

Save the Date!

Springer Auction March 23, 2013 6:30 p.m.- 10:30 p.m.

You're invited to the Annual Springer Auction.

This is more than just an auction. This is an opportunity to join your fellow Springer parents for an evening of fun and fundraising benefiting our very own Springer School. You'll eat, you'll drink, you'll bid and, most importantly, you'll have a great time.

Here is our recommended "to-do" list for the holiday break:

1. Save the Date - mark your calendars!
2. Secure your babysitter
3. Consider hosting a party*
4. Consider donating an item**

***Host a party? Who, me? Yes, you ... and your friends.** Springer parties earn nearly half of all the funds raised during the auction, almost \$40,000 last year! That's our tech budget for an entire school year! Our goal is to have *at least* one student party and one parent party for each grade level. Snag one of these or dream up one of your own.

Movie Party - Host in the multi or your home

Game Party - Scrabble, Cards, Bunco, Euchre

Pool Party - The kind with beach balls or with an 8 ball

Theme Party - '80s movie, cult movie, murder mystery, Survivor, American Idol, Star Wars

Almost Campout - Host in your backyard, in a park, or at a campground

Dinner or Cultural Party - Progressive dinner, BBQ, Regional, or Ethnic Cuisine

Wine or Beer Tasting - Share your expertise or passion

Back to School Party - Host your classmates and get ready for school

Sports Tourney - Basketball, Tennis, Volleyball, Flag Football

****What could I possibly have to donate?** Maybe...

Wine - Single bottles, large format, vertical tasting, or a case of your favorite wine

Sports Tickets - Baseball, basketball, soccer, hockey

Vacation Spot - Vacation homes, rentals, timeshares

Work Connections - Does your company offer a product or service they would consider donating?

Share Your Talent - Host a lesson or offer your services: cooking, gardening, scrapbooking, landscaping, music, sports, organizing

Monetary Donation/Underwriting - Underwrite a portion of the auction expenses or ask us how to make your donation go the farthest

Unique Experience - Visit to an iconic workplace, ride in an unusual vehicle, meeting with a notable person

Have questions? Want to float an idea? Email Renee & Wen at springerauction@gmail.com