

IMAGINE!

The 2027 FUSW Goods and Services Auction Fundraiser

Saturday, January 23, 2027 at 4:00 pm

Just think – imagine! – all that we have that can be shared with one another. What can you donate to the Auction? What would you be tempted to bid on? Here are some ideas to inspire you.

Please submit the description of your goods and/or services by December 15, 2026 to Denise Woodin (deniseuu23@gmail.com). A brochure will be prepared. Please include a description of the item, a photograph, beginning bid, and, if relevant, dates. Any questions? Feel free to contact Denise or Craig Butler (craigbutleruu@gmail.com).

Services and Skills

- A weekend or week-long stay at a summer home
- Pet Care or Baby Sitting
- Lessons: Music, voice, Spanish, French, Chinese, chess, poker, bridge, mahjong. Knitting?
- Body or foot massage
- Gardening consultation
- Transportation to an event or appointment in the tri-state area
- Cooking Classes: Indian, Italian red sauce, breads, baklava
- A computer tech support session

Experiences and Fellowship

- Host an event such as a musical performance, poker night, or other
- A picnic in a scenic spot
- A behind-the-scenes tour at a museum, garden or historical location
- A food walking tour

Food

- Host a dinner or tea at your home. Partner with a friend to make it more fun and easy. Pick a theme or cuisine, or not. (Please indicate number of guests.)
- Homemade meals and baked goods: Casseroles, soups, breads, cakes, brownies. Include a (secret?) recipe. For a future date or available at the Auction.

Donated Items

- Watercolor and oil paintings, and photographs. (Be sure to indicate number and size of artwork.)
- Tickets to a Broadway show or ballet or sport event. (Please indicate date and number of tickets.)
- Handmade quilts, knitted or crocheted items
- Furniture (gently used) such as a coffee table, table lamp, antique vase
- A themed gift basket: holiday, baby, sports, body care