

PUTTIN' ON THE RITZ!

St. Augustine Academy's Gala Sponsorship Opportunities

Saturday, November 5, 2016 – Air Force One Pavilion - Ronald Reagan Presidential Library

Literature: Fitzgerald – TITLE SPONSOR – \$10,000

It was a time of great literature. One of the greatest authors of this era was F. Scott Fitzgerald. His “title piece” was *the Great Gatsby*, which Bishop Barron upholds as a great moral sermon. The clear end of the tale is that only a true, timeless and sublime Faith will answer our longings as humans. Saint Augustine Academy exists to hand on the true, good and beautiful to our students so they carry forth the torch of hope to a world not unlike Fitzgerald’s time. Your sponsorship of the Fitzgerald table underwrites our presence under the wings of Air Force One tonight. We all thank you for allowing us to celebrate in this magnificent venue. You and your chosen guests will have front row seating at your premium table for ten, special bottles of wine, an event gift, center billing in the Gala Program and our everlasting gratitude. On behalf of the entire St. Augustine Academy family, we heartily thank you for sponsoring our 2016 Gala!



Music: Ellington – EVENT SPONSOR – \$5,000

It was also a time of great music. Among the kings of music was the great duke Ellington. One trait that made Duke Ellington so memorable, and so influential, was his own underplaying of his talent. He was a world-class piano player, but preferred to lift those around him up rather than highlight his own greatness. This helped develop and spotlight generations of great musicians. At St. Augustine Academy we also try to develop the next generation, and we are blessed to do so with great teachers who are smart, kind and talented – but also humble. We thank you for YOUR help in putting the needs of St. Augustine Academy into the spotlight tonight by supporting our event. With this sponsorship you will receive honored placement for a table of ten, special gifts and prominent billing in our 2016 Gala Program. Thank you for underwriting the costs of our auction, so all funds go directly to student benefit.



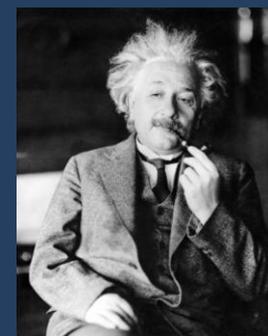
Sport: Ruth – DECORATION SPONSOR – \$2,500

It is no wonder that even today, “The Babe” evokes greatness, determination and confidence – and the model for sports greatness. Although his home run record has been surpassed several times now, he is still considered the greatest of them all. Interestingly, there is a less known side to Babe Ruth – a Catholic man. Raised with a deep impression of the Faith by Br. Matthais, it stuck. He wrote, late in life, *“As far as I’m concerned, and I think as far as most kids go, once religion sinks in, it stays there – deep down. The lads who get religious training, get it where it counts – in the roots. They may fail it, but it never fails them. When the score is against them, or they get a burn pitch, that unfailling Something inside them will be there to draw on.”* St. Augustine Academy is here to help a solid, solid and kind religion “sink in”. As a sponsor, you will enjoy up-front placement for your table of ten, gifts for each table guest and special notice in our Gala Program. Thank you for appreciating our efforts to instill integrity, service and excellence with your sponsorship.



Innovation: Einstein – FRIENDS SPONSOR – \$2,000

Albert Einstein surely is an icon of science, scholarship and innovation. However, he was not so one-dimensional. In his autobiography he states, *“The most important endeavor is the striving for morality in our actions. Our inner balance and even our very existence depend on it. Only morality in our actions can give beauty and dignity for life.”* We agree! That is why we teach our students the best of human knowledge, but also about human and eternal life. Thank you for sharing this ideal with your friends and filling a sponsorship table here tonight. This reserved table for ten will have priority placement under the nose of Air Force One, and a special notice in the Gala Program. Thank you for introducing more friends to the St. Augustine Academy ideals.



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Sponsorship Participation Enrollment

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Music Table – EVENT SPONSOR – \$5,000

Sport Table – DECORATION SPONSOR – \$2,500

Innovation Table - FRIENDS SPONSOR – \$2,000 each.

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