



Frequently Asked Question

The 6th Annual Spring Gala Fundraising Dinner 2023

常见的关于Gala晚宴的问题和答案 2023

1. How long does the event usually last?

Registration begins at 5:30 p.m. with the dinner event **starting at 6:00 p.m. sharp**. We are aiming to finish the event at about 9:00 p.m. The menu of the night will be a 4-course set dinner with soup, salad, and your choice of entree selection, followed by dessert and coffee/tea. These selections will be made during your online ticket purchase but please note that once submitted, no changes can be made to your selection or purchase.

1. 晚宴时间一般有多长?

登记工作将于下午5:30开始，晚餐活动于下午6:00准时开始。我们的计划是在晚上9点左右结束活动。当晚的菜单将有四道菜，包括汤、沙拉和宾客选择的主菜，然后是甜点和咖啡/茶。这些选择将在您的在线购票时选好，请注意，一旦提交，就不能对您的菜单或订单进行更改。

2. What is the Gala about?

A successful fundraising tradition at Pythagoras Academy organized by PAPO. After 3 years of pandemic, this tradition can finally be introduced to our new Pythagoras Families again. A fun-filled dinner event that gives us an opportunity to get together and socialize with your fellow parents and teachers/staff of Pythagoras academy. We will have an exciting 'live auction', raffle draw and dancing before the night ends.

2. 晚宴一般都有哪些内容或者活动?

Gala晚宴是毕达家委会组织的传统筹款活动。在经历了3年的疫情之后，这个传统终于可以再次开放给所有毕达家庭。这将是一个充满乐趣的晚餐活动，让我们有机会与其余家长以及毕达学校教职员工聚在一起并进行交流。在晚会结束前，我们将有令人兴奋的“现场拍卖”、抽奖活动和舞会。

3. Can I bring non-PA parents and friends to the dinner?

Most definitely! We welcome relatives and friends to join in the fun on the night of the Gala.

3. 晚宴可以携同非PA的家长朋友一同参加吗?

可以。非常欢迎家长邀请自己的亲朋好友前来参加晚宴。

4. Are children allowed to attend the Gala?

Unfortunately, we want to keep it an all adult party so everyone can enjoy themselves and not worry about taking care of their children.

4. 晚宴可以带孩子一起参加吗?

晚宴不能带孩子参加。

5. I would like to attend, but I have children that need to be taken care of. Any suggestions?

With special thanks to our PAPO Community, one of our parents was able to source a reputable childcare program within the heart of Richmond at Harrow House Academy. They are available during our Gala so that parents can attend the event - Harrow House will have childcare services and programs available for our children from JK to Grade 7. Interested parents must contact and coordinate directly with Harrow House before March 31, 2023, on service details, fees and registration. Their hours of operation are from Monday to Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Please contact Shereen for English and Gloria for Chinese at (604) 779-7951. **This is only a suggestion and option for our parents, parents are welcome to make their own arrangements for child minding for the evening of the Gala.

5. 我很想参加, 但当天晚上有孩子需要照顾, 怎么办? 有什么建议吗? 特别感谢PAPO社区的一位家长能够在列治文市中心的Harrow House 找到一个信誉良好的托儿服务。他们在我们的晚会期间可以提供服务, 这样家长就可以参加活动 - Harrow House将为从幼儿园到七年级的孩子提供托儿服务和游戏。有兴趣的家长必须在2023年3月31日之前直接与Harrow House联系和协调服务细节、费用和注册事宜。他们的工作时间为周一至周五上午10:00至下午4:00。请联系 Shereen (英语) 和 Gloria (中文), 电话: (604) 779-7951。 **这只是给我们的家长一个建议 and 选择, 欢迎家长自行安排晚会当晚的儿童看护。

6. I am not comfortable socializing in English, do I need to speak English to attend the Gala dinner?

English skills are not required to attend the Gala dinner.

6. 我英文不好, 需要会讲英文才能参加吗?
参加晚宴不需要会英语。

7. Do I need to wear a formal dress to the event?

It would be nice to see everyone dress up and look fabulous at the Gala dinner, but it is not mandatory. Please refer to our invitation for the suggested dress code for the evening.

7. 晚宴需要穿着正式的礼服吗?

我需要穿正装参加活动吗? 很高兴看到每个人都能在晚宴上穿得潇洒漂亮, 但并不强制。请参考我们的邀请函, 了解当晚的建议着装。

8. Can I decide whether to go to dinner on the day of the Gala?

Seating is limited so we strongly advise you to purchase your tickets as soon as possible. We cannot guarantee you a seat once tickets sell out. Preparations also need to be finalized with the venue so we might not be able to accommodate your request if it is too late. As well, don't miss out on our Early Bird Ticket Prices.

8. 我可以在晚会当天决定是否去参加晚宴吗?

由于座位有限, 所以我们强烈建议你尽早购票。一旦门票售罄, 我们无法保证会有座位。筹备工作也需要提前与会场敲定, 所以如果太晚决定参加, 我们可能无法满足你的要求。另外, 不要错过我们的早鸟票。

9. Is purchasing a Gala dinner ticket considered a donation to the school?

Unfortunately, it is not considered a donation to the school and you will not be issued a tax receipt.

9. 我购买的门票等同于我的捐赠吗?

晚宴门票不等同于捐款。所有门票的收入将被用于支付筹备晚宴所需要的成本及费用，所以购买的门票款项不能视为捐赠款项。

10. I wish to help out and be part of the GALA team, where can I sign up?

Sign up on this link:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfN3MgLjodLWACIOgvzefalCQxE6eouD5972mzw57qsmBtuqQ/viewform>

We will need many parent volunteers to make this event a great success. Any areas of expertise are greatly appreciated. We need help in sorting donations, auctions and arranging the raffle and table prizes. Decoration, registration and setup volunteers are also in demand. Parents can choose their own roles, work out their own schedules and manage their own timelines. We seek and appreciate all help. We will assign the roles & responsibilities accordingly and will try our best to match all the times at their request. Do not hesitate to tell us if emergency commitments pop up, we can work around them. This is how we set an example of PA teamwork for our children.

10. 我希望帮助并成为GALA团队的一员，我可以在哪里报名?

在这个链接上报名:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfN3MgLjodLWACIOgvzefalCQxE6eouD5972mzw57qsmBtuqQ/viewform>

我们需要许多家长志愿者来使这次活动获得巨大成功。我们非常欢迎任何领域的专家。我们需要帮助整理捐赠品、拍卖、安排抽奖和桌子上的奖品。我们也需要装饰、登记和布置的志愿者。家长们可以选择自己的职责，制定自己的时间表，管理自己的时间安排。我们寻求并感谢所有的帮助。我们将相应地分配角色和责任，并将尽力按照每个人的要求配合所有的时间。如果出现紧急任务，请不要犹豫，告诉我们，我们会想办法解决。这就是我们为孩子们树立的PA团队合作的榜样。

11. Questions about donations and sponsorships - or about the GALA in general?

Contact us at papo.executive@pythaorasacademy.ca if you have any further questions.

For any fundraising support for our 2023 Spring GALA, contact us to join in on our GALA Meetings.

11. 关于捐赠和赞助的问题 - 或者关于GALA的一般问题?

如果您有任何进一步的问题，请联系我们 papo.executive@pythaorasacademy.ca。

对于我们2023年春季GALA的任何筹款支持，请联系我们，加入我们的GALA会议。

Thank you for your continued support – Stay connected with PAPO and your class reps in the weeks to come. Step into the new year with gratitude for this new opportunity to create dreams for our children at Pythagoras Academy.

感谢你们一直以来的支持 - 在接下来的几周里，请与PAPO和你们的班级代表保持联系。

让我们带着为毕达孩子们创造梦想的新机会的激动心情步入新的一年!