

8 Party: Two by Two's art-charged fête for the DMA and amfAR



Two by Two Equals Two Point Seven

BY BROOKE HORTENSTINE . PHOTOGRAPHY STEVE FOXALL .

Co-chairmen **Susan Kaminski** and **Lizzie Routman**, plus affable house hosts **Cindy** and **Howard Rachofsky**, swung open the pivot door of the Rachofskys' Richard Meier-designed house on Preston Road to usher in — for the eighth year — a group of 385 ready to drink, dine and, most importantly, bid at the star-filled and art-charged Two by Two for AIDS and Art. More than \$2.7 million was raised for the Dallas Museum of Art and amfAR (American Foundation for AIDS Research), the largest amount to date. How do they keep raising that Dom-drenched bar each year? With a heady amalgamation of powerful co-chairmen, divine hosts, New York gallerists, celebrities like **Natasha Richardson** and **Stanley Tucci**, world-renowned artists and, of course, Dallas royalty. Let's roll over the highlights:

Listen closely and you will hear

"Howard and Cindy have been great to have us all together in their modest, one-bedroom museum." — the always humorous **Kenneth Cole**



Fanchon & Howard Hallam



Patti & Ken Crews

"It just hopped into my basket!" — **Barbara Daseke**, on her Balenciaga plume brooch, pinned on her **Sonia Rykiel** dress

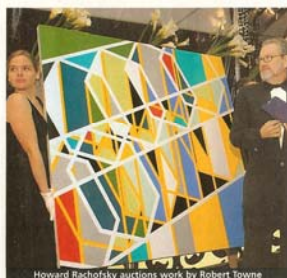
"It's very baroque-and-roll." — event designer **Todd Fiscus**, of **Todd Event Design Creative Services**, on his over-the-top dining tent

"You — the man in the Hermès tie! I'll have lunch with you even if you don't buy it!" — **Sotheby's** auctioneer **Jamie Niven**, soliciting both bids and lunch dates in the live auction

"He played Nigel in 'The Prada Wears Devil.'" — **Kenneth Cole**, garnering laughs while introducing **Stanley Tucci** to the stage

Those who enticed

Lizzie Routman + **Susan Kaminski** = event chairs
Cindy + **Howard Rachofsky** = event hosts
Deedie Rose + **Gayle Stoffel** = art chairs
Natasha Richardson = honorary chair
Kenneth Cole = honored guest
Stanley Tucci = honored guest
Tom Friedman = featured artist
Harry Winston, **JP Morgan Chase** and **Sotheby's** = platinum sponsors



Howard Rachofsky auctions work by Robert Towne

Fare + fizz

First course: Caviar blini + crème fraîche from **George Catering**, paired with **Dom Pérignon 1998** from **Moët Hennessy USA**

Second course: Italian prosciutto-wrapped baby greens with black truffle vinaigrette and **Cloudy Bay Chardonnay 2004**

Third course: Slow-braised lamb osso bucco with a ragout of mascarpone, green apples, polenta and beans and **Newton Unfiltered Merlot 2002**

Fourth course: Roquefort cheese-dried cherry lollipop + candied walnuts, goat cheese lollipop + pistachios, **St. Andre** cheese lollipop + roasted pear

Dessert: Chocolate bouchons sent by **The French Laundry** and **Bouchon** chef **Thomas Keller**

Who indulged

Bob Kaminski, **Dan Routman**, **Rozalyn St. Pé Colombo**, **Inge-Lise** and **Jack Lane**, **Patti** and **Ken Crews** (she in **Gucci** and an amazing pearl **Tony Duquette** necklace), **Peggy** and **Carl Sewell**, **Myrna** and **Bob Schlegel**, **Rusty Rose**, **Eve Reid** and **Warren Weitman**, **Rex Cumming**, **Rachael** and **Bob Dedman**, **Nicole** and **Jonas Woods**, **Brooke** and **Frank Aldridge**, **Carolyn** and **Roger Horchow**, **Elaine** and **Neils Agather**, **Maria Cuomo Cole**, **Fanchon** and **Howard Hallam**, **Jan** and **Jim Showers**, **Laura Mackall**, **Robert Manley**, and my darling date, **Caperia Ryan**.



Jack Lane



Elaine Agather, Janie McGarr



Bob Kaminski & co-chair Susan Kaminski
 Co-chair Lizzie Routman & Dan Routman



Gerald & Debra Barnes
 Larry Lebowitz & Naomi Aberly



Bill Cochran, Elizabeth Showers
 Jan & Jim Showers



Deedie Rose, Bruce Richards
 Rozalyn St. Pé Colombo



Myrna & Bob Schlegel

Luxe live auction lots + estimates

1. **Patrick Faulhaber's** *Fun Slide* watercolor, \$12,500
2. A five-day stay at **Stream Compound** in San Miguel de Allende, \$15,000
3. **Barneys New York** Fashion Week, \$25,000
4. **Sarah Morris' Robert Towne** abstract painting, \$65,000
5. **Tom Friedman's** *Small Dog* yarn sculpture, \$90,000 (yet went for double)
6. **Harry Winston's** signature lace timepiece, \$191,500
7. **Anna Gaskell's** *Untitled #117* photograph, \$22,000
8. A **Juergen Teller** commissioned portrait, \$50,000
9. A week stay at **Casa Papelillos** in Punta Mita for 18 people, \$85,000



Stanley Tucci



Avis Richards



Steve & Ann Stodghill