

Auction Items

Getaways

1. A Week in Sea Ranch

Visit beautiful Sea Ranch and stay in a fully equipped home with a view from the Redwoods. Enjoy tennis, swimming, bluff walks, and tide pools. (Four adults) Valid until 10/01/2010.

Donated by: Judy Sleeth

Value: Priceless

2. The Rosewood Hotel

At the newest hotel on Sand Hill Road, enjoy a deluxe suite for one night and a fabulous breakfast at Madera (Gratuity not included).

Donated by: Rosewood Hotels

Value: \$595

3. Monterey Plaza Hotel and Monterey Aquarium

Relax at the hotel on Cannery Row, visit the Aquarium, and enjoy a delicious dinner with your \$100 gift certificate at the Duck Club Grill. (One night for two people. Gratuity not included).

Donated by: The Monterey Plaza Hotel and Spa

Total Value: \$610

4. Bodega Bay Lodge

Enjoy a special getaway with walks on the beach and in the gardens. Stay in a deluxe room with sweeping views of the Pacific Ocean and Bodega Head.

Donated by: Bodega Bay Lodge

Value: \$250

5. Napa Valley Lodge in Yountville

Relax with deluxe accommodations in the ultimate getaway among the vineyards of Napa Valley. World class wineries and dining nearby. (One night. Sunday – Thursday).

Donated by: Napa Valley Lodge

Value: \$395

6. Garden Court Vincci Hotel in Palo Alto

Stay in the newly renovated hotel in downtown Palo Alto just steps away from great shopping and food. (One night. Friday, Saturday, or Sunday) Valid until 08/25/2010. Restrictions apply.

Donated by: Garden Court Vincci Hotel

Value: \$350

7. Westin Palo Alto Hotel

Overnight stay in a luxurious fireplace suite (Friday or Saturday Only) with breakfast for two at Restaurant Soleil.

Donated by: Westin Palo Alto Hotel

Value: \$270

Nights Out on the Town

8. Theater and Dinner for Two

Have a date night during the week. Dinner at the Duck Club Restaurant in the Stanford Park Hotel, followed by a Theatre Works Production of your choice. (Theatre Works on Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday only) (Gratuity not included)

Donated by: Theatre Works and Stanford Park Hotel *Value: \$215*

9. Ballet Theater and Dessert

Win four tickets to see the 2010 Peninsula Ballet Theater production of The Nutcracker, then enjoy dinner at the Iron Gate Restaurant in Belmont with a \$50 gift certificate. (December 11th or 12th for ballet).

Donated by: Peninsula Ballet Theater and Iron Gate *Value: \$190*

10. Youth Theater and Dinner

Attend a performance of talented youth with two tickets for the Peninsula Youth Theater in Mountain View, followed by dinner at Left Bank in Menlo Park with a \$75 gift certificate.

Donated by: Peninsula Youth Theater and Left Bank *Value: \$ 175*

11. Breakfast or Lunch

Visit a Silicon Valley icon where many start-ups had their genesis - Buck's on Woodside Road in charming Woodside. Use this \$70 gift certificate and soak up the atmosphere.

Donated by: Buck's of Woodside *Value: \$70*

12. Family Favorites

Treat your family or friends to casual meals out on the town: a family sized pasta dinner from Amici's; and breakfast, lunch or dinner at Hobee's and Cafe Borrone (Gratuity not included).

Donated by: Amici's, Hobee's and Cafe Borrone *Value: \$85*

13. Breakfast on the Town

Make your morning special with a quick trip to Menlo Park to pick up your morning treats...a pound of Peet's Coffee and bagels from Posh Bagel. Enjoy your delicious coffee in two Art in Action mugs.

Donated by: Peet's Coffee, Posh Bagel, and Art in Action *Value: \$60*

"I like the way your mind is free in art. You can be as creative as you want. I also like learning about the artists."

- Jordan (4th grade)

Beauty and Wellness

14. Free Rounds of Golf

Plan a golf outing to the Emerald Hills Golf Course for two foursomes. The nine hole course has great views of the Bay Area and plenty of fresh air.

Donated by: Redwood City Elks Club Lodge 1991

Value: \$120

15. A Mani-Pedi and then a Massage in your Home

Enjoy a relaxing deep tissue massage with certified masseuse, Beth O'Boyle, and a manicure and pedicure at Cindy's Nail Salon.

Donated by: Beth O'Boyle NCMT and Cindy's Nail Spa

Value: \$150

16. Prepare for your Audition on Dancing with the Stars

Polish up your ballroom dance skills with 4 private lessons, 2 group classes, and 2 dance parties at Arthur Murray's Dance Studio in Redwood City. Just bring your dancing shoes.

Donated by: Arthur Murray Dance Studio

Value: \$556

17. Remember that New Year's Resolution?

Now's the time to get an individual fitness membership for a year at the Pacific Athletic Club (monthly dues not included).

Donated by: Pacific Athletic Club

Value: \$1300

18. An Amazing Gift Basket

Treat yourself to cologne, shower gel, bath oil, body cream, and a grapefruit-scented candle with this gift basket from Jo Malone at Neiman Marcus.

Donated by: Jo Malone

Value: \$350

19. Pamper Yourself

Get your hands and feet ready for spring with a manicure and pedicure at Natalie's. Keep them soft with Lily-of-the-Valley scented products in a vanity case from Crabtree & Evelyn.

Donated by: Judy Sleeth and Natalie's Salon

Value: \$115

20. Treat Yourself to a Manicure

Pamper your self with a manicure at Natalie's Salon. Seven lucky winners will each receive a gift certificate worth \$15.

Donated by: Natalie's Salon

Value: \$15 each

Ready Made Parties

21. Picnic with Friends

Invite your guests to share a picnic of 100 finger sandwiches from Lutticken's and Iced Tea from Starbucks.

Donated by: Lutticken's and Starbucks

Value: \$50

22. Leave the Barbecuing to the Firefighters

Tired of standing at the grill while your guests are having fun? The San Mateo Firefighters will make your next BBQ on their special mobile grill. They provide meat for up to 8 people. Valid until 03/09/2011.

Donated by: San Mateo Firefighters Association

Value: Priceless

23. Wine and Cheese Pairing Party

Treat yourself and up to 11 friends to a visit to Domenico Wines in San Carlos. Learn how to pair superb wines with cheese.

Donated by: Domenico Wines

Value: \$300

24. Your Kids Will Love It!

Make your child's next birthday an artistic one at Color Me Mine, where they know about the art of having fun. Party for 8 with a \$25/child package. You just bring the cake.

Donated by: Color Me Mine

Value: \$200

25. Beads, Beads, Beads

Be the best mom on the block. Take three girls ages 7-16 to Beth Fishback's B's Beads and Baubles in Menlo Park. Package includes all beading material and instruction. Valid until 6/30/2010.

Donated by: Beth Fishback

Value: \$100

Expand Your Horizons

26. See Creativity in Motion!

Be inspired by this special one-hour guided tour for 6 people at IDEO in Palo Alto. Discover the IDEO innovation process and the famous creativity model at one of "America's Most Innovative Companies."

Donated by: IDEO

Value: \$250

27. A Rainy Day Treat

Take your family (up to 4 members) to visit the hands-on Children's Discovery Museum in San Jose. Here's a place where you can test, crank, listen, prod, and tinker.

Donated by: Children's Discovery Museum

Value: \$40

28. A Year's Dual/Family Membership

Come to the San Jose Museum of Art with a year's membership, including invitations to exhibition openings, members' only programs and events, and a newsletter subscription. See the Wayne Thiebaud exhibit this spring.

Donated by: San Jose Museum of Art

Value: \$75

29. Get in Touch with your Inner Geek

Become a member of the Tech Museum of Innovation and view 250 interactive exhibits and periodic free IMAX screenings.

Donated by: Tech Museum of Innovation

Value: \$80

30. Choose Your Art Experience

Experience a day of art with four VIP passes to either the de Young or the Legion of Honor in San Francisco. Enjoy the sweep of the view at the Legion or the modern architecture at the de Young.

Donated by: Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco

Value: \$40

31. A Walk Through the Park

Visit Filoli Gardens with a friend to see the exquisite gardens and tour the historic mansion (2 tickets).

Donated by: Filoli

Value: \$40

32. Experience the Far East Close to Home

See the amazing Asian Art Museum in San Francisco. The collection includes art from China, India, Japan, Indonesia, and other Eastern/Asian cultures. Two guest passes valid until 3/31/2011.

Donated by: Asian Art Museum

Value: \$34

33. Three-in-One

Enter a world with a living roof, planetarium, and aquarium. The California Academy of Sciences is an experience you and your three guests won't forget.

Donated by: California Academy of Sciences

Value: \$100

34. Private Tour with Lunch

Discover the methods and creative genius of a world-famous artist when you visit sculptor Bruce Beasley's studio and sculpture garden, followed by a light lunch for you and 4 to 8 of your art-loving friends. Valid until 08/01/2010.

Donated by: Bruce Beasley

Value: \$250

35. Saturday Afternoon with Judy Sleeth

Learn the secrets of the Cantor Arts Center at Stanford University in a private tour with nine of your friends, followed by wine and cheese in the sculpture garden. Valid until 10/01/2010.

Donated by: Judy Sleeth

Value: \$100



36. See the Boys of Summer

Enjoy an Oakland A's baseball game with two plaza outfield tickets. (Restrictions: opening night, fire works nights, games against the Giants, Red Sox, and Yankees.) Valid until 08/31/2010.

Donated by: Oakland Athletics

Value: \$36

37. Memorabilia

What a treasure....a football signed by former Ohio State star corner back – 49ers Nate Clements, #22. Sure to become a collector's item.

Donated by: San Francisco 49ers

Value: \$100

38. Beach and Trail Ride

You and a companion will experience a 1½ hour trail and beach horseback ride on picturesque San Mateo County coastal equestrian trail and beach. Enjoy the sounds and sights of our beautiful coastline from the saddle.

Donated by: Sea Horse Ranch

Value: \$180

39. Gift Basket

Share a bottle of 2007 Chardonnay from Monterey with a friend and be newly inspired with the voices and music of four talented women- Sarah Brightman, Chantal Chamady, Charlotte Church, and Alice Coltran. A relaxing experience...

Donated by: Peninsula Arts Council

Value: \$75

40. Community Theatre at its Best

Two tickets to the Hillbarn Theatre in Foster City for either the Subscription Celebration nights (March 11 – March 24) or the production of Gypsy (May 6 – 30).

Donated by: Hillbarn Theatre

Value: \$68

41. Kids' Delight

Plan a kid-friendly day or two. Four may play mini golf at Malibu Castle in Redwood City and visit the Happy Hollow Zoo and Park in San Jose with 4 general admission passes.

Donated by: Malibu Castle and Happy Hollow

Value: \$96

42. Journeys: The Art of Dinah Cross James

Be inspired by this beautiful book with the artwork of Bay Area artists, Dinah Cross James. 10 books available.

Donated by: Dinah James Cross

Value: \$65 each

43. Pinot Noir

Enjoy sipping a glass of 2007 Dundee Hills Pinot Noir with your friends at your next dinner party. (6 bottles)

Donated by: Linda and John Carter

Value: \$354

44. Pinot Noir

Enjoy sipping a glass of 2007 Rambouillet Vineyard Pinot Noir with your friends at your next dinner party. (6 bottles)

Donated by: Linda and John Carter

Value: \$450

45. Wine Basket

Enjoy an assortment of wines chosen specially by the Art in Action Board. (12 bottles)

Donated by: Art in Action Executive Board

Value: \$180

Artistic Creations

46. Original Encaustic Painting

This beautiful encaustic painting uses a medium of painting and layering with molten, pigmented wax, a process which dates back to the Greeks and Egyptians.

Donated by: Judy Vartan

Value: \$500

47. Oil Painting

“First Spring Roses” Still Life with roses and fruit. 12”x12” on board.

Donated by: Melinda Cootsona

Value: \$650

48. Pair of Watercolors

These framed and mounted post cards were sent from Jim’s Peace Corps Reunion in Patzcuaro, Mexico.

Donated by: Jim Garrison

Value: \$50

49. Landscape Oil

This oil painting shows Windy Hill during the fall when the colors were bright and the air was crisp. 12”x16” on wood panel.

Donated by: Kim Holl

Value: \$325

50. Watercolor Landscape

The beautiful watercolor painting will add charm to any room.

Donated by: Kathleen Christman

Value: \$500

51. Landscape Oil

Capture the mood of the California lifestyle with “Palo Alto Afternoon”. 8”x10” framed.

Donated by: Alice Weil

Value: \$400

52. California Impressionist Oil

Be inspired by this original oil painting in the Impressionist style, framed in gold.

Donated by: Patricia Jones

Value: \$400

53. Photos on Canvas

Bring back memories of your trip to Mexico with this framed photograph, "Doors in San Miguel De Allende."

Donated by: Ed Canty

Value: \$150

54. Photos on Canvas

Get in the vacation mood with this framed photograph, "Lily Pads - Honolulu, Hawaii."

Donated by: Ed Canty

Value: \$150

55. Professional Photography Session with Framing

Personify will provide a one hour session for baby, pregnancy, children, or family photos. Use your \$100 gift certificate from Allegro Framing to display your chosen photo.

Donated by: Personify and Allegro Framing

Value: \$600

56-57-58. Family Portraits

Three gift certificates for a family sitting and one 8" x 10" portrait.

Donated by: Teresa Halton Photography

Value: \$375 each

59. Original Water Color

Brighten a room with this beautifully colored cityscape painted by local artist Rose Neiponice, inspired by Marc Chagall.

Donated by: Mara Grimes

Value: \$250

60. Framed Still Life Print

Early 20th century lithograph of a fruit bowl.

Donated by: Mark Gallagher & Kathleen Cattani

Value: \$350

61. Gouache On Paper

Delight in the colors and arabesques of "Samarkand Carnation (Red)," by local artist Liz Hager.

Donated by: Liz Hager

Value: \$125

62. Mixed Media on Canvas

Feel the city rhythms in this abstract cityscape, by local artist Shelley Burns.

Donated by: Shelley Burns

Value: \$200

63. Jewelry by Lisa

Complement your spring outfit with a beautiful handmade set of freshwater pearls, Swarovski crystals, and sterling silver wire, in an 18" sterling silver necklace, earrings, and bracelet.

Donated by: Lisa Tsuruoka

Value: \$50

64. Jewelry by Silpada Designs

The perfect evening jewelry, this bracelet of seven strands of white freshwater pearls and sterling silver beads will brighten your next evening out.

Donated by: Debra Brandt, Silpada Representative

Value: \$60