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Michaan's July 5th Estate Auction to Benefit San Jose's Creekside School Program for Children with Autism

San Jose's new Creekside School, founded by parents of children with autism, uses an integrated team approach to work with children with autism, discovering students' untapped potential and tailoring curriculum to their needs. This type of one-on-one tailored education does not come inexpensively.

To help fund the school and its goals, a local family has donated the entire contents of their home. This fine personal property will be sold at Michaan's Auction in Alameda on July 5th. Included in the sale will be furniture, fine art, antiques, decoration, rugs and jewelry. Michaan's Vice President Scott Bradley notes, "We're thrilled to be the venue for this generosity. I'm a father myself and know how I value my children's education."

Michaan's, on the old Alameda Naval Airbase, is a full service auction gallery specializing in the appraisal and sale of personal property, antiques and fine art. Their monthly estate auctions attract savvy buyers, interior decorators, green consumers, collectors, antique dealers and museums. For information about the auction gallery or the Creekside School sale contact 510-740-0220 or visit www.michaans.com.

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About Michaan's Auctions

Michaan's Auctions is a leading full service auction house on the West Coast specializing in the appraisals and sale of antiques and fine art. Some of Michaan's specialty departments include Furniture and Decorative Arts, Modern, Contemporary, European and American Paintings and Prints, Books and Manuscripts, Jewelry, Asian Works of Art and Ethnographic Art.

Established in 2002, Michaan's Auctions holds up to thirty sales each year that attract a broad base of buyers and consignors from all over the World. With one of the largest facilities in Northern California and the bay areas lowest buyers premium Michaan's offers buyers and sellers the ability to preview and bid on many unique and desirable pieces. Some of these pieces garnered world record prices. In 2005, a world record price was achieved for an A.D.M Cooper, The Three Graces 1915, sold at auction for \$21,060 as well as a Eduard Gaertner, German City Street Scene 1831, sold at auction for \$266,000.

Michaan's has built its reputation on it's ability to accept single items, groups or entire estates with the "no risk consignment policy", a policy that sets them apart from other auction houses. Michaan's team of specialists are dedicated to staying current on the latest issues and developments in the market and are committed to providing personalized and professional attention throughout the entire auction process.