

## VAUXHALL HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Students;

## RE: Vauxhall High School's 25th Annual Fundraising Banquet on Friday, November 8, 2019

Vauxhall High School will be hosting our 25th Annual Fundraising Banquet at the Vauxhall Community Centre. The evening will include an excellent meal, a number of raffles, door prizes, a silent auction and entertainment provided by the students. This fundraiser enables us to better meet the needs of our students by enhancing and supporting our programs. Some examples of things we have been able to purchase in the past are: a pressure cooker, baking dishes and mixers for Home Ec., routers, vices and a metal bender for Shop, microwaves and stands for the student common area, and uniforms and equipment for our sports teams. Without the tremendous support of the community and the involvement of our whole student body, this fundraiser would not be possible.

\*\*\*Each student will be asked to sell at least 1 "couples" ticket and bring in at least one donation.

## **Information pertaining to tickets:**

- Fill out the name & address of the ticket holder
- Check box whether single or couple ticket. (Please DO NOT fill out 2 separate tickets for one couple)
- Ticket stubs must be handed back to the office with payment as soon as possible
- Please return unsold tickets to the office as soon as possible in order to re-sell them.
- Additional tickets are available from the office
- Sometimes tickets are purchased to support the fundraiser but the purchaser is unable to attend. It is more beneficial to donate money as the contributor receives a larger deduction for tax purposes. (Tax receipt issued for the full amount of a donation as opposed to only half the amount of the ticket price)

The banquet has been so successful in the past due to the generosity of individuals and local businesses. If you have a business or work for a company that you think may donate, or if you have a good connection with a business that you could approach for a donation, please contact Mrs. Stober at the high school **before** contacting them. We do not want to bombard the same donor with multiple requests.

## Information pertaining to donors and donations:

- VHS will provide a letter to give to potential donors. Additional donor letters are available in the office.
- Horizon School Division is eligible to issue tax-deductible receipts for cash/cheque donations to our school, but **cheques MUST be made payable to Horizon School Division**.
- Any and all donations are welcome. i.e. Gift certificates, merchandise, cash, or even food.
- Donations must be brought into the office to the attention of Mrs. Stober.
- We require the name and address of all donors. (A business card from the donor is always a good idea.)
- Donations need to be in the office by Monday, November 4, 2019
- Please feel free to call Mrs. Stober if you have any questions or concerns. 403-654-2145

Sincerely,

Todd Ojala Principal