



# 40th Anniversary Celebration

*"Honoring the Past...Envisioning the Future"*

Thursday, June 13, 2024

THE RIVERVIEW, 10 WINSLOW PLACE, SIMSBURY, CT

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Dear Friend of Duncaster,

Duncaster is excited to gather at the Riverview in Simsbury, CT on Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024, from 5:30 to 10:30 p.m. for Duncaster's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration!

In September 1980, the first official meeting of the "Hartford Retirement Community" took place. Their efforts led to the creation in 1984 of a truly special community in Bloomfield, Connecticut. As we mark our 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 2024, we celebrate our past and look forward to our future that will include exciting new renovations that promote life enrichment, healthy lifestyles, physical activity, social engagement, education, arts, creativity, and more.

On June 13<sup>th</sup> we will come together to raise money to support our Duncaster community. **We ask that you consider supporting Duncaster with the donation of an auction item.**

Our 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration auction will reach hundreds of leaders, business executives, donors and friends across the state and in doing so, we will help promote your business. We welcome any auction item you can share. If you are looking for inspiration on auction ideas, the following types of items are desirable: **unique trips and experiences, sports and other ticketed events, wine, beer, liquor, restaurant gift cards and tastings, electronics and exquisite fine jewelry and art.**

As a thank you for your generosity, your name and a description and photo of the auction item will be displayed in the online auction link that will be available to many Duncaster supporters, and your company name will be featured before, during and after the auction, on social media platforms and on large screens at the Celebration.

Attached you will find a fillable auction donation form for your review. Please **email the completed form to [cheryl@lreventmanagement.com](mailto:cheryl@lreventmanagement.com)**. If you prefer, you may mail your completed form to the Duncaster Foundation, Attn: Barry Tomlinson, 40 Loeffler Road, Bloomfield, CT 06002. For questions, please contact Cheryl Pervere of LR Events at [cheryl@lreventsmanagement.com](mailto:cheryl@lreventsmanagement.com).

Thank you for your generous support of Duncaster and, most importantly, for helping to raise funds to support the Duncaster community and improve overall resident quality of life.

Sincerely,

Kelly Papa  
President & CEO



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## Auction Donation Form

<b>Business/Donor Name</b> <i>(as it will appear in materials, on website and other social media)</i>	<b>Item Description and Details:</b> <i>Include details (i.e.: quantity, size, color, number of people, valid dates). This information will be included in catalog and/or online auction description. Please attach additional pages if needed.</i> Photos/Logo for online auction attached? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Contact Person</b>	
<b>Address</b>	
<b>Contact Phone Number</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Cell <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Business	<b>Restrictions</b> <i>(i.e.: expiration date, blackout dates, etc.)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Restrictions specified below <input type="checkbox"/> None
<b>Contact Email</b>	
<b>Donor's Website or Social Media Page</b> <i>(to be linked to Donor Name on the Event Website.)</i>	<b>Fair Market Value</b>
<b>Person Who Contacted You for the Donation</b>	<b>Select One:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Item enclosed or file attached <input type="checkbox"/> Item mailed/delivered <input type="checkbox"/> Please make a certificate for item <input type="checkbox"/> Pick up required
<b>Item Authorized by / Donor's Signature:</b>	<b>Date</b>

**PLEASE NOTE:** The donor irrevocably donates the above property or service to Duncaster. Donated items become Duncaster property and can be used for other fundraising activities. Duncaster reserves the right to combine the donation with other items. Proceeds will support the programs and services of the Duncaster Foundation, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization (Federal ID# 06-1406263).

**Deadline for Auction Forms: Friday, May 17, 2024**

Return Completed Form to:

Duncaster Foundation • Attn: Barry Tomlinson

40 Loeffler Rd, Bloomfield, CT 06002

(Or email completed form to: Cheryl@lreventsmanagement.com)