



# ***CAN YOU HELP -- YES!***

## ***St. James Spring Auction & Social April 28th, 2012***

The Spring Auction is one of St. James School's top fundraisers. It is an elegant and very entertaining evening for adults. Each year, with the help and support of parents and parishioners, this event assists in keeping Catholic education viable for area families while providing a memorable experience for all who attend. We hope to see you at the Auction, please consider supporting this event with your sponsorship or your presence – both are greatly appreciated!

### **We want you to know how you can help...**

1. Advertise or solicit ads for our event program using the form on the reverse side.
2. Consider making a donation or asking a friend, family member, or employer for an item or service donation. **Donations are tax deductible.** Examples of previous year's items include:

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|---------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| ❖ Sporting event tickets              | ❖ Theater tickets      | ❖ Salon services/products     |
| ❖ Time share weeks                    | ❖ Paintings            | ❖ Wills, legal services       |
| ❖ Weekend getaways at a vacation home | ❖ Quilts               | ❖ Financial planning services |
| ❖ Jewelry                             | ❖ Longaberger baskets  | ❖ Music lessons               |
| ❖ Paving services                     | ❖ Landscaping services | ❖ iPods                       |
| ❖ Boat and fishing outings            | ❖ Sports memorabilia   | ❖ Architectural services      |
| ❖ Golf outings                        | ❖ Handyman services    | ❖ Exercise classes            |
| ❖ Restaurant gift certificates        | ❖ Ski packages         | ❖ Autographed books           |
|                                       | ❖ Handbags             | ❖ Photography sittings        |
|                                       | ❖ Spa certificates     |                               |

*Cash donations are also welcome and will be honored with advertising space in the Auction Booklet!*

3. Do you work for a corporation that provides donations or do you own a business or have a friend or family member who owns a business? If so, please consider being a Corporate Sponsor or soliciting one on our behalf.
4. Join us! Please save the date and attend this very enjoyable evening of good food, good company and good fun. Tables of 8-10 can be reserved. Tickets will be for sale soon.

***DONATIONS MUST BE MADE/RECEIVED BY APRIL 1st, 2012.*** The auction will be held on April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2012 at the McClinch Family Center at St. Catherine of Siena Parish in Trumbull, CT. See the other side for sponsorship details. Please return the form to St. James School, 1 Monument Place, Stratford CT, 06615. Questions, ideas or suggestions may be directed to the office at (203) 375-5994 or e-mailed directly to the committee at [auction.sjschool@gmail.com](mailto:auction.sjschool@gmail.com).

# WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT NOW!

## Sponsor Donation Form



### Saint James School

One Monument Place, Stratford, CT 06615 203-375-5994

## SPRING AUCTION APRIL 28<sup>TH</sup> 2012

Name as it should appear in the Catalog: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

### Corporate Sponsor Categories:

- Platinum - \$500 and over**
  - \* Acknowledgement in auction catalog.
  - \* Full-page advertisement in auction catalog (approx 5x8).
  - \* Two complimentary tickets to the auction.
  - \* Acknowledgement announcement and placard at auction.
  
- Gold - \$250**
  - \* Acknowledgement in auction catalog.
  - \* Full-page advertisement in auction catalog (approx 5x8).
  - \* Acknowledgement placard at auction.
  
- Silver - \$150**
  - \* Acknowledgement in auction catalog.
  - \* ¾ page advertisement in auction catalog (approx 5x6).
  
- Bronze - \$75**
  - \* Acknowledgement in auction catalog.
  - \* ½ page advertisement in auction catalog (approx 5x4).
  
- Friend of St. James - \$50**
  - \* Acknowledgement in auction catalog.
  - \* Business card advertisement in auction catalog (approx 2x4).
  
- Other** – I would prefer to make a donation of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to help underwrite auction expenses.

**Donations are tax deductible.** Saint James is a non-profit organization. Tax exempt #20-3938995.

**Artwork:** Please provide via email (pdf or jpg format) or attach business card/artwork. Email to [auction.sjschool@gmail.com](mailto:auction.sjschool@gmail.com). Location of the acknowledgement and advertisement in the catalog is at the discretion of the auction staff.

**Deadline Date: April 16<sup>TH</sup>, 2012.** Please make checks payable to: **Saint James School.**

Total Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_