



Dear Parents of Rupert A. Mock Middle School,
Crimson / Gold 6th, 7th, 8th grades

We need your help!

The Newburyport Education Foundation (NEF) is in the planning stages for the **6th Annual Lighthouse Auction**, an event that will directly benefit Newburyport's Public Schools. This year's event, featuring both a live and silent auction, is scheduled for November 16th, 2013. We'll kick-off with an online auction, starting the week before. **I am the person in charge of RAN Crimson and Gold team donations for 6-8 grades.**

We are in need of volunteers to coordinate donations for Crimson and Gold groups.

Do you have a hobby or an idea that will lend itself to a unique auction item donation? The auction committee can provide lots more ideas for anyone who might like to help coordinate a donation -such as theme baskets, projects involving students, artwork, gift certificates, "experience" donations etc.

The NEF exists to bring philanthropy into our public schools and to generate financial resources that will enhance the quality of public education for our children. In the coming years, the NEF will continue to target projects that will have strategic impact across the district, at all grade levels. Your gift will directly help the NEF put tools into the hands of teachers and students to dramatically enhance their educational opportunities and achievements.

Please contact me via email if you have questions about the NEF Auction, or if you are interested in coordinating a donation for RAN groups! We hope to collect all donations by **November 1st**. And don't miss the kickoff of the online auction November 8th at www.newburyportef.org!

Sincerely,

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