



SKAGIT LAND TRUST

Lands We Love

Auction & Dinner

ALL PROCEEDS FROM THIS AUCTION WILL HELP SKAGIT LAND TRUST PROTECT AND STEWARD LAND IN SKAGIT COUNTY



- Sound Finances
- Ethical Conduct
- Responsible Governance
- Lasting Stewardship

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Welcome Friends of Skagit Land Trust,

On behalf of Skagit Land Trust's board, staff, and our team of hard-working auction volunteers, I am so glad that you are here this evening. I hope that you have a wonderful time. Every time you bid on an item, or Raise Your Hand to Save the Land, I encourage you to think of one of your favorite places locally. Then imagine how different the Skagit would feel if it were lost. Together, these are the places we can save for future generations of people and wildlife.

If you are new to the Trust, I want to welcome you personally. We are so glad that you are interested in our work. If you are already a member - thank you so much for coming. We are all constantly amazed and humbled by how much you and other members do for the Trust and for the land.

Because of our work together many good things have already happened. The Skagit River is slowly returning to the natural conditions that once supported great salmon runs. The west coast's largest heronry has been protected, and every year we learn more about these nesting birds with the help of our citizen scientists. The Anacortes Community Forest Lands will forever be a community treasure. You can hike to the top of Guemes Mountain and enjoy one of the most expansive views in Puget Sound or ride your bike to the Samish Flower Farm and watch waves of ducks and geese on Padilla Bay. We are fortunate to live in, or visit "The Skagit". But we also have a big responsibility if we are to protect enough of this land to pass on to future generations a resilient natural home for wildlife, plants, and people.

With population growth and increased pressure on our land and water, this place we love faces a challenging future. We have a choice to make: we can simply maintain the good work we've accomplished to date, or we can push a stronger pace of conservation into the future. Stirred by your bidding and donations tonight, we can do the latter. **When you bid on an item, buy a delicious dessert or raise your card in the Fund-A-Need, you help save more of the land we love.**

Our children's children are urging us on tonight- let's work together to leave them a natural legacy. Thank you for coming and enjoy!



Molly Doran, Executive Director - Skagit Land Trust

Appetizers

**Cream Cheese Stuffed Cucumber with
Alderwood Smoked Salmon**

**Roasted Tomato & Mozzarella Bruschetta
with Roasted Garlic Ricotta**

Spinach Pesto Stuffed Mushrooms

Dinner

**Mixed Berry Spring Salad with
White Balsamic Vinaigrette & Ranch Dressings**

**Alderwood Grilled Herb Marinated Salmon
with Blueberry Corn Salsa**

Garlic Rosemary Chicken with Creamy Leek Sauce

Roasted Vegetable Fusilli Pasta with Pesto Cream Sauce

Wild Rice Pilaf

Roasted Squash Medley

Tri-Colored Carrots

Each table features two red wines and one white wine. A second bottle of white wine is chilling in case your table needs it. Please ask your server to bring it to your table when you are ready to enjoy it.

Beverages for purchase include beers from Skagit Land Trust members, Anacortes Brewery and Terramar Brewing. They are available at the bar next to the dessert auction display.

Dessert Auction

Bid cards will be collected at the start of dinner. Instructions are on the table. The table with the highest combined total gets to choose first!

Welcome to Skagit Land Trust's Lands We Love Auction & Dinner

The Evening's Schedule

5:00 PM Welcome

Registration, Champagne Welcome, Social & Appetizers, Silent Auction,
Almost Live Auction, Golden Tree Raffle Sales, Wine Raffle

Silent Auction Section Closures:

6:20pm - Orange (Seastars)

6:35pm - Green (Trees)

6:50pm - Blue (Heron)

7:00 pm

Buffet Dinner

**Don't forget to visit the Almost Live section
and fill out your Dessert Bid Cards**

7:20pm

Almost Live Auction Closes - Dessert Bid Cards collected

7:30pm

Welcome by Board President, Jim Glackin

7:40pm

Live Auction & Raise Your Hand to Save Land

Summaries of your Silent Auction Winnings will be distributed before the end of the evening. Guests can also check the kiosk next to check-in to confirm items won. Winners who signed up for **Express-Pay** can pick up their items in the entry corridor **starting at 9pm**. Guests that chose to wait until the end of the night to pay, need to return to the front registration area for payment before retrieving their items.

All receipts will be mailed after the event.

The Auction - How it Works

All guests will be given a bid number to use for the Live, Almost Live, Silent, & Dessert Auctions, as well as the Golden Tree Raffle, Wine Pull, and Raise Your Hand.

Silent Auction

Enter your bid number on the bid sheet placed by each item. Choose the **Guaranteed Bid level** if you want to be sure you win!

Almost Live Auction

This special section is filled with unique items and trips. The Almost Live Auction will stay open right up until the Live Auction starts, so be sure to check it out on your way to the buffet. Enter your bid number on the bid sheet placed by each item.

Live Auction

To enter a bid, hold your bid number up high and turn it towards the auctioneer. Only one bidder can purchase an item. A bid acknowledgment by the auctioneer is a contract to purchase an item. Good Luck!

Golden Tree Raffle - Only 100 trees available!

Golden Trees are available for \$50 from volunteers with balloons roaming the room. The winning number will be announced before the live auction begins. The winner may then select *any live auction item* as their prize.

5th Bid Raffle

Be the 5th Bid on any Silent or Almost Live Auction Bid Sheet and be entered in a raffle to **WIN a fabulous prize worth more than \$400!**

Entering is EASY - just write your bid number in the 5th bid slot on any bid sheet to be entered into the raffle. Bidding for each item can continue past the 5th line, and individual items will be won by the highest bidder for that item.

(You don't need to win the auction item to win the 5th Bid Raffle.)

A drawing for the winner will be held at the end of the night.

Must be present to win. Listen for your bid number!

Centerpiece Flower Bouquets

Love the fresh flowers in your centerpiece? Want to take them home at the end of the night and support Skagit Land Trust? Visit the Almost Live section and sign your bid number up for one.

ALMOST LIVE

20. Two Tickets to the Pacific Northwest Ballet & Signed Toe Shoes
21. Skagit Valley Sunsets Dinner & Golf at Thirteen Moons for Two
22. Bronze Sea Otter With Clam by Leo Osborne
24. Chimpanzee Sanctuary Tour for Six
26. Guemes Island Artist Party & Tour Saturday July 11, 2020
27. Brewers Dinner for Six at Anacortes Brewing
28. Otter on Rock Stone Sculpture by Tracy Powell
29. North Cascades Institute Base Camp Adventure for Two
30. Samish Island Paella Party Sunday June 14, 2020
31. "Beyond Perfect" Pilchuck Glass School Centerpiece by Michael Fox
32. "Little Farm on the Hill" by Cynthia Richardson
33. "Skagit Stones" Acrylic Painting by Anne Martin McCool
34. Brown Lantern Dinner & Drinks for Eight
35. VIP Tour of CallisonRTKL Seattle & Lunch for Four
36. Seattle Architecture Walking Tour with David Williams
37. "Across the Flats" Oil on Canvas by Kris Ekstrand
38. Crabbing & Picnic on Padilla Bay for Four
39. Guemes Island Resort & Dinner for Four
40. Hike on Kiket Island/Kukatali Preserve with Jack Hartt May 2, 2020
41. Seattle Overnight & Taproot Theatre for Two
43. Semiahmoo Overnight Stay & Spa for Two
44. Stone Cottage Stay, Tour of SLT Easements, & Dinner at Terramar for Four
45. Long Beach Peninsula Escape for Two
48. Etched Heron on Glass Auction Centerpieces



LIVE AUCTION

We have 13 amazing items for you to win in the Live Auction tonight. You'll also have the chance to support Skagit Land Trust with a donation during the Raise-Your-Hand to Save Land. Things are going to move fast, so be sure to keep your attention on the Emcee and Auctioneer! We'll start the evening with the announcement of the Golden Tree winner.

1. Seattle Symphony & Fairmont Hotel For Two



Seattle's premier luxury hotel, the Fairmont Olympic captures the charm and elegance of the Italian Renaissance. Enjoy a **one night stay for two** in Deluxe Accommodations. With your **\$100 gift card indulge in room service** or a meal

at the hotel's own **Shucker's Oyster Bar**, one of Seattle's oldest and most preminent oyster bars, which has the beautifully carved oak paneling and unique tin ceiling of the haberdashery it once was in the 1930's, and a daily menu featuring a selection of fresh fish and seafood. **Experience a delightful evening of music** at neighboring **Benaroya Hall** with your choice of **2020 Spring performances** which include; The Music of John Adams April 16 & 18, Bernstein Song Fest April 23 & 25, Handel and Bach May 15 & 16, or Frank & Ella Together June 5 & 6. Led by Music Director Thomas Dausgaard, the Seattle Symphony unleashes the power of music, brings people together and lifts the human spirit!



Restrictions: Fairmont Hotel Overnight expires 4-1-2021. To redeem Seattle Symphony tickets at Benaroya Hall: return voucher within five days of the chosen performance. Tickets will be held at Will Call on the night of the show.

Thank you- Fairmont Olympic Hotel, Seattle Symphony & Anne Winkes

2. Six Disneyland Park Hopper Passes & Gift Card

Explore the magic of Disneyland Park, *and* Disney California Adventure Park with your One-Day Park Hopper passes. From Teacups to roller coasters, from Princesses to Jedi Warriors- there is something for all ages to see and enjoy at Disneyland Resort.



Now it's more magical than ever with **exciting new attractions**, including Star Wars: Galaxy's Edge, perhaps the most highly anticipated new land opening in Disneyland's history. The state-of-the-art attractions are sure to knock everyone into a galaxy far, far away! Plus don't miss the new Super Hero-themed land opening in 2020 at Disney California Adventure. Each pass is good for one admission to a magical experience at both Disneyland Park and Disney California Adventure Park on the same day. **Use your \$100 gift card for dining or shopping anywhere in the resort.**

Restrictions: Disneyland One Day Park Hopper Passes are valid at Disneyland Resort Anaheim CA. during normal operating hours. Theme park admission is subject to capacity constraints. Passes cannot be used December 25-31. Expiration 11-24-2021

Thank you-Disneyland Resort & Friends of Skagit Land Trust

3. Elton Bennett Print “The Storm Coast”

Renowned Silk Screen artist Elton Bennett was born in 1910 in Cosmopolis, Washington. Bennett grew up and worked on the Washington coast, attended art school at the age of 36 and by 1956 became a full-time artist making serigraphs (silk screen prints). He continued working until his death with his wife in an airplane crash in 1974. This print bears his pencil signature and was **purchased directly from Elton at his Hoquiam home and studio** in February of 1965. “A glimpse of the past thru the hands of this masterful artist combined with **his love of the Northwest will leave you feeling as having been touched deeply within your soul**” One owner, kept in archival condition since purchase, custom framed for this event by Beth Owens.

Thank you- Dennis Clark, Lynne Jordan & Beth Owens

4. Methow Mountain Retreat For Two

Enjoy your bottle of wine from Lost River Winery when you spend **two nights in your own Mountain-View Cabin** surrounded by nature.

Dine at local favorites, **Old Schoolhouse Brewery** and

East 20 Pizza with the gift cards included in this fun package. Join our fellow land trust, the **Methow Conservancy** for a tour of one of their beautiful and inspiring protected properties in the Methow Valley. Both the cabin stay and tour are **available year round**, though winter will require snowshoes!



Restrictions: the Mountain View Chalet certificate is valid mid-week Sunday-Thursday excluding holidays. Not available July, August or December. Expires March 13, 2021

Thank you- Winthrop Mountain View Chalets, Methow Conservancy, Hal & Hella Lee, Lost River Winery and Ron & Fonda Downs

5. Cypress Island Hike With Craig Romano for Six



Your group of six will travel aboard **Island Express**, the fastest water transportation in the San Juan Islands to wild

and beautiful **Cypress Island**. Enjoy views during your trip through the San Juan Islands that are not normally traveled by the local ferry system.

Hike through old growth forests, learn about the history and witness the incredible vistas of this “last best place” in the San Juans with local award-winning guidebook author, outdoors writer and photographer, and **Northwest trails hiking expert Craig Romano**. Choose a favorite spot to spread out



and enjoy a **delightful picnic lunch from Gere-a-Deli**. Everyone in the group will take home a signed copy of Craig's book, Day Hiking the San Juans and Gulf Islands.

Restrictions: Please contact Craig Romano to arrange a mutually agreeable date before October 15, 2020

Thank you-Craig Romano, Island Express Charters & Gere-a-Deli

6. Four Nights For Two in San Miguel de Allende Mexico



The fridge will be stocked with all the fixings for a **pitcher of Margaritas** and fresh guacamole when you arrive to **enjoy four nights in San Miguel de Allende, World Heritage Site in central Mexico**. Travel + Leisure ranked it as the **No. 1 Best**

City in the World based on its thriving culinary scene and rich culture. The climate is nearly flawless. You will stay in a two-story casita on the grounds of a gracious old world Mexican home with a **private pool and fountains** in the Atascadero neighborhood, an established enclave above the city with large homes, cobbled roads, and quiet streets.

Restrictions: Please contact your hosts to arrange mutually agreeable dates. Expires 3-14-21.

Thank you-Larry & Susanna Dworsky

Dessert Auction

Ready for Dessert? When your table number is announced, your representative goes to the dessert area to make your table's selection. Event staff can help deliver the dessert to your table. Enjoy!

*More dessert than your table can eat? Carry out supplies are available.
Thank you to all of our dessert donors!*

7. One Week in the Heart of Italy



Delight in the trip of a lifetime as you explore the beautiful countryside and ancient villages of Italy's central region, savoring its distinctive culture, wine and cuisine while spending one week in a Centuries Old Villa in the Heart of Umbria! Il Mulino's restoration has been lovingly done to retain the flavor of the

original building while adding modern amenities. The villa sleeps six people comfortably and is located at the edge of the small Umbrian town of San Terenziano halfway between Florence & Rome.

Restrictions: please contact the owners to arrange mutually agreeable dates. No dates are available mid-May to mid-September. Expires 12-31-21

Thank you-Paul & Patty Mattaush-Johnson

8. Holland America Seven Day Cruise For Two



Revel in a spacious cruise ship room, breathe in expansive views and relax in easy elegance. With stately fine dining and enriching activities, Holland America Line's cruise ships welcome you aboard. Holland America Line has been named Number One for cruises to Alaska, the Mexican Riviera, and the Panama Canal & Central America in Cruise Critic's 2019 Cruisers' Choice Destination Award. The certificate is good for any 7-day Holland America Line cruise for two to Alaska, the Caribbean, Mexico or Canada/New England (subject to availability) and is for a minimum unobstructed ocean view stateroom, which may be

applied to other cabin categories at an additional cost.

Restrictions: Guest is responsible for taxes and onboard charges, which vary by cruise itinerary, and are published in Holland America Line's brochures. No expiration date.

Thank you -Holland America & Friends of Skagit Land Trust

9. Seven Days for Two at Waterman Resort Croatia

Enjoy Six Nights and Seven Days with all-inclusive service in a premier resort as you explore this unique island that offers everything one needs for an unforgettable holiday in an unspoiled natural environment with beautiful beaches and bays



and crystal blue sea. Croatia is a true rising star of modern tourism. Brac Island has a rich cultural and historic heritage that dates back to pre-historic times. With endless activities to choose from including,



sight-seeing, sea kayaking, rock climbing, snorkeling, and mountain biking there is truly something for everyone!

Restrictions: Certificate may be used in the months of May, June, October or November. The certificate cannot be transferred without written permission and does not include flight. Expires 12-31-2021

Thank you- Svpetrev Waterman Resort

10. Round Trip Airfare For Two on Jet Blue

Jet Blue offers flights to 90+ destinations with free in-flight entertainment, free brand name snacks and drinks, lots of legroom and award winning service. In addition to cities across the US Jet Blue flies to exciting destinations including Aruba, Cancun & Jamaica! Each travel certificate is valid for one round trip flight between any two domestic cities with com. nonstop or connecting JetBlue-operated service as published on jetblue.

Restrictions: Service between some cities is not available on a nonstop or connecting basis. Certificates are valid for one year from date of issue. Travel must be booked and completed within the year of validity. All travel with certificates is capacity controlled and subject to availability. Seats may not be available on all flights, especially during holidays and peak periods. It is recommend to book flights using certificates as far in advance as possible. Certain blackout dates may apply. Lost Certificate authorization numbers/PINS cannot be replaced. Expires 2-28-2021

Thank you-JetBlue

Raise Your Hand to Save Land!

In the past year, community members joined Skagit Land Trust to save critical wildlife habitat, important geologic sites, and beloved natural places. Some of these projects took years to accomplish, and some had to be achieved in a matter of months.

Your financial support is what made this conservation possible. We have an ambitious slate of projects planned for the year ahead. For many of these projects, a lack of funding is limiting conservation.

Your gift tonight, **in any amount**, allows us to have the funds on hand to act when the chance for conservation occurs. Your support affirms that you stand with the 1,500+ other members of Skagit Land Trust, acting to preserve wild and natural places. Your donation ensures that future generations of people and wildlife will have a home in the Skagit. The land we need to conserve in the future, already exists. With your support tonight, we'll be ready when the opportunity arises.

Our goal tonight for the Fund-A-Need is 100% participation. Please consider making a gift at whatever level is right for you. We have received generous challenge matches to be announced during the Fund-A-Need. You can help us reach that goal while doubling your donation. Please join us and together we can save the natural places we all love.

Thank you!

Contribution Levels						
\$2,500	\$1,000	\$500	\$250	\$100	\$50	\$25

Lands Protected by Skagit Land Trust

Freshwater Shoreline Miles	Marine Shoreline Miles	Wetlands Acres	Total Projects
38.3 miles	5.86 miles	859	118
Forest Acres	Agriculture Acres	TOTAL ACRES	43 Conservation Areas
5,860	828	8,366	36 Conservation Easements

11. Walla Walla Wine Escape For Two

The adventure begins with three nights in a Luxury Tower Suite at the famed Marcus Whitman Hotel in Walla Walla where historical elegance is combined with modern day luxury and exceptional service. Explore the beautiful Walla Walla valley which has become one of the finest wine regions in the nation. Relax in a luxury touring van as



you are chauffeured around the wine country with a customized itinerary to taste, sip and savor as you visit local vineyards. Enjoy wonderful dining experiences with multiple gift certificates that are part of this amazing package to local favorites including Dumas Station, the Walla Walla Steak Co., the Colville Street Patisserie, Reys Roast and the Weinhard Café.

Restrictions: For one of the nights at the Marcus Whitman Hotel - Advance Reservations required, subject to availability. Not valid Friday & Saturday, April through October. Sales tax included. Gratuity not included. Expires 3-31-2021 (Two of the nights at the Marcus Whitman require advance reservation, are subject to availability, but have no other restrictions)



Thank you- Mark & Marlene Schuck, Marcus Whitman Hotel, The Touring Co, Dumas Station Wines. In memory of Chuck Davis.



12. “Padilla Shore and the Yellow Sky” Oil on Oil Primed Linen over Aluminum

Lisa McShane is a painter of large, luminous landscapes. Her paintings are abstracted, graphic and **focused on light and the effect of light on the land.** Lisa first studied painting as a child in Germany working alongside a professional artist in his studio. She later studied both oil painting and metal sculpture in college. Lisa was selected in 2015 and 2017 to be the **Artist in Residence at two separate National Parks.** Today her studio is on an island in Puget Sound, where she has 15-acres of forest that she shares with herons, bald eagles, owls and deer. **From her studio she can see Samish Bay, Padilla Bay, the North Cascades and the Olympic Mountains.**

Thank you-Lisa McShane



13. Wren Ridge Ramble & Padilla Bay Tour for Six



Take a guided walk through the Enchanted Forest and Fen of Wren Ridge, one of the Trust's Conservation Easements located in Bay View overlooking the Salish Sea. Your hosts Land Trust board member **Rusty Kuntze** and naturalist **Libby Mills** will describe the flora and fauna seen on your walk and the many myths, stories and magic

to be found in the forest. See how many hidden spirit beings you can find as you explore this special place. After a delicious brunch at Wren Ridge, join **Roger Fuller**, Natural Resource Restoration and Stewardship Coordinator, at neighboring Padilla Bay National Reserve for a behind the scenes tour.



Roger will provide an introduction to what a habitat stewardship program looks like for a 12,000 acre reserve that spans kelp forests to eelgrass meadows to cedar forests!

Restrictions: A mutually agreeable date in spring or fall 2020. This experience is for the young and young at heart; children are welcome.

Thank you-Rusty Kuntze, Libby Mills, Roger Fuller & Friends of Skagit Land Trust

Thank You For Joining Us!

Thank you for joining with us this evening to save the important natural places that make the Skagit such a special place to work and live. Please don't feel rushed to leave. Trust Board and Staff members are available to chat over a cup of coffee or tea. We'd love to hear your thoughts about land conservation here in Skagit County.

If you won something this evening, congratulations! Winners who signed up for **Express-Pay** can pick up their items in the entry corridor **starting at 9pm**. Guests that chose to wait until the end of the night to pay, need to return to the front registration area for payment before retrieving their items. Thank you again. We look forward to seeing you next year!

Thank you Auction Team!

This team spent the last year reaching out the community to find the unique items, experiences, and packages that were up for auction tonight. Countless hours went into planning for this event. With hundreds of one-of-a-kind items, Skagit Land Trust's Lands We Love Auction & Dinner is unlike anything else. This annual event would not be possible without the care, creativity, and dedication of our volunteer auction team and Auction Coordinator, Debbie Ensey. We thank them deeply for the commitment they have shown to making the auction a success and saving land for tomorrow!

Auction Team:

Susan Brown • Brenda Cunningham • Fonda Downs • Debbie Ensey • Martha Frankel • Mark Nihart • Therese Ogle • Marnie Pennington • Jan Tivel • Jane Vilders • Susie Wilson

Thank you Auction Volunteers!

Thank you to everyone who stepped up to assist in the days leading up to the auction, including those whose names we did not have at press time. This event would not be successful without you!

Jen Barker	Amanda Hunt	Kari Odden
Kurt Bonholzer	Robyn Johnson	Virginia Roberts
Susan Brown	Steve Johnson	Belinda Rotton
Allison Cook	Garrett Knoll	Linda Sanford
King Dahl	Karen Krub	Sarah Shipley
Aaron Deshaies	Rusty Kuntze	Jerry Steinhilber
Ron Downs	Hal Lee	Emily Steinhilber
Fonda Downs	Jessica Lee	Hannah Swartos
Dave Ensey	Hella Lee	Kathy Thornburgh
Britta Eschete	Kathryn Leura Deshaies	Jan Tivel
Cheri Filion	Mark Linneman	Barb Trask
Jamie Findlay	Robert Lynch	Kent Turner
Carolyn Gastellum	Tim Manns	Jane Vilders
Pete Haase	Tom McFall	Warren Walz
Mark Hitchcock	Lisa Miller	Scott Weatherly
Jim Houston	Mark Nihart	Cheryl Willis
Amanda Hubik	Debbie Nygren	Susie Wilson

Thank you to our Generous Donors

Every effort was made to ensure this donor list was accurate. We apologize if your name was accidentally omitted - let us know so we can recognize you next year. Please consider recognizing our donors by patronizing their businesses and thanking them for donating to the Skagit Land Trust Auction and Dinner.

5b's Bakery	Kitty Bluhm	Coho Liquidation
A' Town Bistro	Bob's Chowder Bar & BBQ Salmon	Scott Colvin
ACT Theatre	Bow Hill Blueberries	Compass Wines
Adrift	Breadfarm	Cotton's
Adrift Hospitality	Richard Brocksmith	Craft Stove
Africa Mama	Gary & Susan Brown	Susan Crippen
Anacortes Brewery	Brown Lantern Ale House	Brenda Cunningham & Tim Manns
Anacortes Cinemas	Budget Towing & Auto Repair	Jocelyn Curry
Anacortes Diving	Burgermaster	Dad's Diner
Anacortes Kayak Tours	Suzanne Butler	Dakota Art Store
Anacortes Oil & Vinegar	Calico Cupboard	Chuck Howell & Charlene Day
Eileen Anderson	Callison RTKL Seattle	Charlotte Decker
Anelia's Kitchen & Stage	Campfire Samish	Karen Desko
Anne Martin McCool	Caravan Gallery	Jill Dickson
Anne's Coffee	Carpenter Creek Farm	Disneyland Resort
Anthony's Restaurants	Cedar Country Lumber	Alec Downs
Howard & Thais Armstrong	Charlton Glassworks	Fonda & Ron Downs
Arne Svendsen Trucking	Anne Chase-Stapleton	Dukes Seafood
Azusa Farm & Gardens	Children's Museum of Skagit County	Dumas Station Winery
Jenny Baker	Chimpanzee Sanctuary Northwest	Dunbar Gardens
Bare Boutique	Christianson's Nursery	Suzanna Dworsky
David Wertheimer & Paul Beaudet	Chuckanut Brewery	E & E Lumber
Diane Bednarz & Peter Jepson	Chuckanut Manor Seafood & Grill	Eaglemont Golf Course
Beneath the Streets	Lynne Jordan & Dennis Clark	Easton's Books
Bikespot	Molly Doran & Andrew Cline	Kris Ekstrand
Birdsview Brewing Co.	Coastal Farm & Ranch	Don Elliott
Bitters Co.		Debbie & Dave Ensey
Black Magic Kitchen		John Erbstoeszler
Black Sheep		Karen Everett
Blue Heron Coffee		Everett Aqua Sox
		Fairhaven Runners & Walkers
		FarmStrong Brewing
		Christine Farrow

Thank you to our Generous Donors

Kathleen Faulkner	J P Automotive	
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Forte Artisan	Kirk Johnson	Lighting
Chocolates	Paul & Patty	Nan McKay
Art & Robyn Fournier	Mattausch Johnson	Phil McCloud
Frida's Gourmet	Robyn & Steve	Liz McNett Crowl
Mexican	Johnson	Lisa McShane
Michael Garbooshian	Jo's Healing Hands	META Performing Arts
Garden Mentors Inc	Kaptein's Ace	Methow Conservancy
Carolyn & Ed	Hardware	Midway House
Gastellum	Pat Karlberg	Antiques
Gato Verde Adventure	Karl's Paint	Curt Miller
Sailing	Kelley's BBQ	MOD Pizza
Gere-a-Deli	Phil Kincare	Janet Morgan
Guemes Island Resort	King Arthur Flour	Jazz Morgan
Hair & Body	Klepper Glass	Mount Baker Theater
Mechanix	Karen Krub	Mud Bay
Eric Hall	Kathy Kuba	Museum of History &
Janet Hamilton	Rusty Kuntze &	Industry
Fran Hansen	Libby Mills	Native Springs Spa
Louise Harris	La Conner Pub &	Miriam Nihart
Jack Hartt	Eatery	Nordic Heritage
Hedgerow	Lang's Horse & Pony	Museum
Hedlin Farms	Farm	North Cascades
Heliotrope Hotel	George Lawson	Conservation Council
Hellams Vineyard	Hal & Hella Lee	North Cascades Institute
Heritage Flight	Lefebber Turf Farm	North Sound Brewing
Museum	Lincoln Theatre	Northwest Fine
Mark Hitchcock	Joe Lindquist	Furnishings
Fred Hodge	Craig Little	Kari Odden
Holland America Line	Lost in the Groove	Therese Ogle &
Steve & Gail Hopley	Laurie Lundgren	John Draper
Margaret Horak	Esther Luttikhuizen	Sydney Olausen
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John Hunt	Lynch	Pacific Northwest Ballet
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Island Express	Beau MacGregor	Pave Jewelry & Design
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I've Got an Etch	MacGregor	Penguin Coffee

Marnie Pennington	Skagit County Historical Museum	The Farmhouse
Pickford Film Center	Skagit Crest Vineyard & Winery	The Majestic Inn & Spa
Porterhouse	Skagit Cycle Center	The Marcus Whitman Hotel
Maralynne Powell	Skagit Gardens	The Museum of Flight
Tracy Powell	Skagit River Brewery	The Rex
John & Joyce Price	Skagit River Poetry Foundation	The Scone Lady Bakery
Rachawadee Thai Cafe	Skagit River Steel & Recycling	The Scott Collection Inc
Andrea Ratfield	Skagit Skate	The Stall
Razzi's Pizzeria	Skagit Valley Food Co-op	The Touring Co. Wine Tours
Recchiuti Confections	Skagit Valley Gardens	The Wood Merchant
Ann Reid & Tom Theisen	Skagit Valley Herald	Theater Arts Guild
Cynthia Richardson	Skagit Wild Bird Supply	Tides of Anacortes
Rick Steves	Skal Beer Hall	Jan Tivel
Eric Riedel	Diane Smith	Total Wine & More
The Rock Fish Grill	Fred Smith	Train Wreck Bar & Grill
Craig Romano	Smith & Vallee	Barbara Trask & Ger Van den Engh
Belinda Rotton	Woodworks	Tri Dee Arts
Samish Bay Cheese	Soaring Swallow Woodworks	Tweets
Santo Coyote	Soothing Waters	Twin Herons
Sauk Mountain Pottery	Spark Museum of Electrical Invention	Jane & Bruce Vilders
Cathy Schoenberg	State Farm Insurance	Warren & Linda Walz
Marlene & Mark Schuck	Step Outside LLC	Washington Bulb Company
Schuh Farms	Still Life with Cat Studio	Watermark Books
Scott Milo Gallery	Stowe's Shoes & Clothing	Gary Wickman
SeaBear Company	Strauss Jewelers	Keith & Jan Wiggers
Seaport Books	Carol Sullivan	Wiggin's Nursery Co.
Seattle Aquarium	Sunland Bark & Topsoil	Wild Fibers
Seattle Arts & Lectures	Svpetrvs Hoteli	David Williams
Seattle Mariners	Waterman Resort	Williams Bounds Custom Framing
Seattle Symphony	Swinomish Casino & Lodge	Anne Winkes
Semiahmoo Resort	Ann Tanner	Winthrop Mtn View Chalets
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Norm Sevigny	The 5th Avenue Theatre	Woodland Park Zoo
Sheely's Floral & Gift	The Cottage Salon	Work Outfitters
Dave Weitzel & Kayle Shulenberger	The Fairmont Olympic	Young's Wood Art
Silver Reef Casino		
Barbara Silverman Summers		

ABOUT SKAGIT LAND TRUST

Skagit Land Trust was founded in 1992 to conserve wildlife habitat, agricultural and forest lands, scenic open space, wetlands, and shorelines for the benefit of our community and as a legacy for future generations of people and wildlife. We have four main programs:

In **Land Conservation**, the Trust prioritizes protecting lands and natural processes needed for resilient ecosystems for people, plants and wildlife. We also preserve places that enhance people's quality of life such as nature parks, wildlife viewing areas and trail corridors. We purchase lands as conservation areas, work with willing landowners to protect special lands they own, and assist other conservation successes through extensive partnerships.

Our **Stewardship Program** cares for our 43 conservation areas and 36 conservation easements with the help of 400 volunteers of all ages. Volunteers do everything from adopting a property, assisting with wildlife habitat improvements, trail-building, monitoring land, helping by mapping, and taking pictures and videos.

Education and Outreach oversees member events and community outreach that brings people in contact with the land and people who want to protect it. We have strong citizen science endeavors and regularly host college interns. Our youth program and network of conservation classrooms helps school-aged young people experience and study nature close to where they live.

Our **Public Policy Program** works to build a bipartisan consensus and an engaged community that advances beneficial plans, policies and practices that affect land conservation and wildlife. Visit our "Take Action" page on our website to learn more.

The places we protect with you are sanctuaries for birds, fish and other wildlife. Other protected lands are vital as peaceful refuges for our community to visit, as working farms and ranches, as sources of clean water, and as needed forest preserves.

Today, the amount of land and habitat protected and managed by the Trust has grown to more than 8,366 acres, including 44 miles of shoreline.

Skagit Land Trust became one of the first land trusts in the nation to receive accreditation from the national Land Trust Accreditation Commission. Accreditation is a mark of distinction, showing Skagit Land Trust meets high standards for land conservation.

Visit skagitlandtrust.org to learn more about our work.

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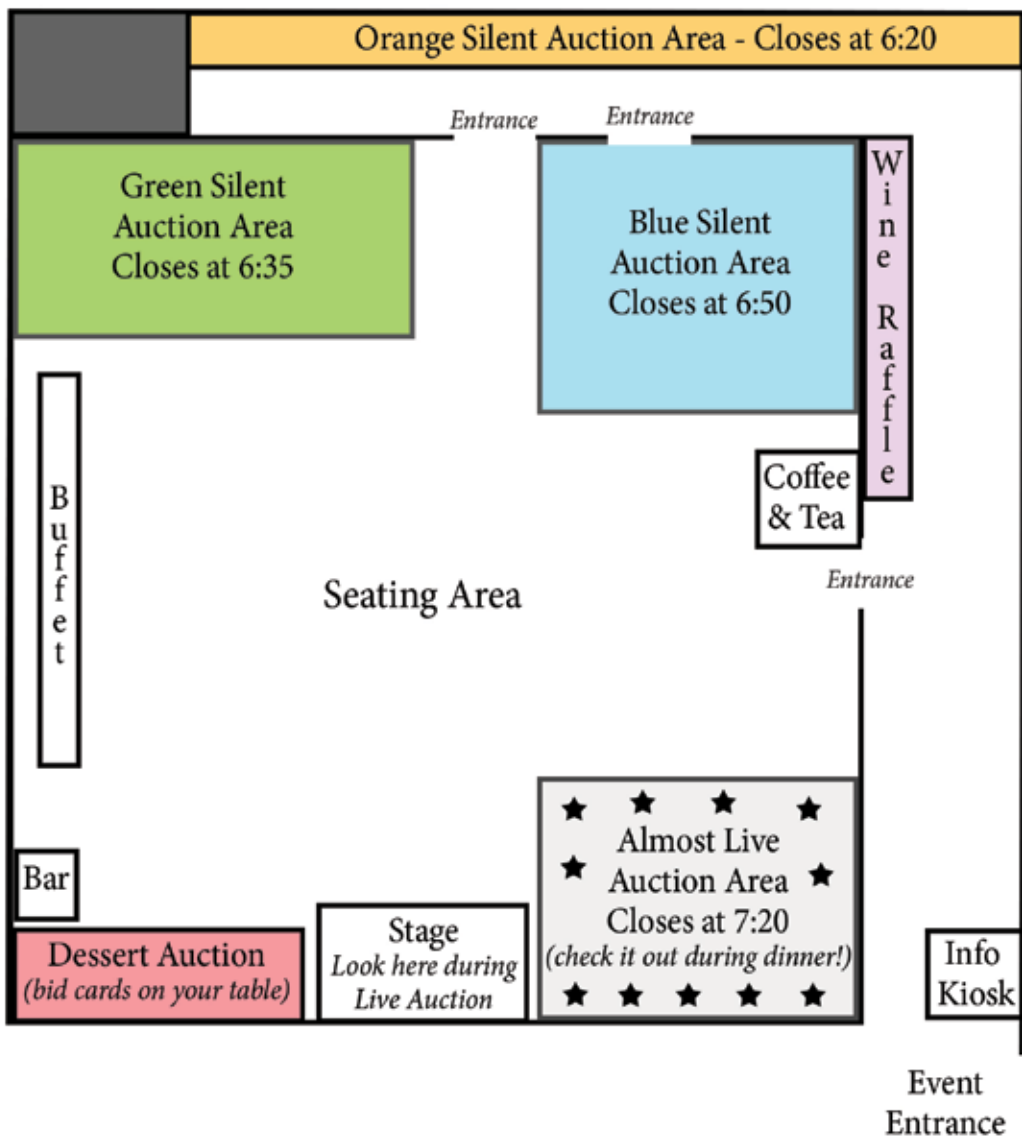
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Auction Map

There is lots to explore at Skagit Land Trust's Land We Love Auction & Dinner. Please use this map to help guide you through the event.



Restrooms →
(Just past the fireplace)

Coat Check →
(At Lodge front desk)