

# THE LIVE AUCTION

Conducted by Lord Jeffrey Archer

Please note that all prizes need to be claimed before 17th November 2018, unless otherwise specified.



# **KICK LIKE A PRO WITH OWEN FARRELL**

This is a once in a lifetime opportunity to be on the field with one of the world's greatest rugby legends, Owen Farrell.

This unique experience will allow you and a guest to meet the star with a one hour kicking lesson hosted by Hackett.

Farrell held the record of youngest player ever to appear in English professional Rugby Union. In 2017, the England fly-half became Saracens' all-time leading points scorer, having scored 1548 points in his career so far.

His impeccable boot has some calling him one of the most feared kickers in the world and having played in 24 Six Nations games for England so far, Farrell has become one of the stand-out playmakers and goal kickers in world rugby.



# **EXTREMELY RARE LARGE FORMAT BOTTLES OF SOLDERA 2010 WINE**

A wine collector's dream and a rare opportunity to own Gianfranco Soldera's 2010 Toscana Sangiovesse IGT Case Basse Gianfranco Soldera in both a Jeroboam bottle (3Ltr) and an incredible Imperial bottle (5Ltrs). This is the best Brunello Montalcino wine throughout Italy.

In the early hours of the 3rd December 2012, unknown people broke into Soldera's cellar and opened 10 barrels of 6 vintages of future Brunello di Montalcino: 62,600 litres were lost. The best vintage of 2010 suffered the greatest loss, but fortunately 450 litres were not touched in this act of vandalism and survived in a separate tank.

The amazing kindness of the Soldera family to Chain of Hope, under the guidance of Mr Gianfranco Soldera himself, decided that what remained of the outstanding vintage 2010 would only be donated to very few and important causes that are close to them. The Soldera family also emphasise their contribution to charities that support less fortunate children and young people all over the world.



#### **ART PIECE FROM EDDIE MARTINEZ**

Your chance to own this unique piece of art, created by renowned artist Eddie Martinez, from Timothy Taylor's Gallery Collection. New York based Eddie Martinez has gained international recognition for his extraordinary use of line and manipulation of colour. He has been critically lauded and widely collected for his dynamic linear abstraction, exuberant colour, and a vocabulary of idiosyncratic reiterating forms. The New York Times art critic, Roberta Smith, praises Martinez's "exceptional gifts as a painter and draftsman, which he exuberantly combines".

Martinez has exhibited internationally, with pieces showcased at Kunstmuseum Bonn; The Saatchi Gallery, London; Garage Centre For Contemporary Culture, Moscow; Museo de la Ciudad de México, Mexico City; and Deste Foundation Centre for Contemporary Art, Athens. In September 2017, Martinez held a significant solo exhibition of works on paper at the Drawing Center, New York. Martinez was recently included in New York Close Up, Art 21's documentary film series. He has also been featured in Modern Painters, The New York Times, Interview Magazine, The New York Sun, The Boston Globe, ArtReview, The Brooklyn Rail and Art in America.



# BARCELONA V REAL MADRID - THREE TICKETS TO WATCH EL CLÁSICO

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You and two guests will be chauffeur-driven by H.R. Owen to the airport where you will fly off to Barcelona, with British Airways Business Class tickets, to watch the highly anticipated and hugely popular FC Barcelona vs Real Madrid on Sunday 6th May 2018 at Camp Nou.

In three of the best seats in the stadium, one row above the Directors' area, you will experience first hand the adrenaline on the field, enjoy the unique electrifying atmosphere and watch the thrilling action.

Whilst there, you and your two guests will stay at the luxury five-star Majestic Hotel in a Deluxe Executive View Room on Sunday 6th May. The hotel offers luxurious accommodation in a neoclassical building on Passeig de Gràcia and features a spa, rooftop swimming pool and a terrace with amazing views of the city.



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# FERRARI DRIVING EXPERIENCE IN ITALY FOR EIGHT GUESTS

The Ultimate High Performance Ferrari Driving Experience in Maranello for eight guests on the 13th June 2018. This money can't buy experience will see eight guests hosted by H.R. Owen at Ferrari's Factory in Maranello. Guests will fly by private jet on the afternoon before the big day and will check into the five-star Grand Hotel Majestic just off the Piazza Maggiore in beautiful Bologna. After some time to freshen up, you will enjoy a fabulous dinner in an authentic restaurant in the heart of this wonderful city. The following morning there is a transfer to Maranello for a tour of the world famous Ferrari Factory, where you will see the engine manufacturing plant, V8 and V12 production lines, leather work department, the F1 facility and much more. Lunch is at the famous Ristorante Montana where owner and chef Rosella has cooked her wonderful pasta for many a Ferrari F1 driver over the years!

After lunch, you will head to Fiorano, Ferrari's private test track next to the Factory, to see what the finished article feels like. You will put the 488 GTB and the new 812 Superfast through their paces on track with one to one tuition from Ferrari's own highly trained track instruction team. You will then head back to Bologna for the private jet home. www.hrowen.co.uk



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Participants must be over 18 with a full driving licence. Guests must be over 16 to participate in the Factory tour. Date is non-transferable. Ferrari reserve the right to change the date at short notice. Ferrari models are offered subject to availability. The hotel is also subject to availability.



# ENJOY A LUXURY ART-FILLED VENETIAN WEEKEND WITH THE CULTIVIST AT THE GRITTI PALACE

Set off for an art-filled weekend adventure in Venice for four! You and three guests will fly from London to Venice courtesy of British Airways. Once in Venice you will enjoy three nights at the exclusive and luxury five-star hotel, The Gritti Palace, a Luxury Collection Hotel, where you will be staying in two luxurious Serenissima Suites, overlooking the Square S. Maria del Giglio. During your stay you will experience all The Cultivist has to offer, which is the world's only global arts club giving uniquely privileged access to every aspect of the art world. The Cultivist makes your journey through art effortless and enriching. In Venice, you and your friends will glide through museums and galleries and can enjoy an expert-led tour of an exhibition, a private visit to a local artist's studio or a 'behind the scenes' look at of some of the most important restoration projects in spectacular churches across the city. Continue enjoying an art-loving exclusive experience throughout the year with a one year full membership for The Cultivist for one person.

www.thecultivist.com www.thegrittipalace.com www.ba.com



Prize must be redeemed before 17th May 2018, validity extensions are not permitted. Cultivist prize includes three experiences and a PDF art guide of what to see. The Cultivist will not be responsible for travel between destinations. The prize winner will be put in touch directly with the expert at each destination and are responsible for turning up promptly and liaising with the expert if they need to change the time. Advanced reservation for The Gritti Palace, subject to availability, is required. Applicable black-out dates: Christmas/New Year's Eve, Carnival weekends, Easter weekend. Non-transferable, cannot be resold and has no cash value if not redeemed in full. It cannot be combined with any other promotion. Gritti Palace voucher must be presented upon check-in to take advantage of it. Travel on British Airways codeshare and alliance partner airlines and franchises are not permitted. Reservation changes are not permitted after tickets have been confirmed and issued. Passengers must travel together on the British Airways flights and tickets are booked in Euro Traveller. Travel insurance, car hire and entry visas organised by winner.



#### **A WINE LOVER'S DREAM!**

This money can't buy experience includes two magnums of the world's finest wine as well as a truly exclusive visit for 10 people to two of the greatest estates in the wine world, Château Mouton Rothschild and Château Lafite Rothschild. You will set off from London by private jet to Bordeaux where you will relax in luxury accommodation for one night before exploring these amazing wine estates.

The visit will include a private tour and tasting of Château Mouton Rothschild and Château Lafite Rothschild, with a fantastic lunch at a Rothschild estate. It is extremely rare that these First Growth estates near Bordeaux open their doors and their cellars, making this an experience not to be missed. This prize also includes a chance to take home two Magnums of 2012 Chateau Lafite kindly donated by Baron Eric de Rothschild. This 2012 vintage, has been highly rated as a very stylish, elegant, yet concentrated Lafite Rothschild. It represents just 38% of the total production of the most famous wine label in the world, this great wine from great terrior is dominated by the Cabernet Sauvignon (91%) followed by Merlot (8.5%) and Petit Verdot (0.5%).

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### **ENJOY AN AMAZING LUXURY SUPER YACHT FOR 12 GUESTS**

You and your guests will be flown by private jet to the Mediterranean, where you will enjoy a fabulous three days (two nights) on-board this luxury 56m superyacht - MY The Wellesley - in late September 2018. MY The Wellesley brings London luxury on-board an exquisite superyacht. The refined interior design with a sumptuous private club feel is coupled with incredible triple deck space and charter amenities making her one of the most luxurious yachts in her league.

Fully rebuilt in 2016, the fabulous interior features six guest staterooms that holds up to 12 guests.

The yacht also features a deck Jacuzzi, beach club, gym and a great array of water-sports as well as a professional chef and full crew to ensure your stay on-board is the ultimate luxury experience.

https://www.twwyachts.com/Charter/TheWellesley

Full MYBA charter contract terms apply. Dates of the yacht are flexible in the last two weeks of September 2018. The yacht's exact location will depend on where her last charter finishes, most likely in the Western Mediterranean. Fuel usage included.



# PLAY IN A VERY SPECIAL FOOTBALL MATCH AGAINST USAIN BOLT AND ARSENAL LEGENDS

Ever thought you could hold your own in a football match against some of the best football players in the Premier League AND the fastest man in the world?

This once in a lifetime opportunity will involve you and four guests playing in a five-a-side match against a team of superstars including Usain Bolt and legendary Arsenal FC stars including Olivier Giroud and Robert Pirès plus others such as Mohamed Elneny, Mesut Ozil and David Ospina.

Taking place in the Arsenal Hub at the Emirates Stadium, the winner of this amazing prize can truly see whether they can make the grade as a professional footballer.

