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### **Brant United Way On-Line Auction – A Big Success**

The first Brant United Way on-line auction ended successfully on Friday evening, with more than 85 items purchased.

Olympic Hockey, NHL and Raptors tickets were some of the sports tickets that were grabbed up by lucky bidders. Jewellery items, health and beauty aids and once in a lifetime experiences all added up to a whopping \$15,500 at the end of the day.

The on-line auction was hosted by the Expositor who also provided free advertising support to Brant United Way through the auction period. Special thank you to the Expositor team. Production Manager Alan Oakes, Advertising Sales Representative Robin Matthews-Osmond and Publisher Mike Walsh for their invaluable assistance in this successful venture.

“On behalf of Brant United Way, I wish to extend our appreciation and thanks to all of individuals and businesses that donated items for the auction and to those all of those who bid on-line. Thank you for continuing to make a difference in the community”. stated Nancy Tomkins, 2009 Campaign Chair.

The funds generated from the auction helped to ensure that Brant United Way exceeded their 2009 goal of \$1.4 million.

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