

Audubon Spring Fling January Newsletter
"Let's Raise Some Green"
March 12, 2011 – Landmark Grill + Lounge
6 p.m. – 10 p.m.



Look for your invitation to the Spring Fling coming next week!

You will be receiving an invitation to the Spring Fling that will allow you to RSVP, pay, sponsor a teacher, and donate to the Audubon Giving Tree.

The Spring Fling Online Auction GOES LIVE on February 14, 2011!

All of the fabulous items that you have donated are going to be available for auction and bidding starting on February 14, 2011. You can look at all the items and bid on them at www.biddingforgood.com/audubonschool/springfling2011. Can't remember that? Just go to www.friendsofaudubonschool.org and click the link to the auction starting FEBRUARY 14, 2011.

All of the items, save ten extra special packages, will be available for online bidding. The remaining ten will be available for viewing online but will only be available for LIVE BIDDING AT THE SPRING FLING!

So What ARE These Fabulous Items that I Can Bid On?

Ciao, bella!!! Want to stay at *a villa in Italy*? All you have to do is show up and bid on this [Live Auction item](#) and you could win this amazing trip and stay at an Italian Villa.

Not your thing? Prefer a beach? Maybe **a condo on Sanibel Island, Florida** is more your speed...we've got that, too!! This, too, will be a Live Auction item at the Spring Fling.

Don't want to travel? Stay here and get a **family pass to the Peggy Notebaert Nature Museum** or **VIP passes to the Shedd Aquarium!** (Available for online bidding starting February 14, 2011).

You can be a **Principal for a Day with John Price!** But only if you attend the Spring Fling and bid!!!

OR leave the kids with a sitter and enjoy **a massage** or *a Pilates party* with your girlfriends!! (Bid for these and other indulgences online).

All of this and **SO MUCH MORE** available via online auction starting **February 14, 2011** or through Live Auction that will take place **at** the Spring Fling on March 12, 2011!!

WE STILL NEED YOUR HELP SO KEEP THOSE DONATIONS COMING!

In our last few weeks before the Spring Fling, we still need your help in getting more donations for our school! Here is our **WISH LIST** for donations we need:

- Restaurant gift certificates (just ask when you are at your favorite restaurant this weekend – it's for charity!)
- Spa gift certificate (When getting your nails done or having a massage, ask if they'd be willing to donate – it's a win-win for them!)
- Travel donations – frequent flier miles or hotel gift certificates – we need them!!

Can't get these items? How about **hosting a party** to be auctioned off on the online auction? You decide the day and time, the attendees, the theme and all of the details. The money raised benefits the school directly at 100% profit. It's also a great way to get to know other Audubon parents. If you would like to host an event, please contact Sarah Levens at r.levens@att.net or 773-755-1043.

Thanks so much for all your help and support. If you have any questions, please contact us.
Sincerely,

Spring Fling Chairs
Jill Cheskes (jcheskes@salawus.com) & Melonie Boone (meloniemboone@aol.com)