



## *Aloha in April*

### Frequently Asked Questions

1) **What is the *Aloha in April*?**

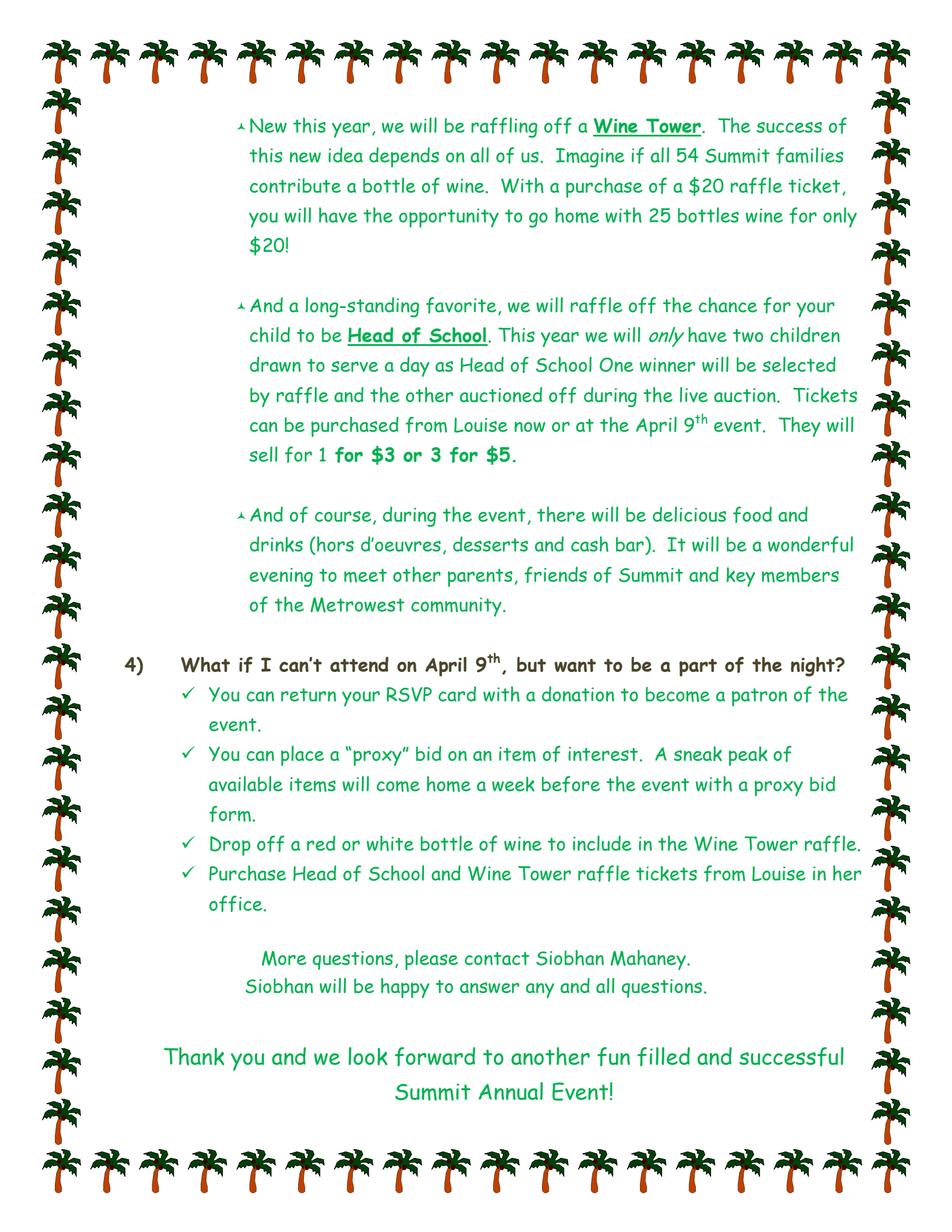
- *Aloha in April* is the name of this year's annual event that will held Saturday, April 9 at the Framingham Country Club. The Auction Committee (made up of parent volunteers) have chosen a "Luau" theme and encourages all in attendance to wear your Hawaiian shirts or dresses.

2) **Why does Summit have an annual event?**

- The annual event is an opportunity to raise money for the school's Annual Fund, and to host a festive event for a wonderful community of parents. The Annual Fund makes up the difference between tuition and the actual cost of a student's education at Summit.

3) **What goes on at the *Aloha in April* event?**

- The short answer is: there will be a Silent Auction and Sign Ups, Live Auction, Wine Tower raffle, Head of School raffle, food and fun with fellow supporters of Summit. More specifically:
  - △ The first part of the night is a **Silent Auction** with items donated from the Summit community. These items can range from Tupperware to gift baskets to restaurant gift certificates. There also will be **Sign Ups** for what we call "Teacher Time". This is an opportunity for your child to have some fun time with his or her favorite teacher. For example, Ms. Stefanie will take a small group of kids to Tougas Farm for fruit picking and a picnic. And best of all, every Summit teacher has donated an adventure!
  - △ Then, there is an exciting **Live Auction** where attendees will bid on some very special prizes, including passes to Disney World and one-of-a-kind items made by your children.

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- ^ New this year, we will be raffling off a Wine Tower. The success of this new idea depends on all of us. Imagine if all 54 Summit families contribute a bottle of wine. With a purchase of a \$20 raffle ticket, you will have the opportunity to go home with 25 bottles wine for only \$20!
  - ^ And a long-standing favorite, we will raffle off the chance for your child to be Head of School. This year we will *only* have two children drawn to serve a day as Head of School One winner will be selected by raffle and the other auctioned off during the live auction. Tickets can be purchased from Louise now or at the April 9<sup>th</sup> event. They will sell for 1 for \$3 or 3 for \$5.
  - ^ And of course, during the event, there will be delicious food and drinks (hors d'oeuvres, desserts and cash bar). It will be a wonderful evening to meet other parents, friends of Summit and key members of the Metrowest community.

- 4) **What if I can't attend on April 9<sup>th</sup>, but want to be a part of the night?**
- ✓ You can return your RSVP card with a donation to become a patron of the event.
  - ✓ You can place a "proxy" bid on an item of interest. A sneak peak of available items will come home a week before the event with a proxy bid form.
  - ✓ Drop off a red or white bottle of wine to include in the Wine Tower raffle.
  - ✓ Purchase Head of School and Wine Tower raffle tickets from Louise in her office.

More questions, please contact Siobhan Mahaney.  
Siobhan will be happy to answer any and all questions.

Thank you and we look forward to another fun filled and successful  
Summit Annual Event!