# missing people

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### **20th Anniversary Gala**

#### ABSENTEE BIDS FOR THE MAIN AND SILENT AUCTION

For those of you unable to attend our gala and fundraising auction, making an absentee bid is a great way to ensure you don't miss out.

Please take a look at the lots, find the lots you want to bid for and then contact:

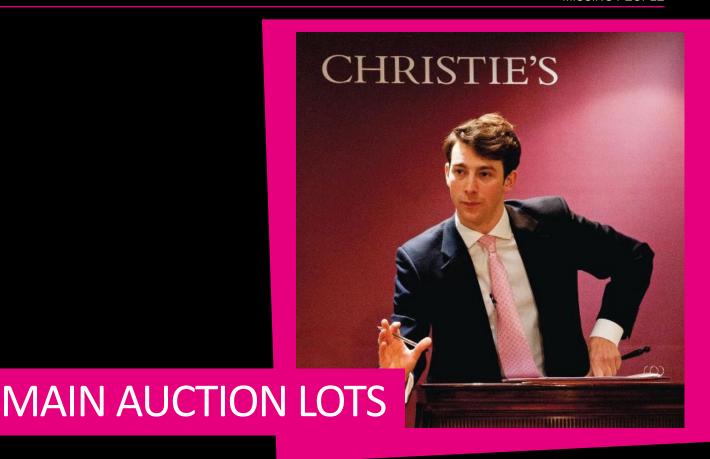
**Tom Best** - tbest@christies.com, Main Auction **Julie Hawkins** - julie.hawkins@missingpeople.org.uk, Silent Auction

During the auctions at the gala, your bid will be executed at the lowest possible amount determined by the reserve price and any competing bids.

Absentee bidding will close at 2pm on Tuesday 12 November 2013.

We will contact you within two days of the Gala if yours was the highest bid.

Wednesday 13 November 2013 Victoria and Albert Museum, London



#### Tom Best, our auctioneer

When he qualified as an auctioneer last year, Tom set the bar as one of the youngest to take to the rostrum in Christie's long history.

Tom completed a Masters degree at the University of St Andrews, where he focused on the late works of Pablo Picasso.

With several charity auctions already under his belt, he started training to become a Christie's auctioneer, joining the Impressionist & Modern Art department in 2010.

Since then, Tom has been wielding the gavel in both Christie's South Kensington and King Street premises. He has also travelled for good causes, taking charity auctions in London, Moscow and Dorset!

Alongside his role as an auctioneer, Tom continues to work as a specialist for the Evening Sale of Impressionist & Modern Art where his passion for art history lies.

To contact Tom about the Main Auction Lots 1 - 6, please email **tbest@christies.com** 



(Actual piece still in progress at the time of going to print, work shown is detail of 'Back in Yellow')

# 'BLUE BLACK' - A SPECIALLY COMMISSIONED ORIGINAL PIECE BY CELEBRATED ARTIST NATASHA LAW

Bold blocks of colour and purposeful lines delineate Law's sanguine semi-nudes. Her figures are suspended in a moment, whether posed and purposeful or casual and spontaneous. Alternating between the traditional genres of nude and portraiture, Law's lines emphasize her model's uniqueness and exalt an almost intoxicating essence of femininity.

Now you can own this brand new piece specially commissioned by Missing People.

Blue Black (2013), gloss on Somerset 100% cotton paper, 40 x 30 in / 102 x 76 cm.

Founded in 2005 by Charlie Phillips, Eleven has established itself as a leading contemporary art gallery committed to furthering the careers and reputations of the artists it represents, as well as supporting the work of innovative and emerging artists from the UK and beyond.

www.elevenfineart.com

**Donated by: Natasha Law and Eleven** 

Minimum bid: £2,000

THE MAIN AUCTION LOT 2



www.jet-logic.com www.carrier.co.uk www.leroyalmonceau.com

#### A RETURN PRIVATE JET TO PARIS FOR SIX AND A TWO-NIGHT STAY FOR TWO IN LE ROYAL MONCEAU - RAFFLES PARIS

The sky's the limit for this high-flying prize courtesy of Jetlogic, Air Charter Scotland and Carrier.

Take a return flight in this Cessna Citation CJ2 private jet from London to Paris, with a two-night stay in this luxurious hotel – transformed by Philippe Starck into a next-generation Palace, it's just steps away from the Champs Elysées and Arc de Triomphe.

Jetlogic is an innovative global provider of 360° bespoke aviation services to corporates, industry, governments and individuals for whom time is of the utmost essence.

Carrier has specialised in luxury, tailor-made holidays worldwide for over 30 years. Service is personal, flexible and haute couture.

This prize must be taken between the 1st January and 31st May 2014 and is subject to availability at time of booking.

A proportion of the winning bid will be used to pay for essential costs such as air fuel.

**Flight details:** Depart from London Luton to Paris Le Bourget and return within airport operating hours. The offer extends to up to 6 passengers on the jet, but accommodation at the hotel is only included for 2 as stated above.

Hotel details: 2 nights in a Deluxe room for 2 people only.

**Donated by: Jetlogic, Air Charter Scotland and Carrier** 



#### A CASE OF CHATEAU HAUT-BRION 2005 ROBERT PARKER SCORE: 98

One of the 9,000-case 2005 vintage (blend of 56% Cabernet Sauvignon, 39% Merlot, 5% Cabernet Franc)

The wonderfully expressive nose combines black raspberry, mocha, hot stones, caramel and tobacco. Lush, fat and full but with terrific definition and suavity to its extravagantly dense black raspberry, stone and licorice flavours.

A great vintage for Haut-Brion.

Wine is held in bond in the UK. Auction price excludes UK duty and VAT.

**Donated anonymously** 

Minimum Bid: £4,500

THE MAIN AUCTION LOT 4



# CONTEMPORARY ART: A CUSTOMIZED, SIGNED ART WARS STORMTROOPER HELMET BY JASON BROOKS

**'Ayrton'** – customized by Jason Brooks, one of the world's leading exponents of fashion and lifestyle illustration.

This helmet is made by Andrew Ainsworth of Shepperton Design Studios using the original moulds he used for the first Star Wars movie in 1976 and is signed by Jason Brooks and Ainsworth.

Proceeds will be split 50/50 with the Missing Tom Fund

**Donated by: Ben Moore of Art Below** 

Minimum bid: £4,000

Photo credit © Francis Ware 2013 Dimensions: 12.2 x 12.2 x 12.8 in, 31 x 31 x 32.5 cm



Photos: Virgin Limited Edition



#### A WEEK FOR TWO ON SIR RICHARD BRANSON'S PRIVATE NECKER ISLAND

Win a week for two on Necker Island, Sir Richard Branson's private island paradise, situated in the British Virgin Islands, a stunning and unspoilt area of the Caribbean. At 74 acres, Necker sits in turquoise waters surrounded by coral reefs and fringed with beautiful white sandy beaches.

The stay includes: 7 nights' accommodation for two people sharing one room in The Great House, during a Celebration Week in September or October 2014; return boat transfers from Virgin Gorda or Virgin Tortola; all meals and drinks (including alcohol); and local taxes.

Whilst on the island, you will have access to a full range of watersports activities, two tennis courts, swimming pools and Jacuzzis. You will also be invited to some amazing party evenings and a sense of adventure is a requirement!

Flights are not included in this prize. Strictly no amendments or cancellations are permitted once the reservation has been confirmed.

Proceeds will be split 50/50 with Sir Richard's charitable foundation, Virgin Unite.

www.neckerisland.virgin.com

**Donated by: Sir Richard Branson** 











#### MISSING PEOPLE HELPLINE SUPERVISOR

Help support Missing People's work with vulnerable missing children and adults by sponsoring a Helpline Supervisor for one year.

Minimum bid: £25,000

#### In 2012/13 each Helpline Supervisor:







#### SILENT AUCTION LOTS

# TO MAKE YOUR BID FOR THE SILENT AUCTION, PLEASE CONTACT JULIE HAWKINS VIA EMAIL:

julie.hawkins@missingpeople.org.uk



# 2 X 6-HOUR RECORDING SESSIONS AT PETE TOWNSHEND'S BARGE STUDIOS IN ST KATHARINE'S DOCK

Always wanted to record your own music in a professional studio? Now you can if you bid high enough for these two 6-hour recording sessions, on consecutive days, in Pete's private studio with full support from renowned sound engineer and producer Myles Clarke. The sessions include light refreshments plus a CD, audio files and individual multi-track files for you to take home.

This prize is to be arranged at a mutually convenient date. Suitable for musicians of all abilities. Instruments are not included and singers should bring a backing track.

**Donated by: Pete Townshend** 

Minimum bid: £1,200

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 2



#### GOLF FOR FOUR PEOPLE AND LUNCH AT WALTON HEATH, SURREY

"If there is something that golfers want and do not get at Walton Heath I do not know what it can be." Bernard Darwin

Win a round of golf for four people, including lunch, at the prestigious Walton Heath golf club.

Its two courses are ranked in both the World's Top 100 and the UK's Top 50 golf courses.

Alcohol not included, prize valid on weekdays only.

www.waltonheath.com

**Donated by: Jonathan Derry-Evans** 

Minimum bid: £1,000

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 3



# A FRAMED, SIGNED ARTWORK OF DAVID COULTHARD MBE'S THREE FAVOURITE RACE CIRCUITS

Born from a passion of motor racing, design and working with the natural qualities of wood, this wonderful representation of David Coulthard's favourite circuits – Silverstone, Monaco and Circuit de Spa-Francorchamps – is laser cut from Baltic birch ply and mounted on etched backing board.

Signed by Coulthard, the former Formula 1 racing driver and highest scoring British driver of all time, this unusual artwork is a real collectors' item for any fan.

**Donated by:** David Coulthard and Graham and Leigh - www.grahamandleigh.co.uk



#### A BEAUTIFUL JOHN CHARLES DRESS FROM THE AUTUMN/WINTER 2013 COLLECTION

John Charles is a reference for glamour and sophistication. Since its inception in London in 1958, the brand has dressed some of the world's most stylish and influential women, being described as "a woman's best kept secret."

This stunning black and navy, sequinned and mesh, knee-length dress from the current Autumn/Winter 2013 collection is just perfect for the festive season. Size 12 - 14.

www.johncharles.co.uk/collection

**Donated by: John Charles** 

Minimum bid: £400

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT!



# ENJOY A PAMPERING SHOPPING AND BEAUTY EXPERIENCE IN THE FOLD SHOWROOM, CLERKENWELL

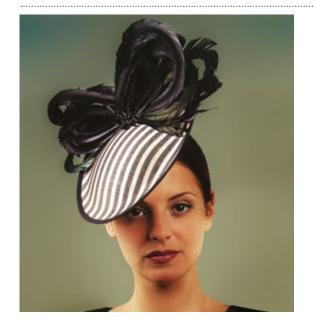
Looking for that perfect outfit, then enjoy a personal appointment for one-to-one styling advice and an exclusive shopping experience at the London showrooms of this contemporary new label. Embracing and inspiring the modern, professional woman, The Fold's latest collection is yours to choose from. This pampering prize includes champagne and light bites, a gift voucher to spend on clothes, and a hair treatment at the premium salon Easton Regal.

This offer includes clothes up to the value of £400 and a hair treatment to the value of £100.

**Donated by: Polly McMaster** 

Minimum bid: £500

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 6



#### 'VEGA' - A HANDMADE HEAD PIECE BY AWARD-WINNING ENGLISH HERITAGE MILLINERS VIVIEN SHERIFF

With a signature design that is sculptural in form and meticulous in its hand detailing, 'Vega' is an elegant and timeless sinamay disc tailored in classic two tone stripes with sumptuous black velvety coque feathers looped with pheasant feathers and shimmering Lady Amherst plumes; a cluster of black Swarovski crystals adds the perfect finishing touch. This versatile style adds effortless panache to any outfit and would suit most social occasions.

Worn by British Royalty, Vivien Sheriff was top of the list of designers who dressed the most Royal Wedding guests. The milliner's finest bespoke pieces can be seen throughout the racing calendar as well as at society weddings and on many a celebrated head at premiere events.

www.viviensheriff.co.uk

**Donated by: Vivien Sheriff** 





#### 'HOT PINK BRACELET' CREATED BY CELEBRITY JEWELLER EUAN MCWHIRTER

Euan McWhirter's luxurious jewellery is gaining a celebrity following with his coveted pieces adorning the likes of Kylie Minogue, Shirley Manson and Laura Bailey.

This stunning Hot Pink Bracelet in sparkling Swarovski crystals and Pink Jade is statement arm candy that will add a pop of colour to any outfit!

www.euanmcwhirter.com

**Donated by: Euan McWhirter** 

Minimum bid: £400

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT



# A HAND-DRAWN HEAD AND SHOULDERS PORTRAIT BY CELEBRATED ARTIST LAMAR RAINE

Lamar Raine is a specialist in children's portraiture and works in conté crayon to create "expressive and reflective drawings." Her clients include The Blair Family, when in residence at Number 10 Downing Street.

The prize comprises a consultation, a one-hour sitting in your own home and the finished drawing (approximately 58 x 49cm) presented in a handmade wash-lined, gold-bevelled hinged mount.

A sitting outside the M25 will incur additional travel costs.

A BESPOKE TWO-TIER FLORAL CAKE, HAND-MADE FOR THAT SPECIAL

Perfect for an anniversary, christening or birthday

www.lamarraine.com

Donated by: Lamar Raine Minimum bid: £1,500

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 9



#### www.sweetbea.co.uk

the winner.

**CELEBRATION** 

This prize must be taken up by 12 November 2014 and Lucia will need a few weeks' notice. A bigger cake is possible, but the winner will need to pay the difference. The offer is not valid over the Christmas period.

celebration, a bespoke, hand-made two-tier floral cake will be created for you by Sweet Bea's Bakery. Lucia, the owner, who counts Jo Malone amongst her clients, is happy to discuss colour, flavour and any other requirements with

**Donated by: Sweet Bea's Bakery** 

This image is not the actual cake on offer



Photo © Alison Jackson 2013

#### LIMITED EDITION, FRAMED ALISON JACKSON PHOTOGRAPH, 'HELMET'

Artist Alison Jackson is renowned for her elaborate 'spoof' productions which give an imaginary and amusing behind-the-scenes look into the world of celebrities and royals; including a recent imagining of baby Prince George at bath time

As part of the Art Wars collection, Jackson has created this stunning photograph inspired by the work of Helmut Newton.

C-Type print. Limited edition of 10. Dimensions: 40"x 36" Proceeds will be split 50/50 with the Missing Tom Fund

**Donated by: Ben Moore of Art Below** 

Minimum bid: £1,400

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 11



#### A CUSTOMIZED, SIGNED ART WARS STORMTROOPER HELMET BY STREET ARTIST INKIE

'Trooper Rod' – customized and signed by the renowned painter and street artist Inkie.

Andrew Ainsworth of Shepperton Design Studios made this Stormtrooper helmet using the original mould he used for the first Star Wars movie in 1976.

Dimensions: 12.2 x 12.2 x 12.8 in, 31 x 31 x 32.5 cm

Proceeds will be split 50/50 with the Missing Tom Fund

**Donated by: Ben Moore of Art Below** 

Minimum bid: £1,200

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 12



#### A CUSTOMIZED, SIGNED ART WARS STORMTROOPER HELMET BY BEN MOORE

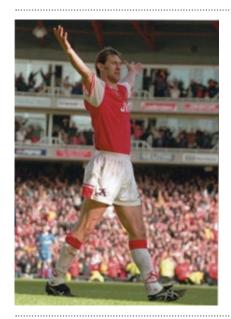
'StormOffSki' – customized by artist and entrepreneur Ben Moore using Swarovski crystals.

This helmet is made by Andrew Ainsworth of Shepperton Design Studios using the original moulds he used for the first Star Wars movie in 1976 and is signed by Ben Moore and Ainsworth.

Dimensions: 12.2 x 12.2 x 12.8 in, 31 x 31 x 32.5 cm

Proceeds will be split 50/50 with the Missing Tom Fund

**Donated by: Ben Moore of Art Below** 



# ARSENAL FOOTBALL SHIRT SIGNED AND PERSONALISED TO THE WINNER BY TONY ADAMS

This could be your only chance to own an Arsenal football shirt autographed and personalised by Arsenal and England legend Tony Adams.

Tony Adams MBE played for Arsenal for 22 years and played for England 66 times. The most successful captain in the club's history, he is one of the Football League's 100 Legends.

Tony will sign and dedicate a shirt from this season to the lucky winner post event.

Donated by: Tony Adams
Minimum bid: £300

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 14



#### A 2012/14 ARSENAL FOOTBALL SHIRT SIGNED BY THE CURRENT TEAM

From an Arsenal legend to the current Premiership league leaders (at the time of going to print!), this is your chance to own a 2012/14 shirt, signed by the entire team. Come on you Arsenal boys, and girls, bid now!

Donated by: Tony Adams Minimum bid: £300

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 15



#### A MANCHESTER UNITED FOOTBALL SHIRT SIGNED BY THE ENTIRE 2012/13 TEAM

Come on you reds! Signed by the Barclays Premiership League Champions, this 2012/13 season, men's large shirt is a fantastic collectors' item.

Donated by: Thomas Cook
Sport



#### BOX FOR 8 AT SPURS V ANZHI, WITH FULL HOSPITALITY

Your chance to watch this UEFA Europa League crowd pleaser with seven friends, from the comfort of your own box. All food and drinks included.

Kick off 20.05 on Thursday 12 December 2013.

Box entrance at Bill Nicholson Way, full details to be confirmed by donor.

www.mccormickflatroofing.co.uk

Donated by:



Minimum bid: £2,000

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 17



#### TWO WEEKS' WORK EXPERIENCE AT SALTUS INVESTMENT MANAGERS

Established in 2004 by investment managers Simon Armstrong and Jon Macintosh, Saltus is an independently owned company managing £400m of private client assets.

Their objective is to preserve and grow wealth for clients over time, irrespective of investing conditions, through risk based, multi-asset class investing. If you want to invest in your son or daughter's future in finance then this opportunity to get an insider view of a small, upcoming company is worth every penny.

www.saltus.co.uk

**Donated by: Jon Macintosh** 

Minimum bid: £1000

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 18



#### TWO WEEKS' WORK EXPERIENCE AT HUTTON COLLINS PARTNERS LLP

"Working with Hutton Collins has been a breath of fresh air. They combine absolute professionalism with the highest levels of personal integrity". A very satisfied client

Founded by Graham Hutton and Matthew Collins in 2002, Hutton Collins manages long term capital on behalf of blue chip institutional investors from around the world. Investors include insurance companies, pension funds and sovereign wealth funds. If your son or daughter is looking for a career in this sought-after sector then this opportunity to gain an insight into the investment world is priceless.

www.huttoncollins.com

**Donated by: Graham Hutton** 



#### HALF-CASE OF SANDEMAN 1977 VINTAGE PORT

Six 75cl bottles of an outstanding vintage port which scores consistently in the 90s from the critics.

Mouthfilling and meaty, with sweet fruit; blackcurrants, cherries, cassis and chocolate notes. Fine balance and seamless construction.

Leading US wine critic, Robert Parker says: "the 1977 has consistently been at the top of my list of vintage ports in this great vintage... It is a mammoth, opaque, statuesque vintage port of remarkable depth and power."

**Donated by: Jon Macintosh** 

Minimum bid: £300

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 20



#### THE RIEVAULX SHOOT

Join five other guns on a 350 bird day (pheasant, partridge and duck) on one of the country's leading shoots near Helmsley, North Yorkshire.

Your host, one of the syndicate members, will guide you throughout the day: over breakfast, during the drives, for drinks and lunch in the field and then perhaps a game of dominoes, before finishing with a top-notch dinner. Your partner is most welcome to join you and watch all the action on what promises to be a thrilling day.

#### www.rievaulxsporting.com

This prize can be taken at any mutually convenient date and does not include travel and accommodation.

**Donated by: Ben Houghton** 

Minimum bid: £2000

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 21



# DRINKS WITH THE HUSBAND AND WIFE TEAM BEHIND NICCI FRENCH'S CRIME FICTION BOOKS

There's no mystery why this is a great prize for crime fiction fans. Join international best-selling authors Nicci Gerrard and Sean French for drinks at 'Sunday' in Islington and receive a signed and dedicated copy of a Nicci French novel.

To be arranged at a mutually convenient time, winner's drinks at their own cost.

www.niccifrench.co.uk

**Donated by: Nicci Gerrard and Sean French** 



#### A COLLECTORS' EDITION OF J.K. ROWLING'S 'THE TALES OF BEEDLE THE BARD'

A collection of five short stories by award-winning, multi-million-selling author J.K. Rowling, this book is a colourful supplement to the Harry Potter story and plays a key role in that series' final instalment, 2007's "Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows."

This special collectors' edition comes in a presentation box disguised as a false cover. Inside you will find 10 separate illustration prints and the hard-bound book, with metal skull, clasps and corners, faux gemstones and ribbon, in a velvet pouch embroidered with J.K. Rowling's signature.

**Donated anonymously** 

Minimum bid: £200

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 23



# AN ACTING MASTER CLASS AND LUNCH FOR TWO WITH BAFTA-AWARD-WINNING ACTRESS MONICA DOLAN

If you've always longed to tread the boards or need to hone your public-speaking skills, this three-hour acting masterclass with award-winning actress Monica Dolan is the perfect opportunity for you, and a partner.

After working up an appetite, you can discuss your acting prowess with Monica over lunch.

Venues and date to be confirmed once a mutually suitable date has been arranged with the winner.

**Donated by: Monica Dolan** 

Minimum bid: £500

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 24



# TWO VIP TICKETS TO SEE THE ONE AND ONLY CHESNEY HAWKES PLUS MUCH MORE!

If Chesney Hawkes is your 'one and only' then this is a must-have prize for you — two VIP tickets to the star's gig in Southport on Friday 14 March 2014, including backstage passes, a meet and greet with a photo opportunity and a song dedicated to you from the stage on the night.

Travel not included.

**Donated by: Chesney Hawkes** 



#### A SIGNED GUITAR PLAYED BY THE ECHO-AWARD-WINNING SINGER, SONGWRITER AND MUSICIAN KATIE MELUA, ALONG WITH SIGNED COPIES OF ALL HER ALBUMS

This signed Avalon A25j Guitar (nylon strung and acoustic) – complete with velvet-lined flight case – is one of the guitars Katie used throughout her tour last summer so has been played in most countries at a number of festivals in Europe!

Katie has also offered signed copies of all her albums on CD.

This prize could be the closest thing to heaven!

Donated by: Katie Melua Minimum bid: £2,750

THE SILENT AUCTION LOT 26



#### MEET AND GREET WITH SIR CLIFF RICHARD IN PARIS

Congratulations are in order if you win these two tickets to see Cliff in concert in Paris, plus a private meet and greet, and a signed copy of Cliff History: The Authorised Photographic Memoir.

We are offering two top-price Mezzanine tickets at the L'Olympia, Paris, on Monday 2 June 2014 – the last leg of his Still Reelin' and A-Rockin' tour. Winners will be invited to the sound check before the show and will be able to meet Sir Cliff.

Accommodation and travel not included.

Donated by: Sir Cliff Richard

Minimum bid: £1,000





#### TEA FOR FOUR PEOPLE AT THE HOUSE OF LORDS, WITH BARONESS KRAMER

Take afternoon tea in the spectacular surroundings of one of the UK's most historic institutions, in the delightful company of Baroness Kramer.

**Donated by: Baroness Kramer** 



#### CRICKET BAT SIGNED BY THE ENGLAND **TEAM**

Howzat! You can win a signed cricket bat from the NatWest One Day International Series, England v Australia 2013.

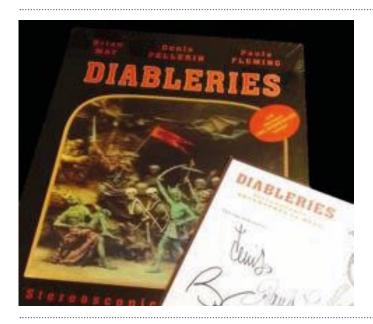
Signed by Eoin Morgan (c), Ravi Bopara, Jos Butler, Michael Carberry, Steven Finn, Chris Jordan, Jamie Overton, Kevin Pietersen, Boyd Rankin, Joe Root, Ben Stokes, James Tredwell, Jonathan Trott and Luke Wright.

Includes a certificate of authenticity.

**Donated by: The England and Wales Cricket Board** 

Minimum bid: £300

THE SILENT AUCTION



#### A COPY OF QUEEN GUITARIST BRIAN **MAY'S NEW BOOK 'DIABLERIES -**STEREOSCOPIC ADVENTURES IN HELL' PLUS A CARD SIGNED BY BRIAN MAY AND **HIS CO-AUTHORS**

Brian May is one of the world's foremost collectors of Victorian stereo cards, and published his first book on this fascinating subject in 2009.

In this second book, the subject is of broader interest and is more controversial. Diableries (translated roughly as 'Devilments') presents an extraordinary set of French stereo cards, which were originally published from the 1860s until around 1900.

**Donated by: Brian May** Minimum bid: £150

THE SILENT AUCTION **LOT 30** 



#### A DINNER FOR UP TO 6 GUESTS AT HOME **CATERED BY LEADING LONDON EVENT CATERERS CREATE**

Create food and party design will provide a chef for the night to cook for you and your guests a fabulous 3 course feast of the ingredients of your choice, with wines to compliment your food\*.

\*Restrictions: Residence must be within the M25. The dinner should be arranged for a mid week date avoiding weekends. Please avoid dates between May 31st - Jul 31st & Nov 19th - Dec 31st. Crockery, cutlery and glassware not included.

Valid until end of 2014.

Donated by:



# GOOD LUCK AND THANK YOU TO EVERYONE BIDDING IN THE MAIN AND SILENT AUCTIONS TO RAISE MONEY FOR MISSING PEOPLE



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