

Gallatin Valley Newcomers Club 2018 CHARITY AUCTION

Gallatin Valley Newcomers Club enjoys a well-deserved reputation for charitable giving within our community - - over \$95,000 from the last 5 years' auctions alone. Thank you to all our members and the community businesses who make this possible.

This year our chosen beneficiaries are Eagle Mount (www.eaglemount.org) and Adopt A Sox (www.adoptasox.org). These deserving organizations benefit greatly from your contributions of time and treasure.



DATE: December 6th.
Doors open at 10:00,
Riverside Country Club

ITEM DROP OFF: by
November 13th coffee

Silent Auction Item

Suggestions:

- o Gift Certificates / Cards
- o Spa Treatments
- o Jewelry

Live Auction Item Suggestions:

- o Experiences (fly fishing lessons, symphony tickets)
- o Getaways
- o Themed Baskets (movie night, baking supplies)
- o Hosted Dinners

Please remember that items should be new or truly one of a kind, something that will be cherished by a Newcomer friend. (Any items that fail to have a bid will be donated to goodwill immediately after the auction.) Also, think about donations from businesses that you frequent! (Please coordinate these through me so that we don't over-ask our business friends for donations.)

DROP OFF LOCATIONS: – Jamie Chu's office (Coldwell Banker – 2621 W College) or Katie Pederson's office (Edward Jones – 1010 E Main)

SAME FUN! – NEW APPROACH

This year our bidding will be done on our SmartPhones. There will be demonstrations at the Oct & Nov coffees as well as the Nov lunch.



Don't panic - we will have a team with iPads to enter your bids if don't have a phone / aren't comfortable with this new way to bid.

Wanted: volunteers to be armed with their I Pad to help bidders on auction day.

Sign up with Nancy Planalp, Bake Sale chair, by Nov 13th.
nancyplanalp54@gmail.com Baked goods delivered to Riverside CC by 9am the morning of the auction.



Members are asked to bring a bottle of wine for the auction to the October or November luncheons or coffees.

We would appreciate some bottles of wine with a retail value of \$15 as well as some special (higher valued) wines. These will be grouped for a blind opportunity to take home a nice bottle of wine, with a few lucky winners garnering the higher valued selections.



Each Interest Group is requested to create a themed basket for the silent auction



Reserve Your Table - No need to arrive early to scramble for a table. Simply reserve your table now. \$100 donation to reserve a table of 9 (in addition to luncheon ticket). Checks made out to GVNC.



You have peace of mind and raise money for our charities.

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Please contact me with any questions you may have, and thank you!

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