Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Sterling

21st Annual Auction

Auction Item Catalog

Sat., November 18, 2017, 6:30pm

Peruvian Dinner

Item #101
8 Winners

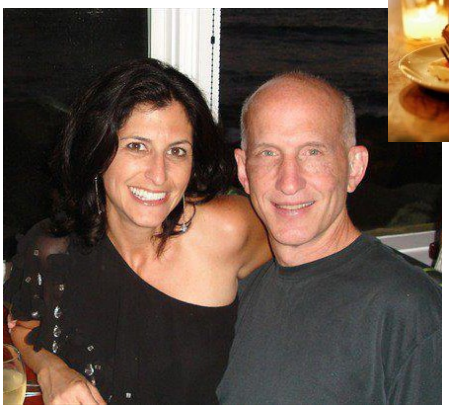
Sat., April 7, 2018
at Steve & Terry Dick's home in Ashburn

Come enjoy Peruvian cuisine at the Dicks' Ashburn home. Menu includes Pisco sours, Cerveza Cristal, ceviche lomo saltado (spicy beef stir-fry), flan.

Starting Bid: $45.00
Value: $75/person

Donated by Steve & Terry Dick & Judy Gruner

Italian Gourmet Dinner



Item #102
8 Winners

August 11, 2018
at Dorine & Mike DiConti's home in Oakton

Authentic five course gourmet Italian dinner complete with wine pairings.

Starting Bid: $50.00
Value: $75.00/person

Donated by Dorine & Mike DiConti

Eastern European Dinner

Item #104
8 Winners

Sat., March 24, 2018
at Rosalie Clavez & Mike Berger's home in Reston

The menu will include Hungarian Beef Stew, spatzle with gravy, veneta, a Romanian spread made with eggplant, rustic European style bread, and Hungarian style cake and pastry.

Starting Bid: $25.00
Value: $50/person

Donated by Rosalie Clavez & Mike Berger

Gus' Special Gourmet Dinner

Item #109
10 Winners

April 28, 2018
at Gus Douoguih's home in Reston

Dinner in Honor of Clarice Douoguih.This outrageously fancy gourmet dinner is being offered by Gus to remember his best cooking days with Clarice and to honor her. Menu will include special fish starter and filet mignon main dish, accompanied with superlative wines from all over the world.

Starting Bid: $50.00
Value: $120.00/person

Donated by Gus Douoguih

Armenian Dinner

Item #111
8 Winners

Sat., May 19, 2018
at the Roche's home in Reston

The Armenian Dinner is back! Hosted by Stephanie (nee: Hazerjian) and Paul Roche, this dinner is always a lot of fun! You will experience authentic Armenian food, including hummus, stuffed grape leaves, lehmajun (Armenian Pizza), Loush Kabob, rice pilaf, cheese beureg, baklava, and Turkish coffee!

Starting Bid: $20.00
Value: $50/person

Donated by Stephanie & Paul Roche

Pescatarian Gourmet Dinner

Item #113
8 Winners

April 14, 2018
at Dorine DiConti's home in Oakton

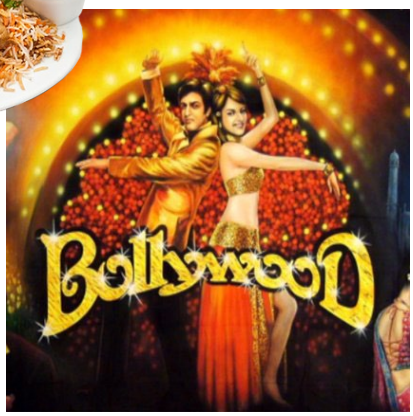
Enjoy an eclectic meal specially made by Kayla Williams. Appetizer: Crab stuffed grilled bell peppers; Main dish: Beet, farro, and watercress salad with fig vinaigrette; roasted salmon w/dill, capers, and horseradish; rolls;

Dessert: White chocolate cranberry cake

Starting Bid: $30.00
Value: $50.00/person

Donated by Kayla Williams & Dorine DiConti

Bollywood Film Nite



Item #202
10 Winners

Sat., March 3, 2018, 5pm
at Denise & Mark Lorenz's home in Ashburn

The Suris will take guests on another Bollywood adventure. Enjoy a tour of famous songs and scenes of Bollywood films through the decades with commentary from Zubair, all while enjoying Pakistani/Indian cuisine. Mark and Denise Lorenz will host in their home theatre.

Starting Bid: $15.00
Value: $25/person

Donated by Heather & Zubair Suri and Denise & Mark Lorenz

Wine Tasting

Item #204
20 Winners

June 2, 2018, 6pm
at Dorine & Mike DiConti's home in Oakton

Wine tasting event for adults. Couples, singles, married, friends. Just bring your thirsty selves. Join Dorine and Bonnie, and their supporting husbands, for an evening of wine and paired snacks.

Starting Bid: $25.00
Value: $40.00/person

Donated by Bonnie Lepoff & Dorine DiConti

Ghost Walk in Alexandria

Item #207
11 Winners

TBA
in Old Town Alexandria

Alexandria's Original Ghost & Graveyard Tour

A private hour-long ghost walk through the streets of Old Town Alexandria, courtesy of Alexandria Colonial Tours. Dressed in colonial garb, Jimmy Meritt will lead you through town by candlelight, giving a mixture of ghost stories, urban legends, folklore and history.

Starting Bid: $10.00
Value: $15/person

Donated by Alexandria ColonialTours

Flyfishing Expedition

Item #208
1 Winner

Brian McGough will take the winner for one day of fly fishing for trout on private water in Star Tannery, VA. Includes 24 hand-tied trout flies, tied by Brian.

Starting Bid: $75.00
Value: $130.00

Donated by Brian McGough

Stump the Preacher!

A Chance to Order the Sermon of Your Choice!

Item #301
1 Winner

Almost every UU has at one time or another sat in church and thought: "I really wish I could hear a sermon about…" Or maybe: "I can't imagine how you would do a sermon about…" So here's your chance. Rev. Wayne offers a sermon based on a title or theme of your choice, plus lunch on him to discuss your choice in greater depth. Date to be arranged at a time you can be there!

Starting Bid: $100.00
Value: priceless

Donated by Rev. Wayne

Prime Parking Space

Item #302
1 Winner

Imagine, no walk of shame for the next year! Gain minutes of sleep knowing you won't have to park next door! No forgetting that coat or umbrella you brought to church…you won't need them!

One prime parking space available by the entrance door of UUCS on Sunday mornings for Jan.–Dec. 2018.

Starting Bid: $100.00
Value: priceless

Star Quilt

Item #405
1 Winner

The Prayer Shawl Ministry is offering a stunning quilt designed and pieces by our members and professionally long arm quilted. The quilt pattern is called Moda Love and includes a large star within a star in vibrant hues of bright turquoise and deep purples. The quilting itself is done in variegated multi-colored thread. Come see it in person at the auction-no picture can do it justice. The quilt is 72 x 72 inches.

Starting Bid: $200.00
Value: $500.00

Donated by UUCS Prayer Shawl Ministry

Knitted Poncho

Item #407
1 Winner

Two-tone grey, soft washable wool, in knitted cable and lace design. Made by Noel Miriam.

Starting Bid: $30.00
Value: $70

Donated by Noel Miriam

Portrait of Abraham Lincoln

Item #410
1 Winner

Framed historic print of Abraham Lincoln by a famous portrait artist.

Starting Bid: $250.00
Value: $1,500.00

Donated by Bob Warfield

Art Commission

Item #411
1 Winner

Commission artist Denise Dittmar to create an acrylic painting for you. 12" x12 " portrait from photo; 16"x20" landscape from photo; or 18"x 24" abstract painting from your creative input.

Starting Bid: $100.00
Value: priceless

Donated by Denise Dittmar

“Autumn Scene” Painting

Item #414
1 Winner

Double matted and framed watercolor painted by Judy Gruner

Starting Bid: $75.00 each
Value: $185.00 each

Donated by Judy Gruner

Weekend in the Mountains

Item #501
1 Winner

Enjoy a retreat to the mountains for a glorious weekend! The Fitzgerald’s cabin is in Bryce Mountain Resort and is sure to please! 3 BRs, sleeps 7-8.

Starting Bid: $200.00
Value: $350.00

Donated by The Fitzgerald Family

Weekend at Bethany Beach

Item #504
1 Winner

November 2017 thru May 2018
at Judy Gruner's house in Bethany Beach

A weekend between November and May (excluding spring break) at Judy Gruner's beautiful beach house. Sleeps 8!

Starting Bid: $300.00
Value: $450.00

Donated by Judy Gruner

Organizing Services

Item #603
1 Winner

Do you or someone you know need to unclutter a room or area of your home? Let Nancy McCormick and Stephanie Roche help you organize. We will provide simple tools to help you sort and simplify. (5 hours)

Starting Bid: $50.00
Value: $175.00

Donated by Nancy and Stephanie

90-Minute Financial Planning Session

Item #604
1 Winner

I will address 2-3 of your financial questions or issues, and get you on the right path to move forward. You decide the agenda! We'll meet for 60-90 minutes (virtually or in person). I'll follow up with actionable recommendations for you following the meeting. Potential topics:

- *College saving strategies*
- *Emergency fund strategies*
- *What investments should I choose within my 401(k)?*
- *How to coordinate investment accounts across your household*
- *Am I invested in the appropriate investment vehicles?*
- *Prioritizing emergency fund vs.retirement savings vs. paying down debt*
- *Set up a cash flow analysis and budget system*

Starting Bid: $100.00
Value: $400.00

Donated by Alyssa Lum

Personalized Memoir Book

Item #607
1 Winner

Capture a memory in pictures and words. I'll work with you to create a memento to memorialize a loved one, a special event, or cherished vacation. After an in-person interview, I'll write up the details and create a printed, color memento book with your personal photos.

Starting Bid: $100.00
Value: $250.00 ($150 my time, $100 book printing)

Donated by Koren Barwis

SILENT AUCTION

(As of 11/15/17)

Fabulous Cuisine

103 Shelley's Vegetarian Lasagna Dinner *Spring 2018, TBA*
Lasagna with alfredo sauce, salad, garlic bread, dessert. I can accommodate gluten free diets. Donated by Shelley Tamres.
Min. Bid $15/person, 7 Winners *(Value $25)*

105 Japanese Dinner *Sat., 1/27/18*
Patty has cooked Chinese dishes since the mid 80's and recently has become interested in Japanese cooking. One cooking class in Kyoto, Japan earlier this year and she's ready to cook for you. Come taste many popular dishes, sample Japanese beer and sake (and American wine). Donated by Patty & Mike McKay.
Min. Bid $25, 4 winners *(Value $50/person)*

106 Clam Chowder Dinner *Sat., 9/15/18*
I have it on good authority this is THE BEST New England Clam Chowder recipe in the world! So if you like "chowdah", then this is the dinner event for you! At Kim Fitzgerald's home in Herndon. Donated by Kim Fitzgerald.
Min. Bid $10, 10 winners *(Value $15/person)*

107 Taco Dinner *TBA, Saturday in Spring 2018*
Join us on our screened-in back porch for a fiesta with tacos and family fun! The fantastic Friedson girls will be providing activities for your whole family. We have vegetarian options and can accommodate allergy restrictions. Donated by the Friedson family.
Min. Bid $10/person or $25/family, 4 adult & 6 child Winners *(Value $20/person or $50/family)*

108 Vegetarian Indian Dinner *Sat., 6/30/18*
Traditional Indian (vegetarian) dishes, sweets, and other refreshments. Donated by Michelle and Raj Badwar.
Min. Bid $30, 6 winners *(Value $75/person)*

110 Plant-Based Gourmet Dinner *Sat., 4/21/18 at 7pm*
You're invited to enjoy an international plant-based dinner – French, Armenian, Lebanese, and Turkish dishes – starting with a creamy soup and including stuffed grape leaves, eggplant dishes, tabbouleh, rice pilaf, zahtar bread and other surprises. And, several desserts with Turkish coffee. You will receive copies of all the recipes. Donated by the Lisa Covert.
Min. Bid $20/person, 6 Winners *(Value $50/person)*

112 **Australian Barbeque and Art** *Sun., 5/6/17, after church*
Directly after church, come over to my house for lunch. You will eat food inspired by Australia. Grilled shrimp will definitely be on the Barbie. You will also get to create your own original Aboriginal art painting. If you can hold a paint brush you will be successful in this art project. My background is elementary education so you are bound to learn something while you eat, paint and socialize on this adventure down under. Can't wait to see you there! Donated by Lisa Winter.
Min. Bid $10/person or $30/family, 9 Winners *(Value $50/person)*

114 **Seder** *Sat., 3/31/18, 5pm*
Yamulkas welcome! Join us for a traditional jewish seder on Saturday, March 31 beginning at 5pm. Though I was raised Catholic, my family always celebrated Seder the week before Easter and I am excited to share it with you. This beautiful ceremony retells the story of liberation of the jews from slavery in Egypt. In addition to wine, the menu includes matso ball soup, charoset (an apple based salad), bitter herbs, lamb and poppyseed bundt cake. Donated by Joan Johnson.
Min. Bid $10, 10 winners *(Value $20/person)*

Special Events

201 **Champagne & Chocolate Soiree** *Sat., 2/10/2018*
Dorine's famous annual party filled with champagne and chocolate. Always a great (and delicious) time. Donated by Doreen DiConti.
Min. Bid $25/person, 20 Winners *(Value $30/person)*

203 **Thrift Store Tour of Vienna and Lunch** *Sat., 10/27/2018*
With the help of Liz Schwatka, long-time Vienna resident and thrift store shopper extraordinaire, Bonnie, Nancy, and Stephanie will lead you on a tour of thrift stores in downtown Vienna, Virginia. Includes lunch. Donated by Bonnie Lepoff, Nancy McCormick & Stephanie Roche.
Min. Bid $20/person, 10 Winners *(Value $50/person)*

205 **Make-Ahead Meal Workshop** *TBA*
Have your meals for the next week already and new recipes, too! Here is what you will be preparing: Seafood, chicken, bean, and pasta dishes. These dishes lend themselves to substitutions (ie. vegetarian, etc.). Serving size is 4-6 (can be divided into smaller portions for smaller families). Participants will bring own meat/protein; a grocery list will be provided. We provide pantry items, spices, kitchen tools for preparation, and clean up! Appetizers and snacks will be served. You will be amazed how many meals you'll go home with. Donated by Lisa Winter.
Min. Bid $20/person, 6 Winners *(Value $40/person)*

206 **Electric Lunch** *Spring 2018 TBA*
You will ride in and drive an electric car. We will have lunch at a local sustainable eatery and perhaps visit the Tesla Store to learn more. Donated by Bill Roman.
Min. Bid $20/person, 3 Winners *(Value $40/person)*

209 Luncheon and Art Party *Sat., June 2, 2018*
Play with art and enjoy a vegetarian casserole, salad, and dessert. Learn some acrylic painting techniques and also play with collage. All materials will be provided including watercolor paper, canvas, paints, collage papers. Please feel free to bring your own materials to supplement. At Denise's home in Sterling. Donated by Denise Dittmar.
Min. Bid $25/person, 6 Winners *(Value $40/person)*

210 Potomac Heritage Trail Hike *Spring 2018*
Enjoy a spring afternoon hike observing flowers and budding trees along the Potomac Heritage Trail in Loudoun. What plants and animals will you see? Maybe tadpoles or a skunk cabbage? Choice of hike will depend on the amount of time and level of difficulty appropriate for group of winners. Donated by John Botts.
Min. Bid $20/person or $30/family, 10 Winners *($35/person)*

211 Middle East Appetizer Workshop with Lunch *3/10/18 at 10:30am*
Do you like Middle Eastern food? Learn how to make three of the most popular appetizers. This workshop will teach you how to make hummus, baba ghanoush, and Tzatziki. They are easy to make and will be fresh and delicious! Step by step recipes and lunch will be provided. Donated by Lisa Covert & Bonnie Lepoff.
Min. Bid $30/person, 6 Winners *($50/person)*

212 Introduction to Knitting *3 Sundays, 1/28, 2/11 & 2/25 at 12:30pm*
Join us for a fun-filled initiation into the world of knitting! Instruction will be offered in three sessions of 2 hours each (6 hours total) to knit a small project, experiment with different yarns, and learn to select patterns, yarn, and needles for your knitting projects. Class schedule: Sundays in 2018 on 1/28, 2/11, and 2/25, from 12:30 - 2:30 pm. Optional fee for materials. Donated by Susan Lopez and UUCS Prayer Shawl Ministry.
Min. Bid $25/person, 6 Winners *($80/person)*

Items

303 Two Homemade Seasonal Pies (each winner)
Enjoy Susan's famous pies! Four people will receive two pies each: your choice of rhubarb, apple, peach, pumpkin, etc. Delivered to you at church. Just return pie plate to Susan. Donated by Susan Rose.
Min. Bid $20, 4 Winners *(Value $40)*

304 Wine Basket
Book: Wine for Dummies, bottle opener, wine stoppers, pourers, charms for glasses, 2 wine glasses, etc., 2 bottles of wine in a basket. Anonymous donor.
Min. Bid $25, 1 Winner *(Value $45)*

305 Bella Perlina Bracelet
From England; silver, turquoise, and pearl in color. Donated by Yvonne Centala.
Min. Bid $45, 1 Winner *(Value $115)*

306 Candied Pecans
The sugared pecans are a crispy and (relatively) healthy treat. They are made with Georgia pecans from Koinonia Farms and are vegan. Made and donated by Kristen Harper.
Min. Bid $10, 10 Winners *(Value $20)*

307 Antique Children's Rocking Chair
Beautifully kept, upholstered children's rocking chair. Donated by Nancy McCormick.
Min. Bid $40, 1 Winner *(Value $100)*

308 Homemade Limoncello
Homemade double distilled, triple filtered Limoncello. Steeped with organic lemons and blended with homemade simple syrup. Made and donated by Jason Rios.
Min. Bid $20, 1 Winner *(Value $*40.00*)*

309 Marin Bucket Bag by Stella & Dot
This bag offers a unique twist on a classic bucket style. With eye-catching scalloped edges and removable multi colored canvas pouch, this bag is versatile and pairs well with any outfit. Measurements: 7 1/2" Height x 10 1/2" Length x 5 1/2" Depth x 22" Strap Drop Exterior: Navy synthetic/leather blend Interior: Leather Lining: Removable multi-colored canvas pouch Hardware: Shiny Gold. Donated by Sharon Coviak.
Min. Bid $35, 1 Winner *(Value $90)*

310 Great Harvest Bread Basket
Includes a basket with several items plus a gift card for a free Loaf-a-Month for a year! Donated by Great Harvest Bread Company, Herndon.
Min. Bid $40, 1 Winner *(Value $100.00)*

311 Book Group's Basket of Books
10 books and 2 Audiobooks. Includes *Bittersweet* by Barr; *Road to Little Dribbling* by Bryson; *Twelve Steps to a Compassionate Life* by Armstrong; *The Big Rich* by Burrough; *Bicycles* by Giovanni; *Four Frontiers* by Heinlein; *Japanese Women Don't Get Old or Fat* by Moriyama; *The Selma Awakening* by Morrison-Reed; *Evil* by Morrow; *Born a Crime* by Noah; *The Boy that Harnessed the Wind* by Kamkwamba; *My Name is Lucy* by Strout; *The Help* by Stockett. Donated by UUCS Book Club.
Min. Bid $40, 1 Winner *(Value $100.00)*

312 Retro Games
Board games that you played when you were young. Includes- travel -size Othello, travel-size chess, travel-size Scrabble, Trivial Pursuit - Millenium edition, Treasures of The Smithsonian Game, UU oriented puzzles and chocolate candy. Donated by Bonnie Lepoff.
Min. Bid $20, 1 Winner *(Value $50.00)*

313 Christmas Basket
Get ready for the holidays! Includes white house ornaments, candles, cookie tray, vintage Xmas book, holiday soup bowls, and more. Donated by Bonnie Lepoff.
Min. Bid $20, 1 Winner *(Value 50.00)*

314 Kitchen Gadget Basket
Kitchen gadgets galore! Includes electric mincer, eclectic oil and vinegar bottles, cherry pitter, candy thermometer, melon scooper, and so much more. Donated by Bonnie Lepoff.
Min. Bid $25, 1 Winner *(Value $65.00)*

315 The Complete Works: An Arnason/Rolenz Autographed Library
As writers and editors, Rev. Wayne Arnason and Rev. Kathleen Rolenz have had a wide range of interests and have produced an eclectic small library of books about topics in Unitarian Universalism. Their works, together and separately, include: *We Would be One: A History of the UU Youth Movements, Worship That Works, Christian Voices in Unitarian Universalism, Buddhist Voices in Unitarian Universalism, Sources of Our Faith,* and *Restored to Sanity*. Your collection will be inscribed and signed by the authors. Donated by Rev. Wayne Arnason and Rev. Kathleen Rolenz.
Min. Bid $100, 1 Winner *(Value $150.00)*

316 Model of North American Aviation P-51 Mustang
Donated by Bob Warfield.
Min. Bid $125, 1 Winner *(Value $250.00)*

317 Antique Typewriter
Donated by Bob Warfield.
Min. Bid $25, 1 Winner *(Value $75.00)*

318 Rain Stick
Donated by Ruth McDonald.
Min. Bid $15, 1 Winner *(Value $40.00)*

319 Fishing Gear
Donated by Bob Warfield.
Min. Bid $60, 1 Winner *(Value $140.00)*

320 Model of Ju 87B
Donated by Bob Warfield.
Min. Bid $75, 1 Winner *(Value $75.00)*

Fine Art & Handmade Crafts

401 Tropical Scene Stained Glass
Donated by Joan Nail.
Min. Bid $25, 1 Winner *(Value $60.00)*

402 Surfer Stained Glass
Donated by Joan Nail.
Min. Bid $25, 1 Winner *(Value $60.00)*

403 Framed Iris Etching
Beautifully matted and framed. Donated by Nancy McCormick.
Min. Bid $40, 1 Winner *(Value $100.00)*

404 Needlepoint Green and Pink Pillow
Made by award-winning embroiderer E.B. Kirkbride. 14x14 inches. Donated by E.B. Kirkbride.
Min. Bid $35, 1 Winner *(Value $100.00)*

406 Set of Hand-Decorated Note Cards & Envelopes
The cards are hand-decorated, some with stamps, ink and paint, and others with original black-and-white designs. Made and donated by Susan Reese.
Min. Bid $10, 1 Winner *(Value $25.00)*

408 UU Chalice Pillow
14x14-inch crewel worked pillow. Created and donated by Yvonne Centala.
Min. Bid $25, 1 Winner *(Value $150.00)*

409 Thailand Temple Rubbing
Framed vintage black and gold bas-relief Thai temple rubbing bought in Thailand and gifted to Susan. Donated by Susan Reese.
Min. Bid $20, 1 Winner *(Value $75.00)*

412 Mt. Fuji Over a Willow Bank by Hokusai
Woodblock print, illustrated book plate. Hokusai is the artist who did The Great Wave; print circa 1840. Donated by Mark Mohr.
Min. Bid $60, 1 Winner *(Value $150.00)*

413 "Out-door" Watercolor by Judy Gruner
Will be double-matted and framed. Donated by Judy Gruner.
Min. Bid $75, 1 Winner *(Value $185.00)*

415 Hand Knitted Hat and Scarf Set
Made and donated by Judy Gruner.
Min. Bid $25, 1 Winner *(Value $60.00)*

Travel

502 Women's Weekend in the Mountains *October 2018*
Enjoy a retreat to the mountains for a glorious weekend at the Fitzgerald's cabin in Bryce Mountain Resort. Donated by Kim Fitzgerald.
Min. Bid $35, 5 Winners *(Value $150)*

503 Weekend in Wilmington, NC with the Barneys *Summer 2018*
Spend a 3-day weekend as guests of Marlene and Tony Barney at their new home, three miles from the Carolina/Kure beached on the Atlantic. Near multiple golf courses and the town of Wilmington, NC. Continental breakfasts, one dinner, and wine/beer provided by your hosts. Guided tour of the area provided by your hosts (optional). Donated by Marlene and Tony Barney.
Min. Bid $100, Winners: 4 *(Value $750)*

Services

601 Portuguese, Spanish, or German Interpretation
Do you coach an immigrant child and need to discuss a concern with her mother, who only speaks Portuguese? Have you wondered what your great-grandmother's letters from Germany say? Would you like to have a conversation with the Salvadoran maintenance person that goes beyond "hi" and "bye"? Would you like to practice Spanish conversation? Terry and Andrea can help. You get two linguists for one low price. (Informal settings only, no legal work, no written translating. 90 minutes per session. Must be redeemed by 4/30/2018 at a location within reasonable distance from UUCS.) Donated by Andrea Grosse & Terry Dick.
Min. Bid $20, 3 Winners *(Value $40)*

602 One Private 60-90 min. Individualized Pilates Session
Pilates is an exercise methodology that focuses on building strong and flexible core muscles and challenging the core strength with limb movements. Exercises are performed on the mat or on machines offering resistance. An individualized 60-90 minute training session on equipment is being offered. Rosalie will teach you the exercise principles and a series of exercises on equipment including the Reformer and the Tower, a Cadillac-like extension of the reformer. The Stability chair or Ladder Barrel are also options. This session can be tailored to your interests including rehabilitation or athletic conditioning. The session will be in Rosalie's tiny, but well-equipped, personal home Pilates studio. Rosalie Clavez is a certified Pilates instructor who teaches at several area studios. Donated by Rosalie Clavez.
Min. Bid $40, 1 Winner *(Value $85)*

605 Violin Lesson
A 30-minute Suzuki or traditional violin lesson, with Nicole Fainsan, a professional violinist and teacher. The lesson can be either introductory (no violin needed) or customized to your playing level. In Nicole's home music studio. Her website is www.sterlingmusicforall.com. Donated by Nicole Fainsan.
Min. Bid $20, 1 Winner *(Value $35)*

606 Positive Parenting Session
Have a non-judgemental conversation with Rachel (a former therapist and current Parenting Specialist) about any parenting issue you are facing, such as improving behavior, building your child's self-esteem, staying calm even when kids are frustrating, etc. Identify a practical solution that will help you feel more confident and bring more peace and respect to your home. In Rachel's home or online. Donated by Rachel Bailey.
Min. Bid $50, 1 Winner *(Value $150)*

608 Up-cycle Sewing Project
Do you have a favorite piece of clothing or fabric material that you can't bear to part with? What if it was transformed into another useful item? I will sew you an upcycled item. It is beneficial for the environment, too! Donated by Stephanie Roche.
Min. Bid $20, 1 Winner *(Value $50)*

Last Minute Additions

701 Chili & Bridge Dinner *Sat., Jan. 20, 2018*
Come join us for an informal, fun night of Bridge and Food. We will provide chili, along with salad, cornbread & brownies! We will provide vegetarian and for those who are meat lovers, the traditional! In Mary and Al's home. Donated by Judy Gruner, Mary Matheny & Al Swett.
Min. Bid $25, 8 Winners *(Value $40)*

702 Apple Butter
Apple butter is made from apples picked from Kathee's orchard. John processes them using a slow cooker. Delicious! Donated by John Botts and Kathee Myers.
Min. Bid $10, 6 Winners *(Value $15)*

703 Beer Tasting *Sat., June 9, 2018, 6pm*
Explore a minimum of 5 beers and food pairings (selected by a certified cicerone). Gain an understanding of each beer and its corresponding food selection… or just drink and be merry because lets be honest—it's beer and beer is awesome! Donated by Sonia and Thomas Lorenz.
Min. Bid $20, 12 Winners *(Value $30)*