



September 2017

Dear Friends of St. Paul School,

We are preparing for the **Annual Dinner and Benefit Auction, "Havana Nights"** our school's biggest and most important fundraising event of the year. The event will be held on Saturday, March 3, 2018.

St. Paul School celebrates its 63rd year of providing a quality Catholic education to a diverse ethnic, religious, and socio-economic, Pre-Kindergarten through 8th grade student population. Our mission is to shape our students into capable and caring citizens with a profound understanding of their faith and service to others.

How can you get involved?

A donation to our auction will be an investment in the most important gift we can give our children...a quality education. We invite you to support our school by:

- Donating an auction item
- Making a monetary donation
- Placing an advertisement or personal announcement in our auction catalog
- Attending the auction (\$40 pp/\$320 for a table of 8)

Being a donor will provide your business increased visibility among our families, their friends, and neighbors. We anticipate welcoming over 200 attendees which would give you great community exposure. All donors receive recognition in the auction catalog and the school website – www.seattlestpaul.org. Most importantly your partnership helps St. Paul School provide a first-rate education to the leaders of tomorrow.

We couldn't do it without your support!

Your generous donation of goods, services, and/or underwriting dollars will go towards closing the gap between tuition revenue and the actual cost of educating current and future St. Paul students. Your contribution – big or small – will make a difference.

The deadline to secure advertising space and to donate auction items is **Thursday, January 18, 2018**. Return your completed procurement form and procurement item(s) to: St. Paul School, Attn: Auction Committee, 10001 57th Ave S., Seattle, WA 98178. We are a 501c nonprofit corporation which is not funded by public dollars.

Thank you on behalf of our students and faculty for your interest and support of our school. Please feel free to call us at 206.725.0780 or email auction@seattlestpaul.org if you have any questions or need more information.

Sincerely,

Lara Mae Chollette
Arlene Guzman Cooper
Auction Co-Chairs

Betsy Kromer McCormick
Principal, St. Paul School

Enclosure

