**Frequently Asked Questions**

**What is the goal of the auction?**

The goal of the Flock Party is two fold. We raise money for Friends of Lincoln and we come together as a community. Our LHS community is stronger when we flock together.

**What is FoL**

FoL is Friends of Lincoln. We are a non-profit organization sponsored and supported by parents, students, businesses, and alumni who have an interest in educational excellence and student support. Friends of Lincoln combines the roles and support activities previously delivered by the Lincoln Boosters, PTSO and Foundation into one unified support system for the broader Lincoln High School community.

**What is the attire?**

The Flock Party has no special dress code – some will come in cocktail dresses or suits while others wont. Think festive casual – feather accessories are welcome – we are a flock after all.

**Can Teachers and staff come too?**

We want this to be a party for everyone. We have tickets priced for teachers and every year we get tickets donated for some teachers to use.

**Is seating reserved?**

Tables are assigned and you will be given your table number when you check in. You can tell us when you purchase your ticket who you want to sit with and we do our best to honor that. You can also say, for example, that you want to sit with other parents who have kids in 10th grade.

**Does the auction sell out?**

We have sold out in the past. We hope to sell out every year and make it a blowout party!

**What is a paddle raise?**

During the Live Auction we have a paddle raise. You can raise your bidder number for the amount you want to give. The funds raised go to the LHS Foundation. The Foundation supports the cost of additional teachers.

**Is this a family event?**

This is a grown up night.

**Can I volunteer?**

Yes, we need many hands to create a magical and meaningful event.

**Who do I call with questions?**

See our committee page on our web site. Everyone is happy to answer any questions.

**What if I can’t come but still want to help?**

We need people to volunteer on many committees before and after the event. You can also submit a proxy bid, donate an item or make a cash donation.

**What is proxy bidding?**

Proxy bidding is available for the night of the event. You fill out a Proxy Bid Form that authorized a proxy bidder to bid on specific item(s) on your behalf. You set up a maximum bid amount and our proxies will act on your behalf.

**When will the online catalog be available?**

The catalog usually goes “live” about 4 weeks before the event. New items are added every day