We chose two different types of centerpieces. One being a low lush centerpiece and the other one having bud vases that vary in size and shape mixed in with candles with different heights. One advantage of having the low lush centerpieces is that it gives an elegant feel and doesn't block the view of surrounding tables if guests were looking at a stage. Another advantage is that you can be creative with the shape of the centerpiece depending on the size and shape of the table. The low centerpieces also allows for conversation between tables as well as making the room feel larger. Some advantages to the bud flowers and candles would be that it helps lighten up the room, creates more space on the table, and creates an intimate environment. The bud vases will help with the budget because the amount of flowers required to fill the vases is significantly less compared to the lush centerpieces. The candles also help with the budget because it reduces the amount of flowers you have to use and they are relatively inexpensive.

The disadvantage of tall centerpieces that were used in last year's Gala was that it makes the room feel smaller because of the height as well as having a larger expense.

Below are more descriptions to what we would like our centerpieces to look like as well as inspiration pictures.

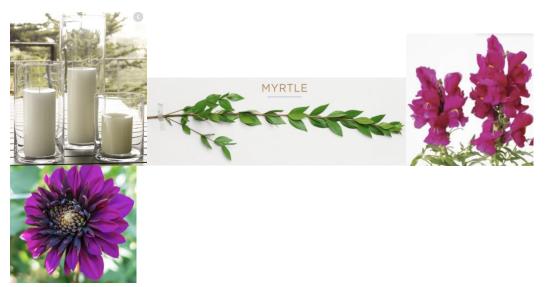
Low Lush Centerpiece: Gold vase, myrtle and lemon leaf greenery filler, purple decorative dahlia, magenta/pink gospel rose, white bouvardia filler flowers, and celosia brain flower. **Pictured in order** 



<u>Bud Flowers:</u> white small vases of different sizes, blue delphinium, pink ranunculus, pink anemone, and baby's breath. **Pictured in order** 



<u>Candles and flowers:</u> candles of different sizes, myrtle greenery, purple/pink snapdragon, purple dahlia. **Pictured in order** 













## **Auburn Flowers & Gifts**

- We spoke with Auburn Flowers & Gifts over the phone and via email. Since we didn't know exactly what types of flowers we wanted to use, we were given a generalized quote on what they would charge for 40 centerpieces.

Without knowing the types of flowers desired, I can simply quote a base price. The minimum price quote for all 40 is \$2500.

Leigh Nicks, owner Auburn Flowers & Gifts 334.502.4567

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### **AUBURN FLOWERS & GIFTS**

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# The Funky Shack

- We spoke with Dawn Hunt from The Funky Shack which we found from Keegan working with her recently at a wedding in Auburn. On the phone, we discussed what the arrangements were for, the feel we were going for, and the color scheme. We also expressed our interest for lush flowers and bud flowers. She said that she is able to work with any budget in creating a cohesive floral arrangement meeting the budget. She also added that she would advise to split up the centerpieces because of the number of tables.

INSPIRATION FOR HOSPITALITY GALA

EVENT COLORS ARE SHADES OF MAGENTA,
MUSTARD, AND NAVY.











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TOTAL

Items

Medium lush arrangement in gold compote contaniner with large blooms.

Large single bud vase with plentiful greenery and lush blooms.

Cluster of 5 single stem and greenery bud vases and greenery for table..

\$1,750.00 × 14 \$1,750.00 × 14 \$1,750.00 × 13 \$780.00 × 1

### **Special Instructions**

 Floral to include garden magenta garden roses, raspberry scoop sabiosa, dark pink ranunculus, thistle, stock flower and ther seasonal blooms and greenery in shades of magenta, navy and mustard.

### Charges

• DELIVERY CHARGES

\$250.00



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Subtotal	\$3,375.00
Taxes	\$0.00
Charges	\$250.00
Grand Total	\$3,625.00

Amount Remaining \$3,625.00