



GREATER SEATTLE CHAPTER  
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR  
CATERING AND EVENTS



Greetings,

The Greater Seattle Chapter of NACE Annual Fundraiser & Gala will be held on April 19, 2018 at The Golf Club at Newcastle in Newcastle. Year after year, this noteworthy event draws incredible support from members of our local event professionals industry, along with many of the area's top companies, entrepreneurs and philanthropic-minded friends. In order to ensure the success of this very important fundraiser, we are seeking contributions to help defray the costs associated with the event, so that all funds raised can go directly toward our remarkable educational sessions throughout the year along with our chosen beneficiary, Birthday Dreams.

Seattle NACE uses the funds we raise at this spectacular event to create and produce the outstanding educational programs you have come to expect, thus enabling us to hold true to our organization's mission statement: "to advance the catering and event industry and its professionals." In addition, a significant portion of the money we raise goes to support the efforts of community focused groups around the Seattle area. This year we will once again be partnering with Birthday Dreams, an organization dedicated to providing birthday party experiences to homeless children throughout the Puget Sound area. Birthday Dreams believes that all children, regardless of their situation, deserve to have a special day filled with joy and excitement just for them – and Seattle NACE could not agree more. Generous donors like you are the key to our success and make it possible for Seattle NACE to continue to support the mission of community organizations like Birthday Dreams. We hope that we can count on your support to help us in giving back to our industry and our community.

Here are some of the ways you can participate in this extraordinary event:

- ***Be an event partner*** – *Do you have a product or service that you would like featured during the auction? Talk to us about how you might be able to be a part of this fantastic evening.*
- ***Sponsor the bar*** – *You can be a part of the fun by donating the libations. We are looking for organizations that might like to donate wine, beer or spirits to be enjoyed during the silent auction.*
- ***Become a wine sponsor*** – *We are looking for a wine sponsor that would like to have their wine featured on the dinner tables or as fun prizes for our silent auction.*
- ***Donate a dessert*** – *Feeling decadent? We will need quite a few desserts for our Dessert Dash this year.*
- ***Auction items*** – *Of course one of the most critical elements of the success of our fundraiser each year rests on this most crucial component. Gift baskets, experience packages, hotel stays, travel packages, treats, trinkets and all manner of items can be auctioned off during our silent or live auction. The more you donate, the more money we raise to support our organization and our community.*
- ***Any other way you might want to be involved*** – *just let us know! We welcome your talents, input, ideas and feedback to make this a greater success than ever!*

Your donation will be listed in our event program, as well as on the event website, and various sponsorship levels will be acknowledged leading up to and on the night of the event. Please mail your donation to either of the addresses on the included donation form, or call or email to pledge your support. We thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Amy Rathbone & Aaron Shook



Greater Seattle Chapter of the National Association of Catering and Events  
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**2018 AUCTION DONATION PROCUREMENT FORM**

April 19, 2017 – Golf Club at Newcastle

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

COMPANY NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ ESTIMATED VALUE OF ITEM: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

ITEM DESCRIPTION: *(Please note any restrictions, blackout dates, expiration dates, etc.)*

Item(s) will be delivered on \_\_\_\_\_  Sending item/gift certificate(s)

Gift Certificate(s) enclosed  Please call to arrange pick-up

Please return your item(s) by March 15, 2018.

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THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING YOUR GREATER SEATTLE CHAPTER OF NACE!!!