

Town Mayor of Tenterden's Charity Auction



Saturday. 8th October 2022 Auction Little Silver Hotel. Ashford Road. Tenterden.



With Celebrity Auctioneer Catherine Southon



Auction in Aid of Tenterden Memory Café



Welcome! Dear Friends and Colleagues

Welcome to my Mayor's Charity Auction being held tonight on behalf Tenterden Memory Café, at Little Sliver Hotel, who have kindly provided their venue "free of charge"

Many of you will be aware of Tenterden Memory Cafe who provide excellent support to those people who live in Tenterden and the surrounding area and live with various forms of dementia.

They meet every Friday at St Andrews Parish Community Hall. In addition:

every Monday for Short Mat Bowls, every Tuesday for Musical Memories and every 4th Wednesday in the month for lunch.

First, I should like to thank all the donors of goods and experiences, who have generously donated to make this auction a reality.

Second, I would like to thank you all for attending tonight, I know you wish to open your wallets and purses to bid for excellent and varied lots. Your philanthropic attendance will make a huge difference to Tenterden Memory Café.

Finally, I should like to thank Catherine Southon who is our auctioneer tonight.

Catherine needs very little introduction as she is a well-known personality on auction shows such as: Antiques Road Trip; Bargain Hunt; and Flog It.

Good luck with your bids tonight.

Mayor Cllr John Crawford

Auction Procedures

Within the catalogue, each lot has a unique number with a description and in some instances a picture. The £ amount in bold is the estimated value. Lots which show * either side of the amount will only be sold via the silent auction (see instructions below).

Once an item is placed for sale, the auctioneer will start at a relatively low price to attract a large number of bidders.

When you wish to bid, please raise your paddle number so it can be seen by the auctioneer.

The price increases each time someone makes a new higher bid until finally, no other bidders are willing to offer more than the most recent bid.

If your bid is the highest bid (and exceeds any stated reserve price), the auctioneer will accept your bid.

For the silent auction, guests can spend time before the auction and during the meal to peruse the lots and then place a bid on the allocated sheet next to the item. You will need to write down your paddle number and anonymous bid. The winning bids will be announced once the main auction has finished.

At the end of the auction, payment is made to the assigned auction clerk and the lot is passed over to you. Cash, credit and debit cards are accepted.

(NB. condition of items are as seen)



Kent and East Sussex Railway
 The heritage journey time between
 Tenterden and Bodiam takes around 50
 minutes each way.
 Voucher: Ticket for family of four.
 £53



2. Godinton House

Godinton House is a stately home 2 miles north-west of the centre Ashford. Voucher: House & Garden Entry and Cream Tea tickets for two. **f14**



Old Dairy Brewery Tenterden
 A national award-winning brewer with a range of traditional English beers.

 Voucher: Beer & Cider Hamper **£30**



This Ancient Boro
 First floor self-catering flat with outside balcony terrace.
 Voucher: One night Airbnb
 £170



 William Charles Hair Aveda salon in an 1800's listed building on the corner of Church Road and High Street. Voucher: **£55**



6. Italian handbag

New and unused non-branded Italian handbag. Brown leather handles, brown leather base with interwoven raffia. Item: Handbag ****£90 to £110****



Giorgio Ferretti handbag New and unused branded Giorgio Ferretti black leather handbag. Item: Handbag **£150**



8. The Latte Lounge

Family & dog friendly modern coffee shop in Coombe Lane.

Voucher: Afternoon tea for 2 with a glass of fizz.

£32



9. Will Writing

Tenterden law firm Nelsons, provide a wide range of services, including Wills & Life Planning.

Write a Will for an individual or couple Voucher: Wills for a couple.

£360. Reserve £240



10. Hopes Grove Clematis

Hopes Grove Nurseries established in Smallhythe Road Tenterden 1st July 1992. A pack of 3 (three) evergreen clematis Item: Plants ****£90****



11. Hopes Grove Rhododendrons Pack of 3 (three) evergreen Rhododendrons. Item: Plants **£60**

Hopes Grove Rhododendrons Pack of 2 (two) evergreen Rhododendrons. Items: Plants **£40**



13. Dog Pet Accessories

Woofaloo PetZone provide pet food and accessories for dogs and small animals. Item: Dog lead, treats and toys. ****£10****



14. Hoof and Hook

Restaurant & Bar Providing food straight from the farm to plate. Voucher: Mid-week set lunch ****£60****



15. Tenterden Garden Centre

Provide a range of plants from shrubs to roses, herbs to seasonal bedding plants, complemented by garden sundries, gardening tools, bird care, gifts, conservatory furniture, cane furniture and garden furniture. Voucher: Any item ****±30****



16. Elizbeth Rose

An independent boutique established in 1979, providing quality women's fashion.

Item: Bon Parfumeur Gift Set 801. Eau De Parfum; Scented Hand Cream; and Scented Soap.

£55 to £60



17. Savannah

Savannah coffee shop and restaurant offers food using local suppliers. Voucher: Cream tea voucher for 2 **£15**



18. Belle Tout Lighthouse

Converted lighthouse into charming and unique B&B, with panoramic views of the English Channel and Beachy Head.

Voucher: One night accommodation with breakfast for 2 (Sun – Thurs). **£200**



19. Oastwood Winery
 Case of six bottles. Local Oastwood
 Chardonnay wine.
 Item: Wine
 £100



20. Weald of Kent Art Society

 Oil painting of St Mildred's Church Tenterden by Clive Dand.
 Item: Painting
 £250 Reserve £150



21. Little Silver Country Hotel

16 boutique style ensuite bedrooms with the restaurant's emphasis on locally sourced food.

Voucher: Afternoon tea for 2 with bubbles.

£45



22. Bond Street to Your Street Providing exquisite, pre-loved top designer items for women. Item: Pre-loved Kate Spade Bag **£35**



23. Annie Alpacas

One of the UK's top animal experiences allowing you to experience what it's like to walk with alpacas.

Voucher: Alpaca meet & greet for 4 £34



24. Amy's Pantry

Open plan kitchen cafe serving up speciality coffee, locally produced food, cakes and sweet treats. Dog friendly.

Voucher: Afternoon Tea for Two
£30



25. The Sinden Theatre

Opened in 2004 within the grounds of Homewood School. It was named after the actor and former local resident, the late Sir Donald Sinden CBE Voucher: Auditorium for 290 guests to view of film of your choice. **£300**



26. Montalbano and / or Bottega Restaurant Family run restaurant with a mixed menu of regional Italian dishes. Voucher: Meal at either restaurant. **£70**



27. Balfour Winery

Located in Kent with a variety of clay, and chalk soils, is considered the perfect location for the production of sparkling wine and cool-climate still wines.

Full Estate Tour and Tasting for 2 **£90**



28. The Lemon Tree

The Lemon Tree Restaurant in Tenterden is housed in a 14th century heavily timbered former Wealden Hall House, reputedly visited by King Henry VIII.

Voucher: Restaurant meal. **£50**



29. Virgin Balloon Flight

The experience of a lifetime awaits as you take life higher with our spectacular hot air balloon rides from Headcorn.

Voucher: Any Morning / Evening flight for 2.

£328. Reserve £250



30. Mr Doodle

Local artist Sam Cox (AKA Mr Doodle) rocketed to international success with his doodles which he describes as "spaghetti graffiti". He has had exhibitions in London and overseas. Voucher: Any merchandise from the online shop **£250**



31. Children's Books

New and cellophane wrapped set of children's Meg and Mog books by Helen Nicoll, David Walsar and Jan Pienkowski. Item: Set of books ****£30****

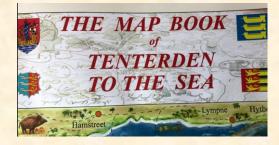


32. Handmade Silk Tie

Unbranded handmade silk tie, matching cufflinks and pocket handkerchief.

Item:

£20



33. Map Book of Tenterden to the Sea

Dr Adrian Greaves local author of over 30 published history books. His new book records gruesome but fascinating violent history. Limited edition of 100 copies.

Item: Book Number 1 totally unique with 13 original and specially hand painted signed maps and cover. **£100. Reserve £50**



34. Ninja Warrior

New Ninja Warrior Adventure Park is a supervised based activity in Chatham. Voucher: For 2. ****£26****



35. Anuela Merlot Wine Fat Ox pub donated case Anuela Merlot. Item: Case of six bottles. **£55**



36. White Lion

Offers traditional pub and restaurant, along with en-suite rooms. Item: Double room accommodation with breakfast. **£110**



37. RM Williams Leather Duffle Bag

Donated by County Clothes East Cross Tenterden. RM Williams Leather Saddler Duffle Bag, the perfect carryon, premium calf leather, which will naturally burnish and develop character over time. **£559. Reserve £195**



38. Vine Inn

Classic Victorian facade conceals a modern pub and restaurant, with stylish interior, comfortable sofas and a warm conservatory bathed in natural light. Outside, a walled garden provides perfect setting for afternoon in the sun. Voucher: Two course meal for 2. **£80**



39. Rebbeca Morse Illustrative Artist
 Local Artist Rebbeca Morse successful
 illustrator and artist in creation of
 standalone art installations.
 Item: Illustration of an Elderly Lady
 £100 Reserve £50



40. Romney Marsh Wools
Based on family farm on the beautiful Romney Marsh. British made wool products created using the fleeces from the flock of Romney ewes.
Item: Toiletries.
£25



41. Fitflop Sandals

New branded Fitflop sandals size 6. Black sole with lavender / pink upper. Item: **£50**

250



42. Graham Beck Brut Rose
 Majestic donation for a bottle of
 Graham Beck Brut Rose (South
 African).
 Item:

£17



43. Wine Tours of Kent

Visit some of England's finest vineyards and wine producers in Kent. Be introduced to award-winning English wines.

Voucher: Full day wine tour for 2. **£240**



44. Beau Boutique

An enchanting sanctuary for luxurious and high-performing skin, beauty and aesthetics treatments in the heart of Tenterden. Voucher: Treatment

£15



45. Wedgwood Bone China Plates Nine varying sizes of "Trackside Memories" plates by John Chapman **£30**



46. Specsavers Tenterden

Recently opened. Gift youcher towards the purchase of spectacles, contact lenses and accessories only.

Voucher: For spectacles and accessories only

£100



47. Chapel Down

Chapel Down is England's leading wine producer with an award-winning range of sparkling and still wines. Based in Tenterden, they produce wines of the highest quality. The winery estate is open to the public for guided tours and experiences. Voucher: Cheese & Wine Experience for 2 **£120**



48. Andaz

Liverpool St London Hotel features modern designer rooms, unique restaurants, quirky bars and pub. Voucher: Afternoon tea with a bottle of prosecco for 2 in the 1901 wine lounge **£80**



49. Slap'n'dash

Based in Hawkhurst by the picturesque Hawkhurst Fishery Lakes. Opportunity to paint your own pottery. Voucher: For six people. **£90**



50. Rising Star

Sells antique furniture, gifts, jewellery fashion, and one-off oddities. Voucher: Candle, soap and pot **£29**



51. House of Commons Champagne

Tradition Brut Champagne from Maison Gardet, a family-owned champagne house based in Chigny-les-Roses. Donated by our MP, Damian Green.

Bottle of Champagne to be signed by PM Liz Truss.

£28 for the champagne.



52. Hukins Hops

Tours at Hukins Hops throughout the year to enjoy a detailed guided tour of the farm, premier hop yards, modern approach to picking and preserving. Beer tasting and hop garden tour for 2. **£80**



53. 2n6 Sweets

Provides bespoke sweet parties for both children and adults. Voucher: Sweet party for 4 guests ****£75****



54. Tenterden Golf Club

Set in beautiful countryside and is known for its great condition. The club caters for all levels and categories of golfer, allowing them to use on main greens and tees throughout the year. Voucher: 4 ball Game. **£100**

55. Drinks Hamper

Wicker basket hamper with eight assorted bottles of alcohol. Item: Tesco drinks hamper. ****£100****

End of Auction Lots

Auction Schedule

18:00 Arrival & Welcome drink

18:30 Guests to take seats; meal to be served

19:00 Mayor to welcome guests and introduce:

- Auctioneer Catherine Southon
- TV Presenter Gregg Wallace (MBE)
- Chair of Tenterden Memory Café Jan Bridger

19:10 Introduction and explanation of process

19:15 Auction commences

20:00 Interval

20:15 Auction resumes

21:00 Main Auction Ends

21:00 - 22:00 Announcement of silent bid winners, payment for lots, and last orders

22:30 Goodnight and Pleasant Dreams

Special Thanks to:

Tenterden Town Council Staff who have dedicated their time to make this event happen:

Sharon Smith Keli Nolan-Lyons Julie McCollum Claire Gilbert Lesley Owers





Little Silver Country Hotel

Our family run business for your special day! An intimate venue that understands that your day should be as special as you.

Weddings ~ Events ~ Parties ~ Hotel





"As a volunteer led group with no regular funding, we rely on the kindness of those people who have and continue to generously support our meetings and activities."

Our group like to get involved with various activities and we love to go out whenever possible. There are always plenty of volunteers on hand to help, this is an opportunity for the carers to relax and have fun



Great fun at The Leisure Centre



Afternoon tea at Little Silver with entertainment provided by Headcorn Ukulele Band



Ann & Mike enjoying the sea air



Meeting in Tenterden Recreation Ground