



2011 Auction Items

Come to the 2011 Summer Conference prepared to find some great items and deals at the Silent Auction! Looking for that great gift? Whether it's for a friend or just a treat for you, please peruse this sampling of items that will be available to bid on at the 2011 NOFA Summer Conference Silent Auction! And a big THANKS to our wonderful donors!

- Top Bar Hive, constructed by Jean-Claude Bourrut, master beekeeper and Assistant Director at the Natick Community Organic Farm.
- Katalyst Kombucha, a delightful item to quench your thirst from the master brewers in Greenfield, MA.
- One year Family Membership from our friends at Mass Audubon.
- The Fireplace Restaurant in Brookline is offering a delicious tasting for two. Bring a friend or loved one and check out their delicious pairings!
- One year household membership to the Fruitlands Museum, where you can discover heritage, nature and art in Harvard, MA.
- Hungry for some fresh vegetables? Don't miss the medium share in the 2012 Many Hands Organic Farm CSA!
- An amazing two night retreat to the Kripalu Center, where you can rejuvenate and relax!
- Please your taste buds with a gift certificate for some delectable pickles from our friends at Real Pickles in Greenfield, MA.
- Looking to pick up that book you always wanted on farming, pests, or crop planning? Thanks to Northeast SARE, come bid on a selection of great titles.



- Ready to try out acupuncture? Then bid on the gift certificate for an initial consultation and treatment at Stepping Stone Acupuncture and Chinese Herbal Medicine located in Wellesley, MA.
- Looking to find out about winemaking and some of the local wineries? Then bid on the gift certificate for a personal tour and tasting at Coastal Vineyards in South Dartmouth MA.
- A new baby or baby shower coming up? Get a gift certificate to Hatched - the little shop in JP with the largest selection of organic fiber clothing for children in the Boston area.
- Looking for those great reference handbooks? Then check out the complete set of eight NOFA Organic Principles and Practices Handbooks from the NOFA Interstate Council, CT.
- Do you need something to decorate and brighten up your day? Then bid on the “ABC’s of Living Green” from the Syracuse Cultural Workers.
- Would you like to plant some great organic seeds? High Mowing Organic Seeds is offering a wonderful herb selection along with a great organic T-shirt to help keep you cool and stylish!
- Do you enjoy kayaking or canoeing? Then don’t miss the all day rental from Charles River Canoe and Kayak!
- Love a fresh baked loaf of bread every week? Pick up the certificate from Nashoba Brook Bakery and they will supply you every week for six months!
- Want to get a group of your favorite friends together for a tasting and private tour of one of our local vineyards? The Westport Rivers Gift certificate will be perfect!
- Sturbridge Village is always a great place to learn and explore, so don’t miss out on passes for two adults and two youth.



- Plants a little hungry? Never fear, Neptune's Harvest has the fertilizer that will perk them up right away!
- Need the perfect gift for your green-minded friend, don't miss the awesome tote bag and mug combo from the Putney Food Coop!
- Do you love food? What about magazines about food? Then check out a subscription to Culture Magazine!
- Love chocolate? Then check out the gift certificate to Taza Chocolate Factory Store!
- Are you looking for ways to fundraise and/or market your product or business? Never fear, Bob Minnocci can help you with four hours of consulting based on his 20 years of experience working with non-profits and his own business.
- Looking for a fun outing for the family? Then snatch up our great passes from Zoo New England, valid at either Stone Zoo or Franklin Park Zoo!
- Thirsty for some great craft beer? Hungry for some fabulous farmhouse fare? Then grab the gift certificate for Armsby Abbey!
- Looking for an easy home composting system? Then don't miss the awesome worm-composting bin made by Ben Goldberg!
- Love gardening and the outdoors? Berkshire Botanical Garden is the place for you, and don't forget to pick up the one year family membership pass.
- Need help getting your business going? Then bid on 3 hours of business consulting from The Goodness!



- Getting dirty in the field? Try out the great gift package from LUSH Fresh Handmade Cosmetics filled with 100% natural, preservative free, cleanser, moisturizer, and conditioner. It also comes with a gift certificate to try out even more great products!
- Hungry for some amazing wood-fired pizza? Then grab a gift certificate to the Flatbread Company; with several locations throughout the state, you'll be able to try their mouth-watering selections!
- Looking for a great place to eat out where the food is responsibly sourced and respectfully priced? Don't miss out on the certificates to Nourish Fresh Grill and Bar in Lexington, MA!
- Love cheese? Would you like to learn to make your own? Then bid on the great kit from the New England Cheesemaking Company. Along with the kit is the Home Cheese Making book by Ricki Carroll!
- Take a tour of Boston on a bike with Urban Adventours! With two passes for a tour you don't want to miss out on getting a greener, closer look at Boston!
- Need to stock up on some organic goodies? Pick up the gift certificate to City Feed and Supply located in Jamaica Plain, MA.
- Treating yourself or a friend? Enjoy the stupendous fruit basket from Outpost Farm in Holliston, MA.
- Looking for a fun addition to your wardrobe? Then grab some great T-shirts, adult and child sized, from Vermont Natural Ag Products.
- Is your garden a little hungry? Fertrell has a 50 lb bag of fertilizer that will perk it right up!
- Going to a dinner party? Looking for something to bring? Whole Foods has the answer, grab their great gift basket and you'll be all set!



- Thirsty for some delicious fruit wine? Jack Kittridge has made a few bottles that will positively delight you!
- Do you love live music? Valerie Walton can come to your event and provide great live jazz!
- Trying to get in shape or just not sure what food choices are the best for you? Ask Rosalind Michahelles in her personalized nutrition counseling sessions!
- Hungry for some delectable delights? Trader Joes has the perfect gift basket for you!