

Thank you for supporting the Notre Dame Club of Chicago by registering for our annual Rockne Gala!

This email contains important information about the event. Please save this information for your records and be sure to share it with your guests.

*****Important note:** We can no longer accommodate last-minute guest changes. If you have a change in your reservation, please have any new guests check-in using the original guest's name. There will be blank name tags available that can be used for these guests.***

Parking: We recommend booking convenient and affordable parking in advance through SpotHero, the nation's leading parking reservation app. To reserve your parking spot for the 60th Annual Rockne Gala, visit the [Goodman Theatre SpotHero Parking Page](#) and book a spot with rates up to 50% off drive-up.

EVENT DETAILS

Date: Tuesday, April 10, 2018

Start Time: 5:30 pm

Location: Goodman Theatre ([170 North Dearborn, Chicago, IL 60601](#))

SCHEDULE

5:30 pm: Registration, Cocktails, Appetizers, and Silent Auction

6:45 pm: Guests invited into Albert Theatre

7:00-8:15 pm: Rockne Program

8:20 pm: Cake Cutting Ceremony & Raffle Drawing

8:30 pm: Drinks, Dessert, and Dancing

9:30 pm: Silent Auction Closes

Last call at approximately 11:15 pm

WHAT TO EXPECT

Upon arrival to the event, the Goodman marquee will be lit up blue and gold to celebrate the evening. Individual guests will check in at the front entrance and receive a packet including a name tag, event program, and theater ticket. Guests will be directed to the coat check and silent auction check in. There will be bars, serving stations, and passed apps throughout the first and second floor lobbies. Please [click here](#) to view the menu. We are pleased to offer guests the opportunity to have their pictures taken and printed instantly onsite. There will be markers available for autographs on photographs and/or programs. Guests are encouraged to eat, drink, and socialize until 6:45 pm, at which time they will be directed into the main Albert Theatre to take their seats for the program. The program will run from approximately 7:00-8:15 pm. The bars and food will remain open and available during the program portion of the evening. Once the program concludes, guests will be invited to view the cake cutting ceremony, during which the President of C.D. Peacock will draw the winning ticket for the Rolex raffle. Orchestra 33 will be providing live musical entertainment in the second floor Alice Lab wing beginning at 8:30 pm. There will be cake, desserts, and coffee, and food and drink will be available through the evening. Bidding on the silent auction will close at 9:30 pm, and guests can pick up their items on the first floor of the Goodman between 9:45 and 10:30 pm.

IMPORTANT SEATING INFORMATION

Please note that seating during the theatre program is pre-assigned, and we are at full capacity. All guests who purchased a general Rockne ticket will receive a physical ticket at registration which will display the assigned seat in the theatre. Goodman ushers will direct guests to their assigned seats from 6:45-7:00 pm. Please abide by the seat number shown on your ticket, as we cannot accommodate any additional guests in the audience (in the rear of the theatre or on the steps) and each seat has been assigned.

SILENT AUCTION

This year's Rockne Silent Auction includes Chicago & ND Sports Experiences, Autographed Memorabilia, Hamilton Tickets, Dining Gift Cards, Chicago Entertainment Certificates, and much more! For ease and convenience, we encourage all guests to register their credit card with their bidder number at or before the event for Express Check-Out. At the close of the auction, your receipt for any winning items will already be printed. Once you sign your receipt, we will direct you to the certificate/item pickup. The silent auction will open prior to the event and will be open to all (not just those attending the event) online. Bidding is now open online at www.ibid.co/v/Rockne18.

DRESS CODE

Appropriate attire includes suits, cocktail attire, business formal, business casual. Jeans and tuxedos are not appropriate.

PARKING/TRANSPORTATION

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