



Dear MCS Family,

Preparations are underway for our annual school auction. We are delighted to announce our theme, “**Knight at the Carnival**”. We will gather at **The Rock Church** in Monroe On **Saturday, April 4, 2020**, for an adult-only evening with fellow parents, relatives, and friends of Monroe Christian School. This evening is filled with a silent auction, dinner, live auction, and the ever-popular Dessert Dash. It’s always a fun time with lots of laughter – plan to join us!

Our goal is to reach \$50,000 to make school-wide improvements to our classrooms and building, as well as supporting our general budget to keep tuition rates as reasonable as possible.

Each family’s participation is essential to the success of the auction.
How can you help?

1. It is important for every family at MCS to **make a contribution** to the auction. This can be done by making personal donations of cash, gift cards to a favorite shop or venue, or by providing gifts or services that could be used as an auction item. Please fill out our procurement form to submit with your contribution—the yellow copy belongs to you.
2. **Attend** the auction! Bring friends! RSVP right away when you receive the invitation.
3. **Reach out** to your community of friends, family members, and businesses you frequent for donations. We are celebrating with the community a Knight at the Carnival, which is a great opportunity for local businesses to showcase their goods and services.
4. **Volunteer your time**. Please join us and share your creativity, talent, and energy. Your time spent goes toward the minimum of 20 service hours required of families. If you would like to help with the auction, please contact Becky Werkhoven or Lita Timmerman at 360-794-8200 or email: secretary@monroechristian.org.

The donation deadline is Friday, March 21, 2020, so the time to begin procuring donations is now! If additional procurement forms are needed feel free to ask for more from the school office.

Thank you for helping make Monroe Christian School such a vibrant community.

Sincerely,
The MCS Auction Committee