

***THE MORE WE GIVE OF ANYTHING
THE MORE WE SHALL GET BACK.***

- GRACE SPEARE

Dear Carnegie families,

It's that time of year again. It's time to ask yourself, "What can I contribute to the Carnegie PTO Gala and Auction?"

In the past, we have had creative and fun additions to the auction tables – car services, parties, homemade meals, and vacation homes, just to name a few. So put on your thinking caps.

Do you have a hobby you can share with others – photography, bird watching, fishing, etc.? Do you own a business – dry cleaning, house cleaning, car wash, etc.? Do you frequent salons, restaurants, or shops that might be willing to contribute to our auction? Do you have access to a vacation home, a boat, or tickets to events? Do you have a skill you could teach to another – speak a foreign language, play an instrument, play a sport, cook a great meal — or a service you could provide? Would you like to host a party for a group of Carnegie parents or kids? Be creative! Everyone has something to share, and there will be someone else who will want to pay money for it!

The annual Carnegie PTO Gala and Auction is scheduled for Saturday, February 2, 2008 at Treebeards in Market Square. With your help and attendance, it should be a fun and successful fundraiser.

Use the enclosed form to tell us what you can do. Nothing is too small or too large. We will group items together to make enticing packages, so no one has to worry about items being left on the table. That's all there is to it! The committee will do the rest. Just come and enjoy yourself – visit with other parents and browse through the auction tables.

If you have any questions, please call Pat McEnery (Carnegie Auction Chair) at 713/661-8678 or email her at mceneryp@swbell.net or fax the attached form to Attn: Pat McEnery at 713/797-0992. We look forward to hearing from you!

Meanwhile, save the date: Saturday, February 2, 2008 at 7 p.m.!

Many thanks,
Carnegie Vanguard High School PTO
Auction Committee