

Bradfield CE Primary School



Grand Auction of Promises Catalogue

**Friday 20th November 2009
Bradfield Village Hall**

**Wine, nibbles and viewing from 7.30pm
Auction begins at 8.00pm**

**All proceeds to the Primary Project
www.theprimaryproject.org.uk**

**Auction website:
www.bradfield-auction-of-promises.info**

This catalogue lists the lots for sale by auction at the Bradfield CE Primary School Grand Auction of Promises on Friday 20th November 2009 at Bradfield Village Hall, Southend Road.

The evening will start at 7.30pm. Complimentary wine and bottled water will be at your table and there will be further refreshments available during the evening in exchange for a donation. We will also be providing light nibbles. The Auction itself will commence at 8.00pm.

If you are unable to attend the auction but would like to submit a bid for one or more promises, please complete the bidding form on the inside back cover and send it to Carla Butler or Louise Hutchins c/o of the School Office by Wednesday 18th November.

For those who are attending, all lots must be paid for and collected during the evening. When each lot is complete, the successful bidder will be given an invoice by one of the auction assistants. You will be able to pay that invoice immediately (to the auction assistant), or wait until the interval or the end of the evening to pay the auction bookkeeper. Once full payment has been made you will receive an envelope giving you the details of your promise – contact details, terms and conditions etc. You must keep this safe as this will act as your proof of purchase.

Please note that promises must be paid for by **cheque or cash only**. Please bring your guarantee card with you if paying by cheque. **Credit and debit cards will not be accepted.**

Whilst every effort has been made to ensure promises of goods and services are as described by the companies and individuals donating them, Bradfield Primary School Governors offer the lots as seen and in good faith. Bear in mind that many of the lots offered by parents and friends of the school involve them giving up their spare time, so please be reasonable in arranging when or how the promise is fulfilled. Also please note that some promises have expiry dates or other restrictions on them. If no expiry date is specified, may we suggest that you contact the individual who has offered the promise within six months to let them know whether you still plan to use the item.



A more detailed version of this catalogue is available from the auction website and will be updated prior to the event: www.bradfield-auction-of-promises.info

Remember to keep your entrance ticket with you throughout the evening – it will act as your bidding card.

Finally we would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you who have supported both this event, and The Primary Project. Have a good evening!

Written Bids

AUCTION LOT DETAILS

Lot No.					
Lot Name					
Max Bid					

YOUR DETAILS

Name:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Email Address:

Signed:

You will be informed by email or telephone (or failing that, by post) if you placed the winning bid. Payment can be made by cheque made out to The Primary Project. You will then be given your item or informed how to claim your promise.

Sealed bids must be handed in to the School Office by 3.15pm Wednesday 18th November. Please place them in an envelope labelled "Grand Auction of Promises".

Lot	Details	Kindly Donated By
1	A bottle of wine	McVeigh Parker
2	Entrance tickets for four children at The Mad House	The Mad House, Reading
3	A reflexology treatment by Radiance	Sarah Bromham
4	Entrance tickets for two children at Crazy Club	Crazy Club Thatcham
5	Home-baked traybake cake	Kathrin Krueger
6	Two junior tickets for Coral Reef Waterworld	Coral Reef, Bracknell
7	Microsoft Windows 7 Ultimate	Richard Usher
8	One adult and one child ticket for Cotswold Wildlife Park, Burford	Cotswold Wildlife Park
9	Two free games at Reading Bowl	Reading Bowl
10	Two day-fishing tickets at The Old Mill, Aldermaston	The Old Mill at Aldermaston
11	Children's Party held at St Peter's Church for up to 15 children (3-6yrs), food, party bags and party games included	St Peter's Pre-school
12	A Porsche driving experience at Silverstone, including lunch	David Bell from Porsche GB
13	A £10 gift voucher for Glenvale Nurseries	Glenvale Nurseries
14	A family ticket to Finkley Down Farm Park	Finkley Down Farm Park
15	Return transport to Gatwick or Heathrow airport	Neil Hutchins
16	A family ticket to the Lookout Discovery Centre	The Lookout Discovery Centre Bracknell
17	A £25 gift voucher for the Active Toy Company	The Active Toy Company
18	A back massage at Bradfield Sports Complex	Christine Barnes
19	One adult and one child ticket for Beale Park	Beale Park
20	Babysitting for an evening	Linda Barnes
21	A romantic meal for two at the Leatherne Bottel (up to £100)	The Leatherne Bottel
22	Return transport to The Leatherne Bottel or another local venue	Neil Hutchins
23	Family membership for one week at Nuffield Health, Newbury	Nuffield Health Newbury
24	Afternoon tea for two at The Swan at Streatley	The Swan at Streatley
25	Family entrance for the River and Rowing Museum, Henley	River and Rowing Museum

26	Three one-day passes for Nuffield Health, Newbury	Nuffield Health Newbury
27	Two one-day passes for Nuffield Health, Newbury	Nuffield Health Newbury
28	Sewing on name labels, maximum 30	Rachael Ruane
29	Face painting for a children's party	Rosemary Green
30	Champagne Flight for 10 people on the London Eye	Sarah Scott Johnston
31	Private French lessons, 3 x 1 hour lessons	Carole Guerrero
32	A make-over party by a professional make-up artist (Max 5)	Dawn Bellin
33	Bespoke novelty birthday or celebration cake	Suzanne Giaever-Eriger
34	Five tickets for Ice Skating in Bracknell	John Nike Complex
35	A day's sailing for four on a 32 ft yacht in Cardiff Bay including lunch	Richard Davies
36	A family ticket (two children) to The Sunshine Club Sleepover	The Sunshine Club
37	An introduction to fly fishing with two hours expert tuition	Gavin Hodgson
38	Two tickets for a day at Lords for a test match, one day match or other match chosen from next years fixture list	Liz Barry
39	A Peachcroft Farm free-range turkey, approx 5 Kg	John Bishop
40	A tennis bag – Bradfield Tennis Centre	Lucy Taylor
41	A cricket bat	Julian Wood Cricket Academy
42	A Christmas Home Floral Decoration Package: one Festive Door Wreath, one Dining Room Table decoration and one Mantelpiece decoration	Beverley Usher
43	A case of locally-produced Tutts Clump cider	Cathy Wale
44	A personalised copy of Apollo Mission literature signed by Russell (Rusty) Schweickart, Apollo 9 Lunar Module Pilot (to be delivered Feb 2010)	Richard Crowther
45	A meal for two at the Bladebone (up to £40)	The Bladebone
46	Two gardening ladies for a morning	Mo Brown & Helen Howes
47	One handyman for a morning, any DIY job around the house or garden	Tony Brown
48	Framed picture of a trio of Spitfires over Dover	Jim Dooley
49	A trip to McDonalds with Mrs. Jones, for up to three children	Clare Jones
50	An original Matt cartoon	Gordon Rayner
51	A week at CRE8-it	Lindsay Bishop

52	An evening climbing at the Dolphin Centre, Newbury (Age restriction: 8-11yrs)	Gordon Lamb
53	One-day course for one adult at Rushall Farm on organic gardening or bee keeping, including lunch	John Bishop
54	Five home cooked family meals for the freezer	Jill Lamb & Julie Spencer
55	A sports massage by a chartered physiotherapist	Jayne Wells
56	A Christmas cake	Nicki Bucknall
57	A bottle of locally produced Sloe Gin	Louise Hutchins
58	Family ticket for Bowood House	Bowood, Wiltshire
59	A meal for two at Loch Fyne in Henley (to the value of £50) and an overnight stay for two in Milsoms boutique hotel to include breakfast.	Lisa Brandon and Loch Fyne
60	A 'starting school' toy	Party Pieces
61	Horse Drawn carriage ride taking a trip around the local pubs	Sally White
62	Two dozen freshly-baked mince pies delivered to school	Sharon Wastie
63	Framed wildlife picture	Jim Dooley
64	£25 voucher to spend on CDs, DVDs or Games at Gema records - www.gemarecords.com	Andrew Cousins, Gema Records
65	One day's labour from Bradfield Plumbing and Home Improvements - plumbing, plastering, tiling or painting	Jon & Amy Cousins
66	One minibus and driver to take a group of people out for the evening	Linda Barnes
67	A drumming workshop, duration one hour	Tom Krueger
68	One week in Whistler Ski Lodge for up to eight people, 28th Nov-5th Dec 2010	Anonymous
69	Another one-day course for one adult at Rushall Farm on organic gardening or bee keeping, including lunch	John Bishop
70	A family ticket for Bucklebury Farm Park	Bucklebury Farm Park
71	A round of golf at Bradfield Golf course with a County golfer with a handicap of 3	Jenny Beale
72	Local taxi service for Friday or Saturday night within 20 mile radius	Duncan Butler
73	One hour of Rifle Shooting: .177 air pistol & .177 repeater air rifle. Suitable for children over 7yrs, adult supervision required	David Chattell
74	Three one-hour private French lessons	Isabelle Golding
75	Two people for two hours of light gardening	Janet & James Wellburn
76	£20 TGI Fridays voucher	Paul Brandon
77	Two one-hour private Italian lessons (holiday Italian)	Fiona Sweet

78	Two hospitality tickets for Manchester United v Hull in a box at Old Trafford inc dinner on Tues 26th January 2010.	Duncan Butler
79	A free-range turkey, approx 5 Kg	John Bishop
80	A load of logs	John Bishop
81	A golden ticket providing entry for two adults and three children to The Roald Dahl Museum and Story Centre, Great Missenden	The Roald Dahl Museum and Story Centre
82	A child's kit to start an organic garden	Rocket Gardens
83	One month's membership to Bradfield Sports Complex	Bradfield Sports Complex
84	A meal for two at the Queen's Head	The Queen's Head
85	Two top-price midweek seats for 'Phantom of the Opera' at Her Majesty's Theatre, Piccadilly	Wendy Holden
86	A bottle of port	Neil Hutchins
87	Two hours tuition on Photoshop software with a professional photographer	Paul Howard
88	Six bottle of wine - www.wine-divine.co.uk	Wine Divine
89	Two hours of gardening work or consultancy from a garden consultant	Tony Powell
90	Return transport to the Reading Hilton or another local venue	Neil Hutchins
91	Babysitting for an evening	Linda Barnes
92	A three-course meal for two including a bottle of wine at the Larder Restaurant in the new Reading Hilton Hotel	Hilton Hotel, Reading

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Auction of Promises – Rules

1. All lots are offered subject to availability and may be withdrawn at any time.
2. You must show that you are bidding by raising your Bidder Number into the air. Please do not nod, wink or tap the side of your nose! And please be quick, as there are almost 100 items to get through.
3. Once the hammer has gone down, the lot is irrevocably sold, whether or not someone else claims to have made, or wants to make, another bid.
4. The Auctioneer has the right to withdraw any lot from sale at any time before the hammer goes down if a reasonable price (in his view) has not been obtained, whether or not any bid has been made. You may approach the Auctioneer after the event if you are interested in making an agreeable offer for an unsold item.
5. Other than those which may be sold by a Written Bid, all lots must be collected and paid for (in cash or by cheque) before the end of the auction. No lot will be handed over unless it has been paid for on the evening and any uncollected lots may be sold or otherwise disposed of by the event organisers
6. All lots are sold without warranty as to their content, validity or value. Neither the auctioneer, the Governors, the PTA, the School nor West Berkshire Council accept any responsibility for the failure of any donor to honour their tickets or vouchers, nor any loss or damage howsoever arising.