

Senior Belles & Beaus

2008-2009

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Gold Medallion Ball
Abilene Philharmonic Guild

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Guild Members' Guide

Gold Medallion Events
February 28, 2009



Grande Dame

Nelda Hodges

Noble Gold

Eddie Hodges

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Ball Sponsorship Opportunities

Location of table(s) is determined by the sponsorship level

Take this opportunity to put together your own table of 10 guests and friends. For example, 5- couples can become Underwriters at the \$7,500 level when they each pay \$1500/couple and name the other couples in their group as their reservations are submitted.

General Ball Admission

\$200 per Couple

January 19th Deadline for inclusion in Invitation

\$10,000 Underwriter

Pre-Ball Benefits

- Print Recognition, Invitation to VIP Friday evening reception Celebrating the Grande Dame, & Noble Gold, and Honoring Major Donors; Invitation for all table guests to Major Donor Reception

Ball Benefits

- 2-Tables of 10, Favors for 20, Hand-lettered Place cards, Drink tokens for each guest, *Baroque Room* token for each guest, Wine on table, Table Waiter for served dinner

\$7,500 Underwriter

Pre-Ball Benefits

- Print Recognition, Invitation to VIP Friday evening reception Celebrating the Grande Dame, & Noble Gold, and Honoring Major Donors; Invitation for all table guests to Major Donor Reception

Ball Benefits

- 1-Table of 10, Favors for 10, Hand-lettered Place cards, Drink tokens for each guest, *Baroque Room* token for each guest, Wine on table, Table Waiter for served dinner

\$5,000 Underwriter

Pre-Ball Benefits

- Print Recognition, Invitation to VIP Friday evening reception Celebrating the Grande Dame, & Noble Gold, and Honoring Major Donors; Invitation for all table guests to Major Donor Reception

Ball Benefits

- 1-Table of 10, Favors for 10, Place cards for the host to complete, Drink tokens for each guest, *Baroque Room* token for each guest, Wine on table

\$3,000 Underwriter

Pre-Ball Benefits

- Print Recognition, Invitation to VIP Friday evening reception Celebrating the Grande Dame, & Noble Gold, and Honoring Major Donors; Invitation for all table guests to Major Donor Reception

Ball Benefits

- 1-Table of 10, Drink tokens for each guest, *Baroque Room* token for each guest

\$1,500 Underwriter

Pre-Ball Benefits

- Print Recognition, Invitation to VIP Friday evening reception Celebrating the Grande Dame, & Noble Gold, and Honoring Major Donors; Invitation for all table guests to Major Donor Reception

Ball Benefits

- 1-Table of 10, Drink tokens for each guest

Gold Medallion Ball IV



\$2,000 Sponsor

Pre-Ball Benefits

- Print Recognition, Invitation to VIP Friday evening reception Celebrating the Grande Dame, & Noble Gold, and Honoring Major Donors; Invitation for all table guests to Major Donor Reception

Ball Benefits

- 2-seats at a Double Gold Table, Drink tokens, and *Baroque Room* tokens for 2

\$1,500 Sponsor

Pre-Ball Benefits

- Print Recognition, Invitation to VIP Friday evening reception Celebrating the Grande Dame, & Noble Gold, and Honoring Major Donors; Invitation for all table guests to Major Donor Reception

Ball Benefits

- 2-seats at a Rose Gold Table, Drink tokens, and *Baroque Room* tokens for 2

\$1,000 Sponsor

Pre-Ball Benefits

- Print Recognition, Invitation to VIP Friday evening reception Celebrating the Grande Dame, & Noble Gold, and Honoring Major Donors; Invitation for all table guests to Major Donor Reception

Ball Benefits

- 2-seats at a Gold Table, Drink tokens, and *Baroque Room* tokens for 2

\$500 Sponsor

Pre-Ball Benefits

- Print Recognition, Invitation to VIP Friday evening reception Celebrating the Grande Dame, & Noble Gold, and Honoring Major Donors; Invitation for all table guests to Major Donor Reception

Ball Benefits

- 2-seats at a Silver Table, Drink tokens, and *Baroque Room* tokens for 2

\$300 Sponsor

Pre-Ball Benefits

- Print Recognition, Invitation to VIP Friday evening reception Celebrating the Grande Dame, & Noble Gold, and Honoring Major Donors; Invitation for all table guests to Major Donor Reception

Ball Benefits

- 2-seats at a Silver Table, Drink tokens for 2

Features of the Evening

- The design theme is in a word, "Baroque."
- The Ball will feature two orchestras—**Freeride** and **Fanfare!**, (formerly Dora Nell Finch Orchestra).
- **Perini's** is back by popular demand for your dining pleasure.
- Capture your special evening with a **Doug Hodel** Portrait.
- Beverage tokens will again be included with your admission. Additional tokens may be purchased.
- Bid to win one or more of the Exceptional Dinners Silent Auction
- The Raffle winner will be selected at 11PM

Major Donor Reception

Judy B. Miller is chairing this year's pre-ball event for those purchasing premium level tickets. Begin your evening with mingling, and merriment. Valet parking available.

Gold Medallion IV

February 28, 2009
Abilene Civic Center

Brunch

Carol Chisum is Chair for the 2009 Brunch. She and the planning committee are



Brunch menu will feature:
Sesame Teriyaki Glazed Chicken with Mango Lime Salsa, Japanese Sticky Rice and Steam Vegetables

working on an exceptional multi-generational event. See the Brunch Sponsorship Opportunities. The Brunch is the place where all Guild members can show their support of the orchestra.— plan to attend and invite your friends for this lovely Saturday mid-morning event. Guests will be treated to the first view of the Ballroom, along with featured guests—2009 **Golden Charm** recipient, Senior Belles and mothers, and the Grande Dame and Noble Gold.

Just a few of the details we can share:

- Bidding will begin on the Exceptional Dinners Silent Auction
- Gold Medallion Raffle tickets will be available
- Sparkling Grape Juice, Mimosas, and Champagne will be available for purchase

Brunch Sponsorship Opportunities

Maestro, \$ 1,000

Includes seating and favors for 20 guests to the Brunch with print recognition

Golden Charm, \$750

Includes seating and favors for 10 guests to the Brunch with print recognition

Belles, \$500

Includes seating for 10 guests at the Brunch with print recognition

Beaus, \$250

Includes seating for 8 guests at the Brunch with print recognition

Tempo, \$150

Includes seating for 6 guests at the Brunch with print recognition

Baton, \$100

Includes seating for 4 guests at the Brunch with print recognition

General Brunch Admission

\$25

Seating is limited to 450



Gold Medallion Ball Raffle

\$5,000 Grand Prize

Winner receives from the Abilene Philharmonic Guild \$5,000 of spending power to be used among this year's vendors:

Busch Jewelers

Thorne Group TSI

The Travel Factory

Lowe's

or the Charity of your Choice

such as the

Abilene Philharmonic

Purchase jewelry, electronics, travel, home improvement, and/or donate to your favorite charity by winning the Gold Medallion Ball Raffle.

Tickets \$25 each or 5 for \$100

Winning name will be drawn February 28, 2009 at 11 PM; need not be present to win.

Solid Gold Incentive for Guild Members ONLY!

For every 10 Raffle tickets you buy or sell, on or before February 9th, you are awarded an additional raffle entry in your name for the Grand Prize Drawing!

Baroque Room

Guests will have the opportunity to visit this special location for fine after-dinner beverages, and quiet conversation.

Exceptional Dinners Silent Auction

The wonder and fun of the Gold Medallion Ball has another new dimension in 2009. **Start the bidding** and win one or more of the Exceptional Dinners. Local culinary greats and exceptional hosts and hostess are donating one-of-a-kind, top-shelf, dinner parties for your bidding delight.

Examples, to whet your appetite...

- Tril's Alaskan King Crab Dinner
- Dinner and Conversation with The Honorable Texas House Representative Susan and Doctor Austin King

For more information

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