



*Teachers' Treasures
celebrates 20 years!*



**2020 Caring Spirit
Award Honoree**

**Dream Big 2020
Thursday, March 5, 2020**

The Willows on Westfield
6:00 p.m.



On March 5, 2020, Teachers' Treasures will host its annual Dream Big Event, a celebration of education, successes, and an amazing community of people who are focused on children, teachers, and their futures. This evening will be a demonstration of collaboration with our corporate, education, and philanthropic communities along with some fun and frivolity.

In addition, this celebration honors our Caring Spirit Award recipient for their work and advocacy in the educational community, as well as three Teacher of the Year honorees from across Marion county.

We are writing to request your support in donating an item, tickets, gift certificate, or experience for our Dream Big Event auction.

Since its founding, Teachers' Treasures (www.teacherstresures.org) has been dedicated to provide school supplies free of charge to teachers and students in need by:

- Giving away over \$62 million in school supplies since our beginning in 2000.
- Granting teachers from any school (public, private, charter, or parochial) in Marion County with at least 60% of the student population on the Federal Free or Reduced Lunch Program eligibility to shop.
- Providing the opportunity for more than 5000 teachers to participate in shopping annually.

Your participation in the Dream Big auction helps further our mission of helping teachers help kids, impacting more kids in need throughout Indianapolis.

Autographs, personalized packages, and experiences have been particularly successful in previous years. However, items big or small are greatly appreciated to be used not only for the auction but as prizes at the event and as teacher prizes at our store.

We ask that you please send contributions by Friday, February 21, 2020 so we may promote packages in advance.

Donated items may be sent to:

Teachers' Treasures
Attn: Auction
1800 E.10th Street
Indianapolis, IN 46201

Thank you for your consideration and support of our mission.

Best Regards,

Maryann O'Connor

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Auction Donation Form

AUCTION ITEMS OR EXPERIENCES

DONOR INDIVIDUAL OR COMPANY NAME: _____

DONATION DESCRIPTION:

DONATION VALUE: _____

TEACHERS' TREASURES STAFF MEMBER OR VOLUNTEER WHO MADE THIS REQUEST: _____

THIS ITEM EXPIRES: _____

ADDITIONAL RESTRICTIONS OR STIPULATIONS:

NEXT STEPS

I will deliver the item in person or via postal mail to Teachers' Treasures, 1800 E. 10th Street, Indianapolis, IN 46201 by Friday, February 21, 2020.

I will need a gift certificate made on my behalf and will send details to maryann@teacherstresures.org.

I will email a PDF gift certificate to maryann@teacherstresures.org.

Please contact me to make special arrangements.

CONTACT NAME: _____

EMAIL: _____ PHONE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

We may provide this information to the winning bidder should they have questions about the donation or redemption. **If you wish to remain anonymous, please check this box.**

In accordance with current "substantiation requirements for donors," if the total value of any item or group of items exceeds \$5,000, the donor must obtain and provide a qualified appraisal. Also, if any goods or services are provided in return for your donation, current tax regulations require that you reduce the amount of your tax deduction accordingly.

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE: _____ DATE: _____

Thank you for Dreaming Big for Indianapolis teachers and kids!

