

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

SJA Auction 2023/2024

Where does the money raised go?

All proceeds from the auction go to the operation costs of the school, unless otherwise specified. For example, fund an item or corporate matching go to predesignated items like tuition assistance, school safety upgrades, new gym floor, etc.

Who coordinates the auction?

The auction chair, co-chair, and the school administration coordinate all aspects of the SJA auction.

How can I help?

Volunteering!! We need volunteers to help with raffle, the events leading up to the premier auction and the live auction, and the night of the auction. There are lots of auction volunteer positions. Sign up using the SJA Volunteer Sign up page.

We also need donations! Procurement is a REALLY important part to having a successful auction.

What is my responsibility as a parent?

Each family is required to procure \$500 worth of items, cash, advertising and/or matching funds for the annual auction.

What should I donate?

Try to think of things that would interest you! Big or small, generally smaller items are grouped together, or grouped with larger items. We only ask that items donated are new and unused. Alcohol and local trips (beach houses, brewery tours, etc) always sell really well, but check out our procurement wishlist for more ideas! Sporting tickets also tend to sell really well!

What is the Premier Auction and how does it differ from the LIVE virtual auction?

The premier auction is a smaller scale version of the auction, and this year it will be held online prior to the LIVE (in-person) auction (similar to last year). This year we will have some of our items in the premier auction and some items available to bid on during the in-person LIVE auction. The silent auction will start on November 12th, 2023 and end on Friday, November 17th, 2023.

How can I attend this years auction?

Tickets will be available for purchase in the fall during the school year. Tickets are \$75 a person. This year, we are holding the auction at the Abernethy Center in Oregon City. The SJA auction is an adult only event, and cocktail attire is recommended.

How do I ensure that I get credit for my Procurement?

Make sure you completely and clearly fill out the procurement form and include it when dropping off your items. **The procurement deadline is Friday, Nov. 3rd, 2023.** All items turned in after Friday, November 3rd will not be counted towards your required procurement totals.

Have a question? Let us know!
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