

- Silent Auction -

Isn't That Wild! - Exclusive & Unique Zoo Experiences

101 - The Ultimate Birthday Package!!

For up to a total of 24 guests. An hour and a half of birthday fun in the birthday tree-house. Includes admission for guests, ride bracelets for train, carousel, and one seating of 4D film and cupcake tree, juice boxes, and ice cream.

Value: \$500

Donated by: Event Network

102 - Hungry, Hungry Giraffes!

Private Dinner with Thane Maynard, Zoo Director

You and five friends will enjoy an intimate 4-course dinner catered and served by The Phoenix with Thane Maynard, Zoo Director. You will have the opportunity to feed the giraffes, followed by dinner on Giraffe Ridge.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): Alcohol, bar set-up and beverages are available at an additional cost. Valid April-August 2010, Monday – Thursday only.

Value: \$1500

Donated by: CZBG, Thane Maynard and The Phoenix Restaurant

103 - Pachyderm Picasso

Join our elephant staff and elephant artists while one of our painting pachyderms creates a one of a kind masterpiece just for you. Guests will be given a behind the scenes tour of Elephant Reserve and an opportunity to observe the artist at work. Lunch and one year basic Family Membership included.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): Limited to 6 people and needs to be scheduled in advance. No direct contact with the elephants.

Value: \$775

Donated by: CZBG's Elephant Reserve & Innovations Culinary Company

104 - Get Wild with Thane Maynard!

Private Picnic & Tour with Thane Maynard, Zoo Director

You and 9 guests will have your own beautiful private picnic at the Zoo with Director, Thane Maynard served by Tastebuds Catering.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): Alcohol, bar set-up, and beverages are available at an additional cost. Valid April – Aug. 2010 Tuesday-Friday only.)

Value: \$1300

Donated by: Cincinnati Zoo, Thane Maynard and Jean Strasser, owner of Tastebuds Catering





105 - Come Fly with me at the Red's Ballpark

Be an honorary member of the Zoo's Eagle Flight Team. This once-in-a-lifetime opportunity allows you to assist the trainers of Sam, the bald eagle, during one of his flights at The Great American Ball Park during a Cincinnati Reds Game. This amazing experience includes a 1 year Cincinnati Zoo Family Membership and 4 field box tickets to the game.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): One person may go out on the field on the night of the game. 3 people may participate in the practice flight prior to the game. We fly the eagle 4 times per season at the ballpark.

Value: \$1140

Donated by: CZBG's Wing's of Wonder Bird Show & Membership Team & Cincinnati Reds

106 - Do You Know It Takes \$850 To Care & Feed Me For 1 Month (Gorilla)

You and your family will have a once in a lifetime opportunity to observe a private gorilla feeding. Your family will also have an acknowledgement plaque at the exhibit for one month. Includes one year basic Family Membership.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): For up to 10 people; needs to be scheduled in advance. Valid Monday-Saturday 8am or 6pm (outside of zoo hours)

Value: \$950

Donated by: CZBG's Gorilla World

107 - The Zoo Survival Package

Everything you need for a day and night at the Zoo

This wonderful basket includes everything you need for a day and night at the Zoo. Two tickets to each of our Wild about Wine Events and a one year basic Family Membership.

Value: \$600

Donated by: CZBG's Membership Team & Event Network

108 - A Wash on the Wild Side!

Help the elephant keepers wash off the dusty pachyderms. Elephant Zookeepers will "shower you" with fun and give you the "inside scoop" about the elephants. Lunch in the Rhino Café is included.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): Limited to 6 people and needs to be scheduled in advance. No direct contact with the elephants. Children must be 5 years old.

Value: \$650

Donated by: CZBG's Elephant Keepers & Innovations Culinary Company

109 - Do You Know It Takes \$750.00 To Care & Feed Me For 1 Month (Giraffe)

You and your family and friends (limit 10) will have the opportunity to privately feed the giraffes. Your family will have an acknowledgement plaque placed at the exhibit for one month. Includes \$80 gift certificate to the zoo restaurant.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): Valid Monday-Saturday 8am or 6pm

Value: \$830

Donated by: CZBG's Elephant Reserve & Innovations Culinary Company

110 - Rhino Roundup

Witness one of our rhinos painting a masterpiece just for you! Unravel some of the mysteries and wonders of rhino reproduction by watching our CREW Reproductive Physiologist perform an ultrasound on a rhino. Feed a banana to one of the rarest animals in the world. Lunch Vouchers included for the Zoo's restaurants.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): For up to 8 adults. Date must be mutually agreed upon.

Value: \$600

Donated by: CZBG's CREW & Rhino Keepers & Innovations Culinary Company

111 - It's a Bug's Life

Ever wonder what it is like to work at the Zoo and take care of the animals? Now is your chance to find out! Spend the morning at the Insectarium learning the delicate art and science of invertebrate husbandry and management. A Zoo lunch voucher is included and a 1 Year Family Membership.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): This experience is limited to 4 people who are ready to hang out on the "incredibly crawly side of town"

Value: \$600

Donated by: CZBG's Insect World and Membership Team
& Innovations Culinary Company

112 - Wildlife Comes to You!

A zookeeper/ educator presents this educational outreach program. We will travel to festivals, birthday parties, nursing homes, libraries, Scouting events, and much more. Presenters will bring four Zoo animal ambassadors to your event. Each program lasts 45 minutes to one hour.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): Date must be mutually agreed upon and is based upon availability. There is an incremental price if travel exceeds 30 miles roundtrip.

Valid Mon.-Sat.

Value: \$450

Donated by: CZBG's Education Team

113 - Mingling with the Manatees.... Into The Night

The Zoo is locked and we have the keys! Come join us for an exciting adventure, "Sleep with the Manatees" where children explore the Zoo in search of wildlife and our amazing underwater friend, the endangered Manatee. Includes admission for 15 guests, parking, instructors, light breakfast, and a "Sleep with the Manatee" patch for each guest.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): Blackout dates: Saturday and Sunday.

Available: March 2010-September 2010

Value: \$600

Donated by: CZBG's Nocturnal Adventures Team

114 - Cheetah's in Flight

You and your friends will have your own private experience as you see the world's fastest land animal take flight right in front of your eyes. Includes light hors d'oeuvres and soft drinks. Meet Cathryn Hilker and the Cat Ambassador Team.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): Must be scheduled one month in advance.

Limited to 15 guests. No children under 5. Valid Monday-Thursday 5:30-7:00pm

Value: \$800

Donated by: CZBG's Cat Ambassador Program & Innovations Culinary Company

115 - Cat Got Your Tongue?

You will be speechless when the Cat Ambassador Program comes to your child's school (K-12) or approved organization. A Cheetah and their friend, an Anatolian Shepherd Guard Dog and small cat are worthy ambassadors of this entertaining and educational 30-45 minute visit. Date must be mutually agreed upon.

Value: \$700

Donated by: CZBG's Cat Ambassador Program

116 - March of the Penguins

Come join the penguin trainers in a feeding frenzy! This experience is available for up to eight guests and must have a good enough throwing arm to get a herring from the viewing deck into the mouths of these hungry aquatic birds. Includes lunch in our Rhino Cafe.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): Must be a minimum of 5 years old and be closely supervised by an adult.

Value: \$600

Donated by: CZBG's Wings of the World & Innovations Culinary Company

117 - Diggin In The Dirt!

Special Behind-the-Scenes Tour for 6 people of the Cincinnati Zoo's World Famous Botanical Garden during Zoo Blooms. You will receive a selection of our new spring blooms to take home and plant in your own garden. 2 tickets to the Tip-Top-Through the Tulips Luncheon on Thursday, April 15, 2010. Includes Kuso Dogwood tree and two tickets to the Landscape Education Series starting Jan. 2010.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): Dates must be mutually agreed upon.

Value: \$650

Donated by: CZBG's Development Team , Education Team, Horticulture Team, & Dan Druffel

118 - Rhino Bubble Bath

Using a specially formulated animal wash you will assist the rhino keepers in giving this mega vertebrate a soapy, sudsy "bubble bath" in the building. This unique experience can only be offered to individual(s) who don't mind getting dirty while they clean the rhino.

Restrictions (see bid sheet for complete description): Limited to 4 individuals and can only be done in morning hours on Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday.

Value: \$600

Donated by: CZBG's Rhino Keepers



“Zoo-Nique” Items

201 - LaRosa's Gift Basket

LaRosa's Gift Basket
Donated by: LaRosa's
Value: \$75

202 - \$250 Gift Card

Allen-Edmonds \$250 gift card
Donated by: Allen-Edmonds
Value: \$250

203 - Pink Bag

Donated by: Arti Nouvelle
Value: \$350

204 - Tribal Basket

Tribal Basket from Venezuela
Donated by: Cockerill
Value: \$195

205 - Get a Little Wild

Leopard rain coat and faux black mink tote
Donated by: Donna Salyers Fabulous Furs
Value: \$228

206 - Cool Congo Gear

Faux golden fox cropped Jacket XS-XL,
Leopard Fedora and Sunglasses with amber
crystals
Donated by: Donna Salyers Fabulous Furs
Value: \$247

207 - Evening in the Congo

Leopard Shimmer Jacket XS-XL & a brown
shiny crock evening bag
Donated by: Donna Salyers Fabulous Furs
Value: \$267

208 - Giraffe Crazy

60x96 Giraffe rug with a matching pillow,
Black mink throw and 2pc Giraffe Luggage
Donated by: Donna Salyers Fabulous Furs
Value: \$576

209 - Arctic Expedition Gala Gear

Ivory ruched faux Mink coat
Donated by: Donna Salyers Fabulous Furs
Value: \$799

210 - Keep an Animal Lover Warm

Ruched faux chinchilla jacket (XS-XL) and a
black clutch
Donated by: Donna Salyers Fabulous Furs
Value: \$478

211 - Warm this Winter

Tan faux chinchilla throw and a brown faux
Mongolian lamb rug 60x96
Donated by: Donna Salyers Fabulous Furs
Value: \$548

212 - Little Princess Gear

Pink faux sheared beaver coat (12, 18 or 24
mos; 2T, 3T or 4T) and 40x60 Pink faux
Mongolian lamb rug
Donated by: Donna Salyers Fabulous Furs
Value: \$168

213 - Pandora Bracelet with Charms

Fashionable Pandora bracelet with charms
Donated by: The Fig Leaf
Value: \$125

214 - Linen Placemats

7 linen placemats with velvet and satin
ribbons
Donated by: Gattle's Fine Linens
Value: \$448

215 - Care for Your Car

Wash Bucket filled with auto soap, wax, tire
dressing, sponge, etc. plus a gift certificate for
\$250 in collision auto repairs
Donated by: Knab Auto Body, Inc.
Value: \$300

216 - Purse

New SAK purse with hand knitted shell
Donated by: Pursnicketies by Carole
Value: \$125

217 - Julz Necklace

Handmade Necklace with Treasures Galore
Donated by: Julz/ Judy Scheurer Evans
Value: \$425

218 – Wardrobing Experience for You and Your Closet

\$1,000 Wardrobing Experience at Nordstrom hosted by a Nordstrom Personal Stylist and a \$1000 elfa® closet makeover by The Container Store.

Donated by: Nordstrom and The Container Store
Value: \$2000

219 - Foosball Table

Zoofun Foosball Table

Donated by: Tim and Linnea Bonacci
Value: \$500

220 - Pearl Necklace & Bracelet

18" Freshwater Pearl Necklace and Dyed Freshwater Pearl Bracelet

Donated by: EDB Diamond Showroom
Value: \$350

221 - Shopping & Spa Day

Enjoy a \$50 gift certificate at Envy along with a Golden Turtle spa package from Inner Peace Holistic - Receive a massage and bask in warm paraffin with a shiroda treatment finished off with a hot towel facial.

Donated by: Envy!
Value: \$190

222 - Penzo Hand-Painted Tableware

Hand-painted bowl, pitcher and platter. Each piece of Penzo tableware is hand-painted and no two pieces are ever alike. Handmade in Zimbabwe.

Donated by: Martin & Maribeth Rahe
Value: \$450

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Hand-painted bowl, pitcher and platter. Each piece of Penzo tableware is hand-painted and no two pieces are ever alike. Handmade in Zimbabwe.

Donated by: Martin & Maribeth Rahe
Value: \$310

224 - Penzo Hand-Painted Tableware

Hand-painted bowl and platter. Each piece of Penzo tableware is hand-painted and no two pieces are ever alike. Handmade in Zimbabwe.

Donated by: Martin & Maribeth Rahe
Value: \$185

225 - Penzo Hand-Painted Tableware

Hand-painted bowl and platter. Each piece of Penzo tableware is hand-painted and no two pieces are ever alike. Handmade in Zimbabwe.

Donated by: Martin & Maribeth Rahe
Value: \$335

226 - Wakefield Collection Sofa

The Wakefield Collection is an instant classic. The curved front arm panels, roll arms and tapered block feet make this group a welcome addition to any home decor. A traditional style with timeless comfort will be welcome in any home.

Donated by: Martin and Maribeth Rahe
Value: \$1690

227 - Blue & White Vase

Large Blue and White Hand-Painted Ceramic Vase

Donated by: Ten Thousand Villages
Value: \$195

228 - Zebra Stool

Grazing Zebra Stool

Donated by: Ten Thousand Villages
Value: \$195

229 - Frisch's Gift Basket

Basket of local-favorites from Frisch's

Donated by: Frisch's
Value: \$150

230 - Leopard Bracelet

Handmade bangle bracelet. 14K yellow gold with black enamel spots and four diamond "eyes" with 1.16 total diamond weight

Donated by: D'Elegante
Value: \$11,100

231 - Cincinnati Public Radio Gift Basket

For the public radio fan - books, cds and clothing from your favorite public radio programs & stations

Donated by: Cincinnati Public Radio
Value: \$200

232 - Rookwood Pottery

\$2500 of Artisan quality tile and \$500 toward installation

Donated by: Rookwood Pottery
Value: \$3000

233 - Antiqued Bengal Tiger Brooch

Antiqued Sterling Silver Bengal Tiger Brooch

Donated by: J Peck Jewelers

Minimum Bid: \$75

234 - Carousel Horse Pendant

Sterling silver antiqued carousel horse pendant and chain

Donated by: J Peck Jewelers

Minimum Bid: \$70

235 - Noah's Ark Bracelet

14k yellow gold Noah's Ark bracelet

Donated by: J Peck Jewelers

Minimum Bid: \$1000

236 - Giraffe Pendant & Chain

14k yellow gold giraffe pendant & chain

Donated by: J Peck Jewelers

Minimum Bid: \$175

237 - Diamond Earrings

Alex Sepkus 18k yellow gold diamond earrings containing 4 diamonds which equal 0.02ctw

Donated by: J Peck Jewelers

Minimum Bid: \$450

238 - Elephant Pendant & Chain

14k yellow gold elephant pendant & chain

Donated by: J Peck Jewelers

Minimum Bid: \$375

239 - Tiger Head Pendant & Chain

14k yellow gold tiger head pendant & chain

Donated by: J Peck Jewelers

Minimum Bid: \$230

240 - Gold & Diamond Penguin Pendant

14k white gold and diamond penguin pendant containing 0.01ctw black diamonds

Donated by: J Peck Jewelers

Minimum Bid: \$230

241 - Fine Wines

Variety of fine wines from the Rahes: Premier Cruz les Caillertes, Chateau Margaux, Caymus Special Selection Cabernet, Don Melchor Cabernet, Chateau Haut Brion & Pomerol Chateau

Donated by: Martin & Maribeth Rahe

Value: \$1010

242 - More Fine Wines

Variety of fine wines from the Rahes: Chateau Ducru-Beaucaillou, Chateau Dassault Saint-Emilion, Chateau Canon Saint-Emilion Premier Grand Cru, Calon Segur St. Estpehe, Chateau Cos D'Estournel. Saint Estephe & Brunello di Montalcino Camigliano.

Donated by: Martin & Maribeth Rahe

Value: \$850

243 - A Trip Through Bordeaux in 1998

A Trip Through Bordeaux in 1998: Chateau Haut-Brion, Chateau Lafite-Rothschild, Chateau Margaux, Chateau Mouton-Rothschild & Chateau Pavie

Donated by: Tim and Peggy Mathile

Value: \$1700

244 - Fine Wines

2 Bottles of 1996 Veget Chablis Grand Cru, 2002 & 2003 Pahlmeyer Chardonnay, 2002, 2003, 2004 Landmark Chadonnay, 1985 Chateau Certain des May Grand Cru, 1994 Chateau Cos d'Estournel Grand Cru, 1999 Chateau Leoville Poyferre

Donated by: Merydythe & Clayton Daley, Jr.

Value: \$1600

245 - Paula Deen "Bag Ladies Cabinet"

Cabinet from the Paula Deen Home Collection. Spanish Moss finish, lighted cabinet with adjustable glass shelves

Donated by: Furniture Fair

Value: \$2400

246 - Quartz Choker

Custom designed solid quartz choker.

Designed locally as part of the "Rock Candy" collection.

Donated by: Givre'

Value: \$350

247 - Kennedys

A \$100 gift certificate to Kennedys and a moschino butterfly belt.

Donated by: Kennedys

Value: \$350

Go Wild for Sports

301 - UC Football Tickets

4 tickets to the UC vs Illinois Football game on 11/27/09

Donated by: Cincinnati Bearcats

Value: \$140

302 - OSU Heisman Winners

Ohio State Heisman trophy winners color photo collage- autographed by Archie Griffin, Hopalong Cassidy, and Eddie George- framed and double matted

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$375

303 - Reds Suite for a 2010 Game

Private Suite at the Great American Ball Park for a mutually agreed upon date in the 2010 season of our Cincinnati Reds. Includes 12 tickets, 3 parking passes, Ball Park Fare and non-alcoholic beverages.

Donated by: PNC

Value: \$2000

304 - Masters Azalea Hole

Masters Azalea hole 13 x 16 photo framed with cards of past master winners

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$550

305 - John Calipari Autographed Ball

John Calipari autographed University of Kentucky white panel basketball with case

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$350

306 - Roger Federer Autographed Photo

Roger Federer autographed index card framed 8 x 10 color photo

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$150

307 - Take Me Out to the Ballgame

Cincinnati Reds Suite for 2010 Game including ten tickets, parking passes and catering. Date to be mutually agreed upon (cannot be opening day).

Donated by: Toyota

Value: \$2200

308 - Tiger Woods Golf Collage

Tiger Woods golf collage - includes a practice golf ball actually hit by Tiger Woods and authenticated by his signing company, Upper Deck- framed with plaques and 2- 8 x 10 photos

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$475

309 - Joey Votto Signed Ball & Rookie Card

Joey Votto autographed official baseball with rookie card display

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$120

310 - For the Xavier Fan

4 tickets to a Xavier Men's exhibition home game during the 2009-2010 season. Subject to availability, must be used no later than October 30, 2009. Along with a photo signed by head coach, Chris Mack. (Cannot be given to a high school student.)

Donated by: Xavier University

Value: \$85

311 - Santonio Holmes Photo

Framed Santonio Holmes autographed 16 x 20 color photo- Super Bowl XLIII MVP winning catch

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$350

312 - Victor Martinez Jersey

Authentic Victor Martinez Jersey

Donated by: Pepsi Americas

Value: \$500

313 - Michael Phelps Photo

Michael Phelps autographed 16 x 20 color photo - framed and matted

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$60

314 - Ken Griffey Jr. Memorabilia

Ken Griffey Jr. Signed Jersey and Bat

Donated by: PNC

Value: \$800

315 - Cheer on the Cyclones

Four Club Seats to Cincinnati Cyclones Game of Choice 2009-10

Donated by: US Bank Arena

Value: \$98

316 - Mia Hamm Photo

Mia Hamm autographed 8 x 10 color photo-framed and triple matted

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$250

317 - Cincinnati Reds 1975 Facsimile Bat

Cincinnati Reds 1975 facsimile signature bat given to season ticket holders - red bat with gold signatures

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$275

318 - Ron Turcotte Photo

Ron Turcotte autographed 16 x 20 B&W photo atop Secretariat in 1973 Belmont Stakes win by 31 lengths

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$250

319 - Lou Pinella Photo

Lou Pinella framed and autographed 10 x 13 color photo- Lou throwing a base- framed

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$150

320 - Brandon Phillips Memorabilia

Brandon Phillips signed jersey

Donated by: Pepsi Americas

Value: \$250

321 - Go Bengals

2 tickets to the October 25 Bengals vs. Bears game. Seats are 22 rows behind the Bengals bench on the 50 yard line.

Donated by: Fox 19

Value: \$154

322 - Rey Mauluga Memorabilia

Rey Mauluga signed football

Donated by: Local 12

Value: \$200

323 - Roy Williams Football

Roy Williams signed football

Donated by: Local 12

Value: \$200

324 - Carson Palmer Football

Carson Palmer Signed Ball

Donated by: Cincinnati Bengals

Value: \$425

325 - Rey Mauluga Memorabilia

Rey Mauluga Signed Jersey

Donated by: Cincinnati Bengals

Value: \$250

326 - Wetherington Golf Course

Foursome of golf with lunch at Wetherington Golf & Country Club

Donated by: Wetherington Golf and Country Club

Value: \$350

327 - Kenwood Country Club

Foursome of golf with carts and lunch at Kenwood Country Club

Donated by: Kenwood Country Club

Value: \$450

328 - Xavier Suite

Suite at a Xavier Basketball game for 14 people including food. Game to be mutually agreed upon in the 2009 season.

Donated by: PNC

Value: \$1000

329 - Triple Crown Country Club

Foursome of Golf with Carts (weekday only)

Donated by: Triple Crown Country Club

Value: \$304

330 - James Laurinaitis Memorabilia

James Laurinaitis Signed Mini Helmet

Donated by: Pepsi Americas

Value: \$100

331 - Brian Robinskie Collectible

Brian Robinskie Signed Mini Helmet

Donated by: Pepsi Americas

Value: \$75

332 - Bustin Babes

Archival photograph featuring Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig, taken on Oct. 13, 1927 during their Japan baseball tour, featuring facsimile signatures of both Babe and Lou; printed and mounted on stretched canvas.

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$175

333 - Brandon Phillips

Limited edition (to 5,000 numbered pieces) "sweet spot" lithograph featuring a facsimile signed baseball.

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$40

334 - Big Red Machine

9 individually-autographed Rawlings MLB-official baseballs, each signed on the sweet spot by all of the starting 8 members of the Big Red Machine (Rose, Griffey, Morgan, Bench, Perez, Foster, Geronimo & Concepcion) plus Sparky Anderson. A classic collectible for the ultimate Reds Fan!

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$700

335 - The King & The Golden Bear

Archival photograph featuring Jack Nicklaus on the 17th hole at Augusta National on April 13, 1986. Giclee-printed and mounted onto stretched canvas, 32"x28".

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$175

336 - Johnny Bench Autographed Baseball

Official Rawlings MLB baseball autographed by Reds' Team Member Johnny Bench

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid; \$100

337 - Autographed Goose Gossage Baseball

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Donated by: Joe Knab - Remax Unlimited

Value: \$95

338 - Golf at Kenwood Country Club

Round of golf for three people to play with Craig Maier, Zoo Chairman of the Board

Donated by: Craig and Anne Maier

Value: \$400

339 - Johnny Bench "Sweet Spot"**Lithograph**

Framed 11"x14" limited edition lithograph featuring Johnny Bench; edition limited to 5,000 pieces

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$45

340 - Johnny & Sparky Celebrate the '75 World Championship

Autographed 16"x20" archival photograph featuring Johnny Bench and Sparky Anderson in the clubhouse following the victory in game 7 on the 1975 World Series on Oct. 23, 1975 in Boston.

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$275

341 - Big Red Machine Starting 8**Autographed Baseball**

Official baseball signed by starting 8 members of the Big Red Machine (Rose, Griffey, Morgan, Bench, Perez, Foster, Geronimo & Concepcion)

Donated by: Friends of the Zoo

Minimum Bid: \$550

342 - Golf at Maketewah Country Club

Round of golf for four people to play at Maketewah

Donated by: Maketewah Country Club

Value: \$400

Going On Safari

401 - An Evening with Friends at Belterra

Two rooms for a one night stay. One room includes a round of golf for two and the other room relaxing massages for two.

Donated by: Belterra Casino Resort and Spa

Value: \$700

402 - Mexican Villa Vacation Week

1 week vacation at the Villa aves Del Paraiso, located on the Santiago Peninsula, Santaiaigo, Columa, Mexico. This fabulous 10,000 sq. ft. 4 bedroom/5 bath villa is nestled on a cliff overlooking the Pacific Ocean. Includes a staff of six. Maximum of 8 people (does not include airfare).

Donated by: Haley Van Demark

Value: \$13,000; Minimum Bid: \$7,000

403 - Grand Victoria Casino

1 night getaway package at the Grand Victoria Casino along with a round of golf for 2

Donated by: Grand Victoria Casino

Value: \$297

Wildly Creative!

404 - Lexington Embassy Suites

1 night stay at the Lexington Embassy Suites with breakfast and \$50 gas card

Donated by: Winegardner & Hammons, Inc. and Lane Oil Co.

Value: \$249

405 - Carmel Renaissance Indianapolis

1 night stay with breakfast at the Carmel Renaissance Indianapolis and \$50 gas card

Donated by: Winegardner & Hammons, Inc. and Lane Oil Co.

Value: \$209

406 - Columbus Marriott Northwest

1 night stay with breakfast at the Columbus Marriott Northwest

Donated by: Winegardner & Hammons, Inc.

Value: \$149

407 - Hollywood Casino

One Night Stay (valid Sunday through Thursday only)

Donated by: Hollywood Casino Lawrenceburg

Value: \$169

408 - Trip to Tahoe

One week stay in a 4 Bedroom, 3,500 square foot home in "Tahoe Donner" Resort Community in Tahoe - located near golf course, many recreational activities. (Available anytime except Christmas through New Years.)

Donated by: Vivian & Jim Schwab

Value: \$3000

409 - Vacation in Florida

Spend a week in sunny Sarasota on Lido Shores! 3BR/2BA home is one street away from the Gulf of Mexico with private gated access to the gorgeous Lido beach. Home has a private pool and jacuzzi, grill and high speed internet. Just off the famous St. Armand's Circle, know for the best shopping and dining! Dates must be mutually agreed upon.

Donated by: Stephen and Lynn Ford Kukanza

Value: \$2000

501 - A Stitch Above

Tiger Needlepoint Canvas (14 ct. canvas)

Donated by: A Stitch Above

Value: \$200

502 - Charley Harper Print

Framed "Zoo Babies" print. Giclee numbered, one of edition of 300, stamped with estate seal

Donated by: Charley Harper

Value: \$395

503 - Original Artwork

Original framed dog art work

Donated by: Anonymous

Value: \$200

504 - "Sitting Pretty"

16x20 framed watercolor print

Donated by: Kathy Kuyper

Value: \$225

505 - Kenyan Leopard

Photo of a leopard sitting on a large limb late in the day in Samburu N.P., Kenya

Donated by: Don Dietrich

Value: \$50

506 - Red Elephants - Tsavo

Small group of different size elephants coming out of the woods in Tsavo N.P., Kenya

Donated by: Don Dietrich

Value: \$70

507 - Cheetah & Dog Original Artwork

An original painting by our cheetah cub Tommy T and his buddy the Anatolian Shephard Pow Wow

Donated by: Tommy T & Pow Wow

Value: Priceless

508 - Penguin Original Artwork

Original painting by Charlie our penguin

Donated by: Charlie the Penguin

Value: Priceless

509 - Gorilla Original Artwork

Original artwork by Jomo our silverback Gorilla

Donated by: Jomo the Gorilla

Value: Priceless

510 - Rhino Original Artwork

Original artwork by Nikki our Indian Rhino

Donated by: Nikki the Rhino

Value: Priceless

511 - Elephant Original Artwork

Original artwork by one of our Asian elephants

Donated by: Mai-Thai the elephant

Value: Priceless

512 - "Cardinals"

Limited edition John A Ruthven "Cardinals".

This print is number 1/1000.

Donated by: John and Judy Ruthven

Value: \$1050

513 - "A Moment in Time"

"A Moment in Time" print by Mary Louise Holt - Fine Art. Little Shawnee Indian girl with carolina parakeet.

Donated by: Mary Louise Holt -Fine Art

Value: \$80

514 - \$400 off a custom oil portrait

Certificate to be used towards a custom oil portrait by Mary Louise Holt. Prices start at \$1,400.00 for a 12x16 original, custom oil portrait.

Donated by: Mary Louise Holt - Fine Art

Value: \$400

515 - Original oil painting by

Clara Huckaby

Donated by: Clara Huckaby

Value: \$1200

516 - Original oil painting by Erica

Schneider

Original oil painting by Erica Schneider, a graduate of DAPP

Donated by: Erica Schneider

Value: \$700

Create Your Own Adventure

601 - Corporate Viewing Suite for 8 at the Aronoff

Eight seats in the Viewing Suite for one performance of a Broadway show (with the exception of Mary Poppins) during the 2009-2010 Broadway Across America Cincinnati Season

Donated by: Cincinnati Arts Association

Value: \$600

602 - Relax

Golden Turtle Spa Package - Receive a massage and bask in warm paraffin with a shiroda treatment finished off with a hot towel facial

Donated by: Inner Peace Holistic

Value: \$140

603 - An Evening of Laughter

An evening of fun for you and your guests at Go Bananas Comedy Club! (Passes valid Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Sunday)

Donated by: Go Bananas Comedy Club

Value: \$100

604 - Tour the Studios at Channel 12

Informal tour for 12 guests. You will meet Rob Braun, Kit Andrews, Tim Hedrick, Brad Johansen, Cammy Dierking and Dave Burchell. Go behind-the-scenes to the Studio and the Control Room to see how Cincinnati's top-rated newscast gets it done.

Donated by: Local 12

Value: \$200

605 - Private Director's Tour of Music Hall

You and up to 4 guests get the opportunity for a private Director's tour of Music Hall by Director of Operations, Scott Santangelo. Visit parts of the building off-limits to the general public and not seen during typical hours.

Donated by: Cincinnati Arts Association

Value: \$250

606 - Cincinnati Chamber Orchestra

Two vouchers, each good for 2 tickets to attend any four of the listed concerts of the 2009/2010. Oct. 18, Feb. 21, March 21, May 2, or June 6

Donated by: Cincinnati Chamber Orchestra
Value: \$400

607 - See the Stars

2 Certificates for 8 adults and children for astronomy programs

Donated by: Cincinnati Observatory Center
Value: \$80

608 - Enjoy the Arts

2 tickets to any preview or Thurs. performance during Season 16 of the Cincinnati Shakespeare Company and 2 Tickets to any CSO Cincinnati Pops Orchestra Subscription Concert during 2009-10 Music Hall Season

Donated by: Cincinnati Shakespeare Co. and Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra
Value: \$175

609 - Camp Out

One free weekend cabin rental for 12 people at Camp Friedlander. Expires Dec. 2010. Subject to camp availability. Good for two "adult" cabins, capacity up to 6 people each.

Donated by: Dan Beard Council
Value: \$500

610 - Learn to Cook

2 Demonstration Cooking classes and Autographed copy of "Amy's Table" Cookbook

Donated by: EQ the Cooking School @ The Party Source
Value: \$140

611 - Pamper Yourself at Pure Concepts

Facial, Manicure, Halo Highlight and Style

Donated by: Pure Concept Salon
Value: \$134

612 - Treat Yourself

Receive Botox for one area with Dr. Mandell-Brown's painless Botox technique. Find out why others are switching to having Botox by one of Cincinnati's top cosmetic doctors.

Donated by: Mandell-Brown Plastic Surgery Center
Value: \$250

613 - Vacation for Your Pet

\$250 Gift Card for Kennel Stay

Donated by: The Pet Spot
Value: \$250

614 - A Day at Pure Concepts

Manicure, Halo Highlight, Cut, Rejuvenation Facial, One Hour Healing Touch

Donated by: Pure Concept Salon
Value: \$214

615 - Night Out - For Your Pet

\$250 Gift Card

Donated by: Pet Suites
Value: \$250

616 - 6 Person VIP Box at Riverbend

6 person Box Suite to a mutually agreed upon show at Riverbend Music Center during the 2010 Concert Season. Box Suite holders receive VIP Parking and access to our two VIP areas.

Donated by: Riverbend Music Center
Value: \$1200

617 - 4 person VIP Suite for PNC Pavilion at Riverbend

4 person Box Suite to a mutually agreed upon show at PNC Pavilion during the 2010 Concert Season. Box Suite holders receive VIP Parking and access to our VIP area.

Donated by: Riverbend Music Center
Value: \$900

618 - Pamper Yourself

Euro Escape Package including: steam & sauna starter, 1/2 hour swedish massage, European facial, manicure & pedicure along with a \$25 retail gift certificate.

Donated by: Sableux Salon and Spa
Value: \$233

619 - Night Out

1 night stay at the Westin Cincinnati, 2 tickets to the Funnybone Comedy Club and 4 passes to the Shadowbox.

Donated by: Funny Bone Comedy Club, Shadowbox and The Westin Cincinnati
Value: \$289

620 - Wild Pottery Party

Paint Your Own Pottery Party (\$100 gift certificate) hosted by Thomas Claire at the Zoo with an Animal Appearance. (Includes room rental fee at the Zoo; does not include food or beverage; dates must be mutually agreed upon between Thomas Claire and Zoo)

Donated by: Thomas Claire

Value: \$200

621 - Splish Splash

4 Waterpark Day Passes to CoCo Key Water Resort and 4 Giraffe Pool Towels

Donated by: CoCo Key Water Resort and

Frontgate

Value: \$176

622 - Kid's Day Out

Gift Certificate for 4 balcony seats to "Holiday Follies" by The Children's Theatre of Cincinnati and 4 museum passes good for all three museums at The Cincinnati Museum Center

Donated by: The Children's Theatre of Cincinnati and Cincinnati Museum Center

Value: \$77

623 - Laser Hair Removal

Laser hair removal of one area using Dare to Bare light sheer technology, the areas most advanced laser for hair removal.

Donated by: Mandell-Brown Plastic Surgery Center

Value: \$250

624 - Dinner, Drinks, and Dancing

Dinner, Drinks and Dancing for a group of 20 at our Moonlight Garden Lounge atop our 18th floor of the Stratford at Kenwood. Following a one hour cocktail hour at our full service bar, you and your guests will be treated to a multi course feast served by our Executive Chef.

Donated by: The Stratford at Kenwood

Value: \$3000

625 - Private Suite to Get Motivated!

Private Suite for 12 people for "Get Motivated" on Tues. Oct. 6, 2009 at 8am. Hear from speakers such as Zig Ziglar, General Colin Powell, Laura Bush, Terry Bradshaw, Rick Belluzzo, Rudy Giuliani and more.

Donated by: US Bank Arena

Value: \$800

626 - Radio City Christmas Spectacular

Private Suite for 12 people at the Radio City Christmas Spectacular with the Rockettes on Wed. Dec. 9, 2009 (4pm or 7pm)

Donated by: US Bank Arena

Value: \$1750

627 - Five Course Tasting Menu at Orchids at Palm Court

Five Course Tasting Menu with Wine Pairings for four guests

Donated by: Orchids at Palm Court

Value: \$340

628 - Shadowbox

Certificate for 8 admissions to the Lunchbox and certificate for four admissions to an evening show.

Donated by: Shadowbox

Value: \$120

629 - Magical Nutcracker Experience

The perfect gift for any child aspiring to be a ballerina. A chance to be in the party scene for a one performance (child must be 8 and under), 4 tickets to the Nutcracker, Backstage tour at the Aronoff Center before the show, signed pointe shoes from Marie, signed Nutcracker from the Prince/Nutcracker, signed Nutcracker poster from 2009-2010 season, Dress rehearsal at the Cincinnati Ballet Center.

Donated by: Cincinnati Ballet

Value: \$Priceless

630 - A Night at the Taft with Friends

10 vouchers to a show at the Taft Theatre

Donated by: Taft Theatre

Value: \$350

631 - Spend a Day with Dhani Jones at the Zoo

Spend time at the Zoo with Dhani - includes lunch for 4 and experience behind the scenes at the Wings of Wonder exhibit and feeding our penguins and a signed football

Donated by: Dhani Jones

Value: \$1200

632 - Paint with a Rhino

The greater one horned rhinoceros "paint" as a form of enrichment. This gives these intelligent animals the opportunity to interact with their keepers while using their prehensile lip to smear non-toxic finger paint on a canvas. You and three guests can assist the keeper during the painting session.

Donated by: CZBG

Value: \$Priceless

633 - A Whiter Brighter Smile

Zoom Teeth Whitening Treatment

Donated by: Hardin Dental

Value: \$299

634 - Cooking Class

Two Tickets to Third Thursday Event and Vinyl Tote Bag

Donated by: Cooking with Caitlin

Value: \$70

635 - Throw a Party

Private solo vocalist performance in your choice of venue by Amber Renee, \$100 gift certificate toward a rental for The Alleen Company

Donated by: Amber Huckaby aka Amber Renee, Alleen Company

Value: \$400

636 - Ultimate Wine Tasting

The basket comes prepackaged with a wonderful selection of gourmet foods and specialty items to compliment a wine tasting event for a party of 12 guests. Hyde Park bigg's Wine Steward and Enthusiast, Mark Whitehead, will come to your home to host a 4 hour tasting event.

Donated by: Bigg's

Value: \$600

637 - Penguin Possibilities

Chance to name one of the Zoo's newest penguin arrivals. Opportunity available upon "hatching" in 2010.

Donated by: CZBG

Value: Priceless

638 - For the Wine Lovers

Wine tasting for a group of eight at Heidelberg Distributing with food. Will include a walk in the warehouse where each guest can pick one bottle to taste. Estate wine opener included. Guests must be 21 or older to participate.

Donated by: Heidelberg Distributing

Value: \$500

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Silent Auction Rules

1. Bidding on the Silent Auction items and “Isn’t That Wild” Zoo Baskets will begin promptly at **6:00 pm, September 25, 2009**. Each of the items has a bid sheet attached to a table nearby. Persons desiring to bid should write their bid number, their phone number, and the bid amount on the bid sheet. **USE ONLY THE BID NUMBER ASSIGNED TO YOU.**

2. Silent Auction items will have a minimum bid requirement and a minimum bid raise, which must be met to be a qualified bidder on the item. Silent auction bids will be disqualified if the minimum raise is not sufficient. Under no circumstances may any bid sheet be removed from the bidding table. Silent Auction tables will close at various times during the evening. **Closing times are listed on the Silent Auction tables.** Only an authorized official may nullify a bid and the closing bid circled by the official constitutes the winning bid.

3. Arrangements for payment by the successful bidder must be made at the end of the auction through payment at the Silent Auction checkout. All items must be paid for at one time. Payment may be made with cash, check, Visa, MasterCard, American Express or Discover. Checks should be made payable to the Cincinnati Zoo. **PAYMENT IN FULL THE EVENING OF THE AUCTION IS MANDATORY.**

4. **ALL SALES ARE FINAL.** There will be no refunds or exchanges on items by the donors to this silent auction except where specified, or unless the donor is unable to fulfill obligations as described. Please do not ask the donor for exchanges or refunds. All the “Isn’t That Wild Experiences” expire either on or before August, 31st 2010. **BE SURE TO CHECK THE EXPIRATION DATE OF ANY CERTIFICATE OR GOODS!**

5. Items may be removed only by exhibiting a **PAID** receipt at the pickup location.

6. Values set forth opposite items being auctioned are donors’ estimates and are not warranted by the auction committee for tax purposes or for general value.

7. Unless otherwise specified, all auction items and services must be used within one year from the date of auction. Unless otherwise specified, dates and times are to be arranged at the mutual convenience of and between the donor and the buyer. To avoid disappointment, please make all vacation reservations well in advance. Security and cleaning deposits, when required by the donor, must be paid directly to the donor and are not included in your bid.

8. At the close of the Silent Auction tables, title to the item and/or services will pass to the highest bidder who thereupon assumes full risk and responsibility therefore. **BY HIS OR HER PURCHASE, THE BUYER WAIVES AND RELEASES ANY CLAIMS FOR LIABILITY FOR PERSONAL INJURIES OR DAMAGES TO PROPERTY AGAINST THE CINCINNATI ZOO & BOTANICAL GARDEN. THE BUYER HEREBY INDEMNIFIES THE CINCINNATI ZOO, THE AUCTION AND ZOOFARI COMMITTEES AND THE DONORS OF THE PROPERTY OR SERVICES AND ALL OF THEIR AGENTS AND REPRESENTATIVES FOR AND FROM ALL SUCH CLAIMS AND NEITHER THE AUCTION NOR COMMITTEES NOR DONORS OR ANY OF THEIR AGENTS OR REPRESENTATIVES IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY PERSONAL INJURIES OR DAMAGES TO PROPERTY THAT RESULT FROM THE UTILIZATION OF THE PROPERTY OR SERVICES SOLD.**

9. All property must be removed from the premises the night of the Auction.

10. For Silent Auction items not paid for by Nov. 30, 2009, the Zoo reserves the right to offer the item to the next highest bidder. For Silent Auction items not picked up from the Zoo by April 1, 2010, the items become property of the Zoo.