

# *Pam Posthumus Signature Auction Event*

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## Live Auction Item Highlights

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### **52-CARD - TAKE 6 NIGHTS & HAVE IT YOUR WAY!**

Enjoy six (6) nights at your choice of any of these Fairmont Hotels & Resorts:

Sonoma Mission Inn & Spa, California

The Fairmont San Francisco

Chateau Lake Louise, Alberta

Scottsdale Princess Arizona

The Fairmont Chicago

Chateau Whistler, British Columbia

Le Chateau Frontenac, Quebec

The Royal York, Toronto

The Miramar, Santa Monica

The Turnberry Isle & Resort, Miami

You can use your nights all at once or in any combination of nights, and there is no expiration date!

*Donor: Friends of the Children's Trust Fund*

### **52-CARD - CELLAR OFFERING**

Two cases - a 24-bottle mix of fine wine, and a Chateau Laguiole corkscrew. Included in these wonderful cases are the following bottles of wine (see Hot Sheet for additional details):

- 1995 Beringer "Private Reserve" Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon (2 bottles)
- 1996 Beringer "Private Reserve" Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon (2 bottles)
- 1997 Beringer "Private Reserve" Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon (2 bottles)
- 2005 Max Doix "Salanques" Priorat
- 2005 Philip Togni Spring Mountain Cabernet Sauvignon (2 bottles)
- 2003 Luciano Sandrone Barolo Cannubi Boschis
- 2005 Cain Five
- 2007 Clos Erasmus Priorat
- 2005 Chateau Beaucastel Chateauneuf Du Pape Blanc (2 bottles)
- Chateau Guiraud Blanc (Sauternes)
- L'Aventure Estate Cuvee
- 2005 Achaval Ferrer Finca Mirador, Malbec Argentina (2 bottles)
- 2003 Aalto "PS" Ribera Del Duero
- 2007 Tenuta Dell'Ornellaia
- 2002 Fonterutoli Sippi
- 2006 Dominus
- 2006 Castel Giocondo Brunello Reserve
- 2007 Archery Summit Arcus Pinot

*Donor: National Wine & Spirits of Michigan*

### **THE COSMOPOLITAN OF LAS VEGAS**

Lady luck is with you if you are the winning bidder of this package! Enjoy the sites, sounds, sun and excitement of Las Vegas with this fabulous trip for two (2) to the hottest new hotel on the strip - The Cosmopolitan of Las Vegas. Stay and play for three (3) days and two (2) nights at this one-of-a-kind hotel that offers unrivaled service, premium amenities, pristine pools, manicured grounds and views unlike any in Vegas.

This trip for two (2) includes:

- 3 days/2 nights accommodations at The Cosmopolitan of Las Vegas
- Round trip airfare for two (2) via Delta Air Lines to Las Vegas
- Round trip airport transfers
- Tickets to a spectacular Las Vegas show, transfers not included
- All room-related taxes
- Free concierge reservation service

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Enjoy a Michigan State University football game in style in the Jackson National Life Insurance Company Suite at Spartan Stadium. Choose from either an early season game with in-state rival Central Michigan University, or a later season game with Big 10 opponent the University of Minnesota. This Spartan suite package includes:

- Twelve (12) tickets
- Food and beverages
- Complimentary game programs

*Donor: Jackson National Life Insurance Co.*

### **RICHARD PETTY DRIVING EXPERIENCE**

The thrill of a lifetime for any NASCAR fan! A Richard Petty Driving Experience! Choose between a driving or ride-along experience for up to 10 laps depending on the package you select. You can choose from among 20 tracks around the country, including Michigan International Speedway. A classroom session is also included.

*Donor: Michigan International Speedway*

### **BECKY BEAUCHINE KULKA GIFT CERTIFICATE**

Diamonds are a girls best friend! This \$1,000 shopping spree at Becky Beauchine Kulka Diamonds & Fine Jewelry could help her find that new best friend!

*Donor: Becky Beauchine Kulka Diamonds & Fine Jewelry*

### **CHARMING WINE COUNTRY TRIP TO NAPA OR SONOMA VALLEY**

Enjoy the rustic charm and splendor of California's Napa wine country with this trip for two (2) to Napa Valley or Sonoma Valley for four (4) days and three (3) nights. You have a choice of accommodations at either the luxurious Napa Valley Marriott Hotel & Spa or the casually sophisticated Renaissance Lodge at Sonoma.

These valleys are synonymous with fine wines which you will savor on a personalized, private five (5) hour tour in a chauffeured Mercedes S430 Sedan. Whether you are first-time visitors or veteran wine tasters, you'll enjoy an enlightening, fun-filled day in this picturesque region. The informative winery tour will be customized based on your individual wine preferences. Connoisseurs will stroll through magnificent gardens and taste wines recognized as being among the best the world has to offer.

This trip for two (2) includes:

- Round trip Economy Class air
- 4 days/3 nights accommodations at either the Napa Valley Marriott Hotel & Spa or The Lodge at Sonoma, a Renaissance Resort & Spa
- Daily complimentary American breakfast
- All room-related taxes
- Private 5-hour winery tour
- Free concierge reservation service

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Our friends at Quicken Loans offer you the opportunity to see an NBA game in style! You and a guest will watch a Cleveland Cavaliers basketball game during the 2011-12 season from the owner's suite. Included in this awesome package:

- Two (2) suite tickets to Cleveland Cavaliers game
- Dinner in the suite
- Overnight accommodations at the Ritz-Carlton
- Two (2) \$100 gift cards for Fathead

This is sure to be an experience you'll never forget!

*Donor: Quicken Loans*

### **PURE MICHIGAN WINE PACKAGE**

"Sometimes we all need to get away from life's stresses and relax a bit. . ." to experience a little "Pure Michigan." And that's what you'll do with this wonderful package which showcases wonderful Michigan wine, furniture, and political history. This package begins with a case, twelve (12) bottles, of delicious Michigan wines. Included is:

Chateau Grand Traverse Ship of Fools (2009)

Bowers Harbor Vineyards Red

Bowers Harbor Vineyards Unwooded Chardonnay  
(2009)

Chateau Chantal Naughty

Black Star Farms Isidor's Choice Pinot Grigio (2009)

Victoria Creek Vineyards Wooden Boat (2007)

Chateau de Leelanau Vineyard & Winery Bianca

Bel Lago Red Wine

Black Star Farms Red House Red

Chateau Chantal Pinot Grigio (2010)

Chateau Chantal Nice

Bel Lago Pinot Grigio (2009)

And to store that "Pure Michigan" wine is a custom-built wine cabinet, made by the Michigan Department of Corrections from oak donated by Michigan's Department of Natural Resources.

To finish this package, we've included a little "Pure Michigan" political history – a bottle of Michigan wine signed by Michigan's 48th Governor, Rick Snyder; and an autographed copy of the 2011 Michigan Inaugural Program signed by the four current leaders of Michigan government – Governor Rick Snyder, Lt. Governor Brian Calley, Attorney General Bill Schuette and Secretary of State Ruth Johnson.

*Donor: Michigan Beer & Wine Wholesalers Association, Michigan Department of Corrections, Governor Rick Snyder and Senator Randy Richardville*

### **U OF M "GRAND SLAM"**

Calling all Wolverines! University of Michigan fans can't lose with this "Grand Slam" package – football, basketball, hockey and golf! Included in this package are:

- Two (2) tickets to U of M vs. Purdue University football game on Saturday, October 29, 2011 at Michigan Stadium
- Two (2) tickets to the 2011-12 U of M vs. MSU men's basketball game at Crisler Arena
- Four (4) tickets to the 2011-12 U of M vs. MSU hockey game at Yost Arena
- Golf for two (2), with cart, at the University of Michigan golf course

*Donor: University of Michigan, and University of Michigan Office of Government Relations*

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### **YACHT RACING EXPERIENCE @ DETROIT YACHT CLUB**

Here's a unique opportunity for those who love the sea! Ride the river on VooDoo Child! Two (2) people will have the opportunity to learn to race a CAL 25 sailboat with the VooDoo Child crew on the Detroit River and Lake St. Clair. After your exciting and invigorating day of yacht racing, you're invited to an "Afterglow" provided dockside at Detroit's historic Detroit Yacht Club. Dean Transportation's VIP Executive Black Car Service will your transportation to the Yacht Club and then back home again to make this truly a unique experience. Package includes:

- Yacht racing experience for two (2)
- Afterglow at Detroit Yacht Club
- VIP Executive Black Car Service

*Donor: Jill Lamphier & Roy Lamphier, and Dean Transportation*

### **A TRIP TO THE IRISH COUNTRYSIDE, POWERSCOURT, IRELAND**

Enjoy a trip for two (2) to Powerscourt, Ireland, for seven (7) days and six (6) nights at the Ritz-Carlton Powerscourt, County Wicklow. This Palladian estate is tucked back in the woodlands of County Wicklow, on Ireland's east coast, where natural beauty and dignified accommodation come together to offer you an unforgettable retreat. Two championship-calibre golf courses on the grounds, a 30,000-square-foot luxury spa by ESPA and a Gordon Ramsay signature restaurant are among the many distinctive attractions of this luxury hotel.

The estate is one of the most frequently visited attractions in Ireland and is situated beside the picturesque village of Enniskerry. This wonderfully authentic Irish village is the ideal place to stroll to local cafes, bars, antique shops and boutiques. From Enniskerry, you can quickly venture into the capital for superb shopping, world-famous visitor attractions or a taste of Irish night life.

This trip for two (2) includes:

- 7 days/6 nights accommodations at The Ritz-Carlton Powerscourt, County Wicklow
- Round trip airfare for two (2) via Delta Air Lines to Dublin, Ireland
- Daily complimentary American breakfast
- All room-related taxes (including VAT)
- \$1,000 Ritz-Carlton Travel Card

*Donor: Friends of the Children's Trust Fund and Delta Air Lines*

### **DETROIT RED WINGS SUPER SUITE FOR 20**

Go Wings! Enjoy a Detroit Red Wings game in luxury in the DTE Energy "Super" Suite at Joe Louis Arena! Included in this package are:

- Twenty (20) tickets for a weeknight hockey game of your choice during the month of November 2011
- Two (2) parking passes
- \$1,000 food and beverage allowance

*Donor: DTE Energy*

### **SHOP TIL YOU DROP, ULTIMATE DAY OF SHOPPING**

Enjoy an "ultimate" day of shopping with this great package! You and your friends will travel by private plane to either Chicago or the Mall of America in Minneapolis for a "Shop Til You Drop" day of shopping. This private plane is for four (4) people for a one (1) day trip and leaves from Grand Rapids. Of course, this trip wouldn't be complete without a little cash, so included is a \$1,000 gift card for shopping and a wonderful meal! Package includes:

- Private plane for four (4)
- \$1,000 Travel & Leisure Gift Card

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Spartan fans can cheer their teams on to victory with this package. Football, basketball, hockey, this Michigan State University "Hat Trick" sports package has them all! Included are:

- Four (4) tickets to the MSU vs. Indiana football game on Saturday, November 19, 2011, at Spartan Stadium
- Four (4) tickets to a 2011-12 MSU regular season men's basketball game at the Breslin Center
- Two (2) tickets to a 2011-12 MSU regular season hockey game of your choice at Munn Ice Arena

And finally, the icing on this "hat trick," an MSU quilt autographed by several Spartan coaches including Tom Izzo, Mark Dantonio, Suzie Merchant, Tom Anastos, and Jake Boss, Jr. A real Spartan collectable!

*Donor: MSU Trustees – Dianne Byrum, Melanie Foster, and Brian Breslin, and Good Shepherd Lutheran Church Quilt Ladies*

### **GOLF @ OAKLAND HILLS WITH SENATOR RANDY RICHARDVILLE**

Country club member Jerry Krueger is your host for this great day of golf for two (2) at the exclusive and beautiful Oakland Hills Country Club. Senate Majority Leader Randy Richardville will complete your foursome. Your day will begin with lunch, then you'll head to the driving range to loosen up and prepare for your afternoon tee time on the South Course - affectionately called the "Monster." Following what is sure to be the best round of golf in your life, you'll head to the Men's Grille for beverages to relive the experience! Dean Transportation's VIP Executive Black Car Service will provide your transportation to the Country Club and then back home again to make this truly a unique experience. Package includes:

- Golf and lunch for two (2) with Senator Richardville & Jerry Krueger
- VIP Executive Black Car Service

*Donor: American Community Developers, Inc. and Dean Transportation*

### **NEW YORK CITY "LIGHTS OF BROADWAY" GETAWAY**

This trip for two (2) to New York City offers diversity, culture and style like no other U.S. city can! Enjoy four (4) days and three (3) nights at the midtown Marriott Marquis Hotel and tickets to your favorite Broadway show, sporting event or concert with the Broadway Silver Entertainment Package that is included. With its prime location in the heart of Times Square and the Broadway theater district, the New York Marriott Marquis brings the energy of Manhattan to your door and ensures that entertainment is just around the corner!

This trip for two (2) includes:

- Round trip Economy Class air
- 4 days/3 nights accommodations at the New York Marriott Marquis Hotel Times Square
- Daily complimentary American breakfast
- All room-related taxes
- Broadway Silver Entertainment Package
- Free concierge reservation service

*Donor: Friends of the Children's Trust Fund*

### **U2 360° CONCERT PACKAGE**

Here's your chance to see the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame band U2! On Sunday, June 26, 2011, your evening will begin when your limousine arrives at your home to take you and your three (3) guests to a wonderful dinner at Troppo before the concert. Then your chauffeur will whisk you away to the U2 360° Tour Concert at Spartan Stadium on the campus of Michigan State University. The concert tickets are for some of the best seats in the house, section 7, row 6, seats 23 – 26, so you're sure to have an unforgettable evening! The concert begins at 7:00 p.m. Following the concert, your limousine awaits to take you and your guests safely home. Package includes:

- Four (4) tickets to U2 360° Tour Concert
- Dinner for four (4) at Troppo
- Limousine service for evening

*Donor: Dianne Byrum, Troppo and Friends of the Children's Trust Fund*

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### **NASCAR - MIS ACCELERATION PACKAGE**

Here's the perfect gift for Father's Day! Two (2) Acceleration Club passes and two (2) tickets to the NASCAR Sprint Cup Series Heluva Good! 400 at Michigan International Speedway (MIS) on Sunday, June 19, 2011. Acceleration is the premier hospitality club at MIS. The pass grants guests pre-race pit access, breakfast, lunch, drink tickets, and the chance to listen to special guest speakers. Once the green flag flies, watch the race on closed-circuit color televisions in Acceleration or up close from the grandstand.

*Donor: Michigan International Speedway*

### **BIDDER'S CHOICE - MICHIGAN CASINO PACKAGE**

Four (4) lucky bidders will enjoy overnight accommodations and dinner for two (2) at their choice of the one of the following Michigan casinos:

- Greektown Casino-Hotel & Bistro 555
- MGM Grand Detroit & Saltwater
- MotorCity Casino Hotel & Iridesence
- Soaring Eagle Casino & Resort, Dinner & Show

*Donor: Greektown Casino-Hotel, MGM Grand Detroit, MotorCity Casino, and Saginaw Chippewa Tribal Council*

### **WALMART TECHNOLOGY DREAM PACKAGE**

From our friends at Walmart, a technology dream package for all you "Geeks!" You'll find some of the latest tech gadgets in this package, including:

- Apple iPad, with case
- Sanyo 55" LED-LCD 1080p HDTV
- Sony Home Theater Surround Sound System, with integrated tuner and up-convert HD/DVD player
- Sony Blu-ray Player, with Netflix compatibility
- Nikon COOLPIX S4100 Digital Camera, with case
- Sony Handycam HD Video Camera, with case
- Acer Aspire One 10.1" Netbook with 250GB hard drive and 1GB memory

What an awesome multimedia package!

*Donor: Walmart*

### **U.S. OPEN GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP**

Attention golfers! Fore! Watch the top golfers in the world compete for the coveted U.S. Open Golf Championship at the Congressional Country Club in Bethesda, Maryland, with these two (2) "Trophy Club" weekly passes to the Open. Good for the entire week of the championship, you and a guest will have access to the grounds of the country club, as well as the Trophy Club - an air-conditioned, on-site pavilion with live U.S. Open television coverage. The tournament runs from June 13-19, 2011, with actual scoring rounds beginning on June 16. And as a bonus, we've included "official" U.S. House of Representatives golf accessories - shirt, balls, tees and towel!

This trip for two (2) includes:

- Two (2) "Trophy Club" passes to the Open
- Round trip airfare via Delta Air Lines to Washington, D.C.
- 4 days/3 nights (June 17, 18, and 19) at the JW Marriott Hotel in Washington, D.C.
- \$200 in Avis gift certificates
- Golf accessories

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### **DINNER WITH THE LEGISLATIVE QUADRANT**

An opportunity to bend the ears of a few of Michigan's most important political leaders. On Tuesday, September 13, 2011, you and three (3) guests will enjoy dinner with the legislative leaders of the State of Michigan - "The Legislative Quadrant." Join Senate Majority Leader Randy Richardville, Senate Minority Leader Gretchen Whitmer, Speaker of the House Jase Bolger, and House Minority Leader Rick Hammel for an evening of great food and conversation at the beautiful Country Club of Lansing. And as a bonus, a little piece of Michigan political memorabilia. Four (4) bottles of Michigan wine signed by Michigan's 48th Governor, Rick Snyder - one for each guest.

*Donor: Speaker Jase Bolger, Representative Rick Hammel, Senator Randy Richardville, Senator Gretchen Whitmer and Melissa Yutzey*

### **MSU "SPARTAN SPECTACULAR" EXPERIENCE**

This "Spartan Spectacular" package is full of unique opportunities to experience Michigan State University football and basketball up close and personal! Your Spartan football experience includes:

- A visit for four (4) people to an MSU pre-season football practice with Coach Mark Dantonio and the Spartan football team. Watch as the team prepares for the Big Ten season and see how their two-a-day training schedule works. Also included is a tour of the football facility.
- Two (2) tickets to the MSU vs. U of M football game on Saturday, October 15, 2011, at Spartan Stadium. These are former MSU football coach and MSU Trustee George Perles' tickets, so they're sure to be some of the best seats in the house!
- An MSU football autographed by Spartan Head Coach Mark Dantonio.

Your Spartan basketball experience includes:

- The opportunity for some lucky boy to be Honorary Ball Boy for an MSU home men's basketball game. Sure to create memories that will last a lifetime for any young Spartan fan, also included are two (2) tickets for guests to attend the game and passes for post-game at the Cleaves Family Center.
- Two (2) tickets in Suite 101 to a home Spartan men's basketball game during the 2011-12 season. You'll enjoy the game in style, and also included is two (2) post-game passes to the Cleaves Family Center.
- An MSU basketball autographed by Spartan Head Coach Tom Izzo.

*Donor: MSU Trustees - Dianne Byrum, Mitch Lyons, and George Perles, Michigan State University Men's Basketball, and Michigan State University - Office of Vice President for Governmental Affairs*

### **MACKINAC BRIDGE TOUR**

A once in a lifetime opportunity! You and a guest will enjoy a Tower Tour of the Mackinac Bridge. Ascend to the top of the north or south tower and take in breath-taking views of the Straits of Mackinac, the island, the fort and the bridge.

Included in this tour package is:

- Two (2) rooms for one (1) night, with breakfast, at the Island House Hotel
- Four (4) Star Line Hydro-Jet Ferry tickets
- Four (4) Mackinac Island Carriage Tour tickets

*Donor: Mackinac Bridge Authority, Island House Hotel, Mackinac Island Carriage Tours and Star Line Mackinac Island Ferry*

### **"SUPER" SUPER BOWL COLLECTION**

If you're a Pittsburgh Steelers fan you won't want to miss out on this opportunity to own not one, but two pieces of Super Bowl history! Place your bid on this "Super" Super Bowl package which includes:

- A Super Bowl XL varsity jacket autographed by none other than the NFL's 5th leading rusher of all time, Jerome "The Bus" Bettis. Super Bowl XL was played in 2005 at Ford Field in Detroit, Jerome's home town. A certificate of authenticity is included.
- An official Super Bowl XLV football signed by Ben Roethlisberger, youngest Super Bowl winning quarterback in NFL history. Known as "Big Ben," Roethlisberger lead the Steelers to two Super Bowl championships.

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Enjoy a one (1) week vacation for up to six (6) guests in this private Jamaican villa. Located in Duncan, halfway between Montego Bay and Ocho Rios, this four-bedroom home is nestled in a quiet, residential gated-community, and includes a pristine pool with a spacious patio and spectacular ocean view. The villa is showcased by its meticulously landscaped gardens and serene backyard terrace. A two-minute walk takes you to a beautiful private beach, where you'll find a recreation area, convenience store and bar. Guests are responsible for food purchase, but can depend on a splendid in-home cook for all preparation, as well as light housekeeping.

*Donor: Mr. Peter Lavender*

### **PRIVATE PLANE FOR A DAY**

This package will require a little creativity on the bidder's part! A private plane for the day to fly you, and up to three (3) guests, anywhere in the Midwest, along with a \$1,000 gift card to help you create the day. Celebrate a special anniversary, create a romantic day with the one you love, take your buddies on a one-of-a-kind golf outing or outdoor adventure, visit relatives or that kid away at college. . .the choice is yours. Be creative and create a day you and they will never forget!

Package includes:

- Private plane for four (4)
- \$1,000 Travel & Leisure Gift Card

*Donor: Slaughter Companies and Friends of the Children's Trust Fund*

### **DINNER & THE JERSEY BOYS!**

An extraordinary evening awaits you and three (3) special people in your life! On Wednesday, September 28, 2011, the evening will begin when a limousine arrives at your home to take you and your guests for dinner at the beautiful State Room in the Kellogg Hotel & Conference Center. After a delicious meal, your chauffeur will whisk you away to the Wharton Center to see the Tony Award-winning Broadway hit show, The Jersey Boys. Following the show, you and your guests will mingle with the cast of The Jersey Boys at Harrison RoadHouse for the cast party. When you're ready to depart, your limousine awaits and your chauffeur will return you safely home. Included in this package:

- Four (4) tickets to The Jersey Boys at the Wharton Center
- \$140 gift certificate to the State Room
- Limousine service

*Donor: Wharton Center for Performing Arts, Friends of the Children's Trust Fund and Kellogg Hotel & Conference Center*

### **A TASTE OF SOUTHERN ITALIAN CHARM IN SORRENTO, ITALY**

An extraordinary Italian destination awaits you with this trip for two (2) to the Esperidi Resort in Sorrento, Italy. The Esperidi Resort is the ideal place to soak up the flavors and culture of Sorrento. Boasting a privileged position among the other tourist villages of the Gulf of Naples and the Amalfi Coast, the resort is located in Sant'Agnello and is only 250 meters from the sea and 10 minutes from the historic center of Sorrento. You'll find it easy to travel around, as the resort puts you close to the buses and the Circumvesuviana railway, as well as the hydrofoils and sea metro lines that arrive in Capri, Ischia and Naples, and the other beautiful locales that make up the Sorrentina Peninsula, including the Gulf of Naples and the Amalfi Coast.

Esperidi Resort's Junior Suites include a master bedroom, fully equipped kitchenette, spacious bathroom, charming garden or terrace with gazebo and lounge chairs.

Your trip for two includes:

- 6 nights accommodations in Esperidi Resort in a junior suite
- Round trip airfare via Delta Air Lines to Rome, Italy
- Round trip transfers between airport and hotel
- 2-hour stop in Pompeii on return trip to airport with a private guide
- Daily complimentary breakfast
- Free concierge reservation service

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### **LADIES AUSTRALIAN BOULDER OPAL PENDANT**

For that special lady in your life! She'll look lovely wearing this beautiful 14k yellow-gold boulder opal pendant with 18" wheat chain. This one-of-a-kind, designer piece is sure to be treasured for a lifetime.

*Donor: Arendsen Jewelers, Inc.*

### **LANSING FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT PACKAGE**

Come and explore the City of Lansing with this wonderful family entertainment package! Enjoy a Lugnuts' game with Big Lug, take your family for a "hands on" experience at Impression 5 Science Center, visit Potter Park Zoo to "talk with the animals" or enjoy a behind-the-scenes "Penguin Encounter"...each of these experiences await you in this wonderful package. Included are:

- Ten (10) suite tickets for the Lansing Lugnuts game on Tuesday, July 5, 2011
- Penguin Encounter Adventure for two (2)
- Impression 5 Museum Family Membership
- Potter Park Zoo Family Membership
- Two (2) \$100 Nuthouse Gift Cards

*Donor: Lansing Entertainment & Public Facilities Authority (LEPFA), Greater Lansing Convention & Visitors Bureau, The Nuthouse, Potter Park Zoo and Friends of the Children's Trust Fund*

### **JIMMY BUFFET CONCERT @ DTE ENERGY MUSIC THEATRE**

Grab your Hawaiian shirts and come hang with the "Parrot Heads" at the ultimate beach party...Margaritaville! Here are four (4) tickets in the pavillion VIP section to Jimmy Buffett's "Welcome to Fin Land Tour 2011" Concert at the DTE Energy Music Theatre on Thursday, July 21, 2011. These VIP tickets include dinner and beverages prior to the concert, and parking pass.

*Donor: DTE Energy*

### **CULINARY PACKAGE**

Do you dream of cooking like Paula Dean or Rachel Ray? Well dream no more! This wonderful package has everything you need to create a culinary masterpiece! Included is:

- Kitchen Aid Countertop Appliance Suite – stand mixer, blender, coffee maker, food processor, slow cooker, and hand mixer (all in onyx black)
- *Congressional Club Cook Book* – A beautiful cookbook filled with delightful recipes and vignettes from the First Ladies of Washington, DC, spouses, friends, and family.
- \$250 Le Chat Gourmet Culinary Arts Gift Card for cooking classes.  
Bon Appetite!

*Donor: Whirlpool, Congressman Mike Rogers and Friends of the Children's Trust Fund*

### **FORD AUTOMOTIVE ADVENTURE PACKAGE**

Experience the fast and furious nature of the automotive industry from both a current and historical perspective with this outstanding, one-of-a-kind package for two (2) people! Included is:

- A visit to Ford's state-of-the-art test track to see how Ford's latest vehicles are tested and proven, and experience a hot lap on the test track with one of their top professional drivers.
- A visit to The Henry Ford to experience the rich history of Ford and the automotive industry. Then hop on a bus and take a trip to the recently renovated Ford Rouge Plant to get a historical perspective of Ford and a first-hand view of how the Ford F-150 is built.
- Finally, lunch at The Henry Ford with Edsel Ford, II, great grandson of Henry Ford. You'll have the opportunity to share stories and memories with one of the leaders of Ford and the broader Detroit community.
- One (1) night stay for two (2) at the historic Dearborn Inn.

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### **WINTER WONDERLAND SKI TRIP IN QUEBEC**

Experience an unforgettable adventure as you escape from the everyday into a snow-covered, winter wonderland. This trip for two (2) to Quebec, Canada, is for five (5) days and four (4) nights at the luxurious Fairmont Tremblant.

Sitting at the foot of the majestic Laurentian peaks, tucked into the heart of the region's most picturesque village, the Fairmont Tremblant offers skiers 94 first-rate runs and 600 acres that add up to a ski holiday that will soothe your soul and challenge your skills. After a day of skiing out on the slopes, indulge in grandeur and relax in accommodating luxury at The Fairmont. Enjoy culinary delights from magnificent taste providers, treat yourself to a massage, or simply rest in the elegant Nansen Lounge.

This trip for two (2) includes:

- Round trip Economy Class air
- 5 days/4 nights accommodations at the Fairmont Tremblant
- Daily complimentary breakfast
- All room-related taxes
- \$600 Fairmont Gift Card for ski lift tickets
- Free concierge reservation service

*Donor: Friends of the Children's Trust Fund*

### **AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD PUPPY**

This is one adorable, loving and intelligent, male blue merle Australian Shepherd puppy. He's just AWESOME!! Born Easter morning, April 24, 2011, and registered with the Australian Shepherd Club of America, this little one is up-to-date on health checks courtesy of Dr. Patterson at Patterson Veterinary Hospital, Mason. He'll be ready for an active, caring, lifetime family as soon as he's 8 weeks old, when he'll be ready to leave his mom and littermates. The puppy comes with a "starter kit", including: health records, registration papers, toys, collar and leash, and certificates for lifetime discounted boarding and obedience training (courtesy of M&MS FARMS); puppy chow and feed bowls (courtesy of TSC, Williamston); a \$100 gift card, food samplers and treats (courtesy of Joey's Pet Outfitters, Williamston); and all his puppy vaccinations as he ages (courtesy of Dr. Patterson).

### **FAMILY GETAWAY TO WASHINGTON, DC**

Enjoy a family getaway to our nation's capitol with this great package! Visit the Smithsonian Museums, the monuments, the memorials, tour the Capitol and the White House. . . Washington has so much to do and see! This trip for four (4) includes a one (1) week stay, 7 days/6 nights, August 7-13, 2011, at a beautiful condo on 2nd Street, SE. The condo sleeps four (4) comfortably, with one queen bed and a full pull-out, couch bed. To complete this trip package we've also included:

- \$100 International Spy Museum Gift Card - for a "Spy at Night" experience!
- \$100 Zola Restaurant Gift Card - for a delicious meal located in the heart of D.C.
- \$500 Travel & Leisure Gift Card - to help you create a memorable family vacation!

*Donor: Wilson Perkins Allen Opinion Research, Dykema and Friends of the Children's Trust Fund*

# *Pam Posthumus Signature Auction Event*

Wednesday, May 18, 2011

## Live Auction Item Highlights

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### **FISHING ON THE GREAT LAKES**

Enjoy some of the best fishing that the Great Lakes have to offer with this charter fishing package on Lake Erie and Lake St. Clair.

Known around the world for some of the best Walleye and Perch fishing in the world, this package begins on Lake Erie with a charter fishing trip aboard the Cachanilla II, a fully equipped 39' Sea Ray, for a day of fishing in June or July 2011. Included is:

- Five (5) hour experience for four (4) people
- Two (2) rooms for one (1) night stay at Hotel Sterling, Monroe
- Dinner at Trapperz Tavern

The second "lure" of this fishing package, is a day of boating and fishing in September or October 2011 on beautiful Lake St. Clair aboard the Crews Inn III, a fully equipped 330 Sea Ray Express. Muskie, Walleye, Perch, Small Mouth Bass, and even some Salmon could all be a part of your catch during your trip. Included is:

- Five (5) hour experience for four (4) people
- Two (2) rooms for one (1) night stay at Best Western Georgian Inn, Roseville
- \$250 Gift Card for fishing supplies

*Donor: Muchmore Harrington Smalley & Associates, Crew's Inn Sport Fishing Inc., Hotel Sterling, Michigan Lodging and Tourism Association, Trapperz Tavern and Friends of the Children's Trust Fund*

### **DETROIT TIGERS SUITE & VIP MOTORCOACH**

Calling all Tiger fans! This is the "ultimate" way to watch the Detroit Tigers as they take on the Texas Rangers on Tuesday, August 2, 2011, at Comerica Park, at 7:05 p.m. This baseball package includes:

- Twelve (12) tickets in the DTE Energy Suite
- \$750 food and beverage allowance
- Transportation to the game via Dean Trailways VIP Executive Motorcoach

This is a Tiger home-run package!

*Donor: DTE Energy and Dean Transportation*

### **SUNSET BEACH RESORT & SPA, CABO SAN LUCAS**

A wonderful holiday getaway, this trip is for one week (7 days, 6 nights) in a junior suite at beautiful Pueblo Bonito Sunset Beach Resort & Spa. Situated on the western tip of the Baja California peninsula, breathtaking views of the Pacific Ocean greet your arrival to this quiet corner of Cabo San Lucas, Mexico, known as Quivira. This special enclave for luxury living promises a vacation experience steeped in relaxation and is secluded from the concentration of Cabo San Lucas hotels on the Sea of Cortez. This luxurious ocean-view Junior Suite features a fully-equipped kitchenette for convenient in-room dining, plush living-room area with oversized chairs facing the ocean, elegant sleeping quarters furnished with one king bed or two double beds, and a private balcony or terrace with outdoor seating. Also included is a \$1,000 Travel & Leisure Gift Card to complete this package! Package includes:

- 7 days/6 nights accommodations at Sunset Beach Resort & Spa
- \$1,000 Travel & Leisure Gift Card

*Donor: Ms. Courtney Piotrowski & Mr. Charles F. Smith and Friends of the Children's Trust Fund*

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### **"PURE MICHIGAN" GOLF PACKAGE**

You and your friends will have the opportunity to play some of the finest golf courses in Michigan with this outstanding package. A golfer's dream, included is 18-rounds of golf at 5 premier golf courses around the state. Here's what's included in this "Pure Michigan" golf package:

- Pine Lake Country Club - Beaumont's 15th Annual "A Round for Life" Golf Outing: One (1) round of golf for four (4) with carts, morning session, lunch, strolling dinner and gift
- Country Club of Lansing: One (1) round of golf for four (4), with carts
- Harbor Shores: One (1) round of golf for four (4), includes carts, driving range access and practice balls
- Warwick Hills Golf & Country Club: One (1) round of golf for four (4) with carts
- Tullymore Golf Club: Two (2) 18-hole rounds of golf, with cart
- Four (4) dozen Bridgestone E-7 golf balls

*Donor: Beaumont Hospitals, The Golf Club at Harbor Shores, Warwick Hills Golf & Country Club, Country Club of Lansing, The Resorts of Tullymore & St. Ives, and Glacier Water*

### **JOSH GROBAN CONCERT PACKAGE**

This great concert package includes two (2) premium seat tickets to Josh Groban's "Straight To You" Tour Concert on Saturday, August 6, 2011, at the Van Andel Arena in Grand Rapids. Josh will perform favorites from his best-selling albums, as well as songs from his recent platinum album, Illuminations. To complete this package we've included:

- One (1) night stay for two (2) adults at the beautiful Amway Grand Plaza Hotel
- Dinner for two (2) at Bar Divani

*Donor: Van Andel Arena - SMG, Amway Grand Plaza Hotel and Bar Divani*

### **ASH TRESTLE-STYLE DINING TABLE FOR SIX**

This classically designed dining table, with trestle-style seating for six, is crafted from ash and walnut wood donated by Michigan's Department of Natural Resources. Beautifully hand-crafted, with laminated seat and back supports, this dining set is destined to become a cherished family heirloom.

*Donor: Michigan Department of Corrections*

### **U OF M FOOTBALL SUITE TICKETS**

Join Senate Majority Leader Randy Richardville on Saturday, September 10, 2011, for the Michigan Wolverine vs. the Fighting Irish of Notre Dame football game and be a part of history! You and your three (3) guests will enjoy the game in a suite for the first-ever evening football game, under the lights, at the University of Michigan Stadium. It is guaranteed to be a game you won't forget! Go Blue!

*Donor: Walbridge*

### **FT. MYERS BEACHFRONT CONDO & PALM HARBOR BOAT TRIP**

Fun, sun, sand and surf on the Gulf in Florida! This trip includes a one (1) week stay at a beachfront condo in Ft. Myers Beach and a half-day boat trip on the Gulf of Mexico - fishing, snorkeling or diving, you choose! The one (1) bedroom condo, with two (2) double beds, is completely furnished, has a sofa bed, a screened balcony/Lanai overlooking the beach and the Gulf, and all the essentials for fun on the beach! The half-day boat trip is for four (4) aboard a private, 27 ft. boat with the owner. Go fishing, gear is provided, or provide your own equipment and go diving or snorkeling. It's your choice! And to complete this great trip we've added airfare and a \$500 Travel & Leisure Gift Card. Package includes:

- 7 days/6 nights accommodations at Ft. Myers Beach condo
- Half-day Gulf of Mexico boating/fishing/snorkeling trip
- Round trip airfare for two (2) via Delta Air Lines to Ft. Myers, Florida
- \$500 Travel & Leisure Gift Card

*Donor: Mike & Anna Flanagan, Delta Air Lines, Steve Chapin - Pro Tech Monitoring and Dykema*