



## Auction 101

**Q: What, when, and where is the St. Thomas Auction & Gala?**

A: The STH Auction & Gala is a major fundraiser for St. Thomas High School, benefitting our current and future students. The 2022 Auction is on Saturday, November 5, 6:00 p.m., at St. Thomas High School.

**Q: What should I wear to the Auction & Gala?**

A: Let Hollywood inspire you – put on your award show-worthy best, dress as your favorite star of the silver screen, or be a member of the paparazzi!

**Q: What's the format of the Auction?**

A: Starting two weeks before Auction, you can browse and bid on the many Silent Auction baskets and items, support the Teacher Wish List, and sign up for Sociables via [BidPal](#) mobile bidding. You will be able purchase Raffle Tickets and “play” the Wine & Spirits Pull. Live Auction and Big Board will feature great vacations, dinners, special events and more. Golden Ticket purchase will only be available at Auction.

**Q: How can I sponsor and/or buy a table or tickets?**

A: A variety of Table and Sponsorship Levels will be available for purchase. To purchase a table and access sponsorship information [click here](#).

**Q: How can I help make the Auction a success?**

A: If you have something to donate, access the donor form [here](#), and contact a **Chair listed below**.

**Q: What's the Auction Raffle?**

A: Purchase your chance to win a custom-designed piece of jewelry. Only 100 raffle tickets (\$100 each) will be sold. You do not have to be present to win.

**Q: What's the Golden Ticket?**

A: Purchase your chance to take home the Live Auction item of your choice. Sales are only available at Auction. You must be present at Auction during the drawing at dinner.

**Q: What is a Sociable?**

A: A themed party hosted by a group of fun and generous STH parents. Spaces are limited, and all bidders who sign up win!

**Q: How can I support the Wine & Spirits Pull?**

A: We have two events benefitting the Wine & Spirits Pull. Bring a bottle or make a cash donation worth \$50+ to join the events. (You can also purchase a bottle at Specs event.)

- **Specs Cooler Experience** (4201 Smith St.) – Tuesday, August 30, 6:00 p.m. RSVP required/space limited
- **Football Tailgate** (The Grove; STH vs. Kinkaid game) – Friday, September 30, 6:00 p.m.

**Q: How can I help the Auction Committee?**

A: Sign up for [volunteer opportunities](#).

**Q: How is Auction information/updates communicated?**

A: Keep an eye out for the Auction & Gala newsletter, *Playbill*, communicated via Big Red News emailed on Wednesdays. Also, attend Auction All-Committee meetings, and Mothers' Club August, September and October meetings (dates announced via Big Red News).

[Click here](#) for the Auction & Gala webpage.

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