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Auctioneer – The Honorable Judge Louie Ditta

Music – PRP Entertainment

7:00p.m. Cocktails & Check In

Start of Silent Auction and Raffle

7:30p.m. Dinner begins

8:15p.m. Live Auction begins – items 1-6

8:45p.m. Recognize Shrimporee Sponsors

9:15p.m. Live Auction continues items 7-12

9:30p.m. Silent Auction ends

Raffle winners drawn and posted

9-12p.m. More music from PRP Entertainment

*Boots & Black Ties
Live Auction Items*

1. *VINCE YOUNG SIGNED MINI –HELMET –
Authentic signature of UT superstar, Football All-
American, Leader of the 2006 National Champions in
NCAA Football, and first draft choice of a former
Houston NFL Team – a must have for a true fan.*

Estimated value - \$500; Opening bid - \$300

2. *WEEKEND STAY AT TREMONT HOUSE AND
BMW Z4 ROADSTER –
Enjoy a special weekend at the world famous Tremont
House in Galveston, Texas, located near the beach and
other attractions of this historic city. Make the weekend
more enjoyable with the use of a BMW Z4 Roadster
made available courtesy of Randy Stine, General
Manager of Advantage BMW.*

Estimated value - \$500; Opening bid - \$300

3. *UT CHAMPIONSHIP GOLF BAG – Show your true colors and improve the look of your game with this official golf bag commemorating the UT National Championship in Football. Also included is a round of golf for two at the Battleground Golf Club, plus a half-day club making class at Golfsmith.*

Estimated value - \$500; Opening bid - \$300

4. *DIAMOND PENDANT IN CIRCLE DESIGN – Diamond and 14 carat white gold “circle of life” pendant. The pendant contains 25 round diamonds totaling. The diamonds are I1 in clarity and H/I in color per American Gem Society standards. Certified appraisal and limited warranty included. Made available by Travis Vermeer, Ben Bridge Jewelers, Baybrook Mall.*

Estimated value - \$ 750; Opening bid - \$400

5. *RANCH KNITTED MINK TIE WRAP W/ TAILS -*

This luxurious Mink Wrap is just the thing for an evening on the town and will make any outfit more stylish. Cold storage is complimentary for 2006. Certified appraisal included. Provided by Sakowitz.

Estimated value - \$5,000; Opening bid - \$1,900

6. *AN EVENING FOR SIX AT VILLA JULIANA -*

Join hosts Rosie and Mike Hesse and guest chefs Ava and Mike Lundsford for an exquisitely prepared dinner, fine wines, good cigars, after dinner libations and good fellowship - all right here in Nassau Bay.

Enter this terra cotta villa, through 200+ year-old Spanish double doors. Dinner will be in the Villa's dining room among carved limestone columns, mesquite wood flooring, and antique crystal chandelier with a view out to Lake Nassau. After dinner select your cigar from over 400 Cubans and enjoy it with fine selections from the beautiful and unique Spanish style Tasca Bar.

Enjoy in the fourth floor Cigar Tower with a 360° view of Lake Nassau and Clear Creek,

Consult with the hosts and chefs to create the preferred date, dinner menu, and accompanying wines from the 5000 bottle cellar. Donated by: Mike & Rosie Hesse;

Mike & Ava Lundsford

Estimated Value - \$1500; Opening bid - \$900

7. *TEXAS A&M GOLF BAG –*

Show your vibrant colors and improve the look of your game with this official TAMU golf bag. Also included is a round of golf for four at the Magnolia Golf Club, plus a half-day club making class at Golfsmith.

Estimated value - \$500; Opening bid - \$300

8. *WILLIE NELSON AUTOGRAPHED GUITAR –*

Limited edition Old Whisky River Guitar autographed by the legend himself. Donated by Texas Roadhouse.

Estimated value - \$500; Opening bid - \$300

9. *SAPPHIRE/DIAMOND PENDANT CHANDELIER NECKLACE WITH SAPPHIRE EARRINGS –*

Diamond and sapphire necklace and earrings set in 14 carat white gold. The necklace contains 13 sapphires and 10 diamonds; the earrings contain two oval sapphires and 6 diamonds. Certified appraisal included. Made available by Travis Vermeer, Ben Bridge Jewelers, Baybrook Mall.

Estimated value - \$1,200; Opening bid - \$700

10. CABO SAN LUCAS RESORT, MEXICO –

Fun in the sun for this three-day/two night stay at the beautiful Cabo San Lucas Resort, at the tip of Baja California. Great restaurants, great beaches, lots of sun. Airfare is included for this getaway to really get away.

Estimated value - \$2,000; Opening bid - \$1,000

11. 100% ITALIAN CASHMERE CAPE WITH BLACK FOX TRIM –

Sassy and elegant, young and fun. This item speaks for itself and is a showstopper wherever you go. Cold storage is complimentary for 2006. Certified appraisal included. Provided by Sakowitz.

Estimated value - \$4,000; Opening bid - \$1,700

12. DIAGONAL TRICOLOR GOLD WEAVE BRACELET –

Bracelet made of 14 carat white, yellow, and rose gold in a weave design 7.5 inches in length. Certified appraisal included. Made available by Travis Vermeer, Ben Bridge Jewelers, Baybrook Mall.

Estimated value - \$750; Opening bid - \$400

Thank you for attending Space Center Rotary's Boots and Black Ties Event. Space Center Rotary has been a community leader in service both locally and internationally. Through donations at this event, and our annual fundraiser, the "Shrimporee" held in October, provide in support of our designated projects. These funds are put back into our local community and abroad as indicated by this abbreviated list of prior beneficiaries:

- *World-wide Polio Eradication*
- *Annual CCISD Teacher of the Year Award*
- *Project Graduation at the three Clear Lake high schools*
- *Annual scholarship awards*
- *Children's Reading Room at Evelyn Meador Library*
- *Water well installation at Latin American orphanage*
- *Community Restoration projects in the Bay Area*

We count on the generosity of sponsors like you to help us reduce the cost and increase the amount of funds available to our designated projects. We thank you for your support for these projects and for your commitment to Rotary.

*Boots and Black Ties Chairman,
Geoff Atwater*