



Silent Auction

CALLING ALL TEAM MEMBERS

SILENT AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED

Hello all team members,

It is that time to start thinking about baskets and silent auction items again. We are in need of Silent Auction Items to make the Golf Tournament a huge success. There are a few ways to contribute to this event.

Team Baskets – Every year each level donates a themed basket to the Golf Tournament. In the last tournament we had an array of themes including a sports basket, spa basket, restaurant basket, movie basket, golf basket, Jagermeister basket, Wine Basket, just to name a few. Team mom's will be in touch with the details on this event. Items donated to the team basket are not part of fundraising credits. Team moms will collect this money during the summer once the new teams are finalized.

Create your own basket – Have some never opened items sitting around your house that you haven't had the opportunity to re-gift yet? Well, here is your opportunity. Put that unwanted gift in a basket with some other similar-themed items and you have a silent auction item that can raise money towards your fundraising goal for 2013-14.

Individual Members donating items or getting items donated for the silent auction – Each year we have generous donations from our team members that we auction off. Items donated in the past have included a spa weekend, hotel stays, week rental of a vacation property, Professional Services (ie, dog care, swim lessons,) to name a few. We have also had team members solicit businesses for goods. In past years we had golf clubs donated by PUMA, Woodward donated a week at camp, and the Bowie Baysox gave us tickets. All donations were brought in by team members. It was an amazing array of items.

Team members who donate "individual items" (any item that can sit on its own) for the silent auction, will receive 50% of the final auction amount towards fundraising. Smaller items that cannot stand on their own, will be combined with other items or used for raffle and may only result in points for the team parent.

If you donate an individual item, please supply your name, gymnast's name and level, value of item, description of the item and MINIMUM bid (if you would like your item to be sold for at least a certain amount). Any item that is donated with a minimum bid request will be returned if minimum bid is not received.

You may also donate smaller items that can be combined with other small items to be made into one larger silent auction item. These donations (gift cards, dinners for two, golf balls, etc...) are worth points based on their value. Need points? This is the easiest way to accumulate them quickly.

This year, Mark Boyle will be collecting the silent auction items. Please contact Mark Boyle, Golf Co chair at 410-757-8584, markboyle06@verizon.net, mark.a.boyle@navy.mil or Steve Pimpo, Golf Chair, at sjpimpo@comcast.net. Please have your donations available to Mark by September 10th to be included in the signage.