



BEAR'y Open XVI

GOLF ON ICE | DANCE PARTY | ONLINE AUCTION



Dear Community Businesses and Supporters,

As we move into 2023, we are still seeing the effects Covid-19 has had on food insecurity in our community. Yet we will not let that deter us from caring for one another and helping with community needs.

Therefore, through our upcoming online auction, we are putting all efforts into fundraising what we can for the White Bear Lake Food Shelf – where the need has never been greater.

- In 2016 the White Bear Area Food Shelf served 7,643 of our neighbors. In 2022 that number will exceed 22,000!
- In a typical year the Food Shelf serves around 67,000 people, nearly half of whom are children.
- Every \$1 donated to the Food Shelf can provide up to \$8 worth of healthy groceries for neighbors struggling with food insecurity.

We respectfully ask for your help. We need items for our auction and will showcase your item and business as a supporter of this community event. Please take a moment to consider donating an item, “experience”, or a cash donation. All gifts, no matter how great or small, are welcome. Enclosed is a donation form that contains the details.

The fundraiser will be available online February 1-4, 2023. We ask that your donations be sent in before January 25th, 2023.

We thank you for anything you can do for this important event.

Sincerely,

Pam Bowers and Patty Hall
Silent Auction Co-Chairs

**All proceeds of the auction
will benefit the White Bear
Area Food Shelf.**

White Bear Area
Food Shelf



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Name (First and Last): _____ Phone: _____

Donation Organization Name (if applicable): _____

Organization Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email (required): _____

Description of donation:

Approximate value: _____ Suggested minimum bid: _____

Instructions for submitting donations:

- Call for pick-up/drop-off: Patty Hall 651-303-7763
- Submit via email: phall@h2oforlifeschools.org
- Submit via mail to: ONLINE AUCTION, Ken Galloway, 5920 Bayberry Dr, WBL 55110

To ensure your donation information can be displayed online, please return this form before January 25th, 2023.

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