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March/April 2007

## TOMORROW'S STARS

FORCEY CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS  
AUCTION 2007

“...Shine like stars  
in the universe as  
you hold out the  
Word of Life.”

*Philippians 2:15b, 16*



### Forcey Christian Schools Auction

May 6, 2007

Silent Auction: 3:00 p.m.

Dinner: 6:00 p.m.

Live Auction: 7:00 p.m.

Location: Marriott Inn and  
Conference Center,  
University of Maryland,  
University College

## Countdown to May 6<sup>th</sup>

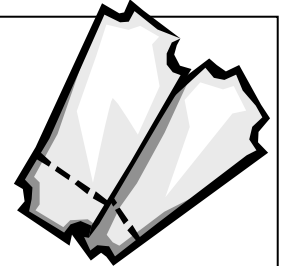
Our students still need your support. The Forcey Christian Schools Auction is less than 2 months away! Now is the time to buy your **tickets**, send in your **donated items**, and/or place your **special message or business ad** in the Auction catalog.

### Don't Miss These Important Deadlines!

#### TICKETS

#### Hurry! Purchase deadline is April 20<sup>th</sup>

Good News! Tickets to the Auction will remain at the early-bird price of **\$65 per person**.



Remember if you purchase a ticket and attend the Auction you have a **chance to win the \$5,000 tuition voucher**.

#### Ways to Purchase:

- Come to the Church foyer, **March 19-23**, during morning drop-off and afternoon pickup
- Download the ticket form from [www.forceyschoolsauction.org](http://www.forceyschoolsauction.org)
- Visit the **school office** for forms.

#### CATALOG ADS

#### Hurry! Ad placement deadline is March 30<sup>th</sup>

A great way to show your support with special messages and business ads!

Full Page \$100	1/2 Page \$50
	1/4 Page \$25

- **Parents and grandparents** send a loving message to your children and grandchildren.
- **Students** send a friendly note to your teachers and friends.
- **Business owners** advertise your products or services.

We can create the ad for you or you can create it. Send us your photos, camera-ready artwork and/or digital files.

#### Steps to Place Your Ad:

1. Pick up an advertising form in the school office or download from [www.forceyschoolsauction.org](http://www.forceyschoolsauction.org)
2. Complete the form and make a copy for your records.
3. Place your payment and form along with your photos, artwork, or digital file in the Auction box located in the school office.

Note: The Auction catalog will be distributed 1-2 weeks prior to the event.

# DONATED ITEMS

**Hurry! Item donation deadline is March 30<sup>th</sup>**

## Frequently Asked Questions

### **Do I have to stick with the suggested donation ideas?**

No!!! What we are looking for are new (unused) items, services, artwork etc.

### **Where do I get auction items?**

Auction items can be purchased personally or solicited from friends, family-owned businesses, your employer, stores you frequent, restaurants, spas, salons...the list is endless!

### **How important is the Auction Donation form?**

The forms are very important!!! Please complete the ENTIRE form and be sure to include a detailed description of your donation, as it is vital to the auction catalog entry—we want to present your donation in the best possible way. The information is used for inventory, the auction catalog and for tax receipt purposes.

### **What about gift certificates?**

Certificates are great. If the donor does not have an official gift certificate, create a certificate for them. Simply fill out the donation form with all of the relevant information.

### **Do I get a tax receipt?**

Forcey Christian Schools are a 401c3 entity. Please make a copy of your donation form to serve as your receipt before submitting your form.

### **Where do I drop off the donations and the forms?**

Your donation along with the form may be dropped off at either school office, or send an email to [donations@forceyschoolsauction.org](mailto:donations@forceyschoolsauction.org) to make special arrangements as necessary.



**We have received some fabulous donations!**

NFL Football Autographed by Jack Kemp  
Autographed David Beckham and Ronaldo Soccer Jerseys  
Family Passes to Chuck E. Cheese's  
FCS Principal for One Hour  
Let's Dish Certificate  
Admission to Upward Basketball Camp  
1 Month Curves Membership  
Night at the Movies with FCS 3rd Grade Teachers  
One-on-one Basketball with FCMS Principal  
FCS Physical Education teacher for the afternoon  
And much, much more!

**Don't miss your chance to bid on these and other great items featured on the Auction catalog sample page attached to this newsletter.**

## Auction Update

**A great big THANK YOU to all who donated money to the Change Makes Cents program. Our students raised \$3800! This enables all of our teachers to attend the event for free! At FCS, the 3rd grade won no homework for a week and Ms. Friedman's and Ms. Wertz's classes won a pizza party for bringing in the most money. At FCMS, Mr. Wellman's and Mrs. Moraz's homerooms each won 3 homework passes for bringing in the most money. Congratulations!"**



## **Congratulations to the winners of our FCMS Catalog Cover Contest!**

Amanda Feagans' artwork will be featured on the cover of our auction catalog, and Callie Vislay's artwork will be used as a divider. Both girls received \$25 gift certificates to the store of their choice as a reward.

## MY AUCTION TO DO LIST

- Buy Tickets (No Later Than April 20th)
- Donate Items (No Later Than March 30th)
- Place Catalog Ad/Special Message (No Later Than March 30th)

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