2026 AUTUMNFEST AUCTION ITEMS CATALOG

ARTICLES

A101 How Do You Like Them Apples?
Apple-lovers, rejoice! Two quarts of homemade pie filling along with Nana's pie crust recipe, gives you the ability to enjoy the wonderful apples of the fall season. These apples are from Fireside Orchard in Northfield, MN and there are 6 varieties of apples in each jar! Along with the pie filling you will receive homemade apple butter, apple chips and apple-themed kitchenware!
Valued at $100.00
Donated by Kelly Crocker, Helena McGevna, and Jeanne Sears

A102 Candle Warmer Lamp with Timer
Features an adjustable height design, integrated dimmer switch, and vintage aesthetic for jar candles.
Valued at $20.00
Donated by Jeanne Hills

A103 Four Passes for One Round of Miniature Golf
Four passes for one round of miniature golf at Vitense Golfland
Valued at $44.00 Good for one year
Donated by Vitense Golfland

A104 McIntosh Mugs
Fine Bone China Latte Mugs, 12.5 oz
Valued at $40.00
Donated by Jeanne Hills

A105 Madison Night Mares Terrace Seat Vouchers for Four + Four Night Mares Caps
Madison Night Mares Grandstand Seat voucher for 4 Terrace Seat tickets to a 2027 regular June and July Season. The coupon must be redeemed at the Mallards/Night Mares ticket office.
Valued at $72.00
Donated by The Madison Night Mares

A106 Mallards Terrace Seat Vouchers for Four + Four Mallards Caps
Mallards Grandstand Seat voucher for 4 Terrace Seat tickets to a 2027 regular season Madison Mallards game and two Mallards baseball caps. The coupon must be redeemed at the Mallards Ticket Office.
Valued at $72.00
Donated by The Mallards

A107 Garden Basket
Collection of useful items for your garden. Includes K&A $50 Gift Certificate.
Valued at $75.00
Donated by K&A Greenhouse

A108 Starbucks Gift Cards
Three Gift Certificates.
Valued at $10.00 each
Donated by Starbucks

A109 Cave of the Mounds Ticket Package
This Cave of the Mounds package of tickets includes one free adult admission, one free child admission, and a coupon for a complimentary bag of gemstone mining rough. The family walking tour of the cave follows paved and lighted walkways on a stroll that's easy for all ages. The constant 50-degree temperature makes the cave feel cool in summer and warm in winter. A fun family outing! Two lucky winners!
Valued at $52.00 each
Donated by Cave of the Mounds

A110 & A111 Madison Children's Museum Guest Passes
Play Pass for up to 4 guests; two lucky winners!
Valued at $60.00 each
Donated by Madison Children’s Museum

A112 & A113 Rutabaga Paddle Sports Rental
Two-Hour Canoe, Kayak or SUP Rentals.
Valued at $28.00 each
Donated by **Rutabaga Paddle Sports**

A114 Lovely Cutting Board and Wooden Spoons
This makes a sweet gift for Moms and Daughters.
Valued at $30.00
Donated by Jeanne Hills

A115 Learn Juggling Kit
This kit includes 48-page instruction book and three juggling Balls.
Valued at $15.00
Donated by MTH Book Club

A116 Lucky Doug 12-in-1 Solar Powered Robot Building Kits Toys
12-in-1 STEM Solar Robot Kit for Endless Creativity: Build 12 different types of robots with this STEM robot kit for kids, including crawling, rolling, and floating models. This educational science kit encourages creativity, problem-solving skills, and early engineering thinking for kids ages 8+.
Valued at $20.00
Donated by MTH Book Club

A117 Pottery Cool Clay Studio
The Pottery Cool Clay Studio comes with everything you need to start right away. Create 6 beautiful projects, including a jewelry holder, a puppy picture holder, a turtle dish, a smartphone speaker, a cupcake pencil holder, and a pencil topper. Discover a whole new way to create with clay with the Pottery Cool Clay Studio!
Valued at $45.00
Donated by MTH Book Club

A118 – A119 Fused Glass Chalice Pendants
One is blue background and variegated chalice; two is red background and blue chalice.
Valued at $10.00 each
Donated by Gail Bliss

A120 SITKA Seafood Sampler Basket
A certificate for Wild Caught Seafood.
Valued at $134.00
Donated by SITKA Seafood Market

A121 Playlist Wars: a Music Game
Playlist Wars is a music game in which every player gets an equal crack at the soundtrack.
Valued at $55.00
Donated by Terri Pepper

A122a – A122c Basket of Mini Jams
An assortment of four 4/oz jars of jams, jellies, marmalades, and conserves. **Three lucky winners!**
Valued at $25.00 each
Donated by Stephanie Lent

A123a – A123c Jam Basket – 8 OZ Jars
An assortment of five 8/oz jams, jellies, marmalades, and conserves. **Three lucky winners!**
Valued at $60.00 each
Donated by Stephanie Lent

A124 Simple White vase on a bamboo platform
Elegant white vase on a bamboo platform. Beautiful as a room accent or as a container for reed diffuser sticks.
Valued at $30.00
Donated by Tamara Brognano

A125 Vintage Inlaid Wood Large Serving Tray
Beautiful wood tray for serving and artful display.
Valued at $120.00
Donated by MTH Book Club

A126 Vintage Sunbeam Mixmaster Mixer
A Professional Sunbeam Mixer, complete and in excellent condition.
Valued at $250.00
Donated by MTH Book Club

A127 Handmade Wooden Shelf
A recycled wood pallet was crafted into a unique and useful shelf.
Valued at $30.00
Donated by Carolyn Sanders

A128 Monster 50" Super Snow Tube
Big enough for two sliders!
Valued at $35.00
Donated by Cheryll Mellenthin

A129 Everlast Prospect 2 Youth Boxing Gloves
New improved glove design specifically tailored for younger hands.
Multilayered foam padding
Valued at $30.00
Donated by Dicks Sports

A130 Adidas Starlancer Club Soccer Ball #4
Master your footwork and dream big with this Adidas Starlancer Club #4 ball that's perfect for daily scrimmages and training sessions with your team.
Valued at $25.00
Donated by MTH Book Club

A131 American Girl Doll "Melody"
Melody, **NEW** in original box with her book and Meet outfit. Never unpacked!
Valued at $135.00
Donated by Dorit Bergen

A132 American Girl Doll "Mary Ellen"
Mary Ellen, **NEW** in original box with her book and Meet outfit. Never unpacked!
Valued at $135.00
Donated by Dorit Bergen

A133 Lego Friends "Flower Shop"
Nurture storytelling skills and creative play with the LEGO Friends Creative Flower Shop (42693) building toy for girls and boys ages 7 years old and up
Valued at $29.00
Donated by Dorit Bergen

A134 African Tote Bag
Made by a co-op in Ghana. Large, very well-made tote.
Valued at 50.00
Donated by Carol Ferguson

A135a – A135b Home-made Apple Pie: Ready to bake
Like the title says, it's an apple pie, from my amazing tree, that is assembled but unbaked. I can also bake it for you if you'd like. Two lucky winners!
Valued at $25.00
Donated by Anthony Reeves

A136 Los Cabos Mexico Pastel Painting by Ann Schaffer
Framed landscape 24"H x 32"W
Valued at $700.00
Donated by Ann Schaffer and Paula Bonner

A137 Olbrich Botanical Society Family Membership
Valued at $65.00
Donated by Olbrich Botanical Society

A138 Sidewalk Chalk Paint Set
Three bottles of washable chalk powder with roller.
Valued at $15.00
Donated by MTH Book Club

A139 National Geographic Super Gross Chemistry Set
A hands-on STEM kit from National Geographic for kids who enjoy science with a delightfully yucky twist. It includes materials for 15 gross-themed experiments, with instructions for 30 additional activities using common household products.
Valued at $65.00
Donated by MTH Book Club

A140 Magic Garden
Original canvas print photograph, 12” x 18”.
Valued at $25.00
Donated by Dave Weber

A141 Jungle Culture Sets
Two Bamboo Cutlery Sets: Zero Waste Travel Utensils with Straw & Bag.
Valued at $15.00 each
Donated by MTH Book Club

A142 Smithsonian Eco Dome Habitat Ages 8+
Budding biologists and curious kids can build and explore their own living ecosystem with this multi-chamber habitat. The included bug catcher makes it easy to gather specimens, while interconnecting tubes let young naturalists observe how different creatures move, burrow, and interact with their environment. With a rainforest container, aquariums, and an ant hill chamber, the kit provides a hands-on introduction to environmental science and the study of animal behavior.
Valued at $70.00
Donated by Cheryll Mellenthin

A143 NOOK HD+ Reader
Pre-owned B&N reader in box with carrying case.
Valued at $15.00
Donated by Cheryll Mellenthin

A144 SWISSGEAR Wenger Maxxum 16 Laptop Business Travel Backpack Black Red
Heavy duty, multiple zippered pockets and more.
Valued at $35.00
Donated by MTH Book Club

A145 Earth in Hot Water
This is a handcrafted Susan Werner Stamp Pin. Soft way to make a statement!
Valued at $50.00
Donated by Lloyd Eagan

A146 Sweet Space Necklace and Earrings
Artist has shown at Art at the Wright Place – very light wood and delish to wear.
Valued at $38.00
Donated by Lloyd Eagan

A147 Fragile Earth
Show your care of Mother Earth by wearing this pin.
Valued at $25.00
Donated by Lloyd Eagan

A148 Lavendar in Bloom
Glass bead necklace and earring set in Lavendar and Gold.
Valued at $75.00
Donated by Lloyd Eagan

A149 Mexican Folk Art Plate
Beautiful large Mexican folk art serving plate. Stand included.
Valued at $75.00
Donated by Pat and Lloyd Eagan

A150 Landmark Pin and Earrings
Stunning Paulette S. Werger pin and earrings made from FUS Landmark copper roof pieces.
Valued at $100.00
Donated by Pat and Lloyd Eagan

A151 Blue and Gold Ecuadorian Earrings
Basket weave earrings from Ecuador.
Valued at $35.00
Donated by Lloyd Eagan

A152 Autumn Touch
Autumn-themed bracelet and earrings.
Valued at $100.00
Donated by Lloyd Eagan

A153 Sea Glass and String of Pearls
Delicate silver necklace with a net that caught sea glass and pearls.
Valued at $50.00
Donated by Lloyd Eagan

A154 Zuni Bear Fetish Necklace and Bear Earrings
Grin and "Bear it". Items belonged to Lloyd's mother who was an avid collector of SW Indian jewelry.
Valued at $200.00
Donated by Lloyd Eagan

A155 Print: The First Snowfall
14" x 18" reproduction of felted art created by Sandi Wysock. Sandi is a local fiber artist whose work has been displayed at Art Fair on the Square, the Third Ward Art Festival, Spring Green and various art galleries. This print is a photo of the original reproduced on acid free paper. It is matted to 14 x 18.
Valued at $85.00
Donated by Sandi Wysock

A156 Black and White Felted Purse
This is a one-of-a-kind felted purse created by fiber artist, Sandi Wysock. The purse is lined with a zipper closure. The black purse has a contemporary white design on the exterior. The purse is 9 1/2" x 13" x 4" with double handles.
Valued at $150.00
Donated by Sandi Wysock

A157 Picnic Backpack
Leather backpack filled with plates, tools and all items needed for a family picnic in the park.
Valued at $75.00
Donated by Lois and Chuck Evenson

A158 Collection of Vintage Garden Wildlife Books
Lovely collection of books with ideas and inspiration for your gardening goals with local wildlife.
Valued at $35.00
Donated by MTH Book Club

A159 FUS T-Shirt
Short-sleeved, one-of-a-kind, collectable FUS T-shirt.
Valued at $35.00
Donated by Patty Witte

A160a – A160c Beautiful Fragranced Candles
Lovely candles for any occasion.
Valued at $20.00 each
Donated by Annemarie Ferrari

A161 Lynn's of Madison Adult Art Supplies
Art how to books, Watercolor set, drawing paper, and other art supplies.
Valued at $80.00
Donated by Lynn's of Madison

A162 Beautiful Handmade Quilt
Colorful, playful quilt, 3-1/2' x 4-1/2'. Crafted by Becky Burns. For the wall or throw.
Valued at $100.00
Donated by Leslie Ross

A163 Lennon in Prague
Framed and signed photo of John Lennon's portrait on the Lennon Memorial Wall in Prague. The Wall represented not only a memorial to John Lennon but was a monument of free speech and the non-violent rebellion of Czech youth. Frame size is 22" x 28".
Valued at $120.00
Donated by Jane Richardson

A164 Mancala Game from Pressman Premium Classics
A game of judgement, strategy and patience.
Valued at $15.00
Donated by Dayle Haglund

A165a – A165j Originally Designed Sewn Zippered Cases
Sewn cases for many uses, some with practical contents, all in colorful fabrics. Made with love.
Valued at $10.00 each
Donated by Dayle Haglund

A166 A Lovely Basket of Locally Produced (edible/drinkable) Treats
Valued at $80.00
Donated by Nancy and Andy Kosseff

A167a – A167b Jigsaw Puzzles Over 500 Pieces
Beautiful variety of gently used jigsaw puzzles of 1000 pieces.
Valued at $50.00 each set
Donated by Terri Pepper and Rachel Avery

A168 Jigsaw Puzzles Under 500 Pieces
Beautiful variety of five gently used jigsaw puzzles, 500 or fewer pieces.
Valued at $50.00
Donated by Terri Pepper and Rachel Avery

A169 Print: Sunny Iris
16" x 20" reproduction of felted art created by Sandi Wysock. Sandi is a local fiber artist whose work has been displayed at Art Fair on the Square, the Third Ward Art Festival, Spring Green and various art galleries. This print is a photo of the original reproduced on acid free paper.
Valued at $85.00
Donated by Sandi Wysock

A170 Tea and Poetry
Handcrafted teacups with a matching teapot, tea and a book of lovely poetry.
Valued at $100.00
Donated by Janet Swanson

EVENTS

E101 Badger Men's Basketball Tickets Nov 2
Badger Men's Basketball versus **Denver**. Monday, November 2. Two great seats in Row A, seats 1 & 2 of Section 220 (first row on aisle of second level at Kohl Center overlooking the visitor bench.)
Valued at $100.00
Donated by Paul and Lari Fanlund

E102 Badger Men's Football Tickets Nov 7
Four seats on the 50-yard-line football tickets with parking.
Rutgers game, Saturday, Nov. 7, Section E row 35 seats 26-29
Valued at $800.00
Donated by Paul and Lari Fanlund

E103 Badger Men's Basketball Tickets Nov 15
Badger Men's Basketball versus **Coastal Carolina**, Sunday, Nov 15. Two great seats in Row A, seats 1 & 2 of Section 220 (first row on aisle of second level at Kohl Center overlooking the visitor bench.)
Valued at $100.00
Donated by Paul and Lari Fanlund

E104 Badger Men's Basketball Tickets Feb 3
Badger Men's Basketball versus **Oregon**, Wednesday, Feb 3. Two great seats in Row A, seats 1 & 2 of Section 220 (first row on aisle of second level at Kohl Center overlooking the visitor bench.)
Valued at $200.00
Donated by Paul and Lari Fanlund

E105 Culinary Dinner Theater
Join us on a weekend evening! Culinary Dinner Theater is DelecTable's signature event, where the chef is the star, our sommelier, and mixologists the co-stars, and you, our guests, are the audience, and your palates the judges. Our chef and his team will prepare a multi-course feast right before your eyes, bringing out the best flavors using the freshest local ingredients and pairing the meal perfectly with wine and spirits. We invite you to take a seat at our table for a fine dining experience that is sure to arouse the senses and awaken the palate.
Valued at $160.00 **for two guests**
RESTRICTIONS: Expiration date is April 30, 2027
Donated by VomFASS

E106a – E106b Comedy on State
Comedy on State gift certificate for 2 FREE Admissions. Reservations required.
Expires: 10/25/2027. Two lucky Winners.
Valued at $50.00 each
Donated by Comedy on State

E107 Early Spring Birding Walk
Guided 9:00am bird walk with avid birder to see the spring birds in the Lakeshore Preserve. Learn a bit about bird identification. Sat, April 17. Rain date April 18. Up to 8 Lucky winners!
Valued at $100.00
Donated by Trudy Karlson

E108a – E108f Death Over Dinner FUS Style

How we want to die is an important and costly conversation that many of us want to have but struggle to start. This won't be a morbid conversation, but a human one, where we consider what we want, both in our present lives and their inevitable end. Let's talk about death and dying -- so we can lean into any fears we might have, get rid of inhibitions, and build deeper connections. This gathering is for folks who are interested in having deep and curious conversations with others in our community while sharing a delicious meal together. These conversations are for folks who want to approach the reality of their mortality consciously and in alignment with their values. We have modeled our offering after the project "Let's Have Dinner and Talk About Death" You will be hosted by Cricket Gage and Julie Swanson.
Friday, December 11, 2026, from 6PM – 8pm.
Location: Cricket's home in Middleton
8 Lucky Winners
Value $25.00
Donated by Julie Swanson and Cricket Gage

E109a – E109g "In the Midst of Winter" Garden Party

Celebrate the gardening season just as seed catalogs begin to arrive this winter. Soup and bread offerings along with sweets and teas from the harvest; seeds, houseplants, gardening magazines and books for swapping; discussions of last year's gardens; recipes made from your CSA, farmers markets, and garden harvests; attracting birds and bees; composting; and shared experiences. This will be held at Jen's House on the Northeast side of Madison (about 3 minutes away from MATC & airport). Please provide details to Jen of the best way to contact you closer to the event along with any dietary preferences.
"In the midst of winter, I found there was, within me, an invincible summer." - Albert Camus
Saturday, January 16, 1pm. Up to 7 lucky winners!
Valued at $35.00
Host: Jen Gaber

E110a – E110f Pizza and Poetry

How about a Detroit-style sour dough pizza and a sourdough sour cream apple dessert party? One pizza will be made with traditional toppings of brick cheese, pepperoni and marinara sauce; a second pizza will be veggie toppings, i.e. mushroom, bell peppers, and onions, with brick cheese. The conversation will focus on our favorite poets, and you are invited to read one or two passages of these poets. I will have some craft beer options, but you are encouraged to bring your favorite beverage for the occasion. Friday, December 4.
Six lucky winners!
Valued at $30.00
Hosts Jim and Cherry Langford

E111a – E111o Knit and Nosh at Night!
Join us at this darkest time of the year for some candlelight, crafting, and companionship. We will gather in front of the Gaebler fireplace, share in cozy, comfort foods and drinks, and warm ourselves with our fiber crafts and friends, new and old. Bring your projects and join us for the light of community and the love of crafting! Saturday, January 23, 6:30 – 8:30pm.
Up to 15 Lucky Winners!
Valued at $30.00
Hosts: Kelly Crocker and Barb Avery

E112 Children's Theater of Madison A Christmas Carol – Two Mezzanine Tickets
Our signature production transports audiences into the world of Charles Dickens' Victorian England and the miserly Ebenezer Scrooge. Join us as the ghosts of Scrooge's past, present, and future teach him about generosity and the joy of giving! A Madison tradition for over 40 years with a message that still resonates today. Saturday, December 12 – Wednesday, December 23.
Valued at 120.00
Donated by Children's Theater of Madison

E113 Drag Bingo
ALL AGES are invited to join us for lighthearted fun as we gather for bingo with DJ Dee Domino and Cass Marie Domino. We will play 10 rounds of Bingo, there will be prizes, refreshments will be served, and the entertainment will be out of this world! At FUS!
Friday, November 13, 6:30 – 8:30pm. **Up to 40 Lucky Winners!**
Valued at $20.00
Hosts: Welcoming Congregation Team

E114a – E114j Beatles House Party
Relive February 1964 when four lads from Liverpool landed in New York and 73 million Americans watched them on "Ed Sullivan". Pop music was never the same. A live set of Beatles favorites by Alyssa Ryanjoy, Jim Schewe, and Dave Welo. Enjoy gourmet snacks, cocktails, and mocktails provided by Mike and Winnie Ryanjoy. Bonus: the top bidder picks a song for the jam session and takes home a beautiful book of Paul McCartney's lyrics as poems!
January 23rd 4-7pm **Up to 10 Lucky Winners**
Valued at $85.00
Donated by: Alyssa Ryanjoy and Friends
Home of Anya & Mike Lienau

E115 Peace Love and Barbecue
Yes, it's back! The long running barbecue dinner for meatatrian Universalists! The menu is simple: perfectly smoked barbecue ribs, delicious cole slaw and freshly baked corn bread, washed down with good company and a locally made microbrew. Simple and so good.
This event will likely be a Friday evening in August. **Up to 40 Lucky Winners!**
Valued at $40.00
Hosts: Roberta Carnes, Ann Gullickson and Dan Carnes

SERVICES
S101 Sermon Topic of Your Choice and Lunch
Revs. Kelly C and Kelly AJ for lunch at the location of your choosing and discuss your ideas for a sermon. They will then craft a sermon around the theme of your choice, and promise that it might be profound, insights!
Valued at $250.00
Donated by Team Kelly

S102 & S103 $200 Isthmus Eats Meal Kit Gift Certificate
$200 Isthmus Eats Gift Certificate meal kit delivery service. **2 Lucky Winners!**
Valued at $200.00 each
Donated by Isthmus Eats

S104 Be Inspired Salon
$50 Gift Certificates
Valued at $50.00
Donated by Be Inspired Salon

S105 Airplane Adventure and Sight-seeing Flight over Madison
Welcome Aboard. Pilot Rudy will soar his guests over the prairies, farm fields, ridgetops, and waterways of beautiful Dane County in this once-in-a lifetime adventure. This air adventure is available for three guests aboard Rudy's plane. **You pick the date.**
Valued at $200.00
Donated by Rudy Moore

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Drag Bingo
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Hosts: Welcoming Congregation Team

Wisconsin Men's Basketball
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Pizza and Poetry
Homemade pizza and sourdough sour cream apple dessert party, mixed with conversations and favorite poets. **Friday, December 4**
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Beatles House Party: Beatles Night: Documentary, Live Jam Session, Gourmet Snacks and Drinks January 23, 4-7pm
Hosted by Anya & Mike Lienau

Knit and Nosh at Night!
Saturday, January 23 at FUS (Gaebler Living Room).
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