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# NEWS RELEASE

## 10<sup>th</sup> Annual O'Gorman High School Athletic Council Dinner Auction

**Timmins, March 28, 2011:**

The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual O'Gorman High School Athletic Dinner Auction is taking place on Saturday, April 16, 2011, starting at 6:00 pm at the Dante Club.

"O'Gorman High School's Athletic Council is a volunteer group of teachers, students, and parents working to provide extra funding for the athletic department to assist its highly successful sports teams. This year marks the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of this event; we are hoping that you can help us make this the best auction ever." explained Doug Basso, OHS Department Head.

Tickets for the Dinner /Auction are available at O'Gorman High School, located at 150 George Street or by calling from Lea Luxton or Doug Basso at 705- 268-4501. Get your tickets early as this event has been sold out in the past several years (\$50.00 per person or \$375.00 per table of 8).

Darren Berthier, OHS Principal, stated "The O'Gorman community is very proud of our accomplishments. OHS teams continue to compete and excel on the city, regional and provincial levels. Much of the success of our athletes can be attributed to the money raised at the auction. Money raised helps to offset the cost of equipment and uniforms, to supplement travel, and to help cover the everyday expenses associated with one of the busiest Athletic Departments in the North. To date the O'Gorman High School Athletic Council has raised over \$100 000.00 to help the students of our school realize their full potential."

To support our work we are appealing to local businesses for items to be used at the dinner auction to be held on Saturday April 16th, 2011 at the Dante Club. If you would like to donate an item, please call Doug Basso at 705- 268-4501.



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