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Roger Williams University School of Law's Champions for Justice

Save the Date

Friday, January 27, 2023
Omni Providence Hotel | One West Exchange Street

5:30 PM Registration/Doors Open
6:00 PM Dinner, Awards & Auction

More information to come
RWU Law presents Champions for Justice

5:30 pm - Registration & Reception

6:00 pm - Champions for Justice Dinner, Awards & Auction

PURCHASE YOUR TICKET TODAY

Registration deadline is January 20, 2023.

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The 2023 Champions for Justice Award Recipients
Champion for Justice
Robert B. Mann, Esq.
Partner, Robert B. Mann Law Office

Alumni Public Interest Champion
Joy C. Dingle L’03
Senior Director, Legal Diversity Initiatives
Street Law, Inc.

Community Partner Champion
House of Hope
Champions for Justice

You’re invited

ROGER WILLIAMS UNIVERSITY
CHAMPIONS for JUSTICE
SCHOOL OF LAW

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A SPECIAL EVENING TO CELEBRATE AND SUPPORT THE STUDENTS, ALUMNI, PARTNERS AND FRIENDS WHOSE EXCEPTIONAL DEVOTION TO SOCIAL JUSTICE INCREASES ACCESS TO JUSTICE FOR ALL.

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Tickets for Students will be $20
Scan the QR code to register and purchase tickets

We look forward to an exciting evening!

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Omni Providence

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Champions for Justice Friday, January 27, 2023

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Questions? | Special Events | events@rwu.edu

The Impact

Champions for Justice is quickly becoming a hallmark of the Rhode Island legal landscape, and we are proud to count so many as friends and supporters of the Law School. Proceeds
from the evening benefit the many social justice programs within RWU Law:

Alternative Spring Break
Pro Bono Collaborative
Public Interest Clinical Externships
Public Interest Summer Stipends
RWU Law Clinics

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Professor Jenna Hashway L'11 & Professor John Barylick

Miriam Weizenbaum, Esq.
Robert B. Mann, Esq. LHD’15  
Robert B. Mann Law Office, Partner

Robert B. Mann, Esq., LHD’15, is the most well-known and the most universally respected criminal defense lawyer in Rhode Island. He has dedicated his career to taking on the hardest cases and unwinnable battles—representing the poor, the dispossessed, the most notorious, and the most despised. His unparalleled dedication to justice has been widely recognized, earning him a number of the state’s most prestigious legal awards, including the RI Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers’ Richard Casparian Award, the RI Bar Association’s Ralph P. Semonoff Award for Professionalism, Justice Assistance’s Neil J. Houston, Jr., Memorial Award, and, most
recently, the RI Federal Bar Association’s inaugural Olin Thompson Award. Mr. Mann is a graduate of Yale University and Yale Law School.

Joy C. Dingle, Esq. L’03
Senior Director, Legal Diversity Initiatives
Street Law, Inc.

Joy C. Dingle is Senior Director of Legal Diversity Initiatives at Street Law, Inc. In that role, she manages and guides Street Law’s Legal Diversity Pipeline Program, Law School Admission Council (LSAC) Pilot Program, and Summer Bridge Program—which leverage the knowledge, talent, and experience of legal professionals to teach youth about the law and legal career paths. She believes exposure to high-quality and meaningful educational opportunities empowers everyday people, including youth, to create positive change for themselves and their communities, and she is inspired by the positive effect these programs have on the students they serve.

In addition to her work at Street Law, Ms. Dingle has served as an educational consultant, as Associate Director of Georgetown University’s Institute for College Preparation, and as a Public Charter School teacher. She holds a J.D. from Roger Williams University School of Law, where she concentrated her course work on education policy; an M.A. in geography from Ohio State University; and a B.A. in geography from Rutgers University.
House of Hope CDC

Founded in 1989 in Warwick, RI, House of Hope CDC is a non-profit, community development corporation built on grassroots values, aiming to serve residents of Rhode Island in preventing and ending homelessness. House of Hope’s mission is to affirm safe, stable housing as a basic human right. House of Hope addresses the trauma of homelessness by empowering constituents, delivering high impact innovative services, diversifying housing options, and advocating for policies to counter structural inequalities.

Megan Smith, Outreach Program Consultant for the House of Hope, has been a tireless advocate for people experiencing homelessness in Rhode Island and a collaborative partner with RWU Law on several pro bono projects. Megan’s vision and efforts have resulted in several innovative interdisciplinary initiatives around housing discrimination, court fines and fees, and driver’s license restoration.

Champions for Justice Past Honorees

Champion for Justice

2022 The Honorable O. Rogeriee Thompson’10HL
2020 Amato “Bud” DeLuca and Miriam Weizenbaum
2019 Robert J. McConnell, Esq., Motley Rice, LLC
2018 The Honorable Edward C. Clifton
2017 Stephen M. Prignano, Esq., McIntyre Tate, LLP
2016 The Honorable Judith Colenback Savage
2015 Linn Foster Freedman, Esq., Robinson + Cole

Alumni Public Interest Champion

2022 Akin Adepoju L’07
2020 Weayonnoh Nelson-Davies, Esq. L’07, Community Legal Aid
2019 Diana deGroof, Esq. L’03, Rhode Island Legal Services
2018 Luis Mancheno, Esq. L’13, The Bronx Defenders
2017 Swapna Yeluri, Esq. L’07, Homeless Persons Representation Project
2016 Dena Castricone, Esq. ’98 L’02, Murtha Cullina, LLP
2015 Deborah Gonzalez, Esq. ’04 L’07, Gonzalez Law Offices, Inc.

Community Partner Champion

2022 Rhode Island Legal Services, Inc.
2020 Rhode Island Office of the Attorney General
2019 Rhode Island Public Defender
2018 Barton Gilman, LLP
2017 Rhode Island Medical-Legal Partnership
2016 Dorcas International Institute of Rhode Island
2015 Committee for Public Counsel Services

Host Committee Members 2023

Alyssa V. Boss, Esq. L’97, General Counsel, University of Rhode Island
Natasha A. Buckler, Esq. L’10, RI Dept. of the Attorney General
Diana deGroof, Esq. L’03, RI Dept. of the Public Defender
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Jennifer Lisi, Esq. L’18, Locke Lord
Michael J. Moloney, Esq. L’09, Fall River Housing Authority
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Sponsorship Opportunities and Benefits 2023

We invite you to support the social justice initiatives at RWU Law through a sponsorship of the 9th Annual Champions for Justice!

This special event benefits the Feinstein Center for Pro Bono & Experiential Education, RWU Law Clinics, and the Pro Bono Collaborative at Roger Williams University School of Law. Champions for Justice has become RWU Law’s signature event for the bench and bar, business, and academic communities, and has drawn over 400+ guests each year. We are excited to host this event once again in person which allows members of the academic, legal, and student community to engage with each other.

Join us in celebrating the array of social justice initiatives at RWU Law while showcasing your firm/company, honoring the award recipients, and demonstrating your commitment to RWU Law’s public interest programming and pro bono legal service.
Champions for Justice Dean’s Signature Sponsor $30,000

This sponsorship includes recognition as the Dean’s Sponsor during the event, 24 tickets (three tables), preferred seating for three tables, recognition during the event, your logo on the Champions for Justice website, invitations, signage, and event communications.

Champions for Justice Presenting Sponsor $20,000

This sponsorship includes recognition as the Presenting Sponsor during the evening’s event, 16 tickets (two tables) to the event, and your logo on the Champions for Justice website, invitations, signage, and event communications.

Champions for Justice Title Sponsors $15,000

This sponsorship includes recognition during the evening’s event, 8 tickets (one table) to the event, and your logo on the Champions for Justice website, invitations, signage, and event communications.

Champions for Justice Program Sponsors $10,000

These sponsorships support RWU Law students involved in public interest programs throughout the year. This sponsorship includes special recognition during the evening’s event and 8 (one table) tickets to the event.

Champions for Justice Award Sponsors $7,500

This sponsorship honors the awardees while supporting public interest programs at RWU Law. This sponsorship includes special recognition during the evening’s event, 8 (one table) tickets to the event, your logo on the Champions for Justice website, signage, and event communications.

Champions for Justice Reception Sponsor $5,000

Add your name to the reception at the Champions of Justice Event. This sponsorship includes formal recognition during the reception as well as the logo throughout the early event hours, 4 event tickets, your logo on the Champions for Justice website, signage, and event communications.

Champions for Justice Event Sponsorships $2,000

This sponsorship includes special recognition during the evening’s event and 2 tickets to the event. This sponsorship includes formal recognition during the reception as well as the logo throughout the early event hours, 4 event tickets, your logo on the Champions for Justice website, signage, and event communications.

If you are interested in sponsorship opportunities, please contact Matt Devecchi at mdevecchi@rwu.edu or 401-254-3735.

Thank you!
Silent Auction

All are welcome to participate in the 2023 Champions for Justice virtual auction. Bidding is now live and more items will be coming soon!

RWU Law Champions for Justice 2023

Welcome

Roger Williams University School of Law is pleased to bring you this year's virtual auction to support the 2023 Champions for Justice. This special event celebrates and supports the students, alumni, partners, and friends whose exceptional devotion to social justice increases access to justice for all.

The virtual auction is open to all. Proceeds from the auction benefit the many social justice programs within RWU Law:

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- RWU Law Clinics

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**Event Details**

Jan 27, 2023, 05:30 pm EST - Jan 27, 2023, 10:00 pm EST

Add to calendar

**Host**

This event is hosted by [Roger Williams University](#)

**Location**

1 W Exchange St

Get directions

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**Experiences with Faculty and Staff**

**Dinner at Sakonnet Point Club**

**VALUE**

$150

**CURRENT PRICE**

$75

INCREMENT
Description
You and three guests can join Professor (and RWU alum), Jenna Wims Hashway and her husband, attorney John Barylick, at the Sakonnet Point Club. Sakonnet Point Club is an exclusive members-only club with spectacular views of Sakonnet Harbor, Aquidneck Island, and the ocean. Accompanying the great views is amazing food. Come enjoy an exclusive evening complete with wonderful company, gorgeous views and delicious food.

Fine Print
For up to 4 guests

Donor
Jenna Hashway and John Barylick

Experiences with Faculty and Staff
Dinner with Laurie and Michael

VALUE
$50

CURRENT PRICE
$25

INCREMENT
$10

$25

- +

• SET MAX BID
• BID NOW

Description
Enjoy dinner and homemade dessert around the fireplace with Michael Yelnosky and Laurie Barron for you and 5 friends at their Providence home. For dinner, choose your favorite Providence pizza (Fellinis, Pizza Marvin, Nice Slice, Cassertas, or anything else, even those weird pizza strips), craft beer or Narragansett, yummy wine, signature cocktail, or Spindrift. The evening may also feature two big fluffy dogs named Annie and Lorna (or not - your choice!), and their 18 year-old cat Megan who will be there whether we want her or not, we hope!

Fine Print
For up to 6 guests

Donor
Laurie Barron and Michael Yelnosky

Donor
Laurie Barron and Michael Yelnosky
Experiences with Faculty and Staff

Drag Brunch

VALUE
$300

CURRENT PRICE
$150

INCREMENT
$25

- 

$150
+

- SET MAX BID
- BID NOW

Description
Take a break from your studies with the most fun brunch experience of all time. Join Michael Donnelly-Boylan, Chris Gerlica, Jodie Haley, and Kate Vieira for Drag Brunch!
You and 5 other guests are welcome to join. Mimosas will be flowing and the entertainment will be fierce. Attendees can choose to either do this in Providence at the Black Sheep or at Blend in Dorchester.

**Fine Print**

For up to 6 guests

**Donor**

Michael Donnelly Boylan

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**Experiences with Faculty and Staff**

**Drinking Club**

**VALUE**

$200

**CURRENT PRICE**

$25

**INCREMENT**

$10
$35

- SET MAX BID
- BID NOW

Description
The first rule of Drinking Club is that we don't talk about Drinking Club. Join Diana Hassel, Jared Goldstein and Michael Yelnosky for night out at their secret watering hole.

Fine Print
Yay! No fine print

Donor
Diana Hassel, Jared Goldstein and Michael Yelnosky

Experiences with Faculty and Staff

Sunday Supper with the Lallis

VALUE
$200

CURRENT PRICE
$25
Description
Enjoy a casual supper with Dean Lalli and her amazing cook of a husband, Brian. They will take care of everything; just relax and enjoy a home cooked meal for up to six people in a cozy casual setting.

Fine Print
For up to 6 guests

Donor
Lorraine Lalli
Library Study Package

VALUE
$50

CURRENT PRICE
$25

INCREMENT
$5

$25

+  
• SET MAX BID
• BID NOW

Description
Make the most of your study session with exclusive use of a study room in the RWU Law Library for one full day during finals and $25 in campus dining dollars. You'll also receive a supply of highlighters, flags, sticky notes, and a book stand.

Fine Print
Yay! No fine print

Donor
RWU Law Library Staff
For RWU Law Students

Pizza and Pinball in Pawtucket

VALUE
$50
CURRENT PRICE
$5
INCREMENT
$5

$5

$5

- SET MAX BID
  BID NOW
Description
Can you get the high score? Grab some slices then head to the Electromagnetic Pinball Museum and Restoration in Pawtucket, RI. Their mission is to foster a love and appreciation for history, science technology, engineering, arts and mathematics through interactive pinball exhibits. For up to 4 students.

Fine Print
For 3-4 students
Donor
Monica Teixeira de Sousa

For RWU Law Students

Pretend It's Summer Mini Golf and Ice Cream

VALUE
$65
CURRENT PRICE
$30
INCREMENT
$5
Description
Don’t let the winter blues get you down! Get a dose of summer with a round of mini golf and an ice cream treat with Prof. Colleen Murphy. For up to 3 students.

Fine Print
For up to 3 students

Donor
Colleen Murphy

For RWU Law Students

Providence Bruins Night Out

VALUE
$250
CURRENT PRICE
$100
INCREMENT
$10
-$100
+$250

• SET MAX BID
• BID NOW

Description
Put your books in the penalty box for the night and head out for a Providence Bruins game. After cheering on the Bs, get dinner at your favorite local restaurant with a $100 gift card. For up to 4 students.

Fine Print
For up to 4 students
Donor
Raquel Ortiz and Mike Micale
Museums and Performing Arts

Explore Newport's Mansions

VALUE
$104

CURRENT PRICE
$30

INCREMENT
$5

$35

- +

• SET MAX BID
• BID NOW
Description
The Newport Mansions offer a unique trip through 250 years of American history, architecture, art and landscape design. Choose from 11 historic properties and landscapes seven of which are National Historic Landmarks to explore America's architectural and social development from the Colonial era through the Gilded Age. Winner receives 4 single-use general admissions passes.

Fine Print
Package is for 4 single use general admissions guest passes to one of the properties.

Donor
Preservation Society of Newport County

Museums and Performing Arts

Hadestown

VALUE
$154
CURRENT PRICE
$80
INCREMENT
Description
Welcome to HADESTOWN, where a song can change your fate. Winner of eight 2019 Tony Awards including Best Musical and the 2020 Grammy Award for Best Musical Theater Album, this acclaimed new show from celebrated singer-songwriter Anas Mitchell and innovative director Rachel Chavkin (Natasha, Pierre & The Great Comet of 1812) is a love story for today... and always.

Fine Print
Two tickets to Hadestown at PPAC.

Donor
Michael &amp; Kevin Donnelly-Boylen
Museums and Performing Arts

JFK Presidential Library and Museum

VALUE
$36

CURRENT PRICE
$10

INCREMENT
$5
-
$15
+

- SET MAX BID
- BID NOW

Description
The John F. Kennedy Presidential Library and Museum is dedicated to the memory of our nation's thirty-fifth president and to all those who through the art of politics seek a new and better world. With two passes, you can embark on a journey through the early 1960s to experience anew the words, ideals and actions of President John F. Kennedy which inspired Americans to ask what they could do for their country.

Fine Print
Two general admissions passes

Donor
JFK Presidential Library and Museum
Description
Located in the heart of New Bedford Whaling National Historical Park, at the New Bedford Whaling Museum you can discover the underwater world of whales, the
dramatic story of whaling and its impact, and the art, history, science, and culture of Southcoast Massachusetts.

Fine Print
Yay! No fine print

Donor
New Bedford Whaling Museum

Museums and Performing Arts

**New Repertory Theater**

**VALUE**
$60

**CURRENT PRICE**
$25

**INCREMENT**
$5
$25

- SET MAX BID
- BID NOW

Description
The New Repertory Theatre is an award-winning professional theatre company based in Watertown, MA, since 1984, with a renewed commitment to BIPOC theatre and building community. The New Rep resident artists have devised a vision based on their roles as storytellers, exploring the voices that are often overlooked, while building bridges into various communities with clear intentions, joy, honor, and respect. Join the experience with two tickets good through July 31, 2024.

Fine Print
Two tickets redeemable between January 1, 2023 and July 31, 2024

Donor
New Repertory Theater

Museums and Performing Arts
Paw Patrol Live!

VALUE
$216

CURRENT PRICE
$50

INCREMENT
$10

$50

- $50

+ • SET MAX BID
• BID NOW

Description

Calling all good citizens! Treat the little ones in your life to a show they will never forget with Paw Patrol Live! "Heros Unite" at the Providence Performing Arts Center on February 19, 2023 at 10 AM. The PAW Patrol is yelping for help as they face their greatest challenge yet. Mayor Humdinger has dognapped Robo Dog and cloned him, causing chaos all over the world. Its up to the pups to catch those clones, rescue Robo Dog and show that when the going gets ruff, lending a paw makes you the ultimate TOP HERO!

Fine Print

4 tickets to Paw Patrol Live! "Heros Unite" at the Providence Performing Arts Center on February 19, 2023 at 10 AM. Performance date and time are non-negotiable.

Donor

Providence Performing Arts Center
Sports and Outdoors

Discover Napatree Point

VALUE
$500

CURRENT PRICE
$125

INCREMENT
$25

SET MAX BID

BID NOW

$150

+
Description

Join the Marine Affairs Institute and The Watch Hill Conservancy for a tour of the Napatree Point Conservation Area in Westerly, Rhode Island. The Napatree Point Conservation Area has been recognized by The National Audubon Society as a Globally Important Bird Area and is a designated Cornell Bird Labs eBird hotspot. Enjoy a private tour for you and your guest(s) by Napatree stewardsManager Daniel Cole and Science Advisor Dr. Peter August, as well as the Marine Affairs Institute staff. The day will start with an on-the-water tour of Napatree and Little Narragansett Bay (LNB) in the morning. Auction winners will spend 1.5-2 hours on the water visiting Barn Island Refuge, Sandy Point Preserve, Napatree, eelgrass beds, and offshore rocky reefs. All of these ecosystems interact and depend on each other. Auction winners will then be taken by all-terrain-vehicles to search for federally threatened bird species such as the Piping Plover and American Oystercatcher, and learn of The Watch Hill Conservancy's many monitoring projects. Cited by Yankee Magazine and RI Monthly as a special place, and listed as a case study in progressive land stewardship by National Land Trust Alliance and the URI Coastal Institute, Napatree is one of southern New England's most pristine coastal barrier ecosystems. Your tour will include a picnic lunch.

Fine Print

This tour is for 2-4 guests. This tour can take place spring, summer, or fall of 2023. As tide stage is critical for bird-watching, careful scheduling of your visit is important. The Marine Affairs Institute will schedule the visit with the auction winners.

Donor

The Watch Hill Conservancy and the Marine Affairs Institute at Roger Williams University School of Law
Sports and Outdoors

Hit the Slopes

VALUE
$152

CURRENT PRICE
$85

INCREMENT
$10

Set Max Bid
Bid Now

Description
Enjoy a day of skiing for you and a guest at Washcusetts Mountain with 2 Community Spirit Day passes.
Fine Print
Voucher good for the 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 seasons. Blackout dates are noted on the voucher.

Donor
Wachusett Mountain

Sports and Outdoors

Montaup Country Club

VALUE
$236

CURRENT PRICE
$100

INCREMENT
$10

$100
+$
Description
Hit the greens with your favorite foursome at Montaup Country Club in Portsmouth, RI. 2023 marks 100 years since the club was founded. Their signature hole, the Par 5 16th overlooks scenic Mt. Hope Bay and Bridge. A fairly open, flat course with tricky winds results in a good test of shot-making ability.

Fine Print
Yay! No fine print

Donor
Montaup Country Club

Sports and Outdoors
Take me out to the ball game!

VALUE
$800
CURRENT PRICE
Description
Grab your peanuts and cracker jacks for a Red Sox game at Fenway Park. With 4 seats in the State Street Pavillion, you'll have a great view of the field. Game to be determined

Fine Print
Game to be determined in by donor.

Donor
Adam Ramos
Travel and Dining

Ghosts of Newport Tour

VALUE
$200

CURRENT PRICE
$35

INCREMENT
$10

- $45

$45

+ • SET MAX BID
• BID NOW

Description
For fans of true crime and horror! Go on a tour of Newport's haunted spots followed by a meal at the White Horse Tavern. Winner can bring up to five guests

Fine Print
For up to 6 guests

Donor
Sarah McConnell Dubois
Travel and Dining

Omni Providence Hotel Stay

VALUE
$225

CURRENT PRICE
$90

INCREMENT
$10

- $100
+

- SET MAX BID
- BID NOW
**Description**
Treat yourself to a weekend in Providence, RI with a one-night stay at the Omni Providence Hotel. With a premier downtown location, you will find yourself within walking distance of the city’s historic attractions, gourmet restaurants, upscale shopping, entertainment and more.

**Fine Print**
Yay! No fine print

**Donor**
Omni Hotel Stay

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**Travel and Dining**

**Park like a Dean**

**VALUE**
$300

**CURRENT PRICE**
$150

**INCREMENT**
Description
Ever wonder what it was like to be the Dean of RWU Law? Win this pass to park in the Dean's parking spot for one month to experience one of the perks of the job.

Fine Print
Access to the dean's parking spot for one month. Timing to be determined by the dean.

Donor
Dean Greg Bowman
Studio Portrait Package

VALUE
$2,500

CURRENT PRICE
$200

INCREMENT
$25

SET MAX BID
BID NOW

$200

Description
Create a family memory you will cherish for years to come with a Mallory Portraits private studio session experience and an heirloom-quality 14" Realism Finish Portrait on museum-grade canvas. Plus a one-night luxury hotel stay for four at the Marriott AC in Downtown Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

Fine Print
Arrangements must be made with Mallory Portrait Studio within 30 days of the event.

Donor
Mallory Portraits
Travel and Dining

Take the ferry to Nantucket

VALUE
$198
CURRENT PRICE
$50
INCREMENT
$10

$50

• SET MAX BID
• BID NOW

Description
Leave your worries behind and set sail for an island getaway in pristine Nantucket with two passes for the New Bedford-Nantucket Ferry operated by Seastreak. Avoid the traffic and enjoy a relaxing cruise to Nantucket on a high-speed catamaran. The entire experience is not only the most convenient way to get there, its also the most
enjoyable and scenic. Amenities abound on Seastreak ferries include plush seating with spacious legroom, climate controlled cabins and an open-air top deck, 360-degree panoramic windows, private his/hers bathrooms, and a full-service bar with cocktails, beer, wine, sodas, tea, coffee, and snacks.

Fine Print
Gift certificate for 2 tickets on the New Bedford - Nantucket ferry. Expires January 27, 2024
Donor
Seastreak

Virtual Experiences

Virtual Lunch and Chat with Charles Coleman

VALUE
$500
CURRENT PRICE
$50
INCREMENT
$10
Description
A unique opportunity for you to meet virtually with Charles F. Coleman Jr., one of the country’s preeminent voices at the intersection of race, civil rights, criminal justice and social inequality. An established thought leader and a well-known legal and political analyst, his opinion is frequently sought out by the international media. A former prosecutor in the King’s County (Brooklyn, New York) District Attorney’s office, Coleman repositioned his legal career from handling complex criminal cases to focusing on litigation of Equal Employment Opportunity law as well as championing diversity and inclusion initiatives in the corporate workplace. The virtual lunch and chat will allow the recipient time to discuss with Charles life as a civil rights attorney in 2023, what life is like as a legal analyst, and the changing landscape of media.

Fine Print
The winner should submit 1-2 sentences as a statement of interest around the conversation so that Charles can prepare.

Donor
Ana Barrazza and Charles Coleman
Baskets

Pandemic Puppies' Pamper and Play Pack

VALUE
$180

CURRENT PRICE
$25

INCREMENT
$5

$25

- $25

• SET MAX BID
• BID NOW
Description
Nothing's too good for your puppy. Handmade local leash embroidered with multi-colored dog bones from Up Country in East Providence, dog bowl that says "Drinks" on the outside, lovely lavender puppy shampoo, elegant post-bath setting spray, signature Rhode Island anchor bandana, stationary with the cutest dogs in sweaters, the world's best indestructible peacock chew toy that squeaks and crinkles, local homemade dog treats by Jack's Snacks Premium Dog Bakery in Warwick, and a chic canister with rainbow puppy paw print for keeping those treats crunchy and fresh. From the Famous Plaid and Stripe Wayland Square Boutique. Value: your puppy will love you even more if that's even possible. Donated by the Feinstein Center for Pro Bono & Experiential Education.

Fine Print
Yay! No fine print

Donor
Feinstein Center

Greenvale Vineyards Wine Flight (2)
Description
Greenvale Vineyards is a sixth generation farm in Portsmouth, RI producing small quantities of exceptional estate-grown wines. Enjoy a selection of wines that showcase the best wines the region can provide.

Fine Print
Yay! No fine print

Donor
Greenvale Vineyards
Baskets

Greenvale Vineyards Wine Flight (1)

VALUE
$100

CURRENT PRICE
$25

INCREMENT
$5

$30

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+  

• SET MAX BID
• BID NOW
Description
Greenvale Vineyards is a sixth generation farm in Portsmouth, RI producing small quantities of exceptional estate-grown wines. Enjoy a selection of wines that showcase the best wines the region can provide.

Donor
Greenvale Vineyards

Bar Prep Courses

*Themis Bar Prep Course*

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Dinner for up to six guests.

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Description

Join Dean Lalli and Professor Kishbaugh for a tour and tasting at White Dog Distillery in Pawtucket, RI on Saturday, 2/18/23. The hourlong tour begins at 1:30 p.m. and is followed by a tasting of the distillery’s spirits. Following the tour, Dean Lalli and Professor Kishbaugh will also purchase a round of drinks for you and your two guests.

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$85

Description

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value
$125
current price
$95
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$10

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Create your own Newport restaurant crawl with gift certificates to 3 top local spots: Diego's Restaurant, Wharf Southern Kitchen and Whiskey Bar, and Rejects Beer Company. Start your adventure on scenic Bowen's Wharf in Newport before capping off your day at Rejects Brewery in Middletown, RI, just 5 minutes away. Or spread it out over a weekend. With this package, you get to choose.

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