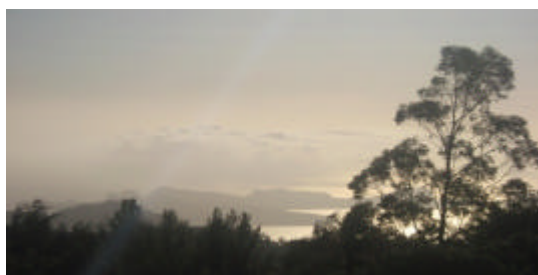


# **Emerging Markets Ball 2012 -**

## **Auction Prizes**

### **SILENT**

#### **13. Three Days at a Golf Retreat on Madeira**



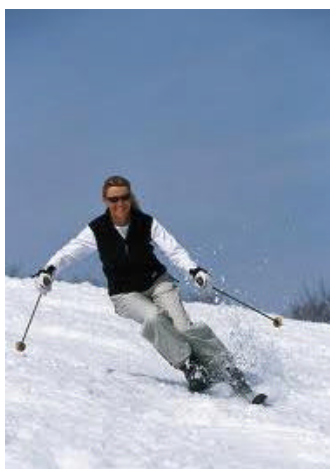
Escape the winter blues on Madeira and spend 3 days at the “Laurel Forest Villae,” 670 meters above sea level. Enjoy the wide variety of fauna and flora belonging to the Laurel Forest, declared a UNESCO World Natural Heritage site. The villa also offers spectacular views of the mountains, valleys

and dramatic coastline.

Includes breakfast for 4 at the Clubhouse ([www.santodaserragolf.com](http://www.santodaserragolf.com)) and 3 days of unlimited golf for 4. Available from July - September 2013; advance booking required. Reserve price £750.

*Kindly donated by Laurel Forest Villae*

#### **14. A Long Weekend of Private Ski Lessons in a Mountain Destination of Your Choice**



Want to learn or improve your skiing? How about a three-day weekend of private ski lessons for you, family or friends at a ski resort of your choice (including the Southern hemisphere)? If you are the successful bidder, you only need to fly your personal instructor, Marta Cabrera (Certified Professional Ski Instructor since 2003 by the US PSIA), in and out of the resort from New York to spend the weekend perfecting your downhill technique!

Black out dates may apply.

*Kindly donated by Marta Cabrera, President, EMpower*

### **15. A Weeks Stay on Sardinia's Most Famous Coast – for up to 4 People**



Spend seven idyllic days on the Costa Smeralda, an area boasting white sand beaches and crystal blue waters. Stay in a quaint village apartment in Porto Pollo, which sleeps four (one double and one twin room), only a 5 minute walk from the beach. Flights not included. Dates to be mutually agreed and the prize must be taken up by 1 October 2013.

*Kindly donated by Beatrice Bortoluzzi*

### **16. Photo Session with Elena Zotova on the Roof of the Ritz-Carlton in Moscow**

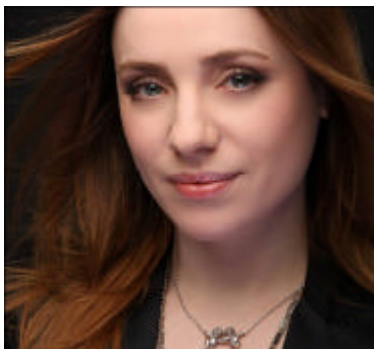


Elena Zotova is a famous Russian photographer whose work has appeared in InStyle, Forbes and Cosmo...and is also the best wedding photographer in Moscow. Your feelings, emotions, laughter and tears will be captured on camera in the very heart of Moscow on the roof of the Ritz-Carlton.

Transport to Moscow not included. Winner will receive a photo book.

*Kindly donated by Elena Zotova*

### **17. Unforgettable Meeting with the TV Personality Tutta Larsen in Moscow**

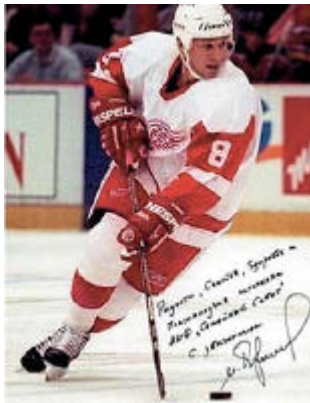


Tutta Larsen is a famous Russian TV and radio host and journalist. The winner of this prize will enjoy a meeting with her over coffee or dinner to chat about everything in the world...in either Russian or English. Choose a café and a subject for conversation, and enjoy an unforgettable conversation with a fascinating Russian media personality.

Flights to Moscow not included, and winner to pay for the meal and/or drinks.

*Kindly donated by Tutta Larsen*

## **18. Signed Puck and Bottle of Cabernet Sauvignon Limited Edition from Reserve of the Hockey Hall of Famer Igor Larionov**



“Hockey is my life, wine is my passion,” says Hockey Hall of Famer Igor Larionov. A bottle of Cabernet Sauvignon from Igor’s select wines will be specially sourced for the lucky winner from his Napa Valley Reserve. The wine exhibits the dense colour, with deep aromas of blackberry, cacao and chocolate, enveloped in rich tannins.

A puck with Igor Larionov’s signature is also included.

*Kindly donated by Igor Larionov, arranged by Deloitte*

*Partners, Moscow*

## **19. A Weekend for Two in Moscow – The Heart of Russia**



Ever dreamt of visiting Moscow and going to the Bolshoi? This prize includes a Russian dinner in the XIXth century style Moscow restaurant “*Café Pushkin*” and an evening performance at the world famous *Moscow Bolshoi Theatre* - the theatre having deservedly become one of the great symbols of Russia. Your accommodation for the night will be in one of the oldest Moscow hotels

“*Hotel National*” located downtown, a 5-minute walk from the Kremlin. The lot is a unique opportunity to get into the spirit and atmosphere of Moscow – the very heart of Russia.

(The prize includes a night at the "Hotel National", plus The Bolshoi Theatre performance and dinner at "Café Pushkin" Restaurant. Flights are not included)

The prize is for two people and must be taken up by 30 September 2013.

*Kindly donated by Patriarshy Dom Tours*

## **20. Five Night Holiday Package on the Beautiful Island of Cyprus with Roundtrip Flights!**



Roundtrip flights for two and a 5 night Bed and Breakfast stay at The Dome Hotel, Kyrenia, North Cyprus await the winner of this prize. Enjoy the quiet elegance of the Dome Hotel which reflects its stately 70 year history. Right in the heart of Kyrenia town, the Dome Hotel offers a superb sea-front setting with extensive facilities,

including a freshwater swimming pool and natural seawater pool amongst the rocks. Includes free car hire for the duration of your stay.

The prize must be taken between February – June 2013.

*Kindly donated by Seniha Omer*

## **21. One Year's Membership of Beaufort House Private Members Club in Chelsea**



Beaufort House's home-from-home atmosphere offers everything you could want from a private members club. There's a stunning champagne penthouse bar, a members' bar and restaurant, and a club room that can be used for private dining, screenings, presentations and meetings. Located on the fashionable Kings Road the award-winning brasserie and fabulous cocktail bar are among

the best in London. Beaufort House Chelsea has also been shortlisted in this year's prestigious "London Lifestyle Awards" under both the "*Best Private Members Club*" and "*Best Bar*" categories.

The winner will receive one year's membership to Beaufort House Chelsea, entitling you to access all areas of the club as well as monthly members' events such as champagne, wine and whisky tastings, Comedy Nights and "Pamper" Evenings.

*Kindly donated by Beaufort House*



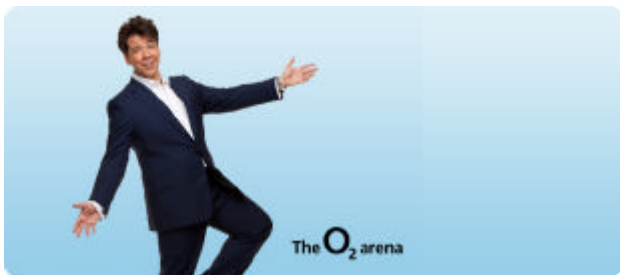
## **22. A Polo Lesson for Two at The Royal County of Berkshire Polo Club**



Fast, dynamic and exciting...why not try your hand at polo? Two people will receive expert guidance in a one-hour introductory lesson at Cool Hooves, one of the country's most successful polo schools, based at the Royal County of Berkshire Polo Club in Windsor. The club is situated within 270 acres of magnificent countryside. Their expert coaches and first class ponies will make learning to play easy and ensure you have a fun introduction to the sport. No previous riding experience is necessary.

*Kindly donated by Cool Hooves Polo*

## **23. Two Tickets to See Comedian Michael McIntyre's New Show at the O2 Arena on 30 September 2012**



Star of *Michael McIntyre's Comedy Roadshow* and *Britain's Got Talent* returns to the road for his third and biggest UK arena tour to date which will include ten dates at The O2. Two seats in a box are up for grabs to see the winner of The British Comedy Awards

Best Male TV Comic 2010 perform his latest show. While catering is not included, food and drink can be ordered. The prize is strictly for the personal use of the winner and must not be on-sold or donated to a third party.

*Kindly donated by the Royal Bank of Scotland*

## **25. Signed Memorabilia from British Olympic Silver Medallist – Louis Smith**



Want to hold on to the feel good factor of the Olympics? Well, now you can with an Olympic treat from much celebrated 3 time Olympic medallist, gymnast Louis Smith.

Louis Smith rose to fame during Beijing's 2008 Olympics when he became the first Briton to win a medal in an Olympic individual gymnastic event for 100 years. Louis added a silver in the men's pommel horse final in London 2012 and played a key part in the first

British Olympic gymnastics team to win a medal for a century in the men's artistic competition. His signed British gear and photo are the perfect memento for any Olympic enthusiast.

*Kindly donated by Louis Smith*

## **26. Signed Memorabilia from Team GB's Discus Thrower – Abdul Buhari**



Managing the impressive feat of balancing a career in investment banking with top level athletics, Abdul splits his time between work at Credit Suisse and representing England and Great Britain in discus throwing on the world stage.

Determinedly fighting his way back from a career threatening injury, last year he went on to win both the English and British championships and manage a personal best 65.44 metres, placing him third in all-time UK discus history. Abdul has landed no fewer than 50 podium finishes in his impressive career.

Don't miss this chance to get your hands on these sporting collectibles from this inspirational athlete.

*Kindly donated by Abdul Buhari*

## **27. 'Leader as Coach' Programme for up to 12 people by UK's Leading Business Coaching company**



This programme (valued at over £10,000) includes a 1-day workshop with Dominic Ashley-Timms, the MD of the UK's leading business coaching company, Notion ([www.BusinessCoaching.co.uk](http://www.BusinessCoaching.co.uk)).

Designed for 6-12 participants this programme has been delivered to senior leadership teams and full PLC boards. It is a highly strategic day designed to enhance your critical leadership skills and provide an 'on the job' coaching approach to leverage the performance of your team and the commercial results of your business.

The workshop can be delivered on a mutually convenient date in London, Midlands or another jointly agreed location.

*Kindly donated by BusinessCoaching.co.uk – Notion Ltd*

## **28. Two Tickets to See Disney's Fantasia Live Concert Performed by the London Philharmonic Orchestra**



Disney shares one of its crown jewels of feature animation in this UK premiere which showcases selections from Walt Disney's original *Fantasia* and Disney's *Fantasia 2000*.

These high definition screenings, accompanied by the live performance of some of the most memorable classical music ever composed, will be brought to life by the London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Keith Lockhart.

A selection of the magnificent repertoire from the original 1940 version of *Fantasia* and *Fantasia 2000* including Tchaikovsky's *The Nutcracker Suite* and Gershwin's *Rhapsody in Blue* will be performed live, accompanied by iconic Disney moments on the big screen.

The pair of coveted tickets are for the 6.30 pm performance on Sunday, 21 October.

*Kindly donated by The Royal Albert Hall*

## **29. Four-Ball at Wentworth with Lunch**



You and three friends can walk in the footsteps of golfing champions – not just this year's top professionals but from the last 80 years! Golf at Wentworth is an experience. It's a blend of classic, timeless course design, tournament heritage and immaculate playing surfaces. The Club has three courses, including the West

Course home to the PGA Championship, set in glorious Surrey heath land surrounded by ancient woodland. This prize is definitely one not to be missed by any keen golfer!

Includes lunch (up to £50 per person) – and dates are subject to availability. Additionally a minimum handicap is required to play (18 on the West Course and 28 on the East and Edinburgh Courses).

*Kindly donated by Barclays Bank*

### **30. Weekend Photography Course in London with Professional Photographer Nigel Wilson**



Whether you're just starting out, or want to brush up on your technique and rekindle your passion for photography, this intensive and comprehensive weekend workshop will give you all you need to transform the quality of your photographs.

Nigel is a professional photographer and tutor whose clients include the BBC, Sky,

The Sunday Times and McKinsey & Co. He teaches at many institutions, including New York University, Photofusion and London's famous Camera Club. Rated by Time Out Magazine as one of "the best photography courses in London," key topics will be clearly explained in an easy to understand, straightforward manner. By the end of the weekend, you will be MAKING photographs rather than simply taking them.

No prior knowledge is necessary. An SLR camera is required, though spares are available. Course to be taken on a convenient weekend in central London (10:30 – 17:30 each day) by 21 September 2013.

*Kindly donated by Nigel Wilson*

### **31. Five Night Stay in a Luxury Hotel in Vientiane, Laos**



Enjoy 5 nights of luxury and warm hospitality in the first 5 star hotel in Vientiane, capital of Laos. Setting the standard for luxury, the magnificent Plaza Suite boasts living room, bedroom and VIP amenities. The hotel is uniquely positioned to cater for executive demands and introduce the visitor to the world

of charms and excitement of this ancient country. Valid for two people from 1 April 2013 - 30 September 2013 but reservations must be made 30 days in advance. Flights not included.

*Kindly donated by the Lao Plaza Hotel*



### **32. Two Nights in a Chimpanzee Sanctuary in Sierra Leone!**



On offer is a visit to a very special place: the Tacugama Chimpanzee Sanctuary in Freetown, Sierra Leone. High in the hills of the Western Area Forest Reserve, the 100-acre Sanctuary sits in the rainforest close to the historic mountain village of Regent. This is home to around 30 orphaned chimps and you will get to see

them up close during this incredible visit. Tacugama Chimpanzee Sanctuary will provide two nights in the spectacular Christo Lodge that can accommodate up to 4 people in two double beds. The stay will include breakfast, tour of the sanctuary and the opportunity to explore the forest following self-guided walking trails.

[www.tacugama.com/eco-lodge.html](http://www.tacugama.com/eco-lodge.html). As featured in the Times' "Barefoot Luxury...and Its Safe Too!"

*Kindly donated by Tacugama Chimpanzee Sanctuary*

### **33. Signed London 2012 Leotard from British Gymnast Hannah Whelan**



Bid for the chance to win this piece of sporting memorabilia from one of Britain's leading gymnasts - a signed leotard from the London 2012 Olympics.

Taking up gymnastics at the age of 6, Hannah's talent has seen her rise to compete at the top level of international gymnastics. In 2012,

Hannah became the first British gymnast to win a medal on Balance Beam at a major international championship by winning a Bronze at the European Championships in Brussels. She followed this by going on to help the British women's gymnastics team to their highest placed Olympic finish in the post-war period at London 2012.

*Kindly donated by Hannah Whelan*

### **34. One Month's Business Coaching from 'Complete Business Coaching'**



Looking to improve your business performance? Bid for one month's (6 hours) worth of high quality business coaching with Executive Business Coach George Moug. You will have complete access to his skills and business experience gained from over 30 years of 'hands on' profit responsibility in a wide variety of sectors.

You will cover all aspects of your business and work together to identify and implement practical strategies. Far from an 'off the shelf' package, this coaching will put you in the driving seat and be tailored to your needs and aspirations. Coaching will take place through online meetings, giving you maximum flexibility and allowing you and your team to join the meetings from anywhere in the world. Dates and times to be mutually agreed.

*Kindly donated by Complete Business Coaching*

### **35. Two tickets for Arsenal v Swansea on 1 December 2012**



Bid for two box tickets to watch Arsenal and Swansea go head-to-head at the Emirates Stadium. Two sides renowned for entertaining attacking football, and with points to prove after their dramatic meetings last season, this is sure to be one not to miss! What better way to spend a Saturday afternoon? Kick off 3pm.

*Kindly donated by Goldman Sachs*

### **36. Mini cricket bat signed by Kevin Pietersen MBE**



The lucky winner of this prize will receive a mini adidas Pellara cricket bat signed by one of the greatest batsmen in modern day cricket, Kevin Pietersen MBE.

*Kindly donated by Kevin Pietersen MBE*

### **37. A Week's Stay in a Winery in Mendoza, Argentina**



Spend a week relaxing in the surroundings of this beautiful winery in Mendoza, located in the foothills of the Andes. The area is one of Argentina's most important wine regions and the largest wine producing area in Latin America.

The property has 51 acres and a nice house where you will be able to enjoy your stay. The best times of year to visit are October and November before the harvest and March and April after the harvest, when the weather is at its best. You can also visit in the hotter month of December.

Flights are not included. Dates to be mutually agreed.

*Kindly donated by Fernando Alvarez de la Viesca*