

Auction of Promises

29th August.

The auction will be held on the Croft and hopefully if the weather is good people will bring picnics. We are planning to start the picnic at 5-5.30pm followed by auction at 6.30pm. You will need to bring your own chairs, picnic rugs, food, drink etc. The Village Hall will be open but only for people to use the toilets. You will need to follow social distancing guidelines and stay in your own groups.

You will be able to bid for the promises by

A sealed bid (put your envelope in our green box by the gate)

B by telephone if you let us have your name and number and which promises you would like to bid for, someone will call you when the promise is being auctioned

C Zoom might be available

D email to upson900@btinternet.com

E Join us on the night

To make it worthwhile for the people doing the promises Ladies Group decided to put on a reserve minimum bid which is written at the end of each promise

Promises so far are-

- 1 Large Chocolate Cake courtesy of Ruth £3
2. Large Round country bread (a la Nigel Slater) baked by James £3
3. Bev's home grown Veg Box previous show winner £5
4. Afternoon tea for 6 with Prosecco in the garden of Andrew and Janet £40
5. One hours weeding by green fingered Gillian £5
6. An assortment of jams and curds. Spiced port and plum jam, orange and vanilla marmalade, raspberry jam, apricot and amaretto jam, lime curd and lemon curd Pam £10
7. Everything to make a sourdough loaf including recipe, Vanessa £3
8. Jane is offering to help someone to research their family tree or will research it herself £15
9. This is for anyone who has children aged 7-11 who may have missed out on their schooling or just need some extra help. 6 hours tuition in Maths / English by Janet £40
- 10 Horse lovers will enjoy this one. A visit to the hunt yard- details to follow Jo Clay
11. A variety of homemade pickles. Pickled shallots in balsamic vinegar, pickled radishes, red cabbage, bread and butter pickle, piccalilli and lime pickle by George £10



12. Badgers Green in Spring 50 x50 cm. A gorgeous painting by Gillian £15

13. How about a game of golf without Andrew at the Chevin Golf Course in Duffield. He will book the tee and sort out green fees for a 4ball midweek.£50

14. Pizza lovers. Vanessa and Pete using their pizza oven will make pizza for 6 and include some wine £30

15. This is for busy people who enjoy homemade puddings. 2 puddings hopefully delicious whenever you need them Pam £10

16. As above £10

17. Do you need a relaxing day out
A days fishing and breakfast for 4 at Longford fisheries (own tackle needed) Rebecca £25

18 Something to look forward to in the spring. A large lasagne planted pot of bulbs which will flower early spring for many weeks £15

19 Paella and Cava for 4 at Inner Court £25

20. Large carrot cake Anne S £3

21. Dinner for 6 with wine Helen and Andrew £50

22 Gel nails manicure and pedicure Sally and Lucy £15

23 Chinese takeaway for 2 George £10

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25 5 ltr keg of beer, you can decide the brew Boylestone Brewery £15

26 Dundee cake Sheila £3

27 If you provide pattern and wool Sally will knit you a jumper £30

28. Pete & Steve K Private chef and Sommelier evening for 4 people £100

- 4 – course meal with wine flight
- Menu choices:
 - To start
 - Confit du Canard
 - Mouseline de Paris (chicken)
 - Coquilles St Jacques tartlet
 - Imam Biyaldi (V)
 - Mains
 - Venison loin in filo pastry
 - Chicken or monkfish in prosciutto with cep lentils
 - Cod with Cheddar Rarebit
 - Paneer & Garden peas in Chilli and Tomato sauce (V)
 - Desserts
 - Champagne Panna Cotta with sugared grapes
 - Chocolate fondant puddings
 - To finish
 - Cheese petits fours

29. A lovely way to finish the meal – A selection of homemade petit fours Judy £5

30 Iced Christmas Cake Mary £6

31. 1 Bakewell tart Val £3

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33 2 garden troughs 18x 18 inches Rob £20

34 1 3ft wide trough Rob £20

35 A tour of the night sky by Russell. This will depend on the weather and thinking that a number of people might like to do this donations will be asked for on the night.

Hope as many of you as possible take part in the Auction and thanking you in anticipation of a successful evening.

All proceeds will remain in the Village and be used initially to purchase the new Millennium seat

Pam on behalf of Ladies Group