



WINTER gala

A night of dancing,
dresses and
memories for a
good cause!

FireKeepers Casino
12.5.24 | 6 PM

tickets on
sale now

A portion of the proceeds will be donated to the HBA Legal Action Fund

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you're invited

It's time to put on your finest attire and join the HBA at the first annual Winter Gala. Don't miss out on this unforgettable evening filled with dinner, music, and laughter. Get a group of friends together or make new ones. Get your tickets now and plan to make magical memories together at the Winter Gala. Formal attire requested.

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event

info

when:

Thursday, December 5, 2024 / 6:00 PM

where:

FireKeepers Casino Hotel | Mbish Ballroom D
11177 E Michigan Ave, Battle Creek, MI 49014

why:

The Holidays are all about GIVING! A portion of the proceeds will benefit the HBA of Michigan's Legal Action Fund.

who:

HBA Members OR anyone working in the residential construction industry

what is

the hba legal action fund

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While a large part of the advocacy work the HBA of Michigan does is at the Capitol in Lansing, the fight for attainable housing doesn't stop there. Your state association is engaged in legal battles across Michigan in an effort to fight against unlawful government action and overreach.

Why is your contribution needed? Just in the past three months alone we have incurred legal expenses related to the following cases:

- 01 Challenging the Illegal Implementation of a New Michigan Energy Code
- 02 Demanding Our Legal Fees be Paid Back in our Permit Fee Overcharge Case/Victory Against the City of Troy
- 03 Opposing the Adoption of a Natural Gas Ban on New Construction in the City of Ann Arbor
- 04 Advising the City of Kentwood that a Proposed Ordinance Violates Michigan's Uniform Codes

Are you experiencing legal issues? If you encounter something from a local unit of government or building department that doesn't seem legal, it likely isn't. Bottom line: your state association is here to advocate not just for the industry but for each and every one of us when we need assistance.

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registered online



single ticket | \$150

Includes a cocktail hour, 2 drink tickets, a magnificent gourmet meal, dessert, a \$10 player card, music by DJ Todd, and an opportunity to bid on an extravagant silent auction, benefiting the HBA Legal Fund. Complimentary self and valet parking.

table of 10 | \$1200

Includes 10 single tickets. Planning to bring a large group? Groups of eight to ten people are best suited for this special rate.

GALA REGISTRATION ENDS @ 12 NOON ON WEDNESDAY, 11/27/24

sponsor info

title sponsor | \$2500

- Reserved table for 10 at the Winter Gala
- Logo recognition on tables
- Logo recognition on digital invitation and all event communications
- Spotlight Facebook post
- Formal introduction from stage with option to speak

cocktail sponsor | \$1000

Host cocktail hour from 6-7pm! Includes:

- Logo recognition on cocktail tables
- Logo recognition on digital invitation
- Shared Facebook post
- Logo recognition on bar

dessert sponsor | \$300

- Logo recognition at dessert station
- Logo recognition on digital invitation

premium table sponsor | \$1500

- Reserved table for 10 at the Winter Gala
- Logo recognition on reserved table
- Logo recognition on digital invitation

entertainment sponsor | \$500

- Logo recognition on stage near DJ station
- Logo recognition on digital invitation
- Formal introduction from stage

dessert sponsor | \$300

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- Logo recognition on digital invitation

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Hotel info

**SAVE ON A CLASSIC KING ROOM USING
GROUP CODE '120524HOME' ONLINE**



Reserve a classic King Room at the special rate of \$170.10! Reservations should be made directly with Fire Keepers Casino Hotel by 5:00pm on 11/20/24. Scan the QR Code to book online or call (877) 352-8777. Please mention the HBA Gala to receive the group rate. If making reservations online, guests should use the following group code: 120524HOME

HOTEL RESERVATION DEADLINE: 11/20/24

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silent
au ction

We're looking forward to a wide variety of auction items to bid on at our first annual Winter Gala. Your donation will play a huge role in the success of this event. Donation items could include: a weekend getaway, a wine tour in Traverse City, camping or hunting gear, a themed gift basket, sports tickets, and more.

WANT TO DONATE A GIFT FOR THE SILENT AUCTION?

CONTACT THE WINTER GALA COMMITTEE:

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gala committee

CONTACT THE WINTER GALA COMMITTEE:

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Silent Auction

DONATION IDEAS

- Weekend stay in an Airbnb
- Vacation package/Weekend getaway
- Tickets - concert, theater, sporting event, comedy show, museum, amusement or water parks
- Signed Memorabilia
- Dance lessons
- Pottery or Glass blowing class
- Memberships- Country clubs, Zoo, Bird Sanctuary
- Wine or beer club
- Private classes or lessons - Cooking, charcuterie board making, flower arranging, rock climbing, etc
- Wine & canvas type events
- Family photo shoot certificate
- Home staging
- Videography/photography for Real Estate
- Fishing charter
- Axe throwing
- Tasting Menu at a Top Restaurant
- Themed baskets: spa day, movie night, game night, beach party, backyard BBQ, etc.
 - Beach basket: Beach towels, beach chairs, cooler, umbrella, rolling cooler with 6 pack of beer, yeti cup, beer opener
 - Car basket: oil change, car wash package, cleaning items
 - Pet basket: grooming gift certificate, gift card to pet store, toys, local treats
 - Chocolate basket: gift certificate to Cherri's Chocol'art, coffee cups, chocolates
 - Bourbon basket: Bourbon, cigars, meat, cheese, crackers
 - Firepit basket: s'mores items, poker, firepit, lighter
 - Margarita basket: Margarita mix, Jimmy Buffet CD, gift card
 - Travelers gift basket: a travel pillow, Bose headphones, wet wipes, magazines, snacks, and a suit bag.
 - Fitness baskets: can include a yoga mat, dumbbells, a water bottle, and a gym membership.
 - Gourmet wine and picnic basket: picnic basket with good wine, cheeses, crackers, and everything a couple would need for a lovely picnic.
 - Spa basket: Shades of Lavendar mini self care kit, hand crafted soap, face masks, slippers, bathrobes, lotions, essential oils, or bath salts, gift certificate to local day spa.
 - Cooking enthusiast basket: Everyone loves a good meal, so add items like flavored oils, spices, cookbooks, cooking utensils, and sauces.
 - College Rivals Basket - Two donors are pitted against one another, with each creating a basket that is themed for one half of a popular college rivalry (i.e. University of Michigan vs. Michigan State, etc.). See which team "wins" by getting the most bids!

GIFT BASKET *description*

DONATED BY:

DESCRIPTION/ITEMS INCLUDED:

VALUE:

Please attach to basket.