

BABIES SILENT AUCTION LISTING

I often get asked how anyone could repay Jennie, Jane and the breastfeeding team for the support they have given them.....here is the answer!! We are raising money to ensure that we can run this service for other mums for another year. So here is the Silent Auction Listing 2018....please send to friends and family. We have amazing prizes, all worth more than the reserve price which would make brilliant birthday or Christmas gifts-so get bidding now!!

Emily, BABIES Fundraising Lead for 2018

PROCESS FOR PLACING A BID

Please email babiesfundraising@gmail.com with the following:

Your name / Phone number / The lot number / The price you would like to bid (we suggest an unusual amount to avoid a tie, e.g. £42.67).

Email bids need to be placed by 5pm on Friday 5th October and there will be the opportunity to bid at the Fun Day too.

Confirmation of receipt of your bid will be sent by email/text. If a tie occurs, the organisers will draw the tied names out of a hat. Last bids can be made in person at The Fun Day. The full list of winning bidders will be available at the event by 2:30pm that day and all winning bidders will be notified that evening by text/email.

Winning bidders will be asked to make payment for their prize by Friday 12th October. On receipt of payment full details of how to enjoy your prize will be made available.

HAPPY BIDDING!

LOT 1

A week's stay at a 2-bedroom apartment in Crieff, Perthshire, Scotland.

RESERVE PRICE £250

Kindly donated by John and Jennie Gavin

Newly renovated apartment with wonderful panoramic views over the surrounding countryside. The week can be taken anytime including during summer holidays (usual price ~£700). **Please see attachment for a selection of pictures of this beautiful apartment.**

There are two bedrooms (a double and a twin/double room) and a double sofa bed in the lounge. Kitchen has all modern appliances. Wifi, CD player and TV are provided. One bathroom with a shower over the bath. We ask the highest bidder to please take their own bedding and towels and leave it clean and tidy.

We have brilliant reviews from this lot which has continued to raise lots of money for the service.

“We had the most amazing week. It was so open and airy and perfect for a family. The weather was super - the views over the hills from the balcony were breathtaking. There’s an excellent park at the bottom of the road, and the town is a ten-minute walk. There’s so much to do in the area. Auchingarrich Wildlife Centre is a great fun day out, Blair Drummond Safari park is just 20 miles away, and there is a fabulous pottery and soft play at Crieff Ceramics. A fabulous holiday” Jo, winning bid 2015 Auction

LOT 2

An Escape Game session for a team of up to 6 people in Winchester.

RESERVE PRICE £75

Kindly donated by Clue Capers

This unique prize involves a challenging, escape room game with lots of puzzling conundrums! This is a brilliant activity for a group of friends or family. The winning team will take on a mission requiring keen observation skills, lateral thinking and problem solving. The twist is that you have just seventy-five minutes to achieve your goal and escape from the room.

See <https://cluecapers.co.uk/> for more info.

LOT 3

A string quartet to play at your event ‘Steep String Quartet’.

RESERVE PRICE £100

Kindly donated by Claire Goymer

The Steep String Quartet are a local amateur string quartet, able to perform at any function of your choice - from a garden party to a wedding, and any style of music that takes your fancy!

LOT 4

A 30-minute photoshoot on location and 5 prints.

RESERVE PRICE £50

Kindly donated by Sarah at Hannibal-White Photography

A photoshoot with Sarah Hannibal who specialises in family and event photography. The photoshoot can take place either at home, at an event or in a favourite location. The five best photos will be provided as digital images.

See <http://sarahhannibal.zenfolio.com/about.html> for more info.

LOT 5

Six weeks salsa lessons for two couples.

RESERVE PRICE £100

Kindly donated by the Alchemy Dance Company

Join the Alchemy Dance Company for a six week ‘Salsa for Beginners’ course. Salsa is a fun, social activity and great exercise. You do not need any previous dance experience as the beginner’s course will give you the absolute best foundations in learning salsa. The weekly session includes a 1-hour class, practice/social dancing session after class, and tea and biscuits at the end of the evening.

See <http://www.alchemydance.co/beginners> for more info.

LOT 6

A Mummy MOT.

RESERVE PRICE £75

Kindly donated by Liz Knowles

The Mummy MOT is a 1-hour specialist post-natal assessment recommended for all women following delivery – whether 6 weeks postnatal or many years after. Already part of every new mother's standard post-natal rehabilitation in France, a trained specialist - Liz will assess the strength and function of your tummy and pelvic floor muscles to help prevent long-term childbirth related complaints.

See <https://www.lizknowles.co.uk/the-mummy-mot/> for more info.

LOT 7

A Jiggy Wrighglers birthday party entertainment.

RESERVE PRICE £60

Kindly donated by Jiggy Wrighglers

Jiggy Wrighglers will come to your home or venue and get everyone wrighgling and giggling! Parties are tailored to the age of the party guests, a typical party includes – Jiggy Wrighglers funky and upbeat songs, a variety of unique props and sensory equipment, parachute games and lots more - guaranteed to captivate all the children and parents!! This prize is for a 45 minute party with a goody bag for the birthday child including a puppet of their very own.

See <http://www.jiggywrighglers.com/birthday-parties/> for more info.

LOT 8

Two sessions of coaching.

RESERVE PRICE £120

Kindly donated by Jane Moffett

Jane has an MSc in Coaching and Behavioural Change at Henley Business School and has coached people from the Corporate, Health and Education Sectors. Her particular area of interest is people who are anticipating change in their work situations and careers, including mothers returning to work.

“While on maternity leave I decided to start my own business. Over two highly enjoyable sessions Jane has really helped me define what it is I want to do, how to balance my ‘mummy’ and ‘business owner’ roles and find ways to motivate myself differently!”

2015 winning bidder

LOT 9

Tumble Tots membership and a season of classes.

RESERVE PRICE £75

Kindly donated by Tumble Tots

Tumble Tots is Britain's leading physical play programme for children. It is designed to develop children's physical skills of agility, co-ordination and climbing and to build children's self-esteem. The prize is a year's membership of Tumble Tots and a season of weekly classes which cater for children from 6 months to school age.

See <https://www.tumbletots.com/Winchester/index.php> for more info.

LOT 10

Buggy Workout membership for 3 months.

RESERVE PRICE £50

Kindly donated by Juliette Green

Buggy Workout is a fitness programme for mums. Membership allows you to attend up to 3 classes per week with your baby. It's a great way to meet other mums and the babies love being outside! Classes are held at the Cricket Ground in Winchester and are structured to work the key areas that are weakened during pregnancy. There is also a 'Body Blitz' evening class each week which includes a mixture of high intensity interval training, circuit training and so much more!

See <https://www.buggyworkoutuk.co.uk/> for more info.

LOT 11

Winchester Racquets and Fitness –8 weeks household membership.

RESERVE PRICE £60

Kindly donated by Winchester Racquets and Fitness

Family membership to the Winchester Racquets and Fitness centre for 8 weeks. This allows access to all activities including tennis, fitness and squash. The centre has indoor and outdoor tennis courts, a fully equipped gym, a cafe bar and even a sun terrace for you to enjoy.

See <https://www.winchesterracquetsandfitness.net/> for more info.

LOT 12

A three-hour decluttering session or 3 hour wardrobe detox at your home.

RESERVE PRICE £100

Kindly donated by Sue Spencer of A Life More Organised

Are the cupboards of your home overflowing? Are you drowning in a sea of children's toys? If you are short of time or just feel overwhelmed by the thought of tackling your clutter, then Sue can help. As a professional organising and decluttering consultant trained to work with the KonMari Method, Sue will work with you to explain the best ways to approach the process, help you decide what to let go of, organise your possessions and declutter your home!

See <https://alifemoreorganised.co.uk> for more info.

LOT 13

Tickets to the Panto at the Theatre Royal Winchester.

RESERVE PRICE £35

Kindly donated by the Theatre Royal

This year's Panto is the enchanting story of Beauty and Beast, a classic which will enthrall the whole family. The prize is four tickets for a performance on Saturday 1st December.