well as a \$100 gift certificate to Fiorella's Jackstack Barbeque Restaurant.

Located in the heart of the best shopping and dining in Kansas City, the Embassy Suites is just steps away from five-star dining, world-class designer shopping, and the nationally recognized Nelson Atkins Art Museum and Kemper Museum for Contemporary Art. The Embassy Suites also offers a shuttle to the area's best nightlife in the notorious Power & Light District. Enjoy a great time and "Go Cardinals!"

Donor: In Memory of Kevin Leonhard Value: Cardinals Road Trip!

06 SPEND CHRISTMAS OR NEW YEAR'S IN ARUBA

This December, you'll unwind from your holiday stress as you luxuriate on the gorgeous beaches of Aruba! Located in the heart of the southern Caribbean, this tropical paradise is renowned for its crystalline waters, pristine white beaches, and distinct blend of European and island influences.

You'll spend a full week – Saturday to Saturday –relaxing in your one-bedroom, one-bath condominium at La Cabana Beach and Racquet Club. This beautiful oceanfront resort features on-site dining, spas, and swimming. During your stay, you could take part in the island's fabulous Christmas or New Year's Eve celebration, depending on your choice of dates. Trip date options: December 24 – 31, 2016, or December 31, 2016 – January 7, 2017. Please note: airfare not included.

Donor: Ernie Dempsey and Family Value: \$ 2,000

07 LUSCIOUS LOBSTER DINNER FOR TEN (10) PEOPLE

You can enjoy the East Coast right here in Missouri and put on quite the dinner party with this package! Lobster flown fresh from Maine will be cooked in your home with all the fixings of a Maine lobster cookout. Dinner will be prepared on a mutually agreeable date between chef and purchaser of this fun-filled cookout.

Donor: Scott and Melissa Shockley Value: \$ 500



08 DHS PIONEER FIELD VIP PARKING SPACE

This parking space is reserved just for you! You'll have immediate access to watch the state-winning DHS Pioneers play on the field during the spring and fall athletic seasons. This space is the first one facing the field, located right by the entrance.

You will receive a personalized sign on the fence at parking space 320. Your car will have the "best seat in the house" for every football and soccer game with this premier parking space!

Donor: Duchesne Athletic Department Value: Reserved Parking

09 ARE YOU "YETI" FOR THIS?

You will be the talk of your next outdoor adventure or tailgating hangout with your brand new YETI Tundra 65 cooler and pair of YETI Colsters! This 57-quart white cooler is plenty roomy, allowing you to hold up to 39 cans of your favorite beverage, a keeper redfish, or a small quartered deer.

Whatever you choose to chill, you know this high-quality cooler will keep it cold longer due to its two inches of insulation. This indestructible cooler comes fully stocked with a variety of beers for your enjoyment, and also includes two double-wall vacuum insulated YETI colsters to keep them as cold as the arctic from start to finish!

Donor: Terry and Jo Ann Gravemann Value: \$ 600

Paul and Dawn Lammert

10 GIRLS' NIGHT OUT AT R MEDICAL SPA

Are you in need of a relaxing girls' night out? Look no farther than this rejuvenating R Medical Spa package! You and five of your friends will each receive a Visia skin care analysis, along with your choice of microderm, facial, or dermaplane treatment.

In addition to your spa treatments and complimentary Renaissance sunscreen, you and your friends will receive 15% off of all products purchased during this visit at R Medical Spa, as well as a \$50 gift card toward future treatments. So sit back, relax, and enjoy your time spent together at the spa!

Donor: Renaissance Plastic Surgery Value: \$1,550



11 FORE!...GOLF GETAWAY WEEKEND

Enjoy three days filled with champion-style golf! Located in the heart of Central Illinois' countryside (just two hours from St. Louis in Pana, Illinois), Oak Terrace Resort offers the perfect getaway for anyone looking to spend a day on the green. This package includes three days and two nights in a two-bedroom resort suite, with 12 rounds of golf on Oak Terrace's challenging course.

When you're not working on your swing, relax and unwind in the resort's full-service spa, indoor and outdoor pools, recreation center, and restaurant. Available Monday-Thursday on mutually agreeable dates; not valid on holiday weekends. Certificate does not include cart or \$50 cleaning fee. Expires on April 20, 2017.

Donor: Dan Simon, Value: \$ 900

Oak Terrace Resort

12 WHAT HAPPENS IN VEGAS...

Start practicing your dice throwing techniques, because you are going to Vegas, baby! Enjoy the perks of staying at the gorgeous Bellagio hotel in Las Vegas with a \$500 Bellagio gift card. While you stay there, enjoy the hotel's spa, casino, pools, and The Shops at Crystals!

Think you'll need a little extra spending money? We've got you covered with a \$100 MasterCard gift card! You can also book your flight with your \$500 Southwest Airlines gift card. Get ready to get your gamble on and remember, what happens in Vegas, stays in Vegas!

Donor: Duchesne Grandparents Value: Rolling the Dice

13 PLAYFUL PIONEER PUPPY

Get playful with this year's Pioneer Puppy! Take home this male Shichon puppy, who is sure to become your new best friend. The Shichon gives you the small size of the Shih Tzu and the friendly disposition of the Bichon Frise, ensuring you can have the best of both worlds in one lovable pup.

He will go to his new home with a new crate, a PetSmart Puppy Starter Kit, and toys. This little guy is just ten weeks old and would love to snuggle up with you at his new home!

Donor: Duchesne Grandparents Value: Puppy Love



14 FUND-A-NEED: EXPANDING OPPORTUNITY IN STEM AND ROBOTICS

(Please see the project description on page 57!)

As part of our mission to educate each individual as a whole person in mind, body, and spirit, we strive to create the best possible learning environment for our young men and women. This year, we want to focus our Fund-a-Need project on the "mind" aspect of our mission and the need for STEM and Robotics labs.

Mr. Fritz Long, our Principal, will be partnering with the Duchesne faculty to maximize the effect of any donation we receive for our STEM and Robotics labs. The total cost of the project is estimated at \$65,000. With your gift, you will be partnering with our faculty and students to ensure that Duchesne's tradition of an unmatched education experience continues.

Donor: YOU! Value: Mind, Body, and Spirit

15 VAMOS A MÉXICO!

Leave room in your bags for your sombreros because this trip to Mexico wouldn't be complete without them! You and a guest will receive a gift certificate to any Vidanta exclusive resort for a 8-day, 7-night getaway. You will have your choice of accommodation types and locations, including beautiful Riviera Maya, Nuevo Vallarta, and Los Cabos!

For more information, you can visit the website http://www.vidanta.com. The designation portal lists all the resort locations and the Resort Hotels portal shows the layout of all the villas that are available. Peruse the website to get a full understanding of the features and amenities offered at each resort.

Please note that each resort has a varying usage fee that could range from \$800-\$2,000, depending on location and room choice. Please also note that airfare is not included with this package.

While this resort is not all-inclusive, each resort has an on-site grocery store along with fully equipped kitchens in every unit. Don't feel like eating in? Dine at your choice of inexpensive resort restaurants, all with excellent menus! iAdiós, buen viaje!

Donor: Don and Valerie Fitzpatrick Value: \$ 4,000

Fund-a-Need 2015 Update



How Does a Weight Room Become an All-Student Fitness Center?

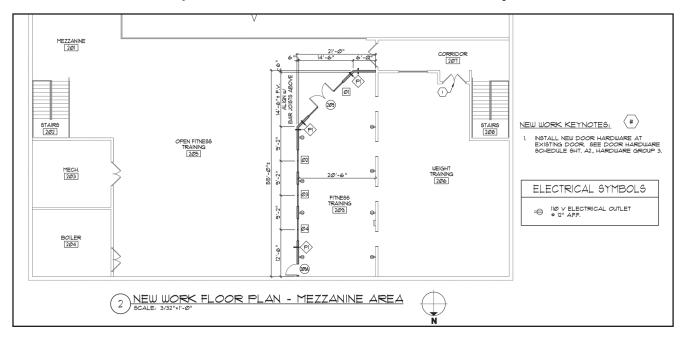
As our repeat guests who attended the 2015 auction will recall, our Fund-A-Need request last year was for help in upgrading our weight room facilities. While you may not be able to see all the actions we have taken toward that goal, in fact, there has been a great deal of activity. We have summarized that below.

With your kind donations and support, we feel you are a partner in our mission. As our partner, we want to keep you fully informed of how this project has evolved and the progress that we are making.

- Upgrading of the Weight Room Facilities was presented as our 2015 Pioneer Expedition Auction Fund-A-Need item.
- Our Duchesne community responded with \$19,050 in donations at last year's event.
- Subsequent to the auction, a major donor contributed an additional \$25,000 toward this project.
- A few months later, that same donor pledged another \$5,000 as a challenge grant, for which we then needed to find matching donors.
- 5. Between two larger anonymous gifts, the Class of 1980's reunion gift, and several individuals' donations, an additional \$4,750 was raised and then rounded out to \$5,000 with a Boeing Company matching program gift. The \$5,000 challenge grant had been met and matched! An additional Boeing matching gift was received as well.

- Because of our Duchesne community's generous
 response, we were able to revise and increase the scope
 of this project to include moving out a wall, which will
 better accommodate the upgraded equipment.
- Once the decision to move a wall was made, an architect was hired to do drawings and specs.
- 8. After drawings were complete, the project was put out to bid.
- Bids were narrowed down to two proposals, which then had to be sent to the Archdiocesan Office of Building and Real Estate for their input.
- Next, we will select the final construction company and obtain permission from Archbishop Carlson to begin construction.

We predict an early May 2016 construction start time and hope to have the project completed before the start of our 2016-2017 school year.



2016 Fund-a-Need

Expanding Opportunity in STEM and Robotics

As part of our mission to educate each individual as a whole person in mind, body, and spirit, we strive to create the best possible learning environment for our young men and women. During the past few years, we have made significant financial outlays in areas of technology and facilities to work toward this goal. We seek to be good stewards of the funding and mission entrusted to us as we prepare our students for the challenges of the 21st century.

Last year, we kept facilities in focus and again included the "body" aspect of our mission. We asked for your assistance with the upgrading of our weight room facilities. With your help, we have begun the steps toward expanding our weight room and transforming it into an entirely different atmosphere – an all-student fitness center, designed for lifetime fitness. If you have not yet had the chance, please look on the page to the left for a progress update. Upon completion, the new all-student fitness center will be used by Duchesne students, whether it is for physical education courses, athletic training, or overall physical fitness goals.

This year, we want to focus our Fund-a-Need project on the "mind" aspect of our mission and the need for STEM and Robotics labs for programs such as our NEW Duchesne High School Scholars Academy, coming in the 2016-2017 school year. The Scholars Academy curriculum is driven by student curiosity. As students progress through the Scholars Academy, they will gain increasing control over their education. Scholars Academy students will take auxiliary courses designed to complement their core curricular learning, culminating in a senior-level capstone project of their choosing.

In order to make these programs a success for our students, we are in need of the following items for our STEM and Robotics labs. The STEM lab will be used for the sophomore year of the Scholars Academy, as well as for juniors and seniors not enrolled in the Scholars Academy that choose the STEM course as one of their electives. The Robotics lab will be used for the Robotics elective courses, in which students can enroll starting their sophomore year. These two labs combined will need to be furnished and equipped with:

STEM:

- · LCD projectors
- Apple TVs
- Tables/workstations
- · CAD software
- Desktop computers/laptops
- 3D printers

Robot C STEM software

Robotics:

- Robotic kits
- Tournament fees
- Teacher training

Mr. Fritz Long, our Principal, has spearheaded the Scholars Academy program and is very excited to see the plans come to fruition. He also implemented the Robotics elective course, which made its debut this school year, with the assistance of select faculty members. Mr. Long will be partnering with the Duchesne faculty to maximize the effect of any donation we receive for our STEM and Robotics labs. The total cost of the project is estimated at \$65,000. With your gift, you will be partnering with our faculty and students to ensure that Duchesne's tradition of an unmatched education experience continues.

Thank you for your support!



16 A MAGICAL VACATION

Grab your mouse ears and let the magic begin! You will enjoy four Walt Disney World One-Day Park Hopper tickets, which provide admission to each of the unique theme parks: the Magic Kingdom Park, Epcot, Disney's Hollywood Studios, and Disney's Animal Kingdom. The tickets are valid for two years and are subject to block-out dates. They cannot be used for admission from December 25 - 31 of any year through their expiration date.

After each fun-filled day in the Disney parks, you will have accommodations at the Westgate Lakes Villa (June 5 - June 12, 2016). Situated near Orlando's theme parks, the lakefront Westgate Lakes Resort and Spa provides all the comforts of a fully furnished home. Your three-bedroom villa is very spacious and gives families room to spread out and be comfortable. Features include a fully equipped kitchen so families will have the option to cook their own meals.

Relax and unwind on your private balcony or patio, and enjoy the convenience of a separate dining and living area, as well as washer and dryer, flat-screen TV's and Wi-Fi internet access. Guests can also enjoy seven outdoor heated pools, hot tubs, a marina and dock, and Serenity Spa.

On-site dining options include Westgate Smokehouse Grill, Pizza Hut Express, and a marketplace. Free scheduled transportation is available to Walt Disney World, Universal Orlando, and Orlando Premium Outlets.

Donor: Julie and Mark Eckstein

Walt Disney World Company

Value: A Dream Come True

17 DIAMOND AND SAPPHIRE PENDANT

Express your elegance with this stunning diamond and sapphire pendant from Walters Jewelry, donated in honor of the Class of 1966.

A .42 carat sapphire embedded in twenty-one stunning diamonds and 14k white gold will allow you to be the most radiant person in the room! This timeless pendant is dainty yet luxurious and is the perfect conversation piece. Treat yourself or someone you love to this lovely necklace!

Donor: Walters Jewelry Inc. Value: \$800

Value: \$ 650



18 "HOST WITH THE MOST": PARTY OR PICNIC AT YOUR PLACE

A host can have the most with this party or picnic package! An informal hors d'oeuvre party or picnic with your family or friends will have you up for the "Best Host" award; all you have to do is say when and where. Everything you need is provided: food, beverages, and friendly service from our auction caterer, Specialized Catering (up to \$300).

Now you can relax and enjoy your gathering with guests - this is the life! The offer is valid until April 30, 2017, at a mutually agreed upon date and time.

This packages excludes tax, labor, and delivery charges.

Donor: Specialized Catering,

Weinhardt Party Rentals

19 A "LONG" LUNCH WITH THE PRINCIPAL

A lucky Pioneer and two friends will join Principal Fritz Long for lunch at a restaurant of his or her choice before being excused from afternoon classes. Dress-down privileges make this memorable day an A+!

The lunch can be arranged on a mutually agreeable date with Mr. Long prior to the week of finals.

Donor: Fritz Long, Principal Value: Privileged Pioneer

20 ENCHANTED EVENING IN ST. LOUIS

Enjoy a night of luxury and fine dining with your one and only at the Chase Park Plaza Hotel! Along with a \$250 gift card toward a room at the Chase Park Plaza is a \$200 gift certificate to the Tenderloin Room at the Plaza, where you can indulge in the finest of feasts.

When you've had your fill, you can retire to your luxurious room for the night. Now all that's left to do is pack your bags!

Donor: Royal Ambassadors Value: \$ 350



21 RADIANT BACKYARD RENOVATION PACKAGE

Transform your backyard into your own personal paradise with this package! Licensed landscape architect Steve Hollander will provide five hours of design consultation for your dream backyard landscape. Add textural interest with 200 feet of Romanstone concrete pavers from Midwest Block and Brick.

Choose from an assortment of trees, bushes, shrubs, and flowering plants from Baxter Gardens West. No need to lift a finger—you'll also receive \$500 of labor from TJ's Lawn and Landscaping to give your new yard a professional, manicured touch.

Donor: Baxter Gardens West, Midwest Block & Brick, Value: \$ 2,000

S.J. Hollander Architects,

TJ's Lawn Service & Landscaping

22 "GO CRAZY" WITH FOUR (4) ST. LOUIS CARDINALS TICKETS

As Jack Buck used to say, "Go crazy folks, go crazy!" Cheer on your St. Louis Cardinals as they take on the Pittsburgh Pirates at 7:15 p.m. on Tuesday, July 5, 2016.

You and three guests will receive four tickets in Section 233, Row 1, Seats 1-4, along with a parking pass. Help paint the town red with your Cardinal pride this season, and make sure to get your vocals ready: BIRDS!

Donor: Copying Concepts Value: \$580

23 DO YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO ESCAPE?

Enjoy one of St. Louis' newest hotspots, "Escape the Room St. Louis," with seven of your family, friends, or coworkers! Escape the Room is a fun, interactive entertainment concept – a real life adventure game where you have to find the hidden objects, figure out the clues, and solve the puzzles to earn your freedom and "Escape the Room." They say it's the fastest 60 minutes of your life!

In addition to your gift card to Escape the Room, your group of eight will also be able to enjoy pizza at Pi Pizzeria, conveniently located up the street on Washington Avenue.

Donor: Duchesne Grandparents Value: Real Life Adventure Game



24 DHS LUNCH FOR A YEAR

You won't have to worry about making sandwiches or packing those left-overs for your Pioneer for an entire school year! This certificate, good for up to \$600, provides your son or daughter with healthy, hearty lunches throughout the 2016-2017 school year.

Donor: Food Service Consultants Value: \$ 600

25 LONG LIVE THE NOTE - LET'S GO BLUES!

Hit the ice and get ready to bleed blue with your four St. Louis Blues hockey tickets (Section 102, Row P, Seats 17-20) and parking pass! This package is valid for the 2016–2017 NHL season. Dates are to be mutually agreed upon with donor. Let's go Blues!!

Donor: Scott and Melissa Shockley Value: \$ 500

26 GET YOUR COUNTRY ON! COUNTRY MEGATICKETS FOR TWO

Break out the cowboy boots, because you can enjoy the hottest country music this summer at the Hollywood Casino Amphitheater! You will receive two lawn tickets to twelve country shows at the Amphitheater. The lineup consists of: Miranda Lambert (May 13), Keith Urban (June 3), Brantley Gilbert (June 11), Darius Rucker (June 24), Kenny Chesney (July 14), Jason Aldean (July 22), Rascal Flatts (July 28), Brad Paisley (Aug. 7), Dierks Bentley (Aug. 12), Luke Bryan (Aug. 26), Toby Keith (Sept. 10), and Florida Georgia Line (Sept. 16).

Donor: Duchesne High School Alumni Association Value: \$ 658

27 BEAT THE SUMMER HEAT PACKAGE

With the heat of the summer approaching quickly, you can bask in the sun with this fun backyard package! Lounge around in a set of two Xtremepower US Zero Gravity adjustable patio chairs, perfect for relaxing by the pool or getting your tan on in the summer sun. Enjoy your choice of cold drinks from your insulated beverage dispenser and removable ice-cone. Pour them in your new 16-piece acrylic tumbler set, keeping them close with an attachable utility tray that clips right on to your new lounge chair. You will also get the chance to spruce up your backyard using a \$150 gift card to Parkview Gardens Florist and Greenhouse. You'll be ready to go for summer and the envy of all your neighbors with this package!

Donor: Duchesne Class of 1966 Value: \$ 320



28 THE "KEY" TO CLEANLINESS: 40 HOURS OF KEY CLUB SERVICE

Are you planning some spring cleaning? Could you use help planting a garden, landscaping your yard, or completing a painting project? Let Duchesne's nationally recognized Key Club lend a hand! You will receive 40 hours of help for that project you never seem to be able to finish. Service will be done for you on a mutually agreeable date during the school year.

Donor: Duchesne Key Club, Value: At Your Service

Bob Biehle, Moderator

29 READY OR NOT, BEER WE COME!

You and your family or friends will be in for the greatest beer tasting experience in the city with this private party bus from Brewery Tours of St. Louis! Your group of 20 will be taken to four of St. Louis' world famous local breweries (Urban Chestnut, 4 Hands, etc.) in three and a half hours, giving you a chance to meet the brewers and sample copious amounts of each brewery's signature and seasonal craft brew specialty beers.

The bus will also be fully stocked with enough bottled water for your whole crew, as well as coolers on board to keep those growlers that you purchase along the way to keep ice cold! Your 20% gratuity is not included in the listed value of this package. They provide the transportation, you provide the memories – so cheers to the times you'll never remember with the people you'll never forget!

Donor: Duchesne Class of 1966 Value: \$ 700

30 CORK & RIND PRIVATE WINE TASTING CLASS

The best wines are the ones we drink with friends! You and 11 of your friends can enjoy a private wine tasting class at the new Cork & Rind Wine Shop, located conveniently in St. Charles at 555 First Capitol Drive. The topic of the class can be chosen by you, or you can leave it up to the experts at Cork & Rind.

In addition to tasting their various wines, your group will have the opportunity to taste pairings of artisan cheeses, breads, etc. – all chosen meticulously by Cork & Rind's very own wine connoisseurs! Is it wine-o-clock yet?

Donor: Cork & Rind Value: \$ 350