



## LIVE AUCTION

### It's Teatime with Sweet Treats and Tea Towels

Plan to have teatime in your home this year. Elaine Love will prepare sweet treats to be delivered to your home 4 times this year along with embroidered tea towels by Holly Rocca, who is a Minnesota State Fair Blue Ribbon award winner. Plus, TeaSource will be providing you with a 16-ounce red teapot, stainless steel teaspoon, 2 loose leaf teas (MN N'ice and Papaya Peach), 2 handmade Japanese Washi Tins, AND \$20 to spend at TeaSource on anything else you need for your teatime.

Elaine is a gifted baker and can accommodate dietary restrictions. Invite a few friends over for tea and treats or enjoy on your own!

Elaine says, "I absolutely love to bake! Cake, pie, breads, muffins and especially cookies. My favorite is Sarah Kieffer's 'pan-banging chocolate chip cookies.' They are irresistible!"

**Donors:** Elaine and Woody Love and Holly Rocca, TeaSource



### In-Home Chef Dinner and Wine Tasting for 6

This package is for the true foodie and wine lover. Chef Nicholas Hall of Caribbean Kitchen and Dana Farner (the "Indie-Rock Goddess Sommelier" – *LA Weekly*) will dazzle you with a delicious evening of exquisite wine and food in the comfort of your own home! You and 5 guests will be catered to with a 4-course dinner that will be paired with 4 wines. Dana will provide the wine education and take your palates on a journey customized for you and your friends.

Each dish that Chef Nicholas Hall presents will be a creative reflection of his upbringing in the Bahamas. You will get true Caribbean dishes! And Dana Farner, opening sommelier of Wolfgang Puck's CUT in Beverly Hills, will impress you and your friends with her wit and wine knowledge. Dana holds the advanced level certification from the Court of Master Sommeliers, so you'll be discussing and sampling great wines with one of the best.

Bid on this for a lavish evening with family, or win it to celebrate one of life's accomplishments with your closest friends.

Little known fact: Before wine, Dana's life was theater. One of her most memorable gigs was doing sketch comedy and improv on the Disney Cruise Line.

Here's what 2024 attendees had to say about Dana:

“We had a *grape* time with Dana. Wonderful group, and her depth of knowledge and ability created a memorable experience for all. She is also a fun person and just-the-right-amount-of-bubbly, like a bottle of tête de cuvée.” – Donna and Bonnie

**Donors:** Nicholas Hall and Dana Farner

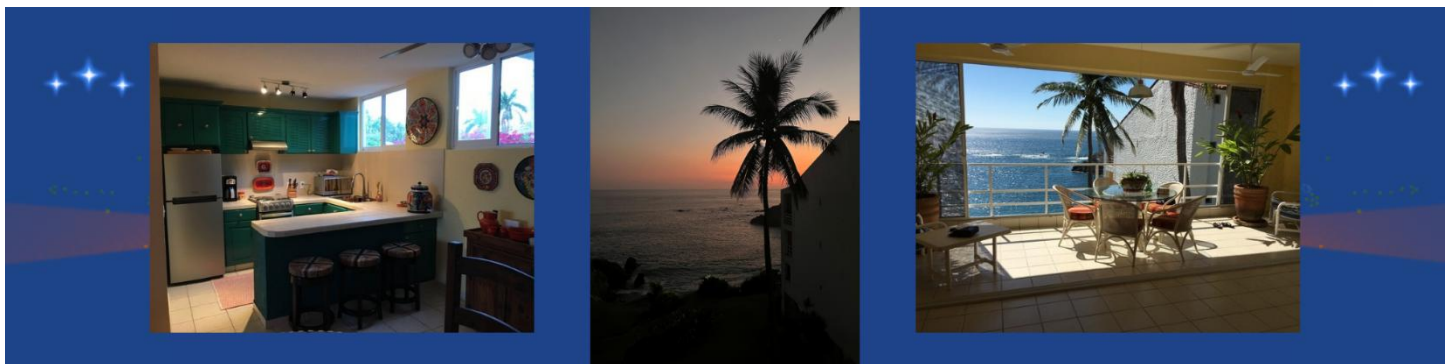


### 1 Week in Paradise for 2-4 People

A magical oasis with breathtaking views of the Pacific Ocean. Enjoy this 2-bedroom, 2-bathroom, loft condo in Manzanillo, Mexico. This complex is tucked away from the hustle and bustle of nearby Manzanillo and offers complete tranquility. Steps away from a private, black sand beach, you can enjoy the many amenities for fun in the ocean or, just 20 feet from the front door, enjoy one of the three large pools in the complex. Minutes away, you'll find open air markets, restaurants and many other attractions. And about 10 minutes away, you can run on the beach made famous by Bo Derek and the movie "10." The owners will provide restaurant and activity suggestions if desired. Booking available May 2025-Dec 15, 2025.

2024 winners say: "Skip and Jim's home has it all, and you really don't need to leave to enjoy the beautiful beach and pools! You can also find some great places in town to enjoy delicious food and watch the sunset on the Pacific Ocean. We will always remember our trip to Manzanillo because that is where we learned to surf!" – Mallory and Justin

**Donors:** Jim Wilson and Skip Hackney



## Country Italian Dinner for 6 at Tim & Nancy Downey's Home

This is a unique opportunity to spend a delightful evening dining on Italian food and in wonderful conversation with your hosts: Tim and Nancy Downey. Their home is in Spring Lake Park, Minnesota. This couple has been supporting PCYC for a decade as Tim served on the board and Nancy helped out wherever she could. They also really know how to throw a party, so you and your friends will be well taken care of! Enjoy delicate and full-bodied wines, seafood, wonderful breads with special oils, Spaghetti alla Meaderville, Chicken Marsala, homemade tiramisu, and flavorful coffee.

Here's a message from the 2024 winners: "We had so much fun with the Downey's in their lovely home. The multi-course Italian dinner and the selection of fine wines was fabulous - with many great stories and laughter. We invited four friends to join us and they had a most rewarding outing. A night to remember!"  
– John and Kris

**Donors:** Tim and Nancy Downey



## VIP Capri Experience

Experience a Legends concert like never before! You will receive four tickets to a Legends @ the Capri show, a backstage tour of the Capri, a meet & greet with the performing artists in the green room, and dinner from Jester Concepts (Butcher & the Boar, Borough, Parlour, Char Bar, Starling, Rustica, or P.S. Steak- up to \$100). Some of the artists from previous Legends concerts include Thomasina Petrus, PaviElle, Sanford Moore, Jennifer Grimm, Michael Monroe, Co-MingL, Dr. Mambo's Combo, Erin Schwab, Ginger Commodore, and Moore By Four, to name just a few.

This is an experience like no other, as the Legends series is carefully curated by the one-and-only Dennis Spears. You'll surely be star-struck by the artists you meet! (Show and dates will be selected by the winner and PCYC.)

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