



Dear Friend of The Filipino American Student Association (FASA) sa UWB,

As you may or may not know, FASA sa UWB is an organization that fosters community by providing membership & networking opportunities, workshops related to professional development, education & demonstration of our heritage, and awareness of current events & social justice issues. The FASA sa UWB Auction Committee hopes that you will take a few moments to read about our upcoming fundraiser and decide to participate by donating to our online auction.

We will be hosting our first online auction from November 15 to November 22, 2020. FASA sa UWB looks forward to continuing the support of this club by providing funding for conferences, activities, and club expenses. Every year we raise money to subsidize costs of student expenses for the annual Northwest FASA (NWFASA) Conference. At the NWFASA Conference, students are able to get immersed into their culture, collaborate with other student organizations from around the Pacific Northwest, and events in the community. In past years, officers of our club have taken money out of their own pockets in order to help fund opportunities such as the NWFASA Conference so that more members can fully engage with other members of the Filipino-American community and have meaningful networking and self-development experiences together. While officers were willing to do so, we are hoping that this auction will provide enough funds so that current and future officers will not have to bear this financial burden. We hope that officers, just like general members, can feel supported to attend events without having to dig into their own funds to ensure that more people can go.

To make this event more successful we are asking for your help. Please consider joining us in fundraising by donating gift certificates, merchandise or services. In exchange, you will receive some excellent community exposure and advertising. Your company and donation will be listed on our website, event pages, and social media.

Please fill out the attached Procurement Form and return it to Andrew Cornel at fasauwb@gmail.com. If you choose to donate items for our auction, we will gladly pick up your donation at your earliest convenience. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Thank you in advance for considering this request and for supporting The Filipino American Student Association at University of Washington Bothell.

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