

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### **What is the CCA Spring Gala?**

The Gala is an adult only, fun night to socialize with friends and bid on fantastic items while supporting the school. Proceeds from the evening will sustain the academic and leadership initiatives that make the Cape Cod Academy experience so rich. Everyone is welcome, including friends and family outside the CCA community. The evening includes a silent auction, exciting live bidding, and dining all set at the beautiful Oyster Harbors Club.

### **When and where?**

Saturday, April 27, 2019

Doors open at 5:30 PM

Oyster Harbors Club, 170 Grand Island Drive, Osterville, MA

Tickets: \$125/person

### **How do we get there?**

Directions to the Oyster Harbors Club are available on their website. Please note, Oyster Harbors is a gated community. Your name will be provided to the front gate staff that evening. Complimentary valet parking is provided at the Club.

### **What type of items will be auctioned?**

There will be both a silent auction and live bidding. This year, the Gala features items ranging from reserved parking at CCA and "Dean for a Day" to Red Sox tickets, luxurious beauty treatments, and weekends away. There is even a trip to the land of castles and royalty with a getaway to the English countryside where there is history, heritage, bustling cities, and an abundance of charm. There is truly something for everyone!

### **Will dinner be served?**

The Oyster Harbors Club is renowned for both its beautiful setting and exceptional food service. A delicious buffet dinner featuring a variety of entrees (including vegetarian options) will be served prior to the live auction. Additionally, beer and wine will be complimentary for the evening. Cocktails may be purchased at the cash-only bar. *(Please note: The Oyster Harbors Club does not accept credit cards and there is no ATM onsite).*

### **What to wear?**

Cocktail-casual attire is appropriate. For men, jackets, a collared shirt, and slacks/khakis are recommended. Ties are optional. For the ladies, dresses or dressy pants are fine. Jeans, t-shirts, and baseball caps are not permitted at the Club.

### **How is seating arranged- can we sit with friends?**

Tables seat 10 guests. When purchasing tickets, please make note of any seating preferences. Otherwise, tables will be arranged based on your child's grade. We will make every accommodation to make sure you're sitting with friends. Feel free to bring guests from outside our current community: Past CCA families, alumni, grandparents, friends, and neighbors are all welcome!

### **How do I purchase tickets?**

Tickets can be purchased via the school website at [www.capecodacademy.org](http://www.capecodacademy.org).

### **When will I be charged for my purchase /winning bid?**

Payments will not be processed automatically. CCA will be working with the event coordinator to review all purchases and bid items prior to processing any credit cards. This can take them some time depending on the size of the auction. We anticipate all credit cards processed by the Monday after the event.

### **Are there ways to be involved with the Gala?**

Yes! There are many ways to participate in addition to attending. If you have goods or services that you would like to showcase as auction items, please let us know by March 31st. Volunteers are also appreciated to help with decorations and set up. Please contact Jeff Thompson at [advancement@capecodacademy.org](mailto:advancement@capecodacademy.org) for more information.