

JEWELS OF THE NIGHT



24th Annual
CONNOISSEUR'S DINNER
& AUCTION

February 6, 2016



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Saturday, February 6, 2016
Alumni Ballroom, The Nittany Lion Inn

Menu created by Chef Michael Solomonov

COCKTAIL RECEPTION, 6:30 P.M.

Fried Cauliflower with Herbed Labneh

Smoked Sable on Challah Toast

Feta and Olive Salad with Cucumber

Wines: Ponzi Pinot Gris, Willamette Valley, Oregon

Alamos Malbec, Mendoza, Argentina

Beer provided by W.R. Hickey Beer Distributor

Wine selections by Sean Caviston, Restaurant Operations

Manager, Level I Court of Master Sommelier



DINNER 7:30 PM.

MEZZA

Zahav Salatim with Hummus and Pita

Wine: Nobilo Sauvignon Blanc,
Marlborough, New Zealand

FISH COURSE

Moroccan Fish Stew with Couscous and Peppers

Wine: Charles Krug Carneros Chardonnay,
Napa Valley, California

ENTRÉE

Yemenite-Style Short Ribs with Carrot Rice

Wine: Louis Latour Domaine de Valmoissine
Pinot Noir, France

DESSERT

Carrot Semolina Cake, Cranberries
and Rose Water

Wine: Poema Brut Cava,
Penedès, Spain



Nittany Lion Inn Executive Chef
Andrew Monk

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Avant Garden

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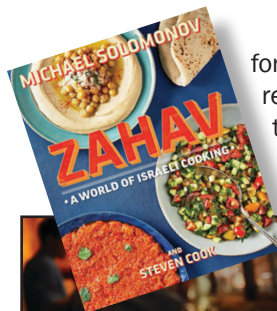
Michael Solomonov zahav

A 2011 James Beard Award winner for "Best Chef, Mid-Atlantic," Chef Michael Solomonov is known for his extraordinary skill at transforming simple foods into artful culinary masterpieces. He is widely regarded as one of Philadelphia's top chefs.

In addition to the James Beard Award, Chef Solomonov has been recognized for his many accomplishments by *The New York Times*, *Bon Appetit*, *Food & Wine*, *Esquire Magazine*, *Condé Nast Traveler*, and *Travel + Leisure*. In 2014, he was named Eater's National Chef of the Year. Today, he can most often be found covered in flour, working the bread station at his signature Philadelphia restaurant, Zahav.

The name Zahav means "gold" in Hebrew, and is a reference to Jerusalem, which has been a cultural crossroads for thousands of years.

The soul of Zahav is the laffa bread, baked to order in a wood-fired taboon; the creamy and nutty hummus that will transport you to Jerusalem; and the sizzling skewers of meat grilled over hardwood charcoal. Zahav offers a small plates menu that encourages guests to sample the large variety of cultural influences on the cuisine of Israel—from Eastern Europe to North Africa and from Persia to the Eastern Mediterranean.



Michael Solomonov will be available for cookbook signings during the reception and at the conclusion of tonight's dinner. The book is \$35, payable to The Pennsylvania State University.



HOW TO BID

Auction items were donated by local businesses and friends of WPSU. Please remember, this is a fundraising event to benefit WPSU-TV and the programs you watch and love. Thank you for supporting tonight's auction.

- Each item shows an opening bid.
- Bids will be accepted in increments of \$10.

Place your auction bid number and your bid amount on the bid sheet.

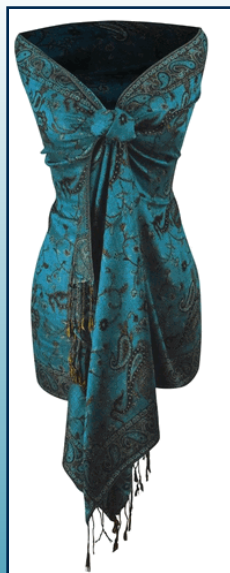
Winning bidders will receive an invoice during the dinner. To claim auction items, present your invoice at the payment station in the Atrium.

We can accept cash, check, and major credit cards. Please make checks payable to The Pennsylvania State University.

Terms and Conditions

1. The highest bidder in proper increments will be awarded the item. The high bid establishes a binding purchase. Bids below opening bid requirements are disqualified.
2. Unless a specific expiration date is indicated, we ask that all gift certificates and services purchased be **redeemed by December 31, 2016**. It is the responsibility of the buyers to verify expiration dates with the donors.
3. No cash values are associated with gift certificates.
4. Unless otherwise specified, restaurant and hotel gift certificates exclude alcohol, tax, and gratuity. See the merchants for restrictions.
5. Auction items must be paid in full and should be removed on the night of the event. If this is not possible, please see an auction host before you depart.
6. All sales will be final. Checks should be made payable to The Pennsylvania State University. Credit cards and cash also will be accepted.

These are priceless experiences; therefore, we are not able to issue refunds or accept returns of any kind.



Pashminas and Centerpieces

NEW –Take home the pashmina draped on your chair and the beautiful Avant Garden centerpiece at your table (includes tray and everything on it and Moroccan lantern).

Auction hosts will be visiting your table for cash, check, or credit card purchases, or the items can be paid for during checkout at the conclusion of the dinner.

Pashminas: \$20

Centerpieces: \$60

A Great Valentine's Day Gift!

LIVE AUCTION ITEM

Item #100

UNRIVALED THE PENN STATE FOOTBALL STORY



Go behind the scenes with the WPSU Penn State Sports crew!

Two Nittany Lion football fans (18+) will be treated to this one-of-a-kind experience. Accompany the WPSU Sports crew to the Penn State versus

Maryland home game, meet the media announcers, visit the satellite truck, have dinner in the press box, go to the post-game press conference, and attend the taping of the Sunday Nittany Lions team meeting and player interviews,

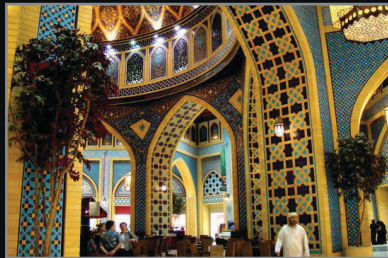
plus a few surprises. A prepaid Fri-Sat. night stay for two is included in this exciting item.



LIVE AUCTION ITEM

A Week of Dubai Luxury

The auction donors, Dr. and Mrs. Fatemi, will meet with you in advance of the trip to provide you with insider tips to make the most of your one-week stay in Dubai. Go on an exciting desert safari culminating with dinner and entertainment under the stars. Also includes dinner for two at an authentic Persian restaurant and a \$500 VISA GC. Airfare not included. Fall 2016 is recommended.



Ibn Battuta Mall

Situated in the southern Persian Gulf, Dubai is regarded as one of the most sophisticated and global cities in the world.



Ski Dubai

Dubai boasts the world's tallest building, the world's largest mall, the biggest artificial Marina, and incredible attractions from indoor skiing, golf, and tennis, to desert safaris and beaches.



Gold Souk

Visit premier shopping destinations such as the beautiful Ibn Battuta mall, and immerse yourself in local culture by visiting traditional outdoor markets called souks. Gold prices in Dubai are among the lowest in the world and the Gold Souk is a must visit!



Desert Safari

Item #99

1 Mt. Nittany Treasure Hunt for Eight

Blake and Linda Gall, Café Lemont,
W.R. Hickey's Beer Distributor,
Stocker Chevrolet

Blake and Linda Gall will host a treasure hunt hike on Mt. Nittany for champagne that concludes with wine and cheese plus an alfresco lunch at the Gall's home. A backpack with sports bottle, small cooler, and an Appalachian Outdoors \$50 GC go to tonight's winner. Hike must be scheduled on a mutually agreed upon date and time by 11/1/2016.

2 Arboretum Tour and Garden Basket

The Arboretum at Penn State

A guided Arboretum tour for up to 10 guests. Also included for tonight's winner is a handcrafted garden basket, 2 polo shirts, a baseball cap, and notecards.

3 Tee Time for Four

Toftrees Resort and Conference Center,
Stocker Chevrolet, Nittany Beverage Co.

A round of golf at Toftrees (exp. 10/31/2016), a new golf bag, golf shirt, golf balls, a baseball cap, and a \$60 GC for Nittany Beverage Co.

4 A Birthday Party to Take the Cake

Discovery Space, Delectable Delights

Treat your little one to a science-themed birthday party with a two-hour studio rental, mini science program, and Discovery Space party bags. Free admissions for max of 20 kids and party host. Wow your guests with a specialty occasion cake by Heather Luse.

5 Clowning Around Birthday

Buttons the Clown, Bonfatto's Restaurant,
Tumble Bus, Pure Imagination Toys

Buttons the Clown and the Tumble Bus can be a center ring attraction! Package also includes a stuffed koala and \$25 GC from Pure Imagination and a \$25 Bonfatto's GC. (Buttons can travel within an 11-mile radius of SC. One-hour appearance.) (Tumble Bus is \$50 off the \$165 rental, expires 2/28/2017)

6 Ready for a Road Trip

Bellefonte Art Museum, Stocker Chevrolet, Boalsburg Car Co.
\$300 GC from Boalsburg Car Company (good for everything except tire purchase), a road atlas, a Die Cast Replica 1939 Chevy Coupe, a sweatshirt, and *Landscapes of Central Pennsylvania* book.

7 Pittsburgh and the Penguins

William Asbury, Shaner Hotel Group,
Carnegie Museums, Stocker Chevrolet

Two tickets to see the Pittsburgh Penguins, visit the Carnegie Museum (pass for four; exp. 12/31/2016). Your getaway includes a one-night stay at the Pittsburgh Marriott City Center Hotel and dinner for two and a bottle of champagne (\$75 max dinner value. expires 2/28/2017). Get your car road-ready with a 27-point inspection and car detailing. (2016 Penguins tickets: agreed upon date with Bill Asbury.)

LIVE AUCTION ITEM



Experience dinner at Chef **Michael Solomonov's** signature restaurant **ZAHAV**, in the Society Hill area of Philadelphia. Details to be announced during the live auction!



8 Fit and Healthy

*East Coast Health and Fitness,
Rapid Transit Sports*

Get started on your New Year's resolution with a one-year fitness membership. Treat your feet to a personal consultation and a \$50 GC from Rapid Transit (exp. 11/24/16).

9 Be My Valentine

*Penn State Hospitality Services,
Harrison's Wine Grill & Catering,
Perfect 10 and More Day Spa*

This couples night includes a one-night stay for two at The Nittany Lion Inn (exp. 12/31/2016. Excludes special event weekends), \$50 Harrison's GC, and one "Perfect 10" facial and one-hour massage.

10 Couples' Night Out

*Center for the Performing Arts at Penn State,
Penn State Hospitality Services*

Two certificates for two admissions to CPA shows (season ends 4/21/2016), and dinner for four at The Gardens Restaurant in The Penn Stater Conference Center Hotel.

11 Lovers' Retreat

*Faccia Luna Pizzeria, Toftrees,
EsSpa Kozmetika*

Celebrate your special occasion with dinner at Faccia Luna (\$40 GC) and an overnight stay at Toftrees (exp. 9/30/2016). Also includes a \$40 EsSpa GC (cannot be combined with discounts or other offers).

12 Happy Trails and No More Ails

*Buffalo Run Equestrian Center, Centre Chiropractic,
Seven Mountains Wine Cellars*

Take a one-hour horseback trail ride for two at the Buffalo Run Equestrian Center. Take care of your health with an exam and three treatments at Centre Chiropractic (\$615 value includes x-ray and report of findings. Exp. 8/6/2016). Package also includes a bottle of Pinot Noir wine.

13 Pet Vacation

Royal Pet Resort, Beth Grieb

Use this \$100 GC toward dog/cat boarding, doggy daycare, or grooming services at the Royal Pet Resort (exp. 12/31/2016). Walk your dog in style with this bedazzled jewel collar (can be exchanged for correct size).

14 Refresh your Kitchen

*Custom Stone Interiors, Shunk's Kitchens,
Penns Valley Building Supply*

Enhance your kitchen with a new granite countertop (exp. 11/30/2016, \$500 toward a minimum 20 sq. ft. purchase), a \$25 Penns Valley Building Supply GC (exp. 10/8/2016), and a Corian cutting board.

15 Trout Tactics

*Joseph and Karen Crabtree, TCO Fly Shop,
Joe Humphreys*

This fisherman's package includes "Trout Fishing in the Mountain Streams of Pennsylvania" 1865 framed newspaper print, TCO Fly Fishing \$100 GC, and Joe Humphreys DVDs and book.

16 Eat More Cow!

Dr. David Werner, Chick-Fil-A

Rooster by Dr. David Werner and a Chick-Fil-A \$50 GC.

17 Top Gun

*Ridge Soaring Gliderport,
Advanced Eye Care Services*

Feel like a "Top Gun" wearing new Ray-Ban sunglasses on this adventurous glider ride.

Item #10 Couples' Night Out



LIVE AUCTION ITEM

Item #98

Italian Feast



18 Ready to Go Out

Elaine's on Main Street, Liz Lasher, Bella di Vita

This stylish package includes a \$180 CHI flat iron, hair product, hair pin, handcrafted necklace, pashmina, and makeup bag.

19 Designed for You

Pat Williams - Worth New York, Happy Valley Optical, The Gallery Shop

Get a new look with a 90-minute styling session and \$100 GC toward your new Worth New York wardrobe (exp. 6/30/16), a Worth belt, Happy Valley Optical \$150 GC, and The Gallery Shop \$50 GC.

20 Home Package

Envinity Inc., Ace Hardware, Pennwood Home & Hearth,

Have a home energy audit, receive one ton of wood pellets (exp. 2/28/2017. Must pick up all at once), and a Black & Decker leaf blower/trimmer.

21 April 15th!

SF Company, Goin' Postal

Have your taxes professionally prepared (\$500 service credit toward federal, state, and local). No need to worry about postage with a \$25 Visa from Goin' Postal.

22 Freeze. Serve. Enjoy.

University Wine Co.

U-FREEZE WINE SLUSH is a fun way to enjoy a taste of summer any time of year. Basket includes Riesling wine, Red Zone wine, U-Freeze Sub-Zero Sangria, U-Freeze Choco-Chill, and two U-Freeze insulated cups.

23 Girlfriends' Day Out

Looks Hair Design, Cozy Thai, Talbot's, Seven Mountains Wine Cellars, Edible Arrangements
Invite a friend for a day of indulgence with new styles from Looks Hair Design, lunch at Cozy Thai Bistro, and Talbot's shopping (\$50 GC). Top off the day with chocolate-dipped fruit and a bottle of Cranberry wine. (Looks: up to \$50 cut with Clara, up to \$110 Women's signature mani/pedi, and Bare Minerals make-up application.exp. 9/30/16)

24 DelGrosso's Food and Fun

DelGrosso's Amusement Park

Two 2016 Park Season Passes (exp. 9/2016), Buddy Bear plush, children's book, and a variety of DelGrosso's sauces.

25 Interior Design

Riley on Main

Yellow is the new essential for your home. Beautiful decorative peacock serving tray with stand and toss in two saffron paisley pillows—design inspiration for your home.

26 Date Night

Artemis Massage Studio, Carnegie Inn & Spa, Seven Mountains Wine Cellars

Enjoy a side-by-side, 90-minute hot stone massage in a couples suite, followed by 30 minutes of hand and foot reflexology and aromatherapy (exp. 2/6/2017). Then retire to the Carnegie House for dinner for two, an overnight stay, and breakfast for two. A bottle of (BYOB) Riesling wine is included from Seven Mountains.

27 Pamper Yourself

Happy Valley Optical, Carla's Carousel of Beauty, Dragonfly, O Nails & Spa, Cozy Thai Bistro, CO2 Unique Boutique

This lot includes a \$150 Happy Valley Optical GC, \$30 hair salon services, \$45 credit for Dragonfly Massage, \$20 Nails GC (exp. 10/20/16), \$50 Cozy Thai GC, and a Vera Bradley wristlet.

28 Some Romantic Evening

O Nails & Spa, Jezebel's Boutique, Woodring's Floral Gardens, Seven Mountains Wine Cellars

O Nails \$20 GC (exp. 10/20/16), Jezebel's \$100



GC, tonight's Woodring's floral arrangement, Bella Taylor purse and travel baggette, Yankee Candle, and a bottle of Pinot Grigio.

29 Raptor Road Trip

Shaver's Creek Environmental Center, Karch Auto, Bonfatto's, Dean Blythe

Get a behind-the-scenes look at the Shaver's Creek Raptor Center on this day trip package. Includes a GC from Karch Auto for any service (mechanical or collision), \$25 Bonfatto's GC, and a State Farm Road Atlas.

30 Super Bowl Party Pack

W. R. Hickey Beer Distributor, Village Eatinghouse, Bonfatto's, Faccia Luna Pizzeria, Ace Hardware of State College, Wegmans

This package includes everything you'll need to score! \$40 Faccia Luna GC, \$50 Wegman's GC, Bonfatto's wing and BBQ Cooking Sauces, Village Eatinghouse sauces, a case of A-B beer, two Pilsner glasses, a bottle opener, and a Samuel Adams cooler. Plus one Steelers T-shirt, one Eagles T-shirt, and a dozen Steelers drink Koozies!

31 Steppin' Out

Anytime Fitness, O Nails & Spa, Gap Girl Creations, Hand Crafted Prosperity, Elegant Affairs, Good Scents Candle Co.
A gift just for you: Three-month membership to Anytime Fitness, coral and blue scarf, knit bag, Good Scents Vanilla Pumpkin Cream candle, \$20 O Nails GC, soaps, necklace, and earrings.

32 Altoona Curve Fan Package

The Altoona Curve

Four 2016 home game tickets (excludes July 3, 2016), throw out the first pitch, a basket of Curve merchandise, and a one-night stay at the Altoona Grand Hotel.

33 Men's Hot Toddy

Big Spring Spirits, Cathy Flood

Learn Cathy Flood's well-guarded family secret recipe for hot toddies. Big Spring Spirits Rum, four WPSU mugs, and all ingredients included!

34 NPR Fan-tastic

WPSU Penn State

Show your love of public radio! A public media tote, WPSU ball cap, WPSU license plate holder, Juicebar charger, David Sedaris CD, *The Splendid Table* cookbook, and a CarTalk T-shirt.

35 PBS History Buff

WPSU Penn State

This package includes Ken Burns' remastered *The Civil War* Blu-ray disc set and companion book, and *The Roosevelts* complete Blu-ray set and book.

36 Anne of Green Gables Collection

WPSU Penn State

A great gift for a daughter or granddaughter: Collector's doll with stand, *Anne of Green Gables* book, and television series DVD set.

37 PBS Kids Basket

WPSU Penn State

Surprise your little one with this PBS Kids fun-filled basket. Caillou, Curious George, and Arthur books, Clifford the Big Red Dog plush, Wild Kratts figurine set, Daniel Tiger DVD, and WPSU wrist bands.

38 The Lion in Winter

Bonnie and Elliot Abrams, Lou Prato

Beaver Stadium in the Snow original photo, and *100 Things Penn State Fans Should Do Before They Die* by Lou Prato.

LIVE AUCTION ITEM



Item #96

Enjoy a Saturday champagne brunch for up to 8 featuring oysters on the half shell, Southern fried chicken, beignets, and champagne.

Tax and gratuity included. Additional alcohol beverages not included. Redeem through April 30, 2016.



Item #22 Freeze.
Serve. Enjoy.



39 Pasta Tonight
Kitchen Kaboodle
Peggy Karr plate, Ariston olive oils, oil bottle, wire basket, wooden server, olive spoon, and kitchen towels.

40 Joe Bonamassa Signed Guitar
WPSU Penn State
Epiphone Special guitar autographed by American blues rock musician Joe Bonamassa, with CD and DVD.

41 A Treat Just for You
Portfolio, Duffy's Tavern, Elegant Affairs
Experience a day of Aveda salon beauty and wellness (exp. 8/7/2016), then unwind with lunch or dinner at Duffy's. This package also includes a Belle Fare fur-trimmed designer belt.

42 Wine Tour and More
Mount Nittany Winery, Penn State Centre Stage, Harrison's Wine Grill & Catering
Take home a two-pack of wine tonight, then invite friends to a tour Mount Nittany Winery (up to 10 people; includes tasting glasses; exp. 6/30/2016). You'll also go home tonight with a \$50 Harrison's GC, and two tickets to each of three Penn State Centre Stage productions: *110 in the Shade*, *Bloody, Bloody Andrew Jackson*, and *The Importance of Being Earnest*.

43 Mister Rogers' Neighborhood
Tom Dillon
Take a sentimental journey with your very own collectible Mister Rogers' Neighborhood trolley and four mugs.

44 Baklava Workshop
Tamra Fatemi-Badi
Workshop for up to eight in the chef's or your home. Includes a Persian Miniature box with saffron. Mutually agreed date. (exp. 12/1/2016).

45 Dining Out and About
Fuji and Jade Garden, Red Lobster, Cool Beans Coffee and Tea, Whistle Stop, Honey Baked Ham Co.
This restaurant gift card assortment includes places to eat in Centre Hall, Bellefonte, and State College.

46 #22 Cappelletti Helmet
Lions Pride
Replica Nittany Lion #22 helmet personalized for you by John Cappelletti. WPSU pays for shipping.

47 Monthly Ice Cream Cake
Dairy Queen
Twelve 8" Dairy Queen cakes (State College).

48 Hand-Knotted Rug
Esber Rugs
This contemporary interpretation of a timeless Kazak pattern uses 100% handspun Highlands Ghazni wool pile to create a wonderful palette of colors. Hand-knotted and colored with aged vegetable dyes. 2' x 4.'

49 Raku Pottery
Jarjour Pottery
This hand-thrown Raku vessel with lid made by Bashar Jarjour is hand glazed and fired in a gas kiln with reduction.

50 Pandora Starter Set
Confer's Jewelers
Sizable Pandora bracelet with three beads.

51 "Easter's On Its Way"
Barbara's Hallmark Shop
Jim Shore "Easter's On Its Way" collectible. March 2014 release date.

52 Ram's Head Candleholder
Vaughn Shirk Interior Design
Make a statement with this bronze ram's head candleholder on leather base as a focal point.

53 Turquoise Pendant
Joseph and Karen Crabtree
Peterson Johnson is a self-taught Navajo artist is sought by collectors around the world. Stamped on reverse "PJ Sterling and Navajo."

54 St. Paul's London Signed Etching
Joseph and Karen Crabtree
Signed antique etching by R. Swain Gifford, landscape artist and influential American etcher. Professionally framed with archival materials.

Item #25 Interior Design



Item #33 Men's Hot Toddy



- 55 Cathedral Reflections Quilt**
Joseph and Karen Crabtree
Pieced Bargello-inspired quilt design signed by award-winning fiber artist Sandi Garris. 48" x 52".
- 56 Blue Topaz Pendant**
Miska & Reini Goldsmiths
London blue topaz pendant set in 14k white gold, antique-style scroll; 14k white gold 18" Singapore chain.
- 57 Lemons Framed Watercolor**
Karen Zwigart, State College Framing Co. and Gallery
Framed water color of lemons by Karen Zwigart.
- 58 Spectra Wood Gift Certificate**
Spectra Wood
\$150 toward purchase at Spectra Wood, near Nittany Mall.
- 59 Women's Gucci Watch**
Kranich's
Ladies' Gucci U-Play watch with black band.
- 60 Pangborn Felted Scarf**
Ann Seltzer Pangborn
Felted scarf in shades of blue, made of Merino silk and cashmere fibers to honor the Israeli flag and Penn State.
- 61 Moroccan Pendant and Earrings**
Moyer Jewelers
Moroccan inspired design pendant and earrings.
- 62 Quartz Crystal Cluster**
Federal House
Clusters have been used for healing, meditation, and expanding the mind. Includes a display stand.
- 63 Handmade Ring**
Peacefield Titanium
Titanium ring with turquoise inlay and Bubinga waterproof wood. Can be exchanged by 3/6/2016 for correct size or other design.
- 64 Saffron Treasures Dinner for Eight**
Tamra Fatemi-Badi
Authentic Persian dinner cooked and served at the chef's home or yours at a mutually agreed upon date. Expires 12/1/2016.

- 65 Handcrafted Chessboard Table**
David Mercer
English chess table handcrafted by local woodworker David Mercer. Honduran mahogany, Pennsylvania hard maple, and English walnut burl.
- 66 Whirligig Display Quilt**
Jeanette Mercer
This handmade quilt was specially sewn for WPSU by a local artisan. Shades of burgundy, brown, and cream in a Whirligig pattern. 68" x 68."
- 67 Winningest Coaches Photo**
Dick Brown Graphics
Framed photo of Joe Paterno and Bear Bryant, by Dick Brown.
- 68 Jack Ham Autographed Photo**
Dick Brown Graphics
Jack Ham photo with original signature; by Dick Brown.
- 69 Quoizel Accent Lamp**
The Hite Company
Quoizel Tiffany multicolored art glass duck lamp.
- 70 Sahara Box**
Klaban's Home Furnishings
Black lacquer "Sahara" chest with palm tree motif.
- 71 WPS-Shoe Collage**
Diane Paroda
Look closely for all of the WPSU clues. Giclée print on board collage made with maps from the WPSU broadcast area. The shoes represent aspects of life in central Pennsylvania.
- 72 Chautauqua Package**
Chautauqua Institution, Atheneum Hotel
Two 2016 "day-gate" passes, parking, and a two-night stay at the Atheneum Hotel in southwestern NY. Not valid for sold-out shows.
- 73 Fresh Flowers x Four**
Daniel Vaughn Designs
Tonight's arrangement plus three arrangements at your pleasure by 12/31/2016.

Item #40 Joe Bonamassa Signed Guitar



Item #48
Hand-Knotted Rug



74 "Bam Bam" Beaded Evening Bag

Douglas Albert

Made of beading with rhinestone detail. Magnetic flap closure. From Mary Francis Studio.

75 Exotic Sands in Sunset Orange

Douglas Albert

By William Tabar, beautiful deep-orange liquid with black, powder white, and coral pink pristine sands, and fine copper glitter. Anodized black frame.

76 Holly Yashi Necklace and Earrings

Tri-County Oral Facial Surgeons, PC

Niobium metal necklace/earring set.

77 Stuart Abelman Perfume Bottle

Tri-County Oral Facial Surgeons, PC

Abelman art glass can be found in museums, galleries, and private collections around the world.

78 Hand-beaded Glass Necklace

Tri-County Oral Facial Surgeons, PC

Made in South Africa at the Thandu Zulu Studio.

79 Lotus Necklace and Earrings

Tri-County Oral Facial Surgeons, PC

Brushed sterling silver set.

80 Nico Rainbow Wrap

Tri-County Oral Facial Surgeons, PC

This studded opal wrap bracelet doubles as a short choker necklace. The array of colors is stunning.

81 First Snow Fall on Old Main

The State College Framing Company and Gallery

Framed photo of Old Main by Bob Lambert.

82 Don Ross Golf Outing

Peggy Morgan

Nine holes of golf includes cart, lunch and dinner at the Conewango Valley Country Club in Warren, PA. (4/16–10/16)

83 Deer Head Inn

Deer Head Inn

Enjoy a couple's night out at the Deer Head Inn in Spring Creek near Warren, PA. Your GC for

dinner for two offers the options of steak, seafood, regional favorites, and signature game entrées.

84 Cuddle Up and Read

WPSU, Culbertson Financial

Kindle Paperwhite with "Paris" Case, Jennifer Lopez throw, Foot Warmer, Nutella, Starbucks Hot Cocoa, International Coffee, Aveeno Hand Cream, and a Subaru Mug.

85 The Elms Box

Penn State Alumni Association

What better way to hold some of your special memories than in the Penn State Elms Collection keepsake box with medallion. It's the perfect size to hold jewelry, mementos, photos, or notes.

86 Steelers Fan Package with Ribs

W.R. Hickey Beer Distributor, William Asbury

Tailgate at home with this Steelers fan package that includes ribs for 12, coleslaw and secret sauce, 12 Koozies, men's and women's T-shirts, hat, and backpack.

87 Paranormal Penn State Tour

Penn State Lion Ambassadors, Matthew Swayne

Penn State Lion Ambassadors will lead you on a tour of all of the haunted landmarks of Penn State (up to 10 people, at a mutually agreed upon date). *America's Haunted Universities: Ghosts that Roam Hallowed Halls*, *Haunted Valley: The Ghosts of Penn State*, and *Ghostly Tales of Musical Legends: Haunted Rock & Roll*, by Matthew. L. Swayne.

88 A New Do

Looks Hair Design

\$50 GC for women's cut with Lien (exp. 12/31/2016).

89 Tonight's Music CDs

WPSU Penn State

Take home tonight's music *Instrumental Music from Lebanon (Amaken)*, by Andre Hajj & Ensemble; *Songs of Our Fathers: Traditional Jewish Melodies*, by Andy Statman and David Grisman; *Desert Sands*, by various artists; *in a Persian Garden: The Santur*, by Nasser Rastegar-Nejad.

Item #49 Raku Pottery



Item #65 Handcrafted Chess Set



90 Cooking with Grace

Mimi Coppersmith, Dean Blythe

Invite some friends and get hands-on culinary experience at one of Grace Pilato's ongoing cooking classes held at her State College home. This item is good for up to 10 guests through May 20, 2016.

91 Cub and Lion

Pat Little, State College Framing Co.

Taken in the fall of 1977 while Pat Little was a senior at Penn State. The cub sat on the head of the Nittany Lion just long enough to get this one good frame. The photo appeared on the 1981 September/October edition of *The Penn Stater*.

92 Capperella Furniture

Capperella Furniture

\$500 GC toward furniture (exp. 2/6/2017).

93 Trader Joe's Gift Basket

Trader Joe's State College

See basket for items.

94 Call The Midwife Baby Blanket

Lore Lacny

This hand-crocheted blanket looks like it was taken straight from the 1950s MASTERPIECE drama, *Call the Midwife*.

95 Penn State Women's Soccer

Penn State Intecollegiate Athletics

Penn State soccer ball autographed by the 2015 Division I Women's Soccer championship team.

LIVE AUCTION ITEMS

96 Gigi's Southern Champagne Brunch

Gigi's Southern Table

Enjoy a Saturday champagne brunch for up to eight at Gigi's. Oysters on half shell, Southern fried chicken, beignets, and champagne. Tax and gratuity included. Redeem by **4/30/2016**.

97 Dinner at ZAHAV

Chef Michael Solomonov

Experience dinner at Chef Michael Solomonov's signature restaurant ZAHAV, in the Society Hill area of Philadelphia. Details to be announced during the live auction!

98 DelGrosso's Italian Feast

DelGrosso Foods

An Italian feast for ten in your home or other agreed upon location prepared by DelGrosso Foods' Executive Chef John McCracken.

99 Dubai Sightseeing for Two

Dr. and Mrs. Mohammad Fatemi

Dr. and Mrs. Fatemi will meet with you in advance of the trip to provide you with insider tips to make the most of your one-week stay in Dubai. Go on an exciting desert safari culminating with dinner and entertainment under the stars. Also dinner for two at an authentic Persian restaurant and a \$500 GC. Airfare not included. Fall 2016 is recommended. Expires 11/30/2016.

100 WPSU Football Production Experience

WPSU Penn State Sports

Two Nittany Lion football fans (18+) will be treated to this one-of-a-kind experience. Accompany the WPSU Sports crew to the Penn State versus Maryland home game, meet the media announcers, visit the satellite truck, have dinner in the press box, go to the post-game press conference, and attend the taping of the Sunday Nittany Lions team meeting and player interviews, plus a few surprises. A prepaid Fri-Sat. night stay for two is included in this exciting item.

Item #71 WPS-Shoe Collage



Item #76 Holly Yashi Necklace and Earrings



TASTING NOTES

PONZI VINEYARDS Ponzi Pinot Gris, Willamette Valley, Oregon

This inviting nose has floral notes of meadow flowers, chamomile, and rose hip entangled with brighter aromatics of tangerine, lychee, sweet mint, and hints of vanilla and lemon cream throughout. The lively mouth and vibrant acidity are wrapped around hints of quince, kumquat, starfruit, and orange zest balanced by a touch of sweetness.

ALAMOS THE WINES OF CATENA Alamos Malbec, Mendoza, Argentina

A classically Argentine wine, the Alamos Malbec is blended with small portions of Syrah and Bonarda to meld deep dark cherry and blackberry flavors with hints of brown spice and vanilla. A long finish and firm tannins make this Malbec unforgettable.



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Nobilo Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough, New Zealand

Light straw color with hints of green, with aromas of herbaceous notes of freshly cut grass along with lifted pineapple, melon passionfruit, and hints of grapefruit. On the palate you'll experience fresh and crisp with zesty flavors of ripe tropical fruits, especially passionfruit and pineapple. The wine has flinty minerality, juicy acidity, and generous finish.

Charles Krug PETER MONDAVI FAMILY Charles Krug Carneros Chardonnay, Napa Valley, California

Aromas of lemon blossom and tangerine with a light touch of vanilla segue into flavors of white peach and juicy tropical fruit. Light French oak nuances complement a smooth, creamy, vanilla finish in this medium-bodied wine.



Louis Latour Domaine de Valmoissine Pinot Noir, France

Sparkling ruby colored with garnet tints, has a bouquet redolent of raspberry, blackberry, and game. In the mouth it is round with supple tannins and subtle dried flower notes.



Poema Brut Cava, Penedès, Spain

Fresh, clean, citrus, mineral, and Granny Smith aromas with toasted bread notes.

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