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A GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY!

THE ALL-NEW ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL SCHOOL RAFFLE

Annual Parents Association Fundraiser Features Raffle of \$10,000 in NorthPark Gold

(DALLAS, Texas) – All aboard and fasten seat belts for the all-new St. John's Episcopal School raffle! Raffle co-chairs Molly and Leon Banowetz announce the 2012 St. John's Auction raffle, presented by Crest Cadillac Infiniti, with the grand prize of \$10,000 in NorthPark Gold.

Raffle tickets will go on sale January 1 through March 2, 2012 and can be purchased by visiting <http://www.sjauction.org/raffle/>. Tickets are \$100 each or 6 for \$500, with a maximum of 1000 tickets being sold.

In addition to the grand prize, other prizes will be awarded including a second place prize of \$1,000 in NorthPark Gold and a third place prize of \$500 in NorthPark Gold. NorthPark Gold may be redeemed at all participating retailers, restaurants, spas and theatres in NorthPark Center, one of America's premier shopping centers. Winning tickets will be drawn at the St. John's Auction on March 2, 2012; winners need not be present to win.

"We are so excited about this year's raffle and the amazing opportunity for three lucky winners to receive NorthPark Gold," remarked Leon Banowetz. "These coveted prizes allow the general public to support a great school, while buying a chance for the ultimate shopping spree."

The raffle coincides with the private school's annual fundraising auction, "ALL ABOARD!" which will be held on March 2, 2012 at Union Station. The evening will include a pre-boarding cocktail party, seated dinner by Wolfgang Puck Catering, grand casino, silent and live auctions, and entertainment by "Breaker One." Proceeds from the event benefit student scholarships, classroom technology, teacher endowments and continuing education for teachers.

For more information about ALL ABOARD! The St. John's Auction 2012 and the raffle, visit www.sjauction.org.

About NorthPark Center and NorthPark Gold

NorthPark Center is one of America's premier shopping centers offering an unparalleled luxury shopping experience with legendary department stores, destination dining, the state-of-art AMC NorthPark 15 theatres and a spectacular collection of luxury and trendsetting retailers.

NorthPark Gold may be redeemed at all participating retailers, restaurants, spas and theatres. With over 235 stores and restaurants, NorthPark Center is home to Neiman Marcus, Nordstrom, Barneys New York, Louis Vuitton, Gucci, Oscar de la Renta, Valentino, TOD'S, Versace, BVLGARI, Cartier, DeBeers, David Yurman, Tiffany & Co., Bottega Veneta, Roberto Cavalli, Salvatore Ferragamo, Elie Tahari, Burberry, Manrico Cashmere, Gregory's, Herve Leger, Eiseman Jewels, Nike, Apple, H&M and more.

About St. John's Episcopal School

St. John's Episcopal School is a pre-k through eighth grade co-educational school in East Dallas. Created as an outreach of St. John's Episcopal Church in 1953, St. John's is the oldest Episcopal school in Dallas and remains committed to the five tenets of an Episcopal education:

- Academic excellence
- Corporate worship (Episcopal/Christian chapel)
- Religious studies based on basic biblical content
- Meaningful and integrated community service and service learning projects
- An inclusive community where the dignity of every human being is respected

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