

Delaware Christian School Athletics Boosters



Auction Madness...Let the Fun Begin!

Saturday, March 22, 2014 • 4:30-9:00 p.m.

DCS Gymnasium

Free Childcare Available (pre-registration required)

Tickets: \$12 each or a reserved table of 8 for \$80 • Available beginning February 1, 2014

Dear Parents,

Plans for the DCS Athletic Booster's 17th annual auction are underway! This is the Booster's largest fundraiser, averaging over \$20,000 each year which is used to support our athletic programs. Without the Boosters, participation in athletics would be much more expensive for DCS students.

A successful auction requires two components: quality items to bid on, and many people willing to bid! The Boosters are doing our best to attract bidders. In order to keep ticket prices low, we are moving the auction back to the school and having a more casual dinner. Please plan now to attend and bring your friends!

We need your help to provide quality items to bid on! Each of you have family or friends who own businesses, and you patronize other businesses on a regular basis. You have connections that no one else has.

Here's the deal: We are asking every athlete to get at least 2 donations for this year's auction. If there are multiple siblings involved, we are requesting they each get at least 1 donation. More are welcome!

Qualifying Donations:

- Items (new items only - baked goods items do not qualify unless pie a month, etc.)
- Gift Certificates/Gift Cards
- A Service - we can print a certificate
- Sponsorship - see donation form - good advertising opportunity

Possible Donors:

- Physician, Accountant, Attorney
- Mechanic
- Fitness Center
- Favorite Restaurant
- Your Family

Class Incentives (7-12):

- Any class with 100% participation of its athletes will be awarded a jeans & hoodie day.
- Class with the highest average donation value per athlete will get a pizza party - value will be based on what items actually sell for at the auction.

Contest Dates: To qualify for the class incentive, all donation forms (and preferably donations) must be turned in to the school office by **Friday, December 20**. Additional forms are available in the office or can be downloaded online at dcschool.org/auction.

Questions: Contact Brenda Cooper at cooper5b@msn.com or 740-815-5741.

We know that none of us enjoys asking for donations, but our kids have benefited greatly from the work that previous Boosters have done. It is our turn to help support our athletic programs which in turn help to shape the character of our children and future athletes at DCS.

See back for additional instructions

Auction Donation Form Instructions

1. Present letter and form to prospective donor
2. If donor agrees to donate, have them complete form (or complete it for them if you are contacting them by phone.)
 - Certificates:** Note any expiration dates or other restrictions such as "one per customer" or "valid only Monday-Friday."
 - Items/Certificates:** Collect donation if possible. If not, be sure to include pick-up instructions.
 - Corporate Sponsors:** Select level of sponsorship and payment method. Booster will contact sponsor regarding advertisement.
 - Get donor signature, date, DCS representative and/or student rep signature including grade of student.
 - If you collect the donation or payment is made, check *Donation/Payment received* box.
3. Receipts will be mailed in January if donation is received by Dec. 31, and in April if received after Jan. 1. If donor would like a copy of donation form, please copy and provide one if possible. If not, note at the bottom of the form that donor would like a copy mailed.
4. Turn all forms and donations in to DCS office. Place in Auction mailbox if possible.

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