



2012 Greyhound Gala Meeting October 19, 2011

The Gala meeting was held at 10 am. In the PTA room, and 7pm. at Alice Wasson’s home.

Members attending:

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| Alice Wasson | Cynthia Camerieri | Carol Froula | Jennifer Halloran |
| Kim DeBrock | Meg Williams | Christine Homoki | Amy Banks |
| Sue Larson | Meg Keener | Jamie Turner | Carrie Stribling |

Thank you for all of your input/feedback during the meetings last week and for your enthusiasm for getting donations.

Sponsorship Lead

We have our new Sponsorship LEAD! Welcome Carrie Stribling to our Gala committee! Carrie has lived in East Cobb for many years and will bring in Sponsors from our community as well as other contacts she has. Her email is gm2012gala@gmail.com

Hat Contest Winner

Gala hat contest winner is Annie Henry! The students voted for one of five student submitted hats and Annie’s won!



Reservations for the 2012 Greyhound Gala will be offered December 3rd at the Foundation Pancake Breakfast where we will begin pre-selling GALA tickets. Our incentives to buy before December 20th will be a reduced GALA ticket (\$30), free ice cream ticket for your child(ren) and a free raffle ticket (one per family) for a drawing at the Gala. We will advertise the pre-sale tickets on Facebook, Foundation website, take home, and a morning announcement. The Gala ticket price includes a carving station, supreme buffet, dessert, tea, and a cash bar to this adult only event. The Foundation website www.gmefoundation.org offers information on the 2012 Greyhound Gala. Reservations can be made via Pay Pal. Pricing is as follows:

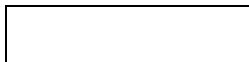
\$30 prior to December 22nd
 \$35 Dec. 21 – Feb. 3rd
 \$45 February 4th at Gala

We are also offering a Teacher Ticket Sponsorship Fund. This fund will be used to purchase tickets for those teachers who plan to attend the Gala. Families can donate to the fund (Not directly for a teacher). We hope the fund will cover 100% of teacher tickets. If it does not we will offer discounted pricing for teachers and staff. Pricing for the fund has options as follows:

\$30____ \$15____ \$5____ Other \$_____

On 1/11 we will do an eblast announcing tickets at regular price of \$35 per person followed by a take home invitation on 1/12.

Attached please find our Gala Team committee information listed by volunteer position. Our next Gala meeting will be held Nov. 15th on Tuesday at 10 am. in the PTA room and 7 pm. at Sue Larson’s home. A reminder will go out closer to the meeting so please RSVP when you receive the email.



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