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Dinner

Your Scottish Auction dinner can be ordered and delivered to your door UK wide (see pages 9 & 10).

Timetable

The 2021 Scottish Auction will run online, with a catalogue full of generous contributions from many varied supporters, and this year we are lucky enough to be including several auction lots contributed from our GWCT committees in England.

The important dates are:

23 April onward	Place your orders for dinner and wine www.gwct.org.uk/dinnerbox see page 9 for details
30 April, 6pm	Bidding opens online at www.gwctscottishauction.co.uk
5 May	Orders close for cases of wine
9 May midnight	Dinner orders close
12/13 May	Dinner and wines delivered
13 May from 6.30pm	Watch a short video from GWCT Scotland www.gwct.org.uk/scotland/auction/ Enjoy your own Scottish Auction dinner at home, relax and bid!
10pm	Bidding closes

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Chairman’s Welcome

It gives me great pleasure to introduce this year’s GWCT Scottish Auction catalogue.

I, for one, was nervously sceptical about being able to put together a reasonable list of auction lots and the fact that we have achieved it is a reflection of the extraordinary generosity of our donors. Many of our supporters have themselves faced a very difficult twelve months, so their participation is even more appreciated to help fund the GWCT’s continued projects.

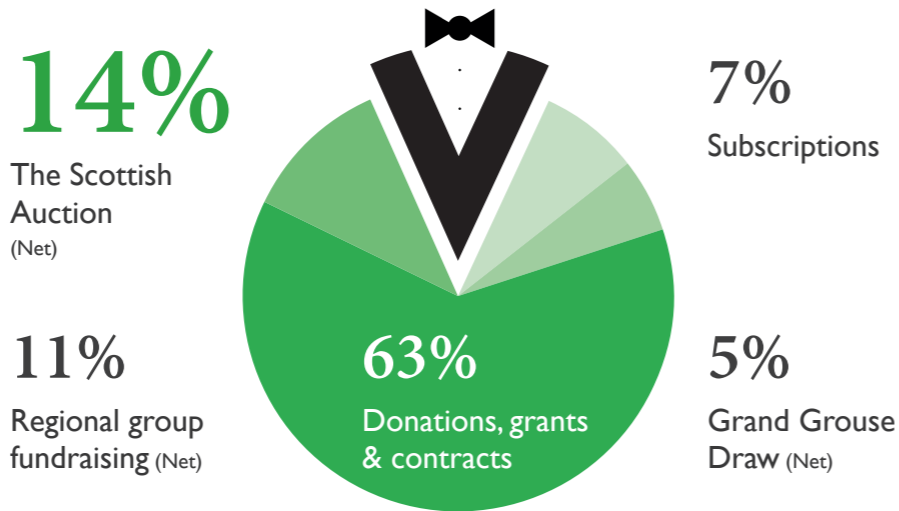
As with many charities the past year has taken a hefty toll on the GWCT’s finances, potentially compromising many of its programmes. I hope the continued commitment of those who have helped to compile this excellent and diverse list of lots will not be lost on you, the bidders! Elsewhere you will see a more detailed analysis of where your support is directed.

Obviously I am sorry that, once again, we cannot meet up for the usual convivial gathering but I hope you will participate by ordering our special Scottish Auction Dinner Box (see page 9) and enjoy your own gathering at home, whether in the virtual company of friends or not. You will all have established imaginative methods of circumventing the wretched restrictions which have blighted all of our lives for so long, and I have no doubt will do so without compromising the bidding process on which the auction obviously depends. Thank you in anticipation. Have a great evening, good luck in pursuit of your lots and thank you for your support. Never has it been more necessary.

Bryan Johnston
Chairman, Scottish Auction

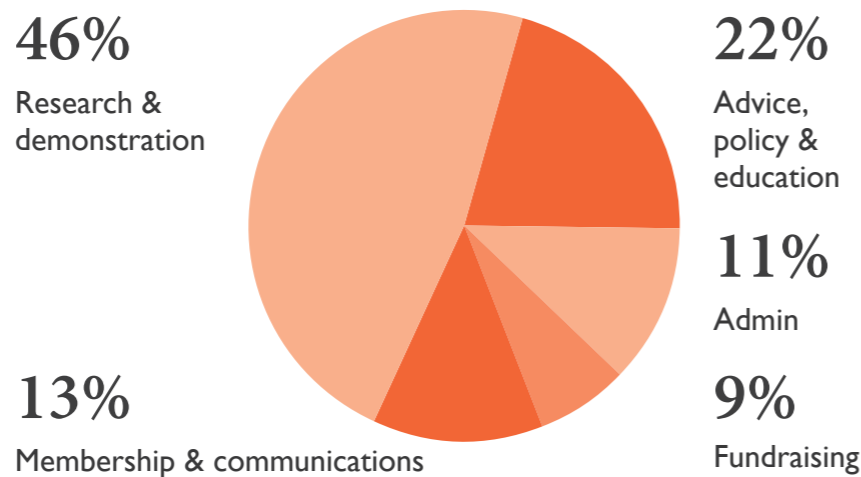


Where our Scottish income came from in 2020



All figures are provisional, based on year to end November 2020 and budget

How your support was used in 2020



GWCT Executive Chairman, Scotland's Welcome

This is the second year that the Scottish Auction has had to take place without us all meeting at Prestonfield House and enjoying each other's company. We are all the poorer for that. However, Bryan and his committee have not only brought together another wonderful collection of auction lots for you, but also an innovative and interesting way of enabling us to enjoy at least some feeling of togetherness. I highly recommend their home delivered dinner (details of which you can find on page 9), and introductory video which will be available from 6.30 on the evening of 13 May. If your computer skills allow do tune in, and perhaps share the auction and your dinner with friends over Zoom.

Since the last auction, much has happened. Mountain hares may now be culled only under licences the details of which are still to be agreed with NatureScot. The Scottish Government has also declared its desire to license Scottish grouse moors in the next Parliament, along with a raft of deer and moorland management regulation. These changes could have far reaching effects on whether our uplands can continue to be sustainably managed through game conservation. As a result, GWCT, with its 30 years of prior research and data, and working closely with other organisations, are undertaking two new vital pieces work. The first is to inform the introduction of any future grouse moor regulation so that it is both practical and proportionate, and the second is to conduct new research into mountain hare culling which will provide the licensing authority with the necessary evidence when considering the granting of licences.

On a happier note, we are delighted to announce that the much-loved GWCT Scottish Game Fair will take place on 24th to 26th September; I do hope you will be able to join us. Other GWCT events are also planned later this year, thanks to the work of our invaluable Regional Committees.

There will be an additional High Four shoot and other raffles announced later in the year so please look out for them and give them your support.

But GWCT's work is not all about reacting to political events and fundraising, far from it. Our efforts to support the recovery of grey partridges, a key part of our work for over 80 years, has received a further boost in the creation of the Strathmore Wildlife Cluster. This is a group of farms and estates around Coupar Angus, covering more than 10,000 acres, that are working together on a landscape scale to improve grey partridge numbers.

Our Demonstration Farm at Auchnerran in Aberdeenshire has welcomed back its nesting curlew and lapwings and continues its valuable studies into these and other farmland projects. Its farming operation is run on a commercial basis while adapting to make space for conservation and research activities. In addition to developing Natural Capital accounting systems and carbon sequestration measurement methods, the research side is also planning a variety of other new research projects which will start in the near future. Do consider a visit and, with some notice, our staff there will be delighted to show you what is going on.

Finally, your participation in this Scottish Auction is hugely important to us, especially this year as once again we are not able to run so many of our normal fundraising events. So please be generous, knowing that you are supporting the necessary scientific research that informs the difficult decisions that governments have to take concerning our countryside and our interaction with it.

David Noble,
GWCT Executive Chairman, Scotland

Living accommodation changes. Is your farm or estate affected?

From 6 April 2021 the rules that allow a concession for farm and estate staff who are provided with living accommodation as 'representative occupiers' change, and farm and estate businesses need to ensure they are not caught out. They should review their situation urgently if they have not done so already.

The current concession relates to posts that existed before 6 April 1977, and to successors to those posts. It provides relief from a taxable benefit in kind for employees required to live in the property as a condition of their employment.

Employers providing such accommodation under this concession should consider whether that accommodation becomes a taxable benefit from next month, or whether it continues to qualify as a tax-free benefit under one of the statutory exemptions.

Those statutory exemptions are where the employer-provided living accommodation is either:

- Necessary for the proper performance of duties; or
- Customarily provided for the better performance of duties; or
- Required for the personal security of the employee.

'Customarily provided' means it is normal practice to provide living accommodation to at least 50% of employees of that class. HM Revenue & Customs (HMRC) has agreed that many farm workers should be covered by the 'necessary for the proper performance of duties' exemption, but there could be issues for other positions such as resident agents, chief executives, estate and farm managers and workers, gamekeepers and property maintenance staff.

For any assistance on this issue, and to find out how we can help you, contact either:



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for Chef's menu, time and inspiration



for generously donating the venison in the dinner boxes



for offering a special GWCT wine package



for co-ordinating, preparing and delivering dinner across the UK



for the bidding system

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The English counties who have contributed some of the auction lots.



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Thursday 13 May - Dinner at Home

The Head Chef at Prestonfield House Hotel has created a delicious menu for us, as a one-off opportunity, in the spirit of the Scottish Auction annual dinner.

The venison has again been generously donated by Highland Game. This year your dinner will be prepared by The Cook School and delivered to you in a box anywhere in the UK, to enjoy on Thursday 13 May.

Each box provides dinner for two, easily finished at home. From 6.30pm on Thursday 13th, have a drink, [watch a short video from GWCT Scotland](#), and enjoy your dinner. Last bids 10pm!



Game & Wildlife Conservation Trust Scottish Auction Dinner Menu



Braehead Salmon

Beetroot cured Loch Fyne salmon, horseradish crème fraiche, wholemeal soda bread, cabernet sauvignon pickled shallots, fresh radish

East Coast Shellfish

Bisque, thermidor flavoured sour cream

Highland Game Venison

Farce and loin en croûte, spring onion purée, golden raisin, bitter leaves, Jersey Royals with wild garlic, Grand Veneur sauce

Highland Fine Cheeses

A selection of artisan cheeses from Tain on the Dornoch Firth with Arran Oatcakes



*Order details
on p.10*

How to Order Dinner

Order your dinner at www.gwct.org.uk/dinnerbox between 23 April and & midnight on Sunday 9 May.

The options are:

- ◆ Scottish Auction Dinner for 2 **£110**
- ◆ Scottish Auction Dinner for 2, with red and white wine, (1 bottle each of Macon Uchizy 2019 and Chateau La Grande Maye, Cotes de Castillon 2015) **£130**
- ◆ Scottish Auction Dinner for 2, with champagne, red and white wine, (1 bottle each of J&B Sarcey Brut Private Cuvée NV, Macon Uchizy 2019 and Chateau La Grande Maye, Cotes de Castillon 2015) **£150**

Delivery (UK wide) will be on either 12 or 13 May, in time for dinner on 13 May.



Justerini & Brooks are also offering a special GWCT 10% discount on case or mixed case orders of the following wines (delivery UK wide) ordered by 5 May.

Please email your order to: rob.gordon@justerinis.com and patrick.roy@justerinis.com quoting GWCT Scottish Auction.

Justerini & Brooks, Sarcey, Brut, Private Cuvée, NV, 12x75cl: £238.90 (discounted from £265.44)

Mâcon Uchizy, Gerald et Philibert Talmard, 2019, 6x75cl: £61.94 (discounted from £68.82)

Château La Grande Maye, Côtes de Castillon, 2015, 12x75cl: £146.56 (discounted from £162.84)

(minimum order 1 case, free delivery over £300)

Scottish Auction Committee

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Bryan Johnston

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NEW DATES

Recent and Forthcoming Events

2-23 April: Northern Auction online, Rory Donaldson 07718 780 700

8 October: Golf and Clay Day at Gleneagles (sold out), Rory Donaldson 07718 780 700

30 April -13 May: Scottish Auction online, Angela Walker 07594 929783

November: East Tayside Dinner & Auction, Rory Donaldson 07718 780 700

13 May: Scottish Auction Dinner at Home

November: Edinburgh & South East Scotland Christmas Drinks, Rory Donaldson 07718 780 700

September: Edinburgh & South East Scotland Clay Day (sold out), Rory Donaldson 07718 780 700

Advisory Courses: to book bespoke advisory courses please contact scottishhq@gwct.org.uk

24-26 September: Scottish Game Fair, Scone Palace, www.scottishfair.com

Details of Future events and scheduled courses will be published on www.gwct.org.uk/events/calendar/ when available.

Game & Wildlife Conservation Trust Membership

By joining the Game & Wildlife Conservation Trust you will be helping to fund the scientific research we believe is fundamental to wildlife revival in Great Britain. We are proud to be at the forefront of changes in practices, understanding and attitudes that can provide a better environment for future generations to enjoy.

Visit our website and help us achieve a thriving countryside rich in game and other wildlife: www.gwct.org.uk/join

For more information about Trade and Corporate Membership, please contact:

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Joining online is fast, easy and safe. It's also the most cost-effective way you can help us, as it reduces our administration costs, meaning a higher proportion of your contribution goes to funding our peer-reviewed scientific work.



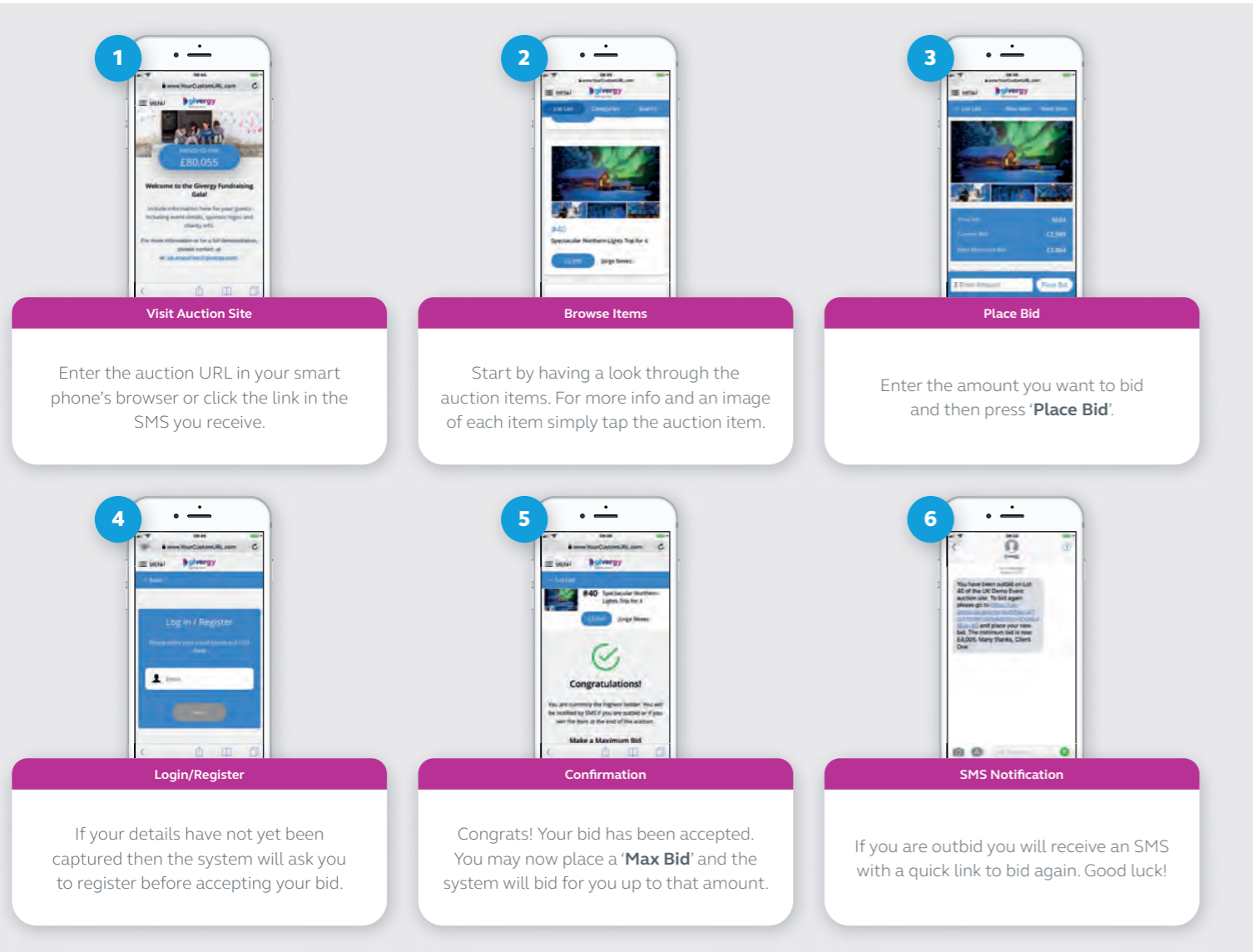
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Shooting




1



Visit Auction Site

Enter the auction URL in your smart phone's browser or click the link in the SMS you receive.


2



Browse Items

Start by having a look through the auction items. For more info and an image of each item simply tap the auction item.


3



Place Bid

Enter the amount you want to bid and then press 'Place Bid'.


4



Login/Register

If your details have not yet been captured then the system will ask you to register before accepting your bid.


5



Confirmation

Congrats! Your bid has been accepted. You may now place a 'Max Bid' and the system will bid for you up to that amount.

6



SMS Notification

If you are outbid you will receive an SMS with a quick link to bid again. Good luck!

1

100 bird day at Altyre, Forres

Provided by:
Sir Alastair Gordon Cumming and Airlie Bruce Jones

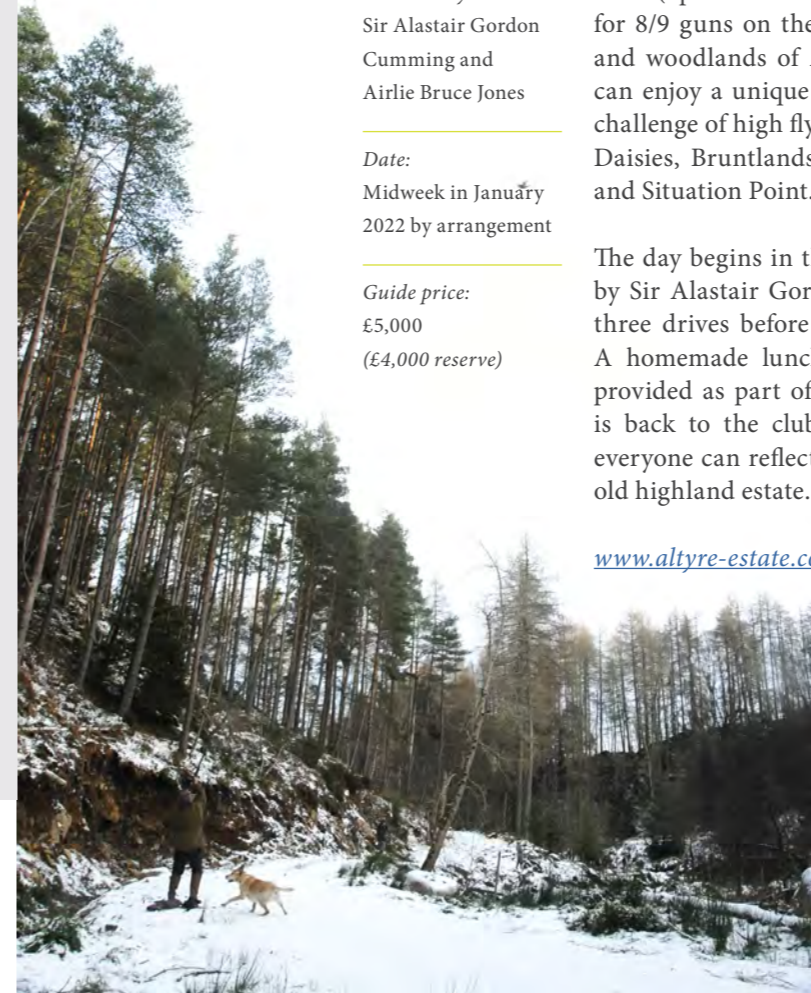
Date:
Midweek in January 2022 by arrangement

Guide price:
£5,000
(£4,000 reserve)

100 (up to 150 if you can hit them!) bird pheasant day for 8/9 guns on the Altyre Estate, near Forres. The gullies and woodlands of Altyre offer a varied terrain where you can enjoy a unique day's sport. You are rewarded with the challenge of high flying quality birds. Feature drives include Daisies, Bruntlands, The Burn, The Ruins, Squirrel Wood and Situation Point.

The day begins in the club room where you will be greeted by Sir Alastair Gordon Cumming and his team. There are three drives before lunch and one drive in the afternoon. A homemade lunch using locally sourced ingredients is provided as part of the day. At the end of the last drive it is back to the club room where the bag is counted and everyone can reflect on their excellent day's shooting on an old highland estate.

www.altyre-estate.co.uk



2

125-150 bird day for 8 guns in the Lammermuir Hills



Provided by:
Mark Tyndall

An exciting driven day with both pheasants and partridges for 8 guns on the Horseupcleugh Estate in the Lammermuirs. This shoot offers a variety of very challenging drives with an anticipated bag of 125-150 birds (depending on the guns).

Date:
Tuesday 30
November 2021

Guide price:
£5,500

Lunch is not included but there is a very impressive lunch hut available and the Estate are happy to suggest local chefs.

If accommodation is required then there is a very good quality shooting lodge which has 8 bedrooms and sleeps up to 16 available to let by separate arrangement with the Estate. Alternatively there are local hotels nearby.



3

100 bird driven day GWCT Allerton Project, Leicestershire

Provided by:
Game & Wildlife
Conservation Trust

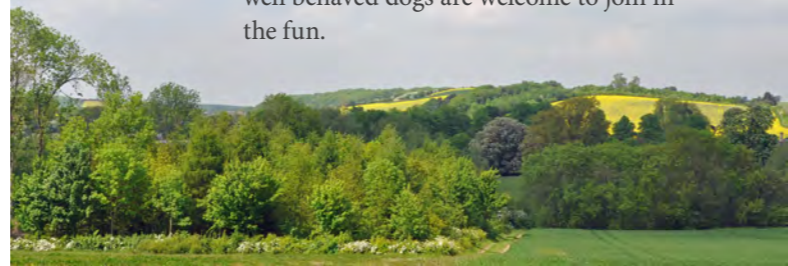
Date:
Wednesday
19 January 2022

Guide price:
£4,500
(£4,500 reserve)

This is an exciting opportunity for a team of eight guns to shoot at the GWCT's demonstration farm at Loddington in Leicestershire, where rolling topography provides challenging shooting. The shoot, which was created and is managed by the Trust, encourages thriving wildlife alongside productive farming and the interaction between them has been carefully monitored for 26 years. During the day, your team will get the chance to learn about the pioneering research carried out by GWCT and the part it plays in modern wildlife management.

Eleveneses will be provided along with an excellent two course lunch and tea and cake to finish. Accommodation for all, and any catering for additional guests and spectators (all welcome), will be at the bidder's expense. Should you wish to stay locally, the Allerton Project office can supply suitable options. The anticipated bag will be around 100 birds.

All guns must have their own shooting insurance and use fibre wad cartridges, well behaved dogs are welcome to join in the fun.



4

Walked up grouse shooting, Perthshire or Angus



Provided by:
Mr & Mrs A Seldon

Date:
During the
2021 season by
arrangement

Guide price:
£1,250

A walked-up grouse day for 2 guns at either Glenturret, near Crieff, or Glenlethnot by Edzell, with an anticipated bag of 4-5 brace per gun. Guns should bring their own picnic.

5

250 bird partridge day, Wiltshire



Provided by:
Barney Stratton

Date:
Wednesday
15 September 2021

Guide price:
£8,000
(£7,000 reserve)

A day's partridge shooting for 250 birds on the Stockton Shoot in the Wylve Valley in south Wiltshire for 8 to 10 guns. The shooting is classic downland partridges, transport is in a state-of-the-art Gunbus, lunch is on top of the downs in a panoramic lunch spot and camp followers are actively encouraged. To be taken on Wednesday 15 September 2021 subject to current covid restrictions.



6

A day's ferreting and rabbit shooting for three guns



Provided by:
Game & Wildlife Conservation Trust, Scotland

Date:
Between September 2021 and February 2022 by arrangement

Guide price:
£450
(£250 reserve)

A chance for three to help protect the crops and fill the boot with rabbits at the GWCT's demonstration farm at Auchnerran, Aberdeenshire. To be taken September to February 2021/22 on an agreed date. A hot hearty meal of local produce will be provided and an optional farm tour with Marlies Nicolas from our research and farm shoot team is included.

As part of GWCT policy, we encourage guns who visit Auchnerran to complete our short test to become an Accredited Game Shot. Details of where and how to complete the accreditation will be included in the voucher provided to the winning bidder.

7

Clays over Corsehope, Heriot, Midlothian

Provided by:
Matthew Walgate

Date:
May to August 2021

Guide price:
£2,500
(£2,000 reserve)

A day's simulated game shooting on Corsehope, near Heriot. The format will be exactly as a day's game shooting: 8-10 guns, shooting in pairs, will meet at 9.15 for coffee and a briefing. There will be 3 drives in the morning (including a break for elevenses), and after lunch a final competition drive followed by tea and medals.

You should provide your own guns and cartridges, though further cartridges could be supplied at cost on the day if required. Corsehope has the topography to produce the real deal in the simulation of game birds and ground game. A light lunch and refreshments will be provided.



8

Walked up grouse, Cumbria

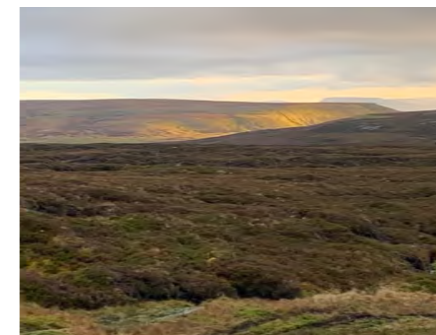


Provided by:
Charles Bull - Just Cartridges

Date:
August or September 2021 date to be agreed

Guide price:
£1,500

A day's walked up grouse shooting at Dufton Fell in Cumbria for 4 or 5 guns on a date to be agreed in August or September 2021. At 2,300 feet, Dufton is one of the highest driven grouse moors in the UK with spectacular views on the right day. Lunch and drinks will be provided. Expected bag 15 - 25 brace. This lot is subject to sufficient grouse stocks and weather and, if necessary, will be rolled over. It is a severe off-road driving experience to get up the hill and the purchaser should have suitable vehicles to gain access.



9

Father & son or daughter to join a family shoot near Auchterarder

Provided by:
The Brown Family

Date:
During the 2021/22 season

Guide price:
£750

An opportunity for a father and son or daughter to join the Brown family shoot at Fordoun, Auchterarder for a day in the 2021/22 season. Expected bag 100 birds, lunch will be provided.



10 Walked up grouse at Candacraig

Provided by: David MacRobert
Date: 12th August 2021
Guide price: £700

One gun to join David MacRobert's team on a 20 brace walked up grouse day at Candacraig on the Glorious 12th August 2021, including overnight accommodation the night before in Tomintoul, the Highland's highest village. Date is, of course, subject to grouse numbers.



11 The Lunan McNab

Provided by: Duncan Gray
Date: 1 July to 30 September 2021
Guide price: £400 (£300 reserve)

A sporting day with a difference: your McNab 3 will be a bucket of mackerel, a Soay lamb and a rabbit!

First of all a small boat is launched off the shingle beach at Ethie Haven in pursuit of mackerel, then a stalk along the Ethie Cliffs may produce a Soay Lamb, and finally a fat rabbit may be brought to book amongst the sand land dunes of New Barns or Lunan. The size of the boat limits your party to 2, but you are guaranteed fun. The expedition is best when the weather is settled and the wind westerly or south westerly. Phone to arrange a date a few days in advance when the weather forecast is more accurate.

To get a flavour of the day have a look at the article in Scottish Field November 2014 edition, pp 128-133.



12 Wild partridge in the Cotswolds

Provided by: George Ponsonby
Date: During the 2021/22 season (or 2022/23 if postponed)
Guide price: £2,500

The Lemhill and Green Hill shoot is offering a day's wild partridge shooting for 1, to join a team of 7 on a date to be confirmed. A full-time keeper has been employed on this Cotswolds shoot since March 2017. No birds are released and wild greys and wild red legs have been driven over guns for the last two seasons. Expected bag of 75-100. The last time this happened on these farms was nearly 50 years ago.

The successful bidder will have the chance to experience the great sight and sport of a bygone era, where sportsmanship as well as marksmanship are the order of the day. They will be tested by the greatest of all quarries as they burst over the immaculately kept hedges on this Gloucestershire farm. N.B. if the estate does not have a partridge day this season, it will be postponed until the following year.



13

Evening duck flight at Makerstoun, Kelso



Provided by:
Lord Biddulph

An evening duck flight at Makerstoun for 2 guns. Keeper and dog to assist with pick-up. Covid restrictions permitting Lord Biddulph will host a delicious dinner afterwards in his lovely family seat at Makerstoun.

Date:
2021 season, date to be agreed

Guide price:
£400

14

Pigeon shooting for 4 guns north of Dundee

Provided by:
Mr & Mrs B W P Kaye

Pigeon towers: an afternoon for 4 guns to shoot in the tree tops from scaffold towers at sporting pigeons.

Date:
Late February or early March 2022

Guide price:
£500
(£400 reserve)



Fishing

15

One week (6 days) fishing for 2 rods at Grimersta on the Isle of Lewis

Provided by:
Grimersta Estate

Grimersta is predominantly a loch fishery, although the rivers and streams connecting the lochs can be prolific. Salmon, grilse and sea trout enter the system from late May, and although the main run is traditionally in mid-July, fresh run fish are caught up to the end of the season in mid-October. There is also excellent brown trout fishing on innumerable lochs. There is an experienced and excellent team of ghillies.

Date:
During the 2022 season by arrangement

Guide price:
£4,000
(£3,000 reserve)



The changeover is always on a Wednesday evening at 6pm, with fishing from Thursday to the following Wednesday. Dates in the 2022 season to be arranged with the Estate Office, however rods in 2021 may become available at short notice.

The offer includes all board (breakfast, a picnic lunch, afternoon tea and dinner) and accommodation at Grimersta Lodge. Not included are costs of travel, drinks or sundries.

www.grimersta.com



16

A day's salmon fishing for 4 rods on the Stracathro beat of the River North Esk

Provided by:
Hughie Campbell Adamson

Date:
Saturday 16th October 2021

Guide price:
£600

1 day for 4/5 rods on the prolific Stracathro Beat. October is traditionally the best month with autumn salmon joining the summer grilse. 24 were caught in the month last year. Success cannot be guaranteed, but should this year's team fail to catch a fish, Hughie Campbell Adamson has kindly offered to host them again in 2022 free of charge!

There is no ghillie, but rods will be shown the water. Fish can be kept (if they must be!), and a comfortable, warm, bank-side fishing hut is available for lunch. Fly only.

stracathro.com



17

A week for 2 rods on the Findhorn

Provided by:
Mark & Robert Laing

Date:
During September 2021

Guide price:
£1,000



2 rods are being offered the opportunity to fish the Findhorn at Logie and Relugas for a week (middle beat fishes Tues, Thurs, Sat, and top beat Mon, Weds, Fri). The beats have a variety of pools with some suitable for most heights of water. Little wading is necessary and there is vehicle access to within about half a mile of all pools. River paths are reasonable, however the fishing is within the Findhorn gorge and access to some of the pools is quite steep. There is no ghillie, but the beats will be explained to you beforehand.

18

Two days' fishing for two rods on the Ballindalloch beat of the River Avon

Provided by:
Ballindalloch Trust

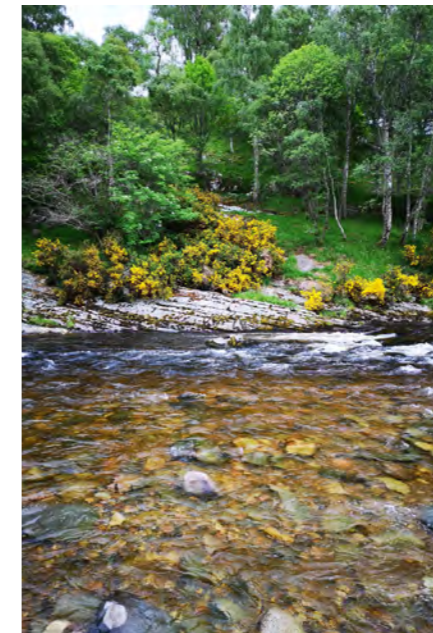
Date:
By 30 September 2021

Guide price:
£240

Two days' salmon and seatrout fishing for two rods on the Ballindalloch Trust beat of the River Avon during the 2021 season. The Avon's pools and runs offer excellent stocks of fish, depending on the time of year and the height of water.

A delight to fish, there is something for every fishermen in the variety of challenges which the river presents. The fishing is almost entirely double bank; there are basic huts; and a ghillie is shared between the 6 rotating beats.

www.ballindallochhighlandestate.com



19

April, May or June week for 6 rods on the Lyon

Provided by:
Charlie Ramsay

Date:
June 2021 or April to June 2022 by arrangement

Guide price:
£990

One week's salmon fishing on the South Chesthill beat of the River Lyon for up to 6 rods, to be taken in either June 2021, or April, May or June 2022. The June 10 year average is 9.6 salmon per week.

Accommodation at Chesthill House for up to 16 is optionally available by separate arrangement at 30% discount (normal price £4,500; discounted price £3,150).

www.southchesthill.com



20

1 day coarse fishing in East Lothian

Provided by:
Saul Gardiner,
SG Fisheries

Date:
By end May 2022

Guide price:
£200
(£100 reserve)



One day coarse fishing for 2 on a private fishery on East Fenton Farm, East Lothian. Coaching can be included by qualified coaches if required (and where Covid restrictions allow). In this new, private 2 acre fishery, the species are carp (to 5lb) and tench. Methods used are float fishing and ledgering (tackle and bait can be provided), and the best months tend to be April and May. You are also welcome to fish for carp on the fly (bank only) but would need your own tackle. The fishery is an active irrigation reservoir so water levels can vary.



21

Loch and river Fishing on Dunan Estate



Provided by:
McCorquodale
Family

Date:
Summer 2021 by
arrangement

Guide price:
£485

Two days' fishing for 4 rods, including 2 nights' accommodation in an estate cottage at the west end of Loch Rannoch. 1 day fishing on the River Gaur and another on Loch Sron Smeur. Loch Sron Smeur is stocked with rainbow trout but also has a good showing of wild brown trout. The River Gaur offers good trout and pike fishing, with the very odd salmon. Access to a boat and engine on the loch. Additional numbers and a longer stay can be organised by private arrangement.

dunan-estate.co.uk



22

A day's salmon fishing for 2 rods on the Lyon

Provided by:
Roro Estate

Date:
During the
2021 season by
arrangement

Guide price:
£200

1 day's salmon fishing for 2 rods, exclusively, on the Roro beat of the River Lyon in Perthshire during the 2021 season. The beat consists of approximately 2.5 miles of beautiful fly water with 11 named pools.

A delightful cottage may be available by separate negotiation. A member of staff will show you the water on the day.



23

4 rods for 3 days' salmon & sea trout fishing on the Spey



Provided by:
House of Bruar

Date:
Ideally during 2021,
but up to May 2022

Guide price:
£750

The House of Bruar has most generously donated 3 days' fishing for 4 rods on the Kincardine beat of the River Spey. The beat offers 2 miles of fly only fishing with excellent sea trout fishing in early summer followed by the salmon in July onwards. There is no ghillie, but the water will be shown to rods on the first day. There are good local B&B's at the bidder's own expense.

24

A week for 2 rods on the Lyon



Provided by:
Mrs B J Malim,
Meggernie Estate

A week in newly refurbished Riverside Cottage with salmon fishing for 2 rods on the river Lyon.

Date:
Between 11
September and 16
October 2021 by
arrangement

The wonderfully located cottage sleeps up to 4 in 2 bedrooms. The fishing is on 4 beats which rotate daily and you will be shown the water by the resident ghillie. If you wish his further input during the day that will be by separate negotiation directly with him.

Guide price:
£1,200

www.meggernie-estate.com



25

Fishing on the Upper Tay for 4 rods



Provided by:
David & Squibbs
Noble

A day's salmon fishing on the River Tay (Cloichfoldich or Findynate Beat) for 4 rods. The 4 rods and up to 3 spouses will be given dinner, bed and breakfast for two nights at Cloichfoldich as guests of GWCT Scotland's Chairman David Noble and his wife Squibbs, including a picnic lunch on the river. (Accommodation in two double beds, one twin and one single). To be taken during the 2021 season, dates to be mutually agreed.

Date:
During 2021 season

Guide price:
£1,000
(£750 reserve)



26

3 days' fishing on the South Esk



Provided by:
Airlie Estates

3 consecutive days salmon & sea trout fishing for 2 or 3 rods on the Cortachy Beat of the River South Esk at a time to be mutually agreed with the Estate Office.

Date:
During the
2021 season by
arrangement

The Cortachy beat covers approximately 1.25 miles of double bank fishing with 14 named pools and has 2 fishing huts.

Guide price:
£350

Accommodation and ghillie may be available through the estate by separate arrangement.

www.airlieestates.com

27

3 days for 2 rods on the River Thurso



Provided by:
Thurso River Ltd.

Date:
30 August to
1 September 2021

Guide price:
£1,600
(£950 reserve)

Here is a great opportunity for 2 rods to fish for 3 days on the River Thurso from Monday 30 August to Wednesday 1 September 2021, along with 2 nights bed & breakfast in a premium twin or double room at the Ulbster Arms in Halkirk on the Monday and Tuesday.

The River Thurso extends 26 miles from Loch More to Thurso East, and is divided into 12 beats which are fished in rotation. Fishing is fly only, you will be accompanied by a ghillie and catch and release policy applies. Further fishing and accommodation may be available by separate negotiation.

www.riverthurso.com



28 3 days' fishing for 4 rods on the Earn



Provided by:
Mr & Mrs J M Osborne

Date:
Thursday 2
to Saturday 4
September 2021

Guide price:
£1,000

3 day's fishing for 4 rods on the Kinkell beat of the River Earn in Perthshire. The beat consists of 2 miles of mostly double bank fishing, with 32 named pools, fished on a rotational basis by 8 rods. Each rod will have the chance to cover the entire beat in one day, there is easy access to all pools and two fishing huts.

5 year averages are 152 salmon and 202 sea trout. No accommodation is included but the donor would be happy to suggest options nearby.

www.kinkellfishing.co.uk



29 A day's fishing on the Nith



Provided by:
Buccleuch Estates

Date:
August to November
2021 subject to
availability

Guide price:
£280

A day's salmon & sea trout fishing for 2 rods on the exclusive Lower Castle Beat of the River Nith at Drumlanrig Castle, Thornhill, Dumfriesshire. One night's accommodation for 2 people (self-catering) is included in one of Drumlanrig Castle's stableyard apartments. Further fishing and accommodation may be available by separate negotiation.

www.drumlanrigcastle.co.uk



30 A day's salmon fishing for 4 rods on the Teith



Provided by:
Lanrick Estate

Date:
By end August 2021
by arrangement

Guide price:
£450

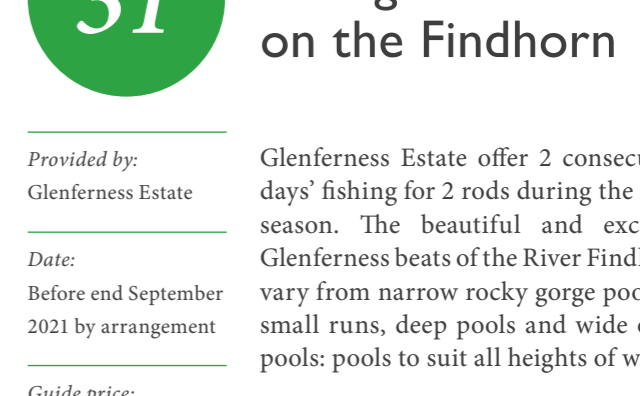
One day's fishing for salmon and or sea trout for 4 rods on the Lower Lanrick Beat of the River Teith. The beat has 12 pools, mainly double bank, and has been described as a miniature Dee with streamy water in a beautiful setting. There is a comfortable fishing hut with BBQ.

Fly only, catch and release, a ghillie with 4x4 vehicle will be provided. Book early to avoid disappointment. Within easy reach of Edinburgh, Glasgow and Perth the Teith is one of Scotland's well kept angling secrets - come and share the secret.

Sadly not included, but worth considering if you need somewhere to stay, the estate has 5 beautiful treehouses close to the river.

www.lanricktreehouses.co.uk
www.lanrick.co.uk

31 2 days' salmon fishing for 2 rods on the Findhorn



Provided by:
Glenferness Estate

Date:
Before end September
2021 by arrangement

Guide price:
£425

Glenferness Estate offer 2 consecutive days' fishing for 2 rods during the 2021 season. The beautiful and exciting Glenferness beats of the River Findhorn vary from narrow rocky gorge pools to small runs, deep pools and wide open pools: pools to suit all heights of water.

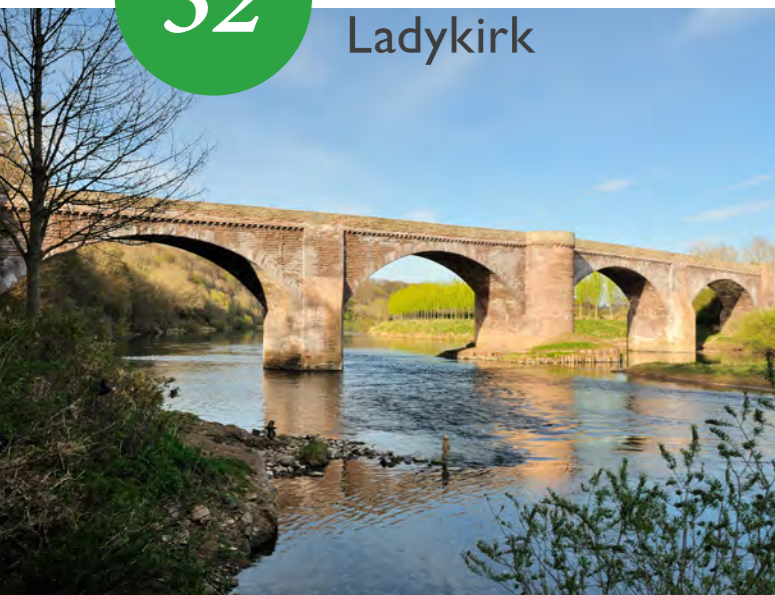
Accommodation is not included, but self catering may be available on the estate. If not the donor will be happy to advise on options nearby.

glenfernessestate.com/sporting



32

3 days for 2 rods on the Tweed at Ladykirk



Provided by:
Ladykirk Estate

Date:
Thursday 23
to Saturday 25
September 2021

Guide price:
£1,100

3 days' salmon fishing for 2 rods at Ladykirk on the Lower Tweed. The beat comprises 3 miles of left bank fishing and the five year average after an excellent 2020 season is 277 salmon/grilse and 20 sea trout.

Its position next to the tidal waters often allows large quantities of fish to build up as they are forced to wait for higher water. There is good access to the main pools, and you will be accompanied by a ghillie. Fishing is generally from either boat or bank depending on river conditions, however this year the use of boats and access to the fishing hut will be dependent on Covid19 restrictions at the time. All hen fish to be released.

33

A week for 2 rods on the Annan



Provided by:
Annandale Estates

Date:
By 16 November 2021

Guide price:
£240

6 consecutive days' fishing for 2 rods on the Annandale Estate's beat of the Annan. This 5.5 mile attractive beat of lightly fished water is relatively narrow and shallow, so responds well to the stealthy fisherman who wades as little as possible. The spring months are good for large wild brown trout, sea trout are present in good numbers from June onwards and the best salmon fishing is to be had from September.

34

Trout fishing on Black Corries Estate

Provided by:
The owners of Black Corries Estate

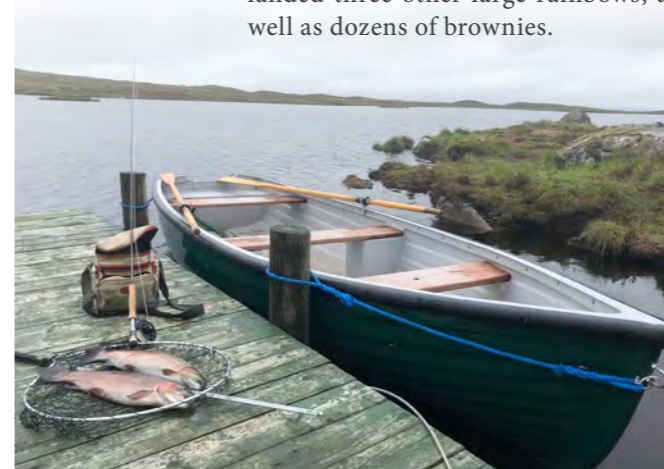
Date:
May to July 2021

Guide price:
£200



Photo: Glyn Satterly

Enjoy a day's rainbow trout fishing for 2 with a boat and ghillie (if required) on a loch on the Black Corries Estate, in Glencoe. To be taken between May and July this year. When this auction lot was last taken 2 years ago the biggest rainbow landed on the day was 5^{1/2} lbs, and the winning bidders also landed three other large rainbows, as well as dozens of brownies.



35

A day for 2 rods on the Birgham Dub on the River Tweed



Provided by:
The Earl of Home

Date:
Wednesday
1 September 2021

Guide price:
£750

A great opportunity for 2 rods to enjoy an early autumn day on the Lower Tweed. Birgham Dub consists of 1 mile of double bank fishing and is a 2 rod, 2 boat beat, with two full time boatmen. The Dub has a wide variety of pools and streams for both high and low water conditions. Not only the Dub with its pools named the Corbie, Cundy, Galoshan Point, Hens Leg and the Nick; but also (above and below) are the streaming waters known as the Brose, Magrie, the Cradle, the Weil and Jilly's Cast. The beat is very well maintained, with fishing hut and other facilities. Birgham Dub is owned by Douglas & Angus Estates and forms part of the Hirsell Estate at Coldstream.

www.dandaestates.co.uk

36

Salmon fishing on the upper or lower beat of Makerstoun on the River Tweed

Provided by:
Lord Biddulph

Date:
During February 2022

Guide price:
£350

3 consecutive days' fishing for 2 rods on this beautiful stretch of the River Tweed at Makerstoun during the month of February 2022 (subject to availability – book early to get the best choice of dates). Rods are to release all salmon. Fly or spinner (at Boatman's discretion), subject to Tweed Regulations. Good riverside fishing huts and the Boatman is shared with the other Beat (half day on each Beat).

www.tweedbeats.com/beats/upper_makerstoun
www.tweedbeats.com/beats/lower_makerstoun



Fishing Plus

37

Mixed sport and comfort in Strathardle, Perthshire



Provided by:
Aidan Petrie

Date:
Between 20 and 24 September 2021 by arrangement

Guide price:
£850

2 days of relaxed fun for two couples with options for hill loch fishing for wild brownies, accompanied stalking for roe, fallow or red deer and even cast for salmon on the River Ardlie. Fabulous walking. 2 nights self-catered accommodation in newly refurbished Woodhill Log Cabin, Strathardle in Highland Perthshire. Date to be arranged during week beginning 20 September 2021, excluding Saturday.

38

Explosive Derbyshire staycation in a windy spot



Provided by:
Robert Shields DL,
Sir Andrew Walker-Okeover Bt and
Longcliffe Quarries

Date:
During fishing season in 2021 or 2022

Guide price:
£2,000
(£1,500 reserve)



A 2 day/3 night trip for 2 people to the Derbyshire dales. On day 1, climb a 60 metre wind turbine situated on top of a dolomite quarry, with views, on a clear day, to five counties (lessons in how to climb a short ladder will be given but an internal lift does most of the rest! You are harnessed at all times). Lunch in a local hostelry (included), followed by pressing the button on a 20,000 tonne blast at Longcliffe Quarries Ltd, Brassington.

On day 2 you will be fishing the River Dove on one of the six prime beats of the Okeover Estate, courtesy of Sir Andrew Walker-Okeover Bt, guide provided, packed lunch included. Three overnight stays are included at the Charles Cotton Hotel in Hartington (including breakfasts and dinners, but not drinks).



Stalking

39

Stag stalking with an open sight double rifle in Glenlyon



Provided by:
Robert Dalglish

A full day on Innerwick Estate for one stag to be taken in September/October 2021.

Date:
September or October 2021 date to be agreed

There will be an opportunity to use a MacNaughton "round action" .375 double rifle with open sights. While we will endeavour to get close enough to use it, there will be a conventional scoped rifle if this is not possible.

Guide price:
£800



One night's self-catered accommodation in a centrally heated bothy is included. The one bedroom bothy contains a king size and single bed providing an opportunity for the stalker to bring a partner and/or son or daughter to share the experience.

40

Stalking for Sika hinds in the Borders



Photo: Peter Keyser

Provided by:
Stobo Estate

A morning and evening outing stalking Sika hinds around Stobo in the Upper Tweed Valley. There is a large local population of sika, and stalking is usually from high seats and is at all times accompanied. It is over an area of 330 acres of woodland with some high seats situated on the moorland fringe.

Date:
November or December 2021 by arrangement

Guide price:
£200

41

5 nights on the Rahoy Estate with a day's stag stalking



Provided by:
Rahoy Estate

A 5 night self-catering stay in Caorann on the Rahoy Estate for up to 8, with a day's stag stalking included. (A second stag at £500 may be available by separate negotiation with the estate). Caorann is a stunning recently built house with all mod cons, in an enviable position on the shores of Loch Teacuis on the Morvern peninsula.

Date:
Sunday 3 to Friday 8 October 2021

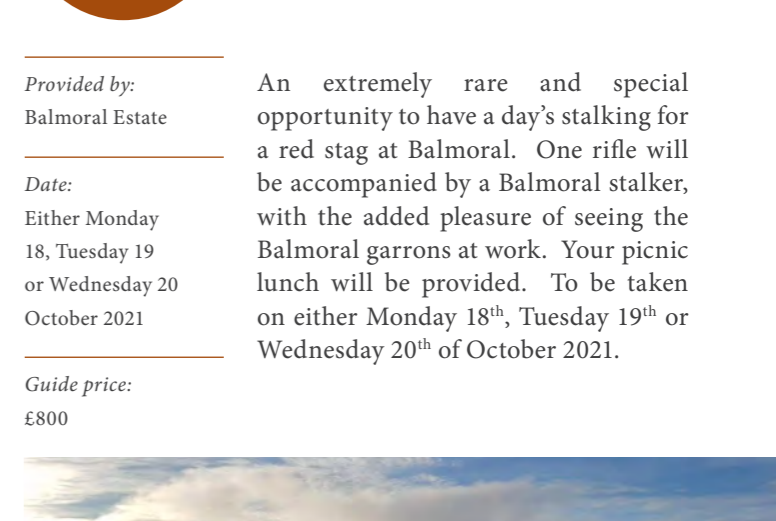
Guide price:
£2,000

www.rahoy-estate.com



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Red stag day on Balmoral



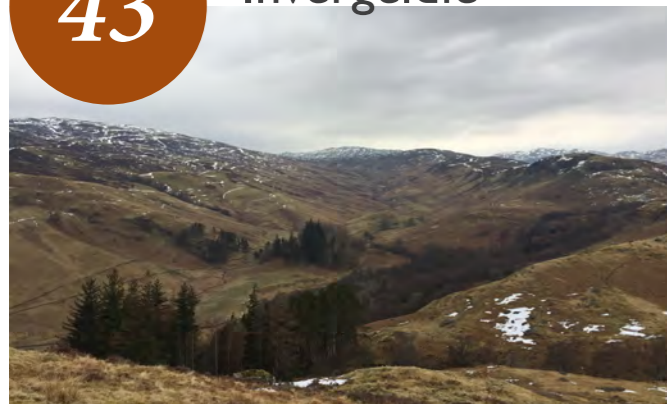
Provided by:
Balmoral Estate

An extremely rare and special opportunity to have a day's stalking for a red stag at Balmoral. One rifle will be accompanied by a Balmoral stalker, with the added pleasure of seeing the Balmoral garrons at work. Your picnic lunch will be provided. To be taken on either Monday 18th, Tuesday 19th or Wednesday 20th of October 2021.

Date:
Either Monday 18, Tuesday 19 or Wednesday 20 October 2021

Guide price:
£800

43 Stalking at Invergeldie



Provided by:
Invergeldie Estate

Date:
Between 11-20th
October 2021 by
arrangement

Guide price:
£500



Stalking for 1 red stag, during the rut, on the accessible and exciting stalking country of Invergeldie Estate near Comrie in Perthshire. No accommodation included, but the estate are happy to advise on local options.

44 2 days' hind stalking on Dunlossit Estate, Islay



Provided by:
Dunlossit Estate

Date:
2021/22 season by
arrangement

Guide price:
£1,250

2 days' hind stalking for 2 rifles on the Dunlossit Estate on Islay. The estate stalker, Alan Macdonald, will expertly guide the guests on the Dunlossit hill ground. A packed lunch will be provided each day, moderate fitness required. Accommodation and extra stalking can be made available separately.

www.dunlossitestate.com

45 Morning or evening stalk in Lincolnshire

Provided by:
Easton Estate

Date:
By 31 October 2021

Guide price:
£250

An accompanied stalking session (morning or evening) for one stalker on The Easton Estate near Grantham, to be taken before 31 October 2021. Fallow buck or muntjac.



46 A day's hind stalking for 1 rifle in Speyside



Provided by:
John & Marina
Forbes-Leith

Date:
During 2021 season

Guide price:
£400

A day's hind stalking for one rifle on the beautiful Speyside estate of Dunachton. Accommodation is provided for up to two guests on one night in Dunachton Lodge, and the carcass may be taken away if required.



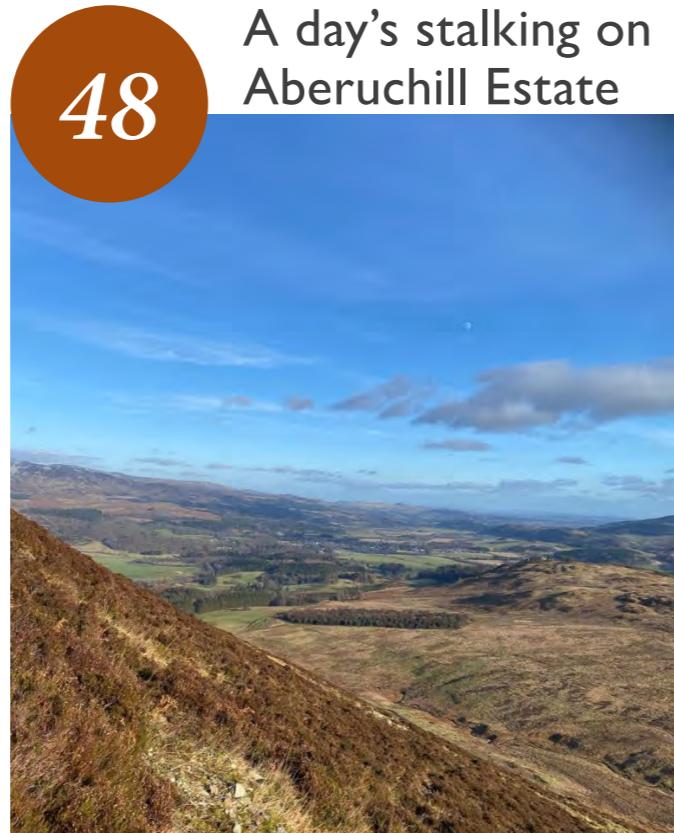
A day's stalking on Aberuchill Estate

Provided by:
Aberuchill Estate

Date:
During week
beginning 27
September 2021

Guide price:
£400

A day stalking for a stag on the Aberuchill Estate in Perthshire during the last week of September. Iain Fridge, the head keeper, will be your stalker, and you will go to the target in the morning before going to the hill. An estate rifle is available if required.



A day's stalking on Aberuchill Estate

Provided by:
Aberuchill Estate

Date:
During week
beginning 4
October 2021

Guide price:
£400

A day stalking for a stag on the Aberuchill Estate in Perthshire during the first week of October. Iain Fridge, the head keeper, will be your stalker, and you will go to the target in the morning before going to the hill. An estate rifle is available if required.



A day's hind stalking for one on Atholl Estates

Provided by:
Atholl Estates

Date:
During 2021/22
season

Guide price:
£450

Atholl Estates are offering a day's hind stalking for 1 rifle, with 2 head per day. This is traditional stalking with pony in a particularly beautiful part of Perthshire.

www.athollestatesport.co.uk



Fallow buck stalk on Murthly Estate, Dunkeld

Provided by:
Bidwells

Date:
October 2021

Guide price:
£550

An opportunity to stalk for a Fallow Buck on the magnificent Murthly Estate by Dunkeld in Perthshire. Murthly is renowned for the quality of its fallow stalking in a beautiful landscape. To be taken in October 2021.



Photo: Photoasa.com

51 A Day's stalking for a stag on Auchlyne & Suie Estate



Provided by:
Mrs Emma Paterson

Date:
Between 20-24
September 2021

Guide price:
£550
(£500 reserve)

A day's accompanied stalking for a red stag on Auchlyne and Suie Estate, in late September 2021. The Estates are situated in Glen Dochart, 5 miles west of Killin, Perthshire. Accommodation either in Killin, or B&B at Innishewan Farmhouse on the estate by separate arrangement (Covid permitting).

www.auchlyne.co.uk

52 Sika stalking for 3 stags in Strathbran



Provided by:
Strathbran Estate

Date:
Between 13-25
September 2021

Guide price:
£750

An opportunity for 1 rifle to shoot up to 3 sika stags in the woodlands and on the woodland margins at Strathbran in Wester Ross. It may well be possible to shoot all 3 on one day as the Sika will be at the height of the rut, but it may be best to allow 2 consecutive days. You will be accompanied by David Bennett the estate stalker at all times, and be asked to prove your competence at the target before setting out. Accommodation is not included; the estate can loan a rifle if required.



53 Morning and evening stalk, East Lothian

Provided by:
John & Ben Gray

Date:
In season, by 20
October 2021

Guide price:
£200
(£150 reserve)

A morning and evening stalk for either roe or fallow buck in East Lothian, probably at Smeaton Estate. The outings will be with either the donor or 'keeper, trophy may be retained, and the donors will be able to advise on B&B nearby if required.



Photo: Peter Keyser

54 A stag at Braemore, Ullapool



Provided by:
Braemore Estate,
Wester Ross

Date:
Between 23
August and 18
September 2021

Guide price:
£550

A day's stalking for a stag on the Braemore Estate, near Ullapool, to be taken in the first half of September 2021. The early stag season at Braemore is on very challenging ground; steep and rocky in places, but the views from the high ground on a clear day are breathtaking. No accommodation is included but the estate has some newly refurbished self-catering accommodation. If this is not available on your dates they would be happy to suggest other options nearby.



55 2 roe stalking outings, near Grantown on Spey

Provided by:
Wayne Whitcher

Date:
July or early August 2021

Guide price:
£240



A chance for one rifle to take two accompanied outings probably the last week in July or first week of August, around the Roe rut. An early morning outing of around 4-5 hours and an evening outing of around 3 hours on approx 300 acres of hill and similar low ground within 12 miles of Grantown on Spey. An estate rifle can be used or the guest can bring their own. Accommodation is not included, but the donor can assist in arranging. A trophy fee of £35 per buck would be payable separately if required.

56 Muntjac at Luton Hoo



Provided by:
Edward Phillips,
Luton Hoo Estate

Date:
During 2021

Guide price:
£250
(£250 reserve)

Two high seats for Muntjac on a mutually agreed day in 2021 on the Luton Hoo Estate, Bedfordshire courtesy of Edward Phillips. This is an opportunity for experienced guns. The Estate farms over 1200 acres in hand and is easily assessable just off junction 10 of the M1.

57 A sika stag in the Borders



Provided by:
Stanhope Estate

Date:
August 2021

Guide price:
£250

An opportunity to shoot a sika stag on an evening and an early morning stalk in a very picturesque part of the Upper Tweed valley. You will be accompanied by a gamekeeper and can have the use of an estate rifle if desired. Accommodation is not provided but can be arranged by separate negotiation.



Art

58

“Three Snipe” by Rodger McPhail

29.2 x 36.8cm unframed size



Provided by:
Rodger McPhail

Guide price:
£4,250

“Three Snipe”, oil on paper by Rodger McPhail, the well known countryman, cartoonist, wildlife artist and long time supporter of the GWCT. His portrayals of all British birds, particularly game birds, are eagerly sought after. He is currently recognised as the finest bird artist in Britain, whether working in oils or watercolours. The painting is signed and framed.

The Rountree Tryon Gallery will arrange and fund shipping anywhere within the UK.

www.rodgermcphail.com

59

Family & pet portrait photography



Provided by:
Caroline Trotter
Photography

Date:
By end of 2021

Guide price:
£140

Have a photographic portrait of your family, and/or your pet(s), or horses. Caroline’s emphasis is on taking photographs ‘on location’, away from the confines of the studio, using natural light to create classic and relaxed portraits with a mixture of posed and spontaneous images.

The session will be at a venue to suit you (within an hour of Upper Largo, or further with expenses payable, by arrangement). The lot includes an hour’s sitting, one 10”x8” mounted print and an on-line gallery of 30-40 images from which to view and purchase further photographs, with advice on framing and wall display.

www.carolinetrotter.co.uk

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A set of silver peg markers



Provided by:
Hayward and Stott

Guide price:
£475

A set of sterling silver peg markers (hallmarked in Edinburgh) with gold plated thistle tops, engraved numbering 1-10. Their bespoke leather wallet fits them perfectly and has an additional inner sleeve in which to store game cards. Thrown in as a complimentary bonus will be a set of silver dress shirt collar stiffeners.

www.haywardandstott.com



61 Mounted A3 pastel portrait of a horse or dog

Provided by:
Sophie Harden

Date:
By May 2022

Guide price:
£425



Sophie has worked as a professional artist for 5 years, exhibiting in London, the Edinburgh Art Festival, and many local galleries. She specialises in animal subjects and takes on a limited number of portraits of horses and dogs each year, offering one of these here.

Her contemporary, fluid technique allows movement to flood the painting, from the explosive energy and grace of horses to the small details that capture a moment. Often using a contrast of colours, Sophie works to accentuate the adaptation of light, making the viewer perceive a 3D object from often just small marks and brushstrokes.

Costs of both mileage for photography and framing will be extra.

www.sophieharden.co.uk



62 “The Original Ostrich” by Annabel Pope approx 60x40cm unframed

Provided by:
Annabel Pope & GWCT

Guide price:
£500

Annabel Pope’s paintings are known worldwide. She has been artist in resident in Kenya with Jonathan Scott, BBC Big Cat Diary and official artist for Ralph Lauren Children’s stores in China, Hong Kong and New York. She works closely with Conservation and Charity projects in the UK and abroad.

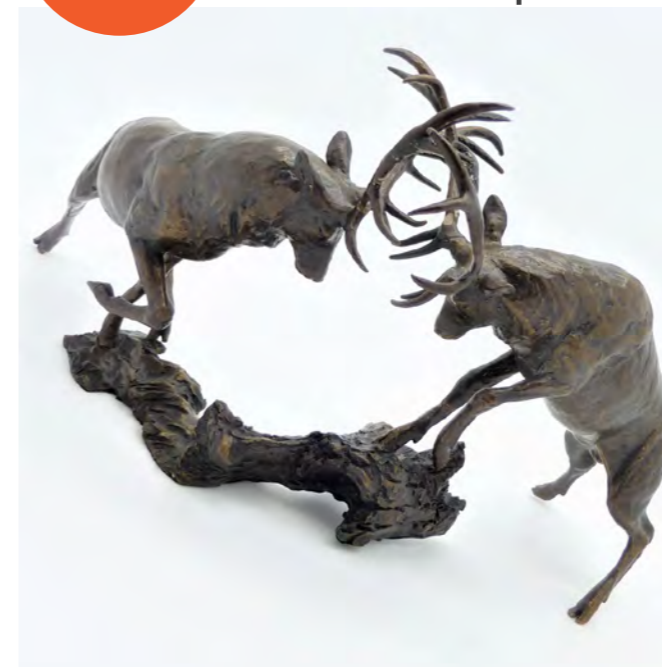
Her work is unique in its spirit and energy, captured from her travels and her knowledge of the subject matter.

She has had numerous Solo and group Exhibitions and commission work range from people’s pets, horse racing, British and African wildlife.

www.annabelpoppe.com



63 Bronze rutting stags by Michael Simpson



Provided by:
Denzil Skinner & Partners

Guide price:
£540

Denzil Skinner & Partners are delighted to continue their support of the GWCT Scotland, through the Scottish Auction, at this critical time in our need for science based conservation practices to be developed.

The auction lot depicts two stags rutting in bronze, sculpted by Michael Simpson. Height: 130mm Overall length: 235 mm.

64 “Gentiana sino-ornata” framed watercolour by Emma Tennant 24.7 x 23.2cm, incl. frame

Provided by:
Emma Tennant

Guide price:
£500
(£450 reserve)



Borders artist Emma Tennant has once again generously donated one of her exquisite paintings to the auction. This charming watercolour in antique frame is of “Gentiana sino-ornata” a flower introduced to the UK from China by plant collector George Forrest in 1910. Emma started her artistic career painting the plants and flowers that she had grown as a child, and now as artist, gardener, botanist and historian describes herself as a painter who gardens.

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Walnut Whitethroat 8"x12"



Provided by:
Anthony Woodd

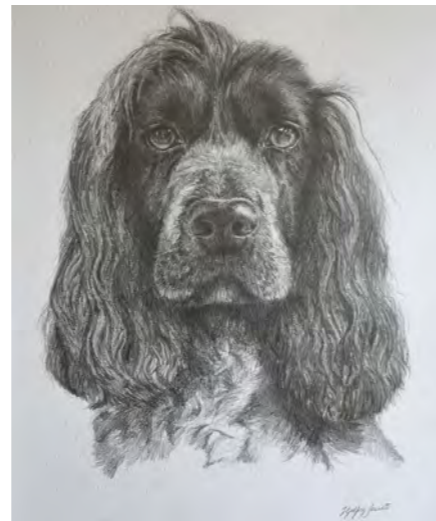
Guide price:
£150
(£120 reserve)

This charming whitethroat, carved from walnut, is by Ralph Williams. Having worked in the Department of Ornithology at the Natural History Museum, Ralph became self-employed in forestry and woodcarving, working exclusively in wood which he collects and seasons himself. This close understanding of his medium is evident in the unusual and surprising use of grain, colouration and other natural features unique to each piece of wood. His carvings have been commissioned by the RSPB, the BBC, the Hawk and Owl Trust and the organisers of the Wildlife Photographer of the Year Award.

He is based in Cornwall, but his work has been exhibited all over the world, and presented to HRH Princess Anne and purchased by the late Queen Mother. He became an elected member of the Society of Wildlife Artists in 1977.

66

Pencil portrait of your dog



Provided by:
Iona Godfrey-
Faussett

Date:
During 2021

Guide price:
£200

A pencil portrait of a single dog (head only) by Iona Godfrey-Faussett. This will be completed from photographs, A3 in size, and unframed. Iona decided to set up her small commissions business to make use of her love of drawing while studying languages at University.

www.ionagfportraits.com/



67

A pair of Patrick Mavros sterling silver cufflinks



Provided by:
Patrick Mavros

Date:
During 2021

Guide price:
£230

A pair of Patrick Mavros sterling silver handcrafted buffalo skull cufflinks. In African culture, this powerful beast has always been given the greatest respect for its cunning and courage. The Cape Buffalo is ranked with the 'Big Five', and for good reason. At Patrick Mavros the family is passionate about bringing the beauty of Africa to the world. Every one of their pieces is designed by a member of the family.

www.patrickmavros.com



Something for Everyone

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6 1:1 dog training lessons, Peeblesshire

Provided by:
Eshiels Gundogs

Date:
Weekdays during 2021

Guide price:
£180



Eshiels Gundogs, owned and run by Ian and Andrea Mitchell, is offering a block of 6 one to one dog training lessons, tailored to your needs. They offer professional gundog and pet training including their new service training dogs to mountain bike trails. They love what they do. Their fully heated and licensed Dog Boarding Kennels are suitable for all breeds and They attract customers from Peebles, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Lothians, Scottish Borders, Fife, Perthshire and Newcastle. They are based near Peebles, 30 minutes south of Edinburgh and have plenty of quality ground to train and exercise their dogs on, including rivers and ponds for water work.

www.eshielsgundogs.com

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Dog training, Dorset

Provided by:
Margaret Allen

Date:
By July 2022

Guide price:
£45
(£45 reserve)



A training session with Margaret Allen for handler and dog in West Dorset, lasting approximately one hour. Margaret Allen is a respected breeder and author of "In the Bag! Labrador Training from Puppy to Gundog". Your dog must be a retriever or spaniel and between ten months and two years of age.

70

A 25kg bag of daffodil bulbs



Provided by:
David MacRobert

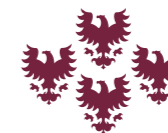
Date:
September or October 2021

Guide price:
£75

All our lives need a little extra brightness just now - why not brighten your spring 2022 by planting the contents of this 25kg sack of daffodil bulbs (approx 450 bulbs)? They will be available in September/October 2021.

71

A week's work experience for an enterprising youngster with the Hampden Group



HAMPDEN

Provided by:
Hampden Group

Date:
By end 2022

Guide price:
£750

A wonderful opportunity for a young person aiming for a career in finance to gain valuable insight into various aspects of the Hampden Group's business in London. During your week time will be spent in each of private banking, Lloyd's of London, Private Office and Peer to Peer lending companies.

The last time this was offered the person who took it up actually secured a job with the group once they left university.

72 Two week internship with Nelsons in London

Provided by:
Robert Wilson
and Nelsons

Date:
May to September
2022

Guide price:
£1,000



Nelsons is the largest producer of natural medicines in the UK, including the famous Rescue Remedy and Arnicare, and has been providing quality products for 160 years. It sells its products all over the world and is offering a two week internship in the company's Marketing and Product Development departments for work experience. This would be particularly relevant to any young person who is interested in following a career in marketing, advertising, public relations or the creative industries. The two week assignment will be based at the Company's Headquarters in Wimbledon, London and can be taken during the summer of 2022.

www.nelsonsnaturalworld.com

73 Valuation of a house contents



Provided by:
Bonhams

Date:
During 2021

Guide price:
£1,400
(£500 reserve)

Image: William McTaggart 'On the Esk', estimate £20,000-30,000 to be sold 13 May at Bonhams Scottish Picture Sale, Edinburgh

A Bonhams valuer will provide you with a fully illustrated valuation of your Scottish house contents. This can be for insurance, market or tax purposes and will cover the wide variety of works of art in which Bonhams specialise.

This lot covers a one day visit, any additional days or specialist valuers to be arranged and charged by agreement.

www.bonhams.com

74 Private tour of Stevenson Brothers rocking horse workshop



Provided by:
Marc Stevenson

Date:
During 2021

Guide price:
£200

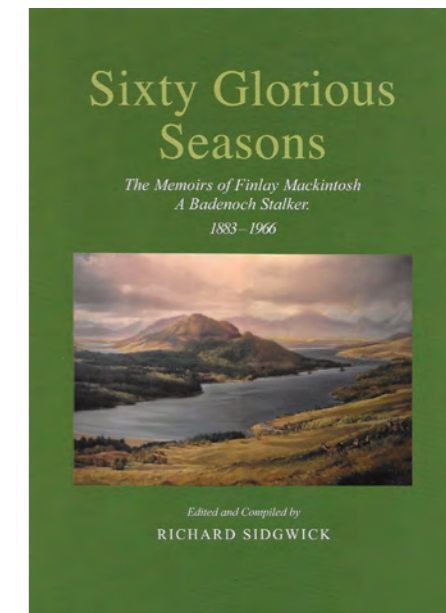
A Private Tour of Stevenson Brothers, The Rocking Horses makers in Bethersden, Kent with Marc Stevenson. Followed by Lunch for two at the Rocking Horse Workshop Dining Room at the Pig & Sty public house. Date to be arranged in advance.

Stevenson Brothers have been hand making rocking horses for 38 years for a discerning global clientele and were honoured by a recent visit from HRH The Princess Royal. The range is available in four different sizes and each rocking horse is hand made to order and can be built to your exact wishes.

www.stevensonbros.com



75 Signed copy of "Sixty Glorious Seasons"

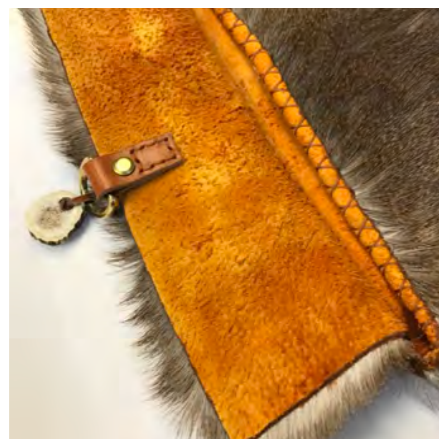


Provided by:
Richard Sidgwick

Guide price:
£25

This evocative book is the diary of the late Finlay Mackintosh, ghillie and stalker on several highland estates. Written in the 1960s, shortly before his death, the diary has only recently been brought to print having been compiled and edited by Richard Sidgwick. It provides a fascinating insight of a life from childhood in the Highlands at the turn of the 19th century, to active service the First World War, to his many years working as a stalker, during a time in which there were great changes to that way of life and sport. Your copy will be signed by Richard Sidgwick.

76 Handmade Muntjac hide clutch bag



Provided by:
Charlotte Sykes

Guide price:
£185

Handmade muntjac hide clutch bag with a rust interior suede. Tan leather lace work/ interior leather, double antler toggle and solid brass hardware. Approximate measurements: width 23cm, height 11.5cm.

All of our buckskyn hides are sourced through ethical or conservation hunting practices. We are a small workshop based in rural Northamptonshire. We hand tan each skin before trimming, dyeing and crafting using traditional leatherworking and stitching techniques into our own bag and accessory designs. Handmade by Charlotte Sykes

www.buckskyn.com



77 Fly storage with a difference



Provided by:
Taylor & Mason

Guide price:
£2,500

A fly box with a difference: a unique cartridge magazine now fitted by Taylor & Mason as a fly box, holding two lift-out trays with removable dividers, 40cm x 30cm x 13.5cm (flies not included as the nice men at Taylor & Mason need them ...). The ultimate present for the piscomaniac closest to your heart or the perfect object of self-indulgence.

www.taylorandmason.co.uk



78 2 tickets, with hospitality, for the 150th Open at St Andrews in 2022



Provided by:
St Andrews Links Trust

Date:
14, 15 or 16 July 2022

Guide price:
£2,000
(£1,800 reserve)

Be there at the Home of Golf to see golf's oldest major played for the 150th time over the world famous Old Course at St Andrews Links. This prize will allow you to be part of a truly unique historical event and to walk in the footsteps of the giants of the current game as well as the heroes of yesteryear. You will have individual admission tickets for two people for either the 14, 15 or 16 July 2022 and these will be accompanied by two reserved stand seats for one of the stands near the 'home end'. The tickets also come with full day-hospitality passes for two in a luxury hospitality suite.

79 A Week at Manse Cottage, Dallas



Provided by:
Mrs Angela Munro

Date:
Between October 2021 and April 2022 by arrangement

Guide price:
£400
(£350 reserve)

A week at Manse Cottage, near Dallas in Morayshire. This charming traditional cottage near the River Lossie sleeps 4 (1 twin, 1 double), welcomes up to two dogs, has an enclosed garden, and is close to the River Lossie. The long sandy beaches of the Moray Firth, golf courses, hills, the Spey valley's Whisky Trail, and plenty of castles are all within easy reach of a morning's outing.





80

Golf for four at Castle Stuart

Provided by:
Moray Estates

Date:
Weekday by 20
November 2021

Guide price:
£800

A superb round of weekday golf for four at Castle Stuart Golf Links near Inverness. This championship, par 72, links course, home to the 2016 Scottish Open, overlooks the Moray Firth with several holes literally on the sea and others on a sea cliff with a stunning panorama. The course, which is open this year until 20 November, has attracted international acclaim for its design, location and ability to be playable yet challenging for both professionals and amateurs. All bookings will be subject to Scottish Government Covid guidance.



81

2 nights in a luxury treehouse near Doune



Provided by:
The Treehouses
at Lanrick

Date:
1 October 2021
to 1 April 2022

Guide price:
£550

A two night stay for two people in a luxury self catering treehouse in Perthshire. Set amongst the ancient woodland on the banks of the River Teith, this secluded and stunningly beautiful landscape makes for an incredible wilderness retreat or romantic get-away. Complete with log burning stove, kitchen, BBQ and outside bath you will be cozy and comfortable in your treetop escape.

www.lanricktreehouses.co.uk



82

Jetcut Firebox 500

Provided by:
Jetcut Ltd

Date:
During 2021

Guide price:
£275



The FireBox with cooking plate is a large 500mm Firebox with a square cooking plate around the rim. The FireBox can be tailor-made in a range of designs and can even be bespoke (at an additional cost of £50). Both the box and the cooking plate can be collapsed and easily stored when not being used. The cooking plate is ideal for cooking both meat and vegetables (£40 delivery charge is extra).

Why not also bid for Lot 83, a supply of logs to start you off?

jetcutit.com

83

10 barrow bags of well-seasoned logs

Provided by:
The Lord Sinclair

Date:
By September 2021

Guide price:
£450

Keep your home or holiday cottages - or your brand new Firebox (Lot 82) - fuelled up with 10 barrow bags of well-seasoned, barn-dried, mixed firewood logs. Maximum log length 30cm. Mixed sizes and shapes. The bags are 45x45x90cm, and the logs are ideal for wood burners or for use in fire pits/barbecues during the summer months. If easier will supply equivalent quantity in net bags.

Delivery included within 50 mile radius of Edinburgh, or further afield at the buyer's expense.



84 3 night stay in Cardross Estate's Arnvicar self-catering cottage



Provided by:
Sir Archie and Lady Orr Ewing

Date:
30 October 2021 – 31 March 2022 (excluding 17 December 2021 – 6 January 2022), subject to availability.

Guide price:
£400

3 night stay on Cardross Estate in their comfortable Arnvicar self-catering farmhouse. Cardross is ideally located right on the foothills of the Trossachs, The cottage has two main bedrooms (a twin and a double) and a bunkbed; two bathrooms, a kitchen / dining area and a living room, private parking.

Arnvicar is situated in the heart of Cardross with views to the Campsie Hills and Ben Lomond.

85 A pair of Meindl Dovre Extreme boots

Provided by:
Game & Country

Guide price:
£290



The Meindl Dovre Extreme boot is a benchmark high leg boot for field sports and recognised as so throughout the market.

The high quality leather upper provides protection and durability for all types of terrain which is enhanced by a full rubber rand which protects the upper against heather and stones. The Goretex lining means it is waterproof and the Vibram sole provides stability and grip.

An equivalent priced piece of footwear from Game & Country's extensive range could be chosen instead if preferred.

www.gameandcountry.co.uk

86 2 nights for 2 people in a beautiful shepherd's hut

Provided by:
James Evans-Freke

Date:
By end September 2021

Guide price:
£200



Blackbird Shepherd's Hut is nestled on a rural estate in Sussex, well located for Lewes, The South Downs and Glyndebourne. A natural habitat for wilderness, the spectacular landscape, dark night skies and breath-taking wildlife provide a truly inspirational escape.

Its charm is to enjoy simple off-grid living in a secluded location. There is a gas-heated hot water outdoor shower, a fire to cook on, and solar lamps to read by. Bedding and towels provided. On request breakfast, tea and real coffee are provided. A small cool box provides ice packs and milk. Kindling, matches & logs are provided.

blackbirdhouse.co.uk

87 Homemover's appraisal by Janefield Consulting

Provided by:
Janefield Consulting

Date:
During 2021

Guide price:
£350



An appraisal with Janefield Consulting, specialists in providing practical advice and support to homemovers in need of assistance. Every homemover is unique with different objectives and timescales. Whether downsizing your property, relocating, or simply short of time, Janefield Consulting offers clients a range of services tailored to personal requirements.

Are you someone looking to move house in the near future? Not sure where to start or who to contact? Would you like some support and impartial advice from a property expert with over 20 years experience? Janefield Consulting can offer you help from start to finish.

www.janefieldconsulting.com

88

Quick loading cartridge pouch



Provided by:
Calibre Leather

Guide price:
£65

A leather pouch which slides onto a belt to hold 30-50 cartridges for easy access. Calibre Leather are a small young company based in Shropshire where they hand-make bespoke products ranging from belts and bags to gunslips and cartridge bags. This pouch can be embossed with initials free of charge if you wish.

Instagram: calibre_leather_uk
Facebook: Calibre Leather

89

Antiques appreciation course for 6-8



Provided by:
Jeremy Gow,
Gow Antiques &
Restoration Ltd

Guide price:
During 2021

Guide price:
£800

An antiques appreciation day for 6-8 people with Jeremy Gow of Gow Antiques & Restoration near Forfar, to include lunch in the walled garden. Jeremy has been restoring antique furniture for over 30 years, having worked extensively in Europe before establishing his business in Scotland in 1992. He has worked for many museums, royal palaces and stately homes and will give you a fascinating day.

www.gowantiques.com

Food & Drink

90

A case of Château du Champ des Treilles 'Le Petit Champ' 2015

Provided by:
Mark Tennant

Date:
During 2021

Guide price:
£200



Château du Champ des Treilles is owned and run by one of the brilliant minds behind the success of Pontet-Canet and the Pauillac estate. The vineyard is run to the rhythms of nature with everything done by hand and no tractors allowed. Biodiversity is encouraged and no chemicals are used at any point. This wine is an intriguing blend of 63% Merlot, 20% Cabernet Franc with the remainder split between Cabernet Sauvignon and Petit Verdot. It begs you to drink it, a classic Bistro red, perfect with good steak and roasts. Drink now, or cellar for another 5-8 years.

91

A case of Ardnamurchan Single Malt and Distillery tour

Provided by:
Adelphi Distillery Ltd

Date:
During 2021,
Covid restrictions
permitting

Guide price:
£430



Adelphi Distillery Limited was founded in 1992 as an independent bottler of Scotch whisky and, since 2014, has also been operating its own distillery in Ardnamurchan. Built on an ethos of quality and sustainability, the distillery launched its first Single Malt whisky in 2020 which sold out on release. Adelphi is delighted to offer a case of 6 bottles of its current Ardnamurchan Single Malt along with the opportunity for 4 people to take the ultimate Manager's Tour at the distillery. Further information on the distillery, whisky and tour at

www.adelphidistillery.com

92

6 bottles of 12 Year Old Syndicate 58/6 Scotch Whisky

Provided by:
Syndicate 58/6
Scotch Whisky

Date:
During 2021

Guide price:
£200



6 bottles of this award winning Oloroso sherry cask matured Scotch whisky which has consistently won the annual gold awards at the International Wine & Spirits Competition, since first entering the competition in 2013. In 2014 the Syndicate 58/6 won the Gold Outstanding Award and in 2017 Syndicate won the trophy - the highest accolade. In 2018 yet another gold was awarded in what has been described as the Oscar's of the wine & spirits world! The Syndicate 58/6 whisky contains 18 single malts and 4 single grains which go through a 'Solera' system and are then finished for a year in hand-selected Oloroso sherry butts.

www.syndicate58-6.com

93

Virtual wine tasting for 6



Provided by:
Billy Birse-Stewart

Date:
2021 by agreement

Guide price:
£400

A professional tutored wine tasting for 6, conducted by expert Billy Birse-Stewart, covering 6 wines of a themed choice.

Billy, who has passed the Master of Wine tasting, will take you through each wine over Zoom in the comfort of your own home. This is an excellent format to ask questions and learn something about this enjoyable subject. You will discuss and choose the theme with Billy; for example, "Wines of the Loire Valley" or another area, or "New World styles of red"; there are many other possibilities.

A case of the 6 wines together with detailed instructions and tasting sheets will be sent to you. Invite your guests, sit back, sniff and sip !

94

6 bottles of 8 Vodka



Provided by:
GWCT

Guide price:
£150

A case of 6 bottles of 8 Vodka. 8 Vodka is distilled in Ecuador, uniquely 8 times distilled to remove more of the impurities than a single distillation can. This process produces a cleaner and better taste, and with fewer impurities it is easier on your body! 70cl bottles at 40% ABV.

95

KellyBronze Christmas turkey



Provided by:
Thomas &
Susannah Pate

Date:
For Christmas 2021

Guide price:
£130



Christmas wouldn't be Christmas without a good old-fashioned tasting bird. This phenomenal free range fowl, a favourite of Delia Smith, Nigella Lawson, Jamie Oliver and others, is lovingly reared in the outdoors on a family farm in Angus and game hung for maximum flavour. Super quick and easy to cook, at 10kg (22lb), it will feed a party of 20+ with enough to stuff the buns for the Boxing Day shoot. And we promise it will fit into a standard sized oven! This KellyBronze turkey will be available for collection from South Powrie Farm near Dundee, Pittormie Farm Shop near Cupar, Balmakewan Farm Shop near Laurencekirk and various locations in Edinburgh.

southpowrie.co.uk

96

Tea for 2 at Easton Walled Gardens, near Grantham

Provided by:
The Easton Estate

Date:
By end October 2021

Guide price:
£25

Two adult admission tickets and a tea for two voucher includes entry to the gardens, tea for two and a slice of cake each. The gardens are open from March to October each year, Wednesday-Sundays, 11-4, and also have holiday accommodation on site.

www.visiteaston.co.uk



97

A bottle of 18yo Macallan Single Malt

Provided by:
Lt Col G S Johnston

Date:
2021 by agreement

Guide price:
£300
(£200 reserve)



A Bottle of Macallan 18yo Single Malt, single cask (No 19540), part of a private bottling labelled for Lt Col G S Johnston, HM Lord-Lieutenant of Moray (now retired), and from one of only 2 remaining cases. Distilled in November 1991 and bottled in 2010. The bottle can be signed or not, as the buyer wishes.

98

A box containing a whole Hebridean lamb



Provided by:
Keith Howman

Date:
By end December 2021

Guide price:
£160

Keith Howman has generously donated a Hebridean lamb, raised on Borland Farm in Perthshire, butchered and packaged ready for the freezer. The box will contain 2 whole gigots, 2 boned and rolled shoulder joints, double loin chops, 2 racks of lamb, 4 lamb shanks and either approx 0.5kg of mince or diced lamb.

99

A kilo of Leonard's Hemp Seed Tea



Provided by:
Leonard Harper Gow

Date:
During 2021

Guide price:
£100

Leonard will send you one kilo of his delicious and nutritious Hemp Seed Tea, (roasted hempseeds/mint/lavender/rose petals) with a tea pot! For more information about the tea, look at his website. (The auction office agree - it's delicious!)

www.leonardshempseedtea.com



100

Pentland Hills Gin, glass and fly brooch

Provided by:
Pentland Hills Gin

Guide price:
£70



Phil & Tabatha (plus Panza) have offered this wonderful lot of an award winning Navy strength gin, distilled in honour of Phil's grandfather who was lost during the Battle of the Java Sea in 1942, a hand finished gin ballon glass etched with the wonderful Panza, and a hand tied salmon brooch, crafted by Nigel Hargreaves, in the Pentland Hills Gin colours. The gin is presented in its refill box and bottle and represents a unique opportunity to acquire not just an outstanding gin but the perfect glass to serve it in, more's the point you get to look 'Panza smart' with the brooch - woofingly brilliant!

www.pentlandhillsgin.com

101

Steaks for 2 at The Balgove Larder Steak Barn



Provided by:
Balgove Larder

Date:
By May 2022

Guide price:
£100

Balgove Larder, the farm shop, Steak Barn and cafe just outside St Andrews, is a hub for top notch, locally reared, grown, stalked, caught, handmade, and prepared foods. Come and enjoy wood fired steak for two with a bottle of wine at the Balgove Larder Steak Barn. Bookings are not required; check the website for opening times.

www.balgove.com

102

Smoked salmon and smoked meats



Provided by:
Oliver Nohl-Oser
and James Alexander
Fine Foods

Guide price:
£90

A wonderful selection of smoked food from Cumbrian artisan food company James Alexander Foods. You will receive 1kg rope hung smoked salmon and a smoked meat box containing Penrith sausage, pancetta, duck breast, chicken breast and wild venison pastrami.

www.jamesalexanderfoods.co.uk



103

A rib of Beef



Provided by:
Martin Baird
Butchers

Date:
During 2021

Guide price:
£120

Martin Baird Butchers in Melrose are offering a rib of beef; Aberdeen Angus, farmed locally near Jedburgh and hung for 5 weeks. It would feed 10 people.



www.martinbairdbutchers.co.uk

104

A case of Château La Grande Maye 2015

Provided by:
Justerini & Brooks

Date:
During 2021

Guide price:
£160



Produced from 85% Merlot and 15% Cabernet Sauvignon, this offers up a really impressive bouquet of flowers, smoke, dark spice, loganberry and liquorice. The mid-palate has good depth, with plenty of dark fruit and hints of cranberry. There is a velvety plushness to the fruit and sleek, granular tannins. It is a mighty impressive wine, the best in its decade. The final blend spends a year in 1/3 new oak barrels and with its ripeness of fruit and complexity offers a value for money the rest of the world would be hard pushed to beat. 12 x 75cl.

105

A case of Domaine Talmard Macon-Uchizy 2019

Provided by:
Justerini & Brooks

Date:
During 2021

Guide price:
£70



This is a classic white Burgundy from Macon. It is harvested to obtain a very fresh, precise wine. A style enhanced by fermentation and ageing sur lie in steel tanks. This is buttery and rewarding with a racy freshness that keeps it alive and vital to the long finish, notes of apple, conference pear, citrus and peach, beautifully balanced and incredibly moreish. 6x75cl.

106

A box of Pitscandly Farm venison

Provided by:
Jeremy Gow,
Pitscandly Farm
Venison

Date:
During 2021

Guide price:
£85

A box containing a selection of various cuts of venison from Pitscandly Farm which may include steaks, fillet, casserole, burgers and sausages. It could be either fresh or frozen depending on the season. Delivery included to any UK address.

www.pitscandlyfarm.co.uk



How to Bid

Bidding on-line will open at 6pm on Friday 30 April 2020 at www.gwctscottishauction.co.uk

- Start by having a look at the items on offer by clicking on the 'Auction Lots' tab on the left-hand side. Scroll through the list and tap on the item you want to look at for more information or to make a bid.
- Detailed descriptions and images will be available for each of the items. To make a bid, enter the amount and click on the 'Place Bid' button.
- In order to place a bid for the first time, click on the register button. Complete the registration form and click on 'Register'.
- You can now place a bid on any lots you wish. Enter the amount you would like to bid in the box and click on 'Place Bid' or 'Anonymous Bid'.
- Once you have placed your bid, you can keep track of your winning bids via the 'My Account' tab on the left-hand side. You will receive a text or email notification (depending on the details provided) should you be outbid on any items on which you have placed bids.
- The online auction will close at 10pm on Thursday 13 May 2020

To make a bid by mail or email: please contact Angela Walker: scottishauction@gwct.org.uk, call 07594 929783, or write to 2 Coltbridge Terrace, Edinburgh EH12 6AE

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Cheques should be made out to "GWCT Scottish Auction"; Arrangements for delivery of auction lots to be made through the Auction Manager, Angela Walker, once full payment has been made (scottishauction@gwct.org.uk, 07594 929783).

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2. All lots can be bid for on-line from 6pm on Friday 30 April until 10pm on Thursday 13 May. Details on this process can be found on p.72 Additional information is available at www.gwct.org.uk/scotland/auction following links to Terms and Conditions.

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5. The highest bidder shall be the buyer. If any dispute arises the chairman shall have the absolute discretion to settle it.

6. The chairman reserves the right to refuse any bid less than 70% of the guide price for lots contained within the Auction.

7. Payment must be made either by cheque, credit card or bank transfer direct to GWCT, or at a 2.5% cost to the buyer through the link provided by Givergy.

Cheques should be made payable to "Game & Wildlife Conservation Trust Scottish Auction". Details for Bank Transfer will be provided to successful bidders.

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10. For this sale the Game & Wildlife Conservation Trust (Scotland) will charge no vendor's commission nor will the buyer's premium apply.

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12. All guns must possess up-to-date Firearm Certificates or Shot Gun Licences and be insured.

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