# 1. FRAMED 18TH HOLE PIN FLAG FROM CONGRESSIONAL SIGNED BY RORY MCILROY

The 111th US Open Golf Championship at The Congressional Country Club in Bethseda, Maryland was the scene of Rory McIlroy winning the first major of his still fledgling career. In winning he set 11 US Open records, including the lowest 72 hole total of 268 with his scores of 65 – 66 – 68 – 69 and the lowest total under par with -16. He won the event by 8 shots from the Australian, Jason Day.

Donated by Mark Maclean, Maclean TM. On Display.

#### 2. PAINTING BY MARGARET EVANS

#### (RESERVE £1,500)

14th Hole, Queen's Course, Gleneagles 26" x 18" Gouache/Pastel

Having studied at Glasgow School of Art and University of London, Margaret is now based at Shinafoot Studios, Auchterarder. She is recognised worldwide as an expert in pastels, her works featuring in numerous galleries and exhibitions. She writes books and for international art magazines as well as making teaching videos and DVDs, holding workshops and conducting painting holidays. The successful bidder will have the opportunity to met Margaret who is present tonight at the Dinner. Donated by Margaret Evans and auctioned in support of Teenage Cancer Trust.

On Display.

# 3. A DAY OUT FOR 10 PEOPLE FROM EDINBURGH TO ATTEND THE MELROSE SEVENS

#### (RESERVE £1,000)

Melrose is where the original rugby sevens tournament took place in 1883 and the 130th tournament will take place on Saturday 13th April 2013. Transport will be provided for 10 people from a central point in Edinburgh to Melrose (and back!) with entry to the tournament, refreshments on arrival, a Grand Marquee luncheon at an exclusive table, grandstand ticket, tournament programme, complimentary refreshments served throughout the day and closed circuit television with BBC transmission.

Auctioned in support of The Scottish Association for Mental Health.

## 4. SOUTHBRIDGE RFC JERSEY AND RUGBY BOOTS SIGNED BY DAN CARTER

Southbridge is a small rural town 30 minutes from Christchurch in New Zealand, Southbridge School being where Dan Carter started to play rugby. Dan is one of the greatest rugby players of recent years, being a renowned fly half. As well as Southbridge, Dan has played for Canterbury, Crusaders and Perpignan and with his 94 caps for the New Zealand All Blacks he is currently the highest points scorer in test match rugby. This jersey from his old school has been signed by Dan and he has also signed this pair of Adidas rugby boots (UK size 10.5) which he wore when he played, albeit briefly, in the Rugby World Cup in 2011 in New Zealand

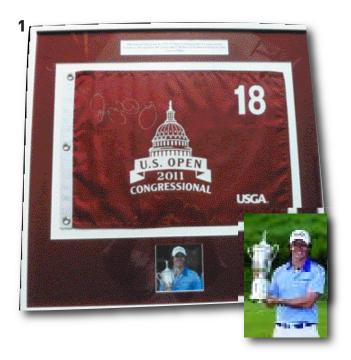
Donated by The Hearts and Balls Charitable Trust. **On Display.** 

# 5. FRAMED PRINT (NUMBER 1 OF 60) OF THE 12 HOLES OF SHISKINE GOLF COURSE WITH SIGNATURES OF THE 1995 EUROPEAN RYDER CUP TEAM, SIGNED BY THE ARTIST, DAVID MAXWELL

Initially working in the family business designing and manufacturing fairground machinery, David also being a keen photographer, became Camera Supervisor for European Tour Productions, travelling worldwide covering major golf tournaments shown on the BBC, Sky Sports, the Golf Channel and other networks. This, coupled with his interest and ability in art, resulted in him receiving commissions from the likes of Paul Lawrie, Darren Clarke, Sam Torrance, Thomas Bjorn and Ernie Els.

He was commissioned to paint a series of twelve pastel views, one for each hole of the golf course in celebration of the centenary in 1996 of Shiskine Golf & Tennis Club on the Isle of Arran (yes, it is a 12 hole course). Having done so he obtained the signatures to the views of Bernard Gallacher, the captain, and the members of the European team which won the 1995 Ryder Cup at Oak Hill CC, Pittsford, New York, namely Ballesteros, Clark, Faldo, Gilford, James, Johansson, Langer, Montgomerie, Rocca, Torrance, Woosnam and Walton. The original painting with the original signatures hangs in the clubhouse at Shiskine. The views were used to produce a calendar which sold extensively to raise money for local charities. David has signed this print of the original and we are delighted that he is attending the Dinner tonight.

Donated by David Maxwell and auctioned in support of Marie Curie Cancer Care in memory of Alan Maxwell. **On Display.** 











# 6. HOSPITALITY AND TICKETS FOR 4 PEOPLE FOR SCOTLAND V IRELAND AT MURRAYFIELD ON SUNDAY 24TH FEBRUARY 2013 (IN 2 DAYS TIME)

Enjoy a pre match buffet lunch and drinks in the Boardroom of Gillespie Macandrew LLP at 5 Atholl Crescent (very well placed for Murrayfield), attend the match as their guests and then avoid the crowds by returning to their offices for post match refreshments and an opportunity to analyse the good, the bad and the indifferent from the game. Hopefully a joyous occasion for all Scots present!

Donated by Gillespie Macandrew LLP.



#### 7. TANK DRIVING EXPERIENCE FOR 4 PEOPLE

Try something different by driving off road in a tank, an amphibious lorry and a mini monster truck at Tank Driving Scotland, Auchterhouse, Dundee. You will be involved for 1.5 hours and receive personal one to one driving tuition on the vehicles with approx 15 minutes driving time per vehicle. As long as the tank comes back in one piece, you will be awarded a Tank Driving Scotland Certificate of Achievement (looks good on the wall!). Included in this lot are 4 transferable vouchers for a half day military themed paint ball experience. **To drive, minimum height 5 feet and age 14 years. To be taken before 1st June 2013. Paintball participants must be over the age of 16, proof of parental consent being required if under age 18.** 

# 8. FRAMED SCOTTISH ASSOCIATION FOR MENTAL HEALTH T SHIRT SIGNED BY SIR CHRIS HOY, GRAEME OBREE, RUBY WAX AND PAUL MCSTAY

Sir Chris Hoy, Scotland's most successful Olympian, is the first ambassador to be appointed by The Scottish Association for Mental Health, one of our featured charities tonight. Graeme Obree, "The Flying Scotsman", is a cyclist recognised for twice holding the world hour record and twice being the individual pursuit world champion but has slid in and out of depression during his career. While it is not known how often Ruby Wax rides a bike, far more importantly she is well known for her comedy work, also becoming a poster girl for mental health after suffering from depression herself. She campaigns to break down the stigma of mental health. Paul McStay, a Celtic FC legend who captained his only club during a career from 1981 to 1997 and also Scotland at all age levels, winning 76 caps and playing in the World Cups of 1986 and 1990. The shirt was signed at the SAMH Get Active Launch Event, 19th May 2010. Auctioned in support of The Scottish Association for Mental Health.

#### On Display.

#### 9. FRAMED PIN FLAG SIGNED BY TIGER WOODS

From the 2012 Abu Dhabi HSBC Golf Championship, signed by Tiger Woods, the winner of 99 tournaments worldwide, including 14 majors, and in excess of \$115,000,000 in prize money. What more needs to be said about the best known golfer of the last decade? He only managed joint third on this occasion, behind the winner, Robert Rock, and Rory McIlroy.

Auctioned in support of Lifespan, a small local charity in Northumberland supporting people with serious and life-threatening illnesses and family and friends who care for them.

#### On Display.

## 10. FRAMED SCOTLAND FOOTBALL SHIRT SIGNED BY 2012 SQUAD MEMBERS

The qualifying matches for the 2014 World Cup in Brazil have not gone too well for Scotland so far, the last World Cup that Scotland qualified for being that in France in 1998. Before setting out on their qualifying matches for the World Cup 2014, this international team shirt was signed by members of the 2012 squad brought together to prepare for the autumn matches against Macedonia and Serbia.

Donated by Craig Levein.

On Display.

## 11. EAST LOTHIAN SHOOTING FOR UP TO 9 GUNS – 12TH OCTOBER 2013

This is a 75 bird driven day on a well established shoot at Newlands Farm, approximately 3 miles outside Gifford. The day will consist of 6 drives, mainly partridge but with a number of well developed pheasants. The shoot manager, George Fairley, prides himself on providing birds for mixed abilities whilst ensuring that safety remains paramount.

Guns will be met on arrival by George and the day will include coffee on arrival, "elevenses" and a hot lunch in the shooting hut, all in a social atmosphere.

Please note that this day is specifically for Saturday 12th October 2013.

Donated by George and Heather Fairley.







#### 12. FRAMED PIN FLAG SIGNED BY LUKE DONALD, MARTIN KAYMER, LEE WESTWOOD, RORY MCILROY, DARREN CLARKE, CHARL SCHWARTZEL, JASON DAY AND KJ CHOI

From the 2012 Abu Dhabi HSBC Golf Championship, the flag contains the signatures of four major champions, two former World no 1s and a winner of The Players Championship - and Jason Day is not too bad either, as a PGA tour winner and runner up in two majors to date.

Auctioned in support of Lifespan.

#### On Display.

#### **13. VISIT FOR 2 PEOPLE TO THE FORTH RAIL BRIDGE**

The Forth Bridge, subsequently known as the Forth Rail Bridge, was completed in 1890 and is Scotland's largest listed building (Category A) with 180 to 200 trains passing over it daily carrying around 3 million passengers a year.

This is something special that is not readily available to the public but is something that, on this occasion, money can buy. The visit will involve a briefing at the south side of the bridge before you are taken to North Queensferry and given the opportunity to travel in the hoist to the top of the northern cantilever.

# Please not that for safety reasons each person making this visit must be at least 16 years of age.

Donated by Network Rail Scotland.

# 14. VINO WINE TASTING (IN YOUR OFFICE OR AT HOME)

#### (RESERVE £200)

"Whose wine is it anyway?" a tasting for up to 20 people in your office or home. An informative and hugely enjoyable experience for all who enjoy wine. Vino will feature a varied selection of most interesting wines tailored to your requirements, bringing the event to the venue of your choosing.

Bidding is for the total package and the more intimate the experience the higher the standard of wine provided.

Donated by Vino Wine Shops, Edinburgh

## 15. FRAMED ENGLAND CRICKET SHIRT SIGNED BY STUART BROAD

Born in 1986, Stuart Broad started his professional cricket career for Leicestershire, making his first class debut for them in 1986, before moving to his current county, Nottinghamshire, in 2008. He has made his name as a left arm seam bowler but is a more than useful right hand batsman. He made his Test debut for England against Sri Lanka in 2007 and has since played in 52 Tests, taking 172 wickets and scoring 1,612 runs, as well as playing in 93 One Day matches, taking 148 wickets. He was a member of the victorious 2009 Ashes squad and the winning England team in the 2010 ICC World T20. While not having the best of times in England's successful tour of India in late 2012, for which he was the vice captain, he has captained the England Twenty20 team on a number of occasions.

On Display.

# 16. LUNCH FOR TWO WITH WINE AT UBIQUITOUS CHIP, GLASGOW

Situated in Ashton Lane in the heart of Glasgow's West End, this stylish and award winning restaurant was founded in 1971 and since then has grown to be a Glasgow icon. It has a magical courtyard dining room and the menus draw their inspiration from regional Scottish dishes, complemented by a legendary wine list. This lot comprises the set lunch menu and a bottle of house wine. The restaurant has received numerous awards , the most recent being the Good Food Guide Readers' Restaurant of the Year 2013.

Donated by Ubiquitous Chip and auctioned in support of The Scottish Association for Mental Health.

#### **17. RUGBY BOOTS SIGNED BY CHRIS PATERSON**

Kindly donated by Chris Paterson, the leading international rugby player in Scotland's history with a record of 109 caps and 809 points for his country, a new pair of rugby boots signed by him. Either keep them in pristine condition as a memento of a great player or wear them (size 8) and see if you can kick the goals. Chris will personally present the boots to the winning bidder at a time and place to be arranged.

## 18. FRAMED LIMITED EDITION QUEEN'S DIAMOND JUBILEE £10 NOTE WITH SERIAL NUMBER SGU0000001

A unique opportunity to commemorate the Queen's Diamond Jubilee in 2012 with a special edition Royal Bank of Scotland £10 note surrounded by images and words highlighting successes in Scottish golf during that year, featuring Paul Lawrie, Richie Ramsay, Scott Henry, Scott Jamieson, Carly Booth and Scotland's Amateur Team.

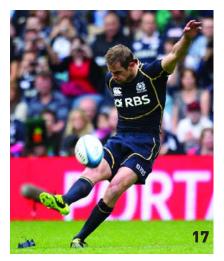
Donated by the Scottish Golf Union.

#### On Display.

















# 19. GOLF FOR 3 AT THE RENAISSANCE CLUB, EAST LOTHIAN

In the company of Renaissance Club member Lorn Macneal enjoy breakfast, lunch and golf, including the assistance of a forecaddie, in a Members Guest Monthly Medal at The Renaissance Club in East Lothian. This Tom Doak designed golf course, **including the recently completed three new holes**, is recognised as a modern masterpiece of golf course design, forming part of one of the World's most exclusive and desirable golf clubs. Take advantage of this rare opportunity, with local knowledge to supplement your golf game.

Donated by Lorn Macneal.

# 20. A 20 YEAR OLD SINGLE CASK BOTTLE OF LAPHROAIG

Laphroaig is a single malt whisky distillery on the island of Islay. This bottle has been especially filled for The Hearts and Balls Charitable Trust and comprises a super strong distillation for super strong rugby players, as it says on the bottle. No doubt others might also enjoy it. 53.6% ABV.

Donated by The Hearts and Balls Charitable Trust.

# 21. RUGBY BALL SIGNED BY SEAN FITZPATRICK AND ZINZAN BROOKE

Sean Fitzpatrick is possibly the best hooker to have played for the New Zealand All Blacks, winning 92 caps during his international career between 1986 and 1997, being a World Cup winner in 1987 and the captain from 1992 until his retirement. Zinzan Brooke is one of the highest rated No 8 forwards to have played for the All Blacks, his international career spanning 1987 to 1997 and 58 international caps.

#### 22. PAIR OF BOXING GLOVES SIGNED BY LENNOX LEWIS

#### (RESERVE £600)

Lennox Claudius Lewis, CM, CBE was born in 1965. He won gold medals in the heavyweight boxing divisions at the 1986 Commonwealth Games and the1988 Olympic Games. Turning professional in 1989 he had 44 fights, winning 41 (32 by knock outs), losing 2 (both avenged) and drawing 1. He became the undisputed world heavyweight champion by defeating Evander Holyfield in 1999. After defeating Mike Tyson in 2002 and Vitali Klitschko in 2003 he retired from boxing in 2004. He was inducted into the International Boxing Hall of Fame in 2009. Since retirement he has been involved in TV work, sports management and music promotion.

Auctioned in support of Cystic Fibrosis Holiday Fund.

#### 23. BOXED TOILETRIES SIGNED BY KYLIE MINOGUE

Kylie's sporting career has not been documented but she can sing a bit! After coming to notice in the Australian soap Neighbours she released her first single in 1987. Since then it has been a high profile life in music comprising singles, albums, live concerts, world tours, videos, DVDs and CDs, gracing the covers of leading magazines, acting in films, writing books, launching ranges of bed linen and perfumes and winning too many awards to mention, recently becoming an official Australian National Living Treasure. These toiletries are from Kylie's "dazzling darling" range and comprise eau de toilette and silky body lotion.

## 24. GOLF FOR 3 WITH LUNCH AT LUFFNESS NEW GOLF CLUB, EAST LOTHIAN

In the company of the current Captain of Luffness New, Peter Clark, the opportunity for 3 players to enjoy this challenging traditional links course, founded in 1894 and designed by Old Tom Morris. The course has been host for qualifying rounds for The Open Championship. It currently measures 6,502 yards off the back tees and holes can be interesting when the wind blows across the links. As well as enjoying the golf course, join Peter for lunch in the Clubhouse. A very sociable time is guaranteed. Handicap certificates are required and this is valid **for weekday use only** until December 2013.

Donated by Peter Clark and Luffness New Golf Club.

# 25. FRAMED CYCLING SUIT SIGNED BY SIR CHRIS HOY (RESERVE £300)

A specially made cycling suit in the colours of The Scottish Association for Mental Health and signed by their Ambassador, Sir Chris Hoy. Following his historic hat-trick of gold medals at the Beijing Olympics in 2008, Chris was voted 2008 BBC Sports Personality of the Year and was awarded a knighthood in the 2009 New Year Honours List. In the 2012 Olympic Games in London, Chris won his fifth and sixth gold medals becoming Great Britain's most successful Olympic athlete of all time with six gold medals and one silver medal.

Donated by Sir Chris Hoy and auctioned in support of The Scottish Association for Mental Health.

#### On Display.

















## 26. FRAMED NEW ZEALAND RUGBY WORLD CUP 2011 TRAINING SHIRT SIGNED BY RICHIE MCCAW

One of the greats of the modern game, Richie has played for Canterbury, Crusaders, New Zealand and the Barbarians, primarily as an open side flanker. Awarded the first of his 116 caps in 2001, he became the captain of New Zealand in 2006. Now the most capped All Blacks captain, 57 times, he led them to World Cup success in 2011, during which he wore this training shirt.

Donated by The Hearts and Balls Charitable Trust.

On Display.

# 27. MOUNTED PHOTOGRAPH SIGNED BY FRANZ KLAMMER

## (RESERVE £175)

Franz Klammer was never considered an elegant skier but he dominated the downhill event through his focus on speed and victory. During 13 seasons on the World Cup circuit between 1972 and 1985 he won 25 World Cup downhills, being World Cup champion 5 times, also winning the downhill gold medal at the 1976 Winter Olympics. Following his retirement in 1985 he took up touring car racing and founded the Franz Klammer Foundation which benefits seriously injured athletes.

Auctioned in support of the Cystic Fibrosis Holiday Fund.

#### 28. FRAMED CADDY SMOCK SIGNED BY MARTIN KAYMER

From the 2012 Abu Dhabi HSBC Golf Championship, signed by Martin Kaymer. He is a former World no 1 and a major winner and won this particular event in 2008, 2010 and 2011. He will forever be remembered for his final putt on the 18th green in the 2012 Ryder Cup singles in Chicago, the putt retaining the trophy for Europe.

Auctioned in support of Lifespan.

On Display.

#### **29. HIMALAYAN CURRY FOR 10**

No, not a trip to Nepal for a curry but the opportunity for a three course meal for 10 people with half a bottle of wine per person at the Himalaya Tandoori Restaurant in Bruntsfield, Edinburgh. Established more then 30 years ago, the Himalaya fully deserves its reputation for a cuisine reflecting India's diversity of taste, culture and celebration of flavour. A must try if you don't already know it.

Available from Sundays to Thursdays.

#### **30. FOUR BALL GOLF AT ARCHERFIELD**

Archerfield is a magnificent estate situated between Gullane and North Berwick in East Lothian. The restored Archerfield House looks out over two superb David J Russell designed 18 hole championship golf courses, the Fidra and the Dirleton, a mixture of sandy links and pine forest. The Fidra hosted the Ladies Scottish Open in 2010, 2011 and 2012. A luxurious clubhouse provides all the facilities necessary for golfers. This lot entitles the successful bidder and three guests to a four ball game on either the Fidra or the Dirleton.

Donated by Archerfield Links and auctioned in support of The Scottish Association for Mental Health.

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a slightly different Silent Auction item,

## **31. VENTURE PHOTOGRAPHY EXPERIENCE**

Venture Photography in Edinburgh are pioneers of a totally different kind of portraiture. Photography that tells stories the way they should be told, to display in your home, a permanent reminder of who and what is most important in your life.

It begins with a unique and personal photo shoot in their Meadowbank studio with their award winning photographers happily featuring you, your family and, if wished, include the family pets. Returning a few days later you will be able to preview your creatively prepared images in their cinematic studio and decide in which of their handmade frames you wish to show them. This lot includes a full family session, preparation and viewing of the images and one fully framed image 9" x 6".

This Experience is worth £345 but the first ten bids of £150 lodged tonight will be entitled to their very own Experience.

Donated by Venture Photography, Edinburgh.



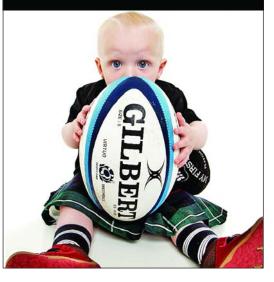








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