

Ssshhhhh! Annual Silent Auction for Charity

*It's the MFSC 8th
Annual Silent
Auction for
charity and
scholarships!*

AUCTION BIDDING

Wednesday 9am – 8pm

Thursday 9am -7pm
in Green Room

Friday Morning
Winners
Announced



Come join the fun and help your MFSC earn funds this year for the **Little Mary's Hospitality House**, which is a non-profit charitable organization that offers FREE vacation / retreats to families who have children battling life threatening or terminal illnesses.

At the 28th Annual 2010 MFSC Conference, the Council presented the **Little Mary's Hospitality House** with a donation of \$3,259.50 that was raised by the conference silent auction.

Some of the items for auction include:

- Amway Grand Plaza, Grand Rapids MI; Plaza Dreams 1 Night Stay
- Ann Arbor Symphony — gift certificate for tickets
- Ann Arbor Hands on Museum, 4 tickets (family pack and green tote bag)
- Boyne Gift Certificate
- Carol Reeda Metal Art Gallery, Main Street, Ann Arbor
- Michigan Mitten shaped message Board
- Central Region Board (Wine Basket)
- Cherry Republic from Glen Arbor donating box of Goodies
- Cheryl Smith, autographed historic romance novel School for Brides
- Coopersville Farm Museum
- Dean Koontz, autographed novel
- Detroit Symphony, two tickets classical season
- Detroit Zoo, family 4 pack admission.
- Dominos – (2) gift cards and (2) t-shirts.
- Lansing Eastwood Towne Center Gift Card
- Mitchells Fish Market – discount certificate on (2) dinner entrees
- Elmo's tie-dyed t-shirts
- Express Office and Mower
- Firekeepers Casino – (2) buffet tickets & (2) rolls of quarters
- Ford Museum – (4) free admissions
- Four Winds Casino – Dinner gift certificate
- Fun Time Adventure Time gift certificate
- Gilmore Car Museum - (2) free admissions
- Grand Rapids Griffins - (4) tickets
- Grand Rapids Children's Museum – (4) tickets)
- Kellogg Hotel & Conference Center (MSU) dinner gift certificate.
- Kickers/Joey's Comedy Club, (5) pair of tickets
- Lansing Symphony Orchestra, gift certificate for two tickets any concert 2011/2012 season
- Mackinaw Island Carriage tours - (2) adult tickets.
- Magnolian Barbeque – (4) gift cards
- Mary Kay Perfume
- Merrino (Ruth) prints
- Michigan State ball signed by Izzo
- OCS Managers, tub of beer
- OCS 10th Floor Operations, gift basket
- OCS Employee Recognition Team donation
- *Nature from your Back Door* Book
- R.E. Olds Transportation Museum – (2) Family Memberships
- Selo/Sheval Gallery (Ann Arbor) - Pottery Vase
- Senator Carl Levin – (2) commemorative stamps
- Seyfrieds Jewelers - (Ann Arbor) - sports watch
- Smoky Mountain Knife Works – (2) knives
- Southeast Region Board Basket
- Southwest Region Board (Donation)
- Spotted Dog Café (Lansing) - gift certificate
- Starbucks (Ann Arbor) - goodies basket
- Tastefully Simple Basket
- Ted-Dee's Sandwich Shop – (2) gift certificates for a free sandwich
- The Peanut Shop
- The Purple Rose – (2) tickets
- Toledo Mud Hens Baseball Club – (4) Field Level Seats

Little Mary's Hospitality House

Established in 1982, **Little Mary's Hospitality House** is a non-profit charitable organization for families who have children battling life threatening or terminal illnesses and exists solely through private donations.

Mission:

Little Mary's Hospitality House is a FREE vacation / retreat for families who have children battling life threatening or terminal illnesses. This six apartment complex, established in 1982, helps families cope with the mental and physical stresses pertaining to their illnesses.

History:

Little Mary's Hospitality House was established in memory of three year old Mary Catherine Fischer who died of a terminal brain tumor in 1982.

Remembering the last wonderful vacation they took with Mary and their eight other children, the Fischer's decided to find a way to provide a memorable vacation for other families dealing with special needs children.

This facility is a year round family oriented, FREE vacation located in Wellston, Michigan on Crystal Lake. It serves families who have children with catastrophic, debilitating, life threatening or terminal illnesses. Families who have lost a child through illness and terminal adults are welcome.

It consists of six roomy apartments, each with it's own private entrance. The apartments are decorated to reflect their special theme: Country, Fantasyland, Northern Michigan, Western, Mexico, and Safari. Each apartment has it's own kitchen, two bedrooms, a spacious living room, and private bath. All units sleep six to eight people.

All the necessary items for day to day living are provided.

The Recreational Center consists of a nondenominational chapel, library, game room, and a reflection room for the families.



Be sure to bid on the
Silent Auction items this
year to help raise money

to support the

Little Mary's

Hospitality House!

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