



Auction Committee Member

Role Description

Each year, hundreds of our supporters gather together at our annual Holiday Auction to celebrate the help, hope, and healing that the Orange County Rape Crisis Center offers to our community. This is our largest event of the year, bringing together community partners to raise funds and awareness of our mission to end sexual violence. The auction is an opportunity to honor the strength and compassion of all those who have worked to create a safety community for more than 40 years. It also provides crucial funding to ensure that our services remain free and confidential for those who need them.

The Auction Committee is comprised of dedicated volunteers who seek to support the Center in a unique way. Their energy and hard work raises \$100,000 for the Center each year!

Responsibilities include:

- Attend the Holiday Auction.
- Invite friends and family to attend the auction with you.
- Attend and participate fully in all committee meetings.
- Communicate frequently with event leadership and committee members. Complete appropriate paperwork in order to facilitate the clear movement of information.
- Work with committee chairs to solicit sponsorships and items from businesses and individuals.
- Sell raffle tickets.
- Be flexible and willing to jump in where needed.
- Be enthusiastic, perseverant, and hard-working! It takes an average of 7 contacts to get a response from a business or individual you are soliciting.
- Make a commitment of an average of 2 hours per week from mid-August through mid-November.