

THE MAIN EVENT: EIGHT MOUTH-WATERING AUCTION LOTS TO SUIT ALL TASTES

Some of these prizes come with specific terms and conditions which are listed at the back of this programme. The winner is responsible for understanding and conforming to these.

LOT 1: A Signed and Certificated 1999 Manchester United Shirt



In 1999 Manchester United achieved the rare and astonishing feat of winning the Premiership, the FA Cup and the European Champions League.

Importantly this shirt, from the European Cup Final, carries the signatures of all the team including Roy Keane and Paul Scholes, who each had to sit out the final through injury or suspension.

Kindly donated by Mr Michael Clark

LOT 2: A Portrait Sculpture by Christine Charlesworth ARBS



Immortalise your lover, husband, wife, child or grandchild in one of Christine Charlesworth's wonderfully flowing and stylish sculpture portraits. Christine's work has been exhibited in schools, theatres and gardens as well as in galleries throughout the U.K. She is a Member of the Society of Women Artists and an Associate of the Royal British Society of Sculptors.

Kindly donated by Christine Charlesworth

LOT 3: VIP Tour and Dinner for 10 aboard HMS Victory in Portsmouth



Nelson's flagship, and best known for her role in the Battle of Trafalgar, HMS Victory is the oldest Commissioned Warship in the world. Lt Cdr DJ 'Oscar' Whild RN, Commanding Officer, will conduct you on a formal tour followed by dinner for ten in Hardy's Cabin. This prize is an exclusive and very rare treat from the MoD, providing a memorable occasion for ten lucky participants.

Date to be arranged by mutual consent with the Commanding Officer.

By kind permission of the Commanding Officer, HMS VICTORY.

LOT 4: Members' Enclosure Tickets for Two to the Melbourne Cup on 2nd November 2010, with Club Class Flights for October and November 2010



This is the chance of a lifetime to combine a spring holiday Down Under with one of the world's most stylish racing experiences.

The Melbourne Cup is Australia's major annual thoroughbred horse race. Renowned as ***The Race That Stops A Nation***, it is the richest and most prestigious "two-mile" handicap in the world and one of the richest turf races in the world.

[Corporate hospitality for 2010 is not yet available. We hope, but cannot guarantee, to offer this to the winners in due course.]

Kindly donated by Mr William P Gurry AO and an anonymous supporter.

LOT 5: A Morning for Two with 99 Squadron RAF including VIP Hospitality on the Flight Deck of a Boeing C17 Globemaster Aircraft



The winners will enjoy a money-can't-buy experience of a lifetime with seats on the flight deck in the world's most advanced military airlifter.

Subject to weather and other constraints, you will experience all the aircraft can do, including a full-thrust combat departure, becoming airborne in an unfeasibly short time, tactical descents at up to 25,000 feet per minute and an assault landing, stopping in less than half the runway. Your flight will probably last between 1 and 3 hours and could go anywhere in the UK.

Kindly donated by 99 Squadron RAF and the Worshipful Company of Coopers

LOT 6: Live like the Venetians! A Week's Holiday in a Family Flat in Venice



In the 14th century Palazetto Ca' Amadi on the Canale Cannaregio by the Ponte di Tre Archi, the flat accommodates three adults or two adults with two pre-teenage children. It consists of a bed-sitting room overlooking the garden (canopy double bed), a single room with two pull-out beds (for one adult or two children less than 12 years old), a kitchen-dining room, a bathroom, of course, and a private garden with garden furniture.

The capacity may be expanded by arrangement with the owners by the use of a large room with three beds overlooking the garden.

Kindly donated by M & Mme Patrick and Caroline Ollivier

LOT 7: Dinner for 12 in the Historic Coopers Hall, Devonshire Square, London



A unique opportunity for 12 people to entertain and be entertained in one of the smallest but finest Livery Halls in the City of London, a venue which is not normally open to the public. The prize includes a champagne reception, a lunch or dinner with wine, and the opportunity to participate with your hosts in some of the customs associated with Livery events. This offers a very unusual way to celebrate a special birthday or anniversary, or to business or institutional entertaining.

Kindly donated by the Worshipful Company of Coopers and Chester Boyd

LOT 8: A Chauffeur - Driven Bentley for a Day's Christmas Shopping for Two



Enjoy a very special day's shopping in London without worrying about parking, walking or weather. Have your personal magic carpet whisk you to and from your London address to the shops of your choice, to buy, browse or just be envied!

Kindly donated by an anonymous supporter