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**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



Did we get your attention? That's right.
Free Tuition!

Thanks to a very generous anonymous donor we will give away a **\$5,000 tuition** voucher as a door prize at our 2007 Forcey Schools Auction. To be eligible for the door prize you must **purchase a ticket and attend the Auction on Sunday, May 6, 2007.** This opportunity is open to anyone meeting the above criteria, including the Auction Steering Committee, FCS staff, and FCMS staff.

If you win the door prize, a credit will be established at either FCS or FCMS, whichever you choose, which you can “redeem” when paying tuition. If the amount of your tuition exceeds the amount of the credit, you must pay the remaining tuition. If the credit exceeds your tuition needs, then it can remain available for use the following year. If you are unable to use or decide not to use all or a portion of the credit, you may make the remaining balance available to a family of your choosing to be used for tuition or you may donate the credit to the Wrightson fund. This fund provides short-term aid to families ¹ with unforeseen financial difficulties.

¹*The family must have children who are enrolled at FCS or FCMS.*

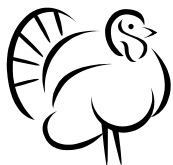
Front Row Seats Available!

Do you want to be where the action is during the live auction? Purchase one of the \$1,000 tables and you can get front row seats. Each table seats 10 people. These are the best seats at the event and your generous contribution will help make the Auction a success. The \$1,000 tables are available on a first come, first serve basis. So act now!

Also, have you purchased your Auction tickets yet? Remember, the sooner you buy your tickets, the closer up you will be able to sit. The early bird ticket deadline is February 1, 2007. Don't miss this exciting opportunity to support our elementary and middle schools.



Looking for a way to help with the Auction? We are looking for enthusiastic parents to volunteer as a "Classroom Auction Liaison". We need one parent per classroom for FCS and one parent per homeroom for FCMS. Your responsibility would be to coordinate the classroom/homeroom donation for the Auction. Each room will choose a theme, and will either collect items for an auction "basket" or cash donations for you to purchase items. If you are interested in taking on this extremely important and rewarding role or you would like additional information, contact the Classroom Donation Chairs, *Renee Boardman (410) 740-7266* *boardmanhome@ad.com* or *Jean McDonald* *mj4mcd@Quixnet.net (301) 725-8183*.



Have a Happy Thanksgiving!
Don't forget to ask your family and friends for items to donate to the Auction.

Send A Special Message

Grandson you are the smartest, and not to mention the most handsome boy we know! Have a great school year. Hugs & Kisses, Gram and Gramps

A great way to support our schools is to place an advertisement in the Auction catalog. For example, parents or grandparents can send a note to their kids or grandkids, students can send a note to their teachers and friends, and people can advertise their business, services, or events. Take this opportunity to send a special message to your family, friends, and others who are a part of your lives. You can choose a full-page, half-page or quarter-page ad. Send us your camera-ready art work, digital file, business card, illustration, or photograph along with your message and we will create a custom ad for you. The advertising form attached to this newsletter provides more information. And if you know of a company, radio station, or local business that would be interested in advertising in the catalog, pass the form on to them too. You can also download the advertising form at www.forceyschoolsauction.org.

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