

January 2013



Dear Friend,

The Eau Claire Children's Theatre will host its 4th annual PURSES WITH PURPOSE fundraising event on Thursday, April 11, at 5:30 pm at a new location - The Metropolis. Last year's event was a big success, raising over \$17,000 for ECCT.

We'd like you to invite you and your business to be part of this unique fundraising event. Here's how it works:

1. Be a "purse-onality!" Select a new or gently-used purse to donate to the event. The donated purse can even be from your own collection!
2. Choose a theme for your purse and fill it with items like gift certificates, services, products... the sky's the limit! The items should have a minimum value of \$50.00.
3. Bring your finished purse to ECCT by Wednesday, March 20. Or give us a call at 715-839-8877 and we'll pick it up.
4. Your purse will be part of the silent auction the night of the event. Our goal is to raise \$20,000.

ECCT will thank you for your donation with two complimentary vouchers to this summer's production of HAPPY DAYS. And that's not all! Those attending the event will vote on the purses, and prizes will be awarded in the following categories:

"Classiest Purse"      "Sexiest Purse"      "Sassiest Purse"      "Prettiest Purse"  
and of course, "Best of Show!"

We will also have a live auction at the event featuring higher-end purses. These designer purses can stand on their name alone and may or may not have additional items in them. We would gratefully accept your donation of such a purse for the live auction as well.

We're excited about this year's event and hope you'll join us. To get the ball rolling, just complete the enclosed Donor Commitment Form and return to ECCT or email us to confirm your participation, so we can keep in touch in case you have any questions as you create your one-of-a kind purse. Tickets go on sale February 1, and we'd love to have you and your friends join us for an evening of food, fun, entertainment, and bidding.

We look forward to your participation in this unique fundraising event!

Sincerely,

Wayne Marek  
Executive Director





Thursday, April 11, 2013 ♦ The Metropolis

## *Fill This Form Out Now*

### **Donor Commitment Form Due February 20, 2013**

*For your convenience, this form is also available at [www.ecct.org](http://www.ecct.org).*

☐ **Yes, I'll donate a purse filled with a minimum of \$50 worth of goods/services.**

Name / Company:

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Contact Person (if applicable):

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Address:

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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Completed purses are due March 20, 2013.**

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