THE SUMMIT ACADEMY ANNUAL GALA

November 8, 2025

Here are just a few of the exciting items that will be featured in the Gala Live Auction!



Trip for Two to Cortona, Italy

Spend 5 nights in a 1-bedroom flat in Cortona, Italy, one of Tuscany's ancient Etruscan hill towns, with its picturesque medieval buildings and spectacular vistas! Cortona is centrally located for day-trips to Florence, Sienna, Assisi, Orvieto, & Rome, home of the Ceasars, where you can immerse yourself in 28 centuries of rich history. *Airfare not included.*

4-Night Oceanfront Stay for 4 on St. Martin

Enjoy four unforgettable nights on the breathtaking island of St.

Martin with this exclusive travel package for up to 4 guests. Your home away from home is a two bedroom, two bathroom beachfront apartmentboffering all the comforts of a luxury seaside escape. *Airfare not included.*



Farm to Table - Feast for 10 & Miller Farms CSA

Gather your favorite people for a magical evening where the land provides and community comes together. The Ivory family warmly welcomes you to their beautiful farm for an unforgettable farm-to-table dinner for 10 guests, featuring the freshest seasonal ingredients and locally sourced fare. This package also includes a full season CSA Miller Farms Market.





Mulch Madness

The Senior Class and ArborPro have teamed up to offer you a day of yard mulching. When March 2026 rolls around, you'll have this crew show up to your home with loads of mulch and loads of energy to spruce up your property for the spring. This package includes up to 16 cubic yards of double-shredded hardwood mulch and 5 hours of service from our hard-working senior class!

Bella Vita Bites: An Italian Dining Experience

An unforgettable night for you and your friends of gourmet

4-course Italian cuisine and perfectly paired wines prepared in the comfort of your home by renowned Chef Liam LaCivita. Adding to the warmth of the evening, special guest Father Rich will join the table. Buon appetito!



Tequila Tasting

A private curated journey through the world of premium Mexican tequila. Guests will learn the fascinating history



of tequila and be guided on tasting like a pro: color, nose, mouth, feel, and finish. Led by an expert host, guests will taste and compare four distinct styles of tequila — each paired with carefully designed courses.

Taste of Greece Dinner for 16

Get your friends together to bid on this intimate Greek Dinner party for 12 people! Your Greek hosts for the evening, Michael and Anne-Marie Morin, will immerse you and your companions in delicious Greek food, Greek wine, Greek beer, spanakopita, tzatziki, moussaka, lamb, baklava, and ouzo!





Chauffered Winery Tour for 12

Gather your friends and enjoy this chauffeured ride provided by your designated driver for the day, Summit Academy Board member, Tim Edwards! You and your friends select a Saturday afternoon that works best for you, then relax (or party!) on a 6-hour tour of four local wineries.

Men's Night: Bourbon, Beer & Bonfire

& Women's Night: Paint & Sip



Get ready to spice things up with Old W's Hot Sauce Collection - a legendary favorite among students! 3 handcrafted bottles of smallbatch hot sauce. This year's collection debuts a brandnew flavor, to be revealed at The Summit Gala



Violin or Cello

Expertly crafted instruments from Fredericksburg
Violins offer exceptional tone, craftsmanship, and value. The winner may select their choice from two masterfully crafted string instruments: an "Émile Sauret" 4/4 Violin by Maple Leaf Strings and a "Chaconne" 4/4 Cello from Maple Leaf Strings