

The graphic features a dark blue background with a subtle, textured pattern. In the center, the word "Backstage" is written in a light blue, cursive font above a white, ornate masquerade mask. To the right of the mask, the word "BASH" is written in a large, white, cursive font. Below these elements, the words "Auction Donation Request" are written in a white, serif font. The entire graphic is framed by decorative, glowing gold dots connected by thin lines, forming circular and wavy patterns on either side.

Backstage  
BASH  
Auction Donation Request

Dear Friends and Supporters of the Arts,

The Backstage BASH will once again be held at The Center for the Arts on Saturday, April 22, 2023, with the main event taking place tented outdoor on College Street. During this event, we host a popular and exclusive benefit auction.

We hope you will support arts in Middle Tennessee and our community by donating an item for our silent auction this year. The Center for the Arts is a 501(c)3 organization and your gift is tax-deductible.

Funds that are raised at the Backstage BASH allow The Center for the Arts to secure rights to produce high-quality shows, hire top-notch directors, teachers, crew, and musicians, as well as continue educating the youth of our community through our Center Stage Academy program (90 financial scholarships were awarded to youth in 2022). The Backstage BASH also helps maintain (and improve) the historic 112-year-old building that so many call home.

Thank you for considering this donation request! The Backstage BASH allows us to continue expanding our resources, facility, and programs to better serve the needs of our theater and community. If you have questions or need additional information, please contact our office manager at [dawn@boroarts.org](mailto:dawn@boroarts.org)

Sincerely,

The Center for the Arts Staff

**Jimmy and Nikkole Aho**  
*Backstage BASH Chairs*

**Regina Ward**  
*CFTA Executive Director*

**Kirk and Carrie Beth Catron**  
*Backstage BASH Chairs*



## Auction Donation Form

### PLEASE KEEP THIS PORTION FOR TAX PURPOSES

The Center for the Arts appreciates your donation of \_\_\_\_\_

valued at \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for the 2023 Backstage BASH auction and fundraiser.

*If you have questions, please email Dawn Ashley, Office Manager, at [dawn@boroarts.org](mailto:dawn@boroarts.org)*

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### COMPLETE & RETURN THIS PORTION WITH YOUR DONATION

*You can return this form to a Backstage Bash Committee member, to our office manager [dawn@boroarts.org](mailto:dawn@boroarts.org), or send it to the Center for the Arts, 110 W College St, Murfreesboro, TN, 37130*

Donor Name/ Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Donor Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Donor Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Donor Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Item Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Retail Value \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated Starting Bid \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please send your company logo in an email to [rosemary@boroarts.org](mailto:rosemary@boroarts.org) for display purposes at the auction.