

Dear Friendly Hills Middle School Families,

The FHMS PTA invites you to participate in a very special event! It's Friendly Hills' **Third Annual F.U.S.E. Event**. This event is an adult-only evening to have fun and raise money for technological investments at FHMS. **Mark your calendar for Friday, February 3, 2012, from 7:00 to 11:00 p.m., and join us at the Lost Spur Golf and Event Center.** Watch for further information—and save money by buying your tickets in advance!

Last year, we raised \$20,000 to purchase "smart boards," computers, and other technology-enabled devices. These investments have made a huge difference to both our teachers and our students, so we have decided to raise more funds for technology through this Third Annual F.U.S.E. Event.

What Can You Do To Help?

- Plan on attending the F.U.S.E. Event and purchase your tickets in advance!

Tickets are only \$15 if purchased by January 6!

No actual ticket will be generated. Names will be on a list at the registration table at the F.U.S.E. Event upon check-in and name tags will be distributed.

- Donate cash or gifts for the **Silent Auction**.
- Donate a \$20, \$25, or \$50 restaurant gift card for our **Fusing Family Dinners—52 Weeks of Food** dinner wall raffle.

Take advantage of the "Free with Purchase" holiday incentives being offered through the end of the year from many of your favorite local restaurants. Or consider purchasing your gift certificates from sites like Restaurants.com or Groupon.com for even deeper discounts!

- Donate a bottle of wine (approximate value \$20) for our **Wine Wall** raffle.

All donations are tax deductible! **Thank you** in advance for your support!

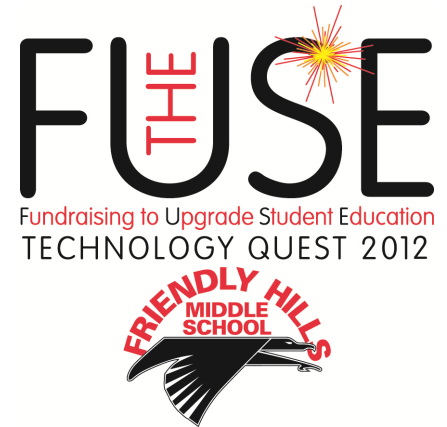
Sincerely,

The F.U.S.E. Co-Chairs

Laurie Kuretsky
651-276-5831

Patti Ploss
651-470-1235

Mona Friedmann
651-456-9522



- YES, I would like to donate cash or an item(s) to the F.U.S.E. Silent Auction!** *(Please fill out the attached Silent Auction Donation Form with each submission.)*
- YES, I would like to donate wine for the Wine Wall!** *(Please contact Julie Farley at 651-994-0947 or julieafarley@comcast.net to deliver your wine off school premises. We cannot accept alcohol donations at the school.)*
- YES, I would like to donate a restaurant gift card/certificate for the Fusing Family Dinners—52 Weeks of Food!** *(These items can be brought to the school office anytime.)*
- YES, I plan to Attend the F.U.S.E. Event on February 3!** *(Please submit the bottom portion of this form, along with payment, to the school office or your child's teacher.)*

Name: _____

Best Phone #: _____

Additional Comments:

**Please submit the top portion of this form to your child's teacher – THANK YOU!

PURCHASE YOUR F.U.S.E. TICKETS IN ADVANCE AND SAVE!!

Third Annual F.U.S.E. Event, Friday, Feb. 3, 2012, Lost Spur Golf and Event Center

Your Name: _____

Contact Email Address: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____

First/Last Names of All Attendees:



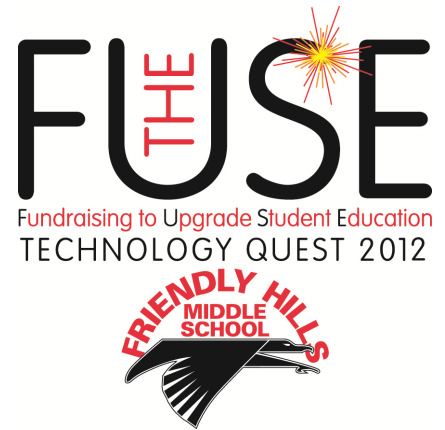
Total # Tickets Purchased: _____
 × Ticket Price**: \$ _____
 = Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

****Ticket Prices:** **\$15**/ea. by January 6
\$20/ea. by January 21
\$25/ea. at the door

Make checks payable to **FHMS PTA**. No actual ticket will be generated. Names will be on a list at the registration table at the F.U.S.E. Event upon check-in and name tags will be distributed.

**Please submit the bottom portion of this form, with payment, to the school office or your child's teacher – THANK YOU!

Thank you for contributing an item(s) or service(s) to the Friendly Hills Middle School **F.U.S.E. Silent Auction!** **Please** submit items ASAP to the school office (no later than January 20). If you need your item picked up, please contact Laurie Kuretsky at 651-276-5831 or Patti Ploss at 651-470-1235 or Mona Friedmann at 651-456-9522.



Event Date: **February 3, 2012**

Donor's Name(s)
(as it should appear for recognition)

Item(s) Value and Description:

Contact Person, Phone Number, & Email Address:

Popular Silent Auction Item Suggestions (Feel free to be creative!):

Kid Stuff

- Scooter/Bike
- Games
- Nintendo DS/PlayStation/Wii
- Educational Toys
- Theater & Movie Passes
- Sporting Goods

Electronics

- TV/DVD Player/DVDs
- iPod/MP3 Player/i-Home
- CD Player
- Computer Software/Games
- Digital Camera
- GPS

Household Items

- Grill
- Pet Items
- Landscape Items

Theme Parties/Dinners

- Wine Tasting
- Dinner Party
- Theme Party

Group Events

- Family Events
- Sporting Tickets
- Staff/Student Events
- Lunch with Local Celebrities
- Birthday Parties

Hot Tickets and Collectibles

- Theater Tickets
- Concert Tickets
- Tickets to Local Attractions
- College or Pro Tickets
- Sports Memorabilia
- Sports Equipment
- Sports Attire

Getaways

- Hotels/Bed & Breakfasts
- Vacation Homes
- Airline Tickets/
Frequent Flyer Miles

Miscellaneous

- Restaurant/Retail Gift Certificates
- Gift Baskets
- Jewelry
- Handmade Items and Crafts
- Salon and Spa Services
- Professional Services—e.g., *decorating, painting, cooking, landscaping, handy man, photography, legal*
- Lessons
- Club Use/Membership