

ALASKA PACIFIC UNIVERSITY
ANNUAL BENEFIT GALA
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 2013



AUCTION PREVIEW



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BID TO WIN.



HIGHLIGHTS

From the
Alaska Pacific University
Benefit Auction

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CHECK YOUR CALENDAR, make your guest lists, measure the walls! It's almost time for the APU Gala on June 19 and your chance to win exciting travel, fine art and dining, and only-at-APU adventures. Live and silent auction highlights presented here are only a selection of what's waiting for you to discover – and win! – on June 19. See you there!



2013 MERCEDES E350 SEDAN from Mercedes Benz of Anchorage

Ranked No. 1 of luxury cars in its class, your brand new 2013 Mercedes E350 sedan features silver exterior, black interior and the reliability and safety you expect from a Mercedes. The E350 offers composed handling and comfortable ride – a best choice luxury car for families. MSRP \$65,000. *Terms and conditions will apply.*



FLY EMIRATES to an AFRICAN PHOTO SAFARI

This trip includes round trip airfare (compiled between Emirates and Alaska Airlines) and a stay at the Vineyard Hotel & Spa in Cape Town, before heading off to a 7-day photo safari out of Johannesburg, South Africa. *Terms and conditions will apply.*



TRAVEL BY PRIVATE JET provided by Ed Rasmuson

You and 11 friends will fly in luxury to a destination anywhere west of the Mississippi River. Travel either September 5-8, 2013 or September 6-9, 2013. (Auction item is just for travel on the jet.) *Terms and conditions will apply.*



HAUL ROAD ADVENTURE

with a Carlile ice road trucker

Ride along with an ice road trucker from Fairbanks, through Coldfoot, over the Brooks Range, and on to Prudhoe Bay. Stay at the Prudhoe Bay Hotel, then tour Prudhoe Bay and the shore of the Arctic Ocean. Finally, enjoy a flight back to Anchorage with Era Alaska Aviation.



PRIVATE RAILCAR JOURNEY

on the Alaska Railroad

The private railcar *Denali* offers first-class luxury for retreats, wedding parties, entertaining VIPs or any special event that calls for a unique departure from the usual. This trip includes round-trip travel to Seward aboard the private railcar, which comfortably accommodates up to 16 guests. *Terms and conditions will apply.*



JOIN APU'S 'EXPEDITION ALASKA'

Join APU's first-time college students on a 158-mile float trip along the Yukon River during peak autumn season. Only at-APU academics will be combined with only-in-Alaska wilderness experiences, led by APU faculty. Four spaces available!



ULTIMA THULE LODGE: 3 night stay (including airfare from McCarthy)

Deep in the Alaskan wilderness is a lodge designed for adventure and enhanced by luxury. Your luxurious cabin is nestled on a hillside alive with flowers. After a long afternoon of exploring, hiking, skiing, fishing or flying, enjoy a wood-fired sauna. Everything is waiting for you. *Terms and conditions will apply.*



GOURMET DINNER PARTY

from APU Men's Ski Team

Enjoy a fun, relaxed, gourmet dinner party in your home, catered by the APU Men's Ski Team. Ski Team members will prepare a four-course meal, with beverages and entertainment for up to eight people.



GOURMET DINNER PARTY

from APU Women's Ski Team

Enjoy a fun, relaxed, gourmet dinner party in your home, catered by the APU Women's Ski Team. Ski Team members will prepare a four-course meal, with beverages and entertainment for up to eight people.



TRADITIONAL INUIT KAYAK

hand built by APU students

Traditional western-Greenland Inuit kayak, built by APU students under the guidance of master builder Maligiag Padilla. Sturdy construction from pine with red oak ribs and fir mask.



MISSION LODGE

3-night package for 2014-2015 season

On the shores of Lake Aleknagik in the heart of the Bristol Bay region, this is the classic Alaska fly-out lodge experience. Unsurpassed trophy fishing for salmon and trout, combined with deluxe facilities and sumptuous dining. Step out of everyday pressures and relax. *Terms and conditions will apply.*



ROBERT ARRINGTON PHOTOGRAPH

“Approaching the Summit”

24x36 aluminum print with float mount. The awe-inspiring summit of Denali, the tallest mountain in North America, comes into view, revealing her snowy peaks, glacial valleys and razor sharp vertical cliffs. Value: \$1,000



LIMITED EDITION YUROSZ PAINTED WINE BARREL

An original, unique mixed-media object of art. One of a limited edition of nine individually hand-painted wood wine barrels. Value: \$35,000



ROBERTO SANTO PAINTING

Vatican-commissioned artist Roberto Santo—sculptor, painter and photographer—has a keen eye for arresting design and an instinctive sense of structural balance. Following a career in the motion picture business, he moved to Tuscany, where he devotes himself to exploring and transcending artistic tradition.



ROBERT ARRINGTON PHOTOGRAPH “Golden Birch”

24x36 aluminum print with float mount. The afternoon sun illuminates a birch grove after a morning snow in Kincaid Park. Part of a series of images taken on December 21, 2010, winter solstice. Value: \$1,000



ROMANTIC OAHU ESCAPE

from Northern Air Cargo

Northern Air Cargo has generously coordinated and provided a six-night romantic escape to the Marriot Ihilani Resort & Spa on Oahu. This includes 80,000 Alaska Airlines miles and a \$2,000 gift certificate to the Marriot Ihilani Resort & Spa. www.ihilani.com. *Terms and conditions will apply.*



APU SKIERS' IRON CHEF COMPETITION

We're taking APU Nordic skiers off the trails and into the kitchen for a competition hosted by celebrity chef Al Livingston. Watch and enjoy the culinary talents as the Elite Women's and Men's teams battle it out! Buy your seat for this unique event—or bid for the head table and bring your friends!



SHIP PASSAGE

from Totem Ocean Trailer Express

Embark on a one-way passage for two aboard a Totem Ocean Trailer Express cargo ship between the Ports of Tacoma, Washington and Anchorage, Alaska. Quarters are the Owner's Stateroom with private bath and lounge area. Meals are served in the officers' dining room. *Terms and conditions will apply.*

WATCH FOR THESE OTHER EXCITING AUCTION ITEMS!

TAHITIAN PEARLS from the George Walton Gold and Diamond Company.

One strand of gray Tahitian pearls. There are thirty-five pearls tapering in size from 14.9mm to 11.1mm. The pearls are single knotted on silk cord with an 18K white gold clasp with diamond sprinkle. Retail value \$14,900.

PAINTING BY STEVE GORDON

CUSTOM-BUILT PLAYHOUSE designed and constructed by **Davis Construction/Kumin/SBS**

COLLECTOR'S EDITION STICKLEY WINE RACK and four hand blown wine glasses provided by **Elaine Baker & Associates**