



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Volunteers Prepare for Another Highly Successful & Fun Friends of Scarborough Marsh Dinner & Auction Fundraiser!

The Friends of Scarborough Marsh will host the Fifth Annual Dinner & Auction on Friday, October 24, 2008 at St. Maximillian Church in Scarborough.

These highly successful fundraisers are sell-out events that have already raised more than \$150,000 for land conservation in the Scarborough Marsh watershed. Moreover they are a wonderful display of the community's care for the Scarborough Marsh, Maine's largest saltwater marsh and a regionally significant resource.

And You Can Help!!

This year's event promises to be even more successful! Contact Lucy LaCasse (883-3637) or Rick Murphy (883-3964) to get involved. Or come to one of our fundraising meetings (go to www.scarboroughmarsh.org for dates or email info@scarboroughmarsh.org for more information).

WE NEED YOU! Many hands make light (and fun!) work -- it is only with your enthusiasm and energy that we can expect to have another highly successful event this year! There are lots of ways to lend a hand:

- Solicitors: sell ads in our auction catalog or contact businesses for donations of goods and services or gift certificates to auction or use as prizes.
- Collectors: help with pick up and delivery of donations.
- Donors: you name it, we can probably use it! No donation is too small or too big! Trips and tickets to events, shopping sprees, gift certificates to favorite retailers and restaurants, sporting goods, unique Maine-made or high-end handcrafted items are always great, too.
- Event Helpers: before, during, and after the event - from set up to decorations to clean up—all sorts of fun jobs!



GOT GOOD STUFF?

... give it to the marsh!

Sporting goods, collectibles, framed prints, high-end crafts, gift baskets, new apparel—you name it... we can use it. We'll accept most items - large or small—as long as it's got value and is new or in prime condition!

WHO DO YOU KNOW?

Gift certificates, goods and services, hot deals and discounts, tickets, memberships, and more!! Who do you do business with? What clubs do you belong to? Who do you know? You may find they will lead you to the perfect item to add to the auction!

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Remember—gifts may be tax deductible!! FOSM is an all-volunteer 501(c)3 non-profit organization pledged to conserve, protect, restore, and enhance the Scarborough Marsh.