



Spring Fling 2012

St. Hubert School

The purpose of the Spring Fling is to help St. Hubert School meet its funding needs while providing an evening of Hospitality, Community and Entertainment for the parents and friends of St. Hubert School.

For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them. ~Matthew 18:20

Spring Fling Team

Spring Fling Director Terry Schabel

Auction Team

Live Auction	<u>Opportunity Available</u>
Silent Auction	Debbie Medeiros Elizabeth Treat
Business Solicitations	Nicole Muschewske
Giving Parties	Brie Blahauveitz Shelly Manning
Auction Data Entry	Lora Hicks
Communication	Maureen Grazzini Shelly Manning
Technology	Paul Hill
Auction Booklet	Bruce Kraft

Event Team

Decorations & Catering	Leslie Loehrer Meghean Shea Cara Galioto
Invitations/RSVP	Karen Menzuber
Registration & Checkout	Rob Schlegel Heather Schlegel
Games	<u>Opportunity Available</u>
Flower Pots	Leslie Cadle

Live Auction and Games Coordinator opportunities are still available. Please Contact Terry Schabel if interested at terry.schabel@sthubert.org or 952-934-6003

Diner en Blanc

Plans are underway for this year's biggest event at St. Hubert School - Spring Fling! An evening of friends, generosity, thanksgiving and...

White

White lights, white linens, white candles and guests in white attire...*Diner en Blanc*.

Our Spring Fling event, *Diner en Blanc* is fashioned after the 23 year old French tradition of an elegant white dinner gathering. The French tradition is a glamorous outdoor picnic. Our *Diner en Blanc* will be our dinner gathering and fundraising tradition "dressed" all in white.

The format for the "white evening":

- ◆ Silent auction / Social hour
- ◆ French inspired strolling Dinner by Biaggi's Ristorante
- ◆ Sit down dessert / Live Auction

We look forward to a casual, yet elegant evening of fun with friends, while supporting the education of our most valuable assets...our children.

What Should I wear to "Diner en Blanc"?

The original "Diner en Blanc" began as a reunion of 100 people. They all wore white in order to recognize each other. Since then it has evolved into large picnics with thousands of people dressed in white. In keeping with the theme, we encourage people to wear white...all white or just a white shirt. Dress as fancy or casual as you feel comfortable, but the evening will lend itself to a feel of a formal old fashioned picnic.

To learn more about the original "diner en blanc", please google "diner en blanc paris". The articles and photos will give you a vision and feel for the night.

Save the Date!

Friday, April 20th, 2012 - 6:00 p.m.

How Can I Help? How Can I Be Involved? What Can I Do?

Business Solicitations

Businesses and establishments patronized by St. Hubert families and friends donate many of our most popular items each year. If you know of any businesses whom you would like to see participate or would be a good addition, please let us know and we will contact them.

Solicitation Volunteers

The Business Solicitation Committee is in need of volunteers to assist after the initial Spring Fling Solicitation letter is sent.

Duties would include:

- Follow-up contact after initial Spring Fling Solicitation letter to about 10-15 businesses.
- Tracking, follow-up, and collection/delivery of donated items (if needed).

Please contact: Nicole Muschewske at (952) 401-4665 or Terry Schabel at (952) 934-6003

Class Giving Parties

Giving Parties are an *integral* part of the Live Auction and the overall success of the Spring Fling.

Giving Parties are also a great way for parents to come together to meet and socialize while contributing ideas and pooling resources toward a significant donation.

Giving Parties need not be expensive or elaborate and can be tailored to fit your time and talent...over coffee, during happy hour, at hospitality after mass, or an in-home gathering.

If you would be willing to host or coordinate a Class Giving Party or Class Donation, **Please contact: Brie Blahauvietz at (952) 960-4903 or Terry Schabel at (952) 934-6003.**

Ideas, resources, hands-on support, along with a detailed Host Packet are provided.

Event Sponsorships

Business and Corporate Event Sponsorship is a great opportunity to advertise your company in our Auction Booklet, which is seen by over 4,500 families in our School/Parish .

We are offering 4 levels of Sponsorship:

- ◇ **Diamond Level:** \$1,500+ includes a full page ad, two tickets to the 2012 Spring Fling, Diamond level recognition in the auction booklet, name prominently displayed at event.
- ◇ **Sapphire Level:** \$500-1,499 includes a full page ad and Sapphire level recognition in the auction booklet.
- ◇ **Pearl Level:** \$250-499 includes a half page ad and Pearl level recognition in the auction booklet.
- ◇ **Opal Level:** \$100-249 includes a business card size ad and Opal level recognition in the auction booklet.

Please contact: Terry Schabel at terry.schabel@sthubert.org or (952) 934-6003

How Do I Donate?

Secure your donation and complete the attached donation form. Extra forms will be available in the office and on Sycamore.

Submit your donation with the form attached to the office by Friday, March 2nd. Donations received by this date will be included in our Auction Booklet; after this date they will be included in our addendum.

Please submit form and donation together

What Can I Donate?

Given the Spring Fling is one of St. Hubert's largest fundraising event, we ask our families to prayerfully consider supporting the event. Our success is the result of the generosity of our community. **Some ideas to consider:**

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| *Event Tickets | *Theme Baskets |
| *Unique Experiences | *Lessons |
| *Autograph Memorabilia | *Electronics |
| *Home Goods/Services | *Get-A-Ways |
| *Health & Well-being | *Cash |
| *Group/Social Gatherings & Parties | |

Please check Sycamore for a complete list of ideas

Flower Pots

Help create one-of-a kind works of art for the Silent Auction by assisting your child's class in decorating a fabulous pot! ***Flower pots and ideas provided...***you just facilitate! **Please contact: Leslie Cadle at lcadle@msn.com or 952-403-7770.**