



# **Promise Auction Flip Book**

**Turn each page to see over 40 lots**

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turn pages**

**The last page explains how to bid  
online**

**All money from the event supports work with Ukrainian  
families in Poland & Romania displaced by military  
invasion & terror.**

**Further information at end of document**



**Bishop's Castle Community Response  
Ukrainian Refugee Crisis**

# **PROMISE AUCTION**

**&**

## **60s & 70s DISCO**

**SAT 22 OCTOBER 7PM**

**Three Tuns Top Room Bishop's Castle**

**Disco starts at 9pm £5**

**All welcome no need to book**



**Can't Make the Event?**

**You can view promises and bid online go to  
Bishop's Castle Community Facebook page**



## **Lot 1**

### **Longchamp designer handbag**

Kindly donated by Jacqui Ball



## **Lot 2**

### **Outdoor Lunch for 6**

Looking forward to next summer – how about an outdoor lunch for 6 people. Kindly donated by Nigel and Michelle Gaspar and to be held at 8-10 Church Street, Bishop's Castle.



### **Lot 3**

#### **Tin Soldiers – Free 1 hour gig in your garden**

To be within the local area



### **Lot 4**

Half a Day photography tuition with Ben Osborne Photography plus packed lunch

Ben Osborne has been a wildlife and landscape photographer for 30 years. He has worked on all seven continents but is best known for his images of Antarctica in the book of the BBC series “Life in the Freezer”

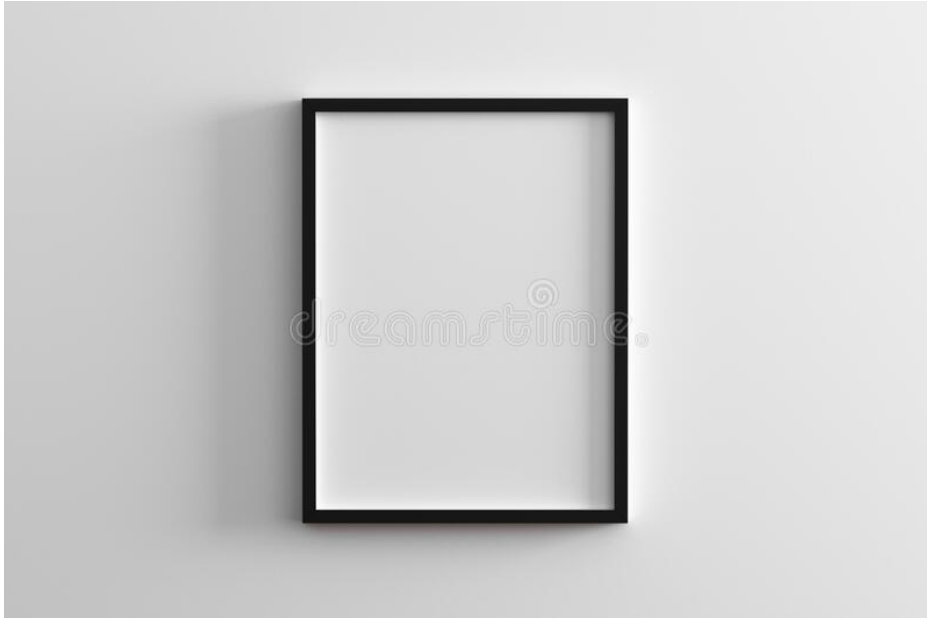




## **Lot 5**

### **Moderate Size Picture framed**

Kindly donated by Bamber the Frammer (16 Market Square, Bishop's Castle)



## **Lot 6**

### **Fish & Chip Supper for Two**

Kindly donated by Mandy Green at the 6 Bells Bishop's Castle.



## Lot 7

### Massage Voucher

Kindly Donated by Serenity

I am a Sports and Holistic Therapist offering sports massage and holistic treatments in Bishop's Castle, Shropshire and Newtown.

I am a fully qualified Sports & Holistic Massage Therapist covering Shropshire and Powys.



## Lot 8

### Repair a small item for free for you or a friend

Simon Taylor who has made this offering wrote:

“What I mean by "repair a small item for free for you or a friend" is that I will repair an item for someone in Bishops Castle but I won't charge for labour.”



## **Lot 9**

### **Voucher for reflexology**

My name is Laura, and I am a *Reflexologist* based in Bishops Castle, Shropshire. I provide mobile treatments in Bishop's Castle and the surrounding areas, including Ludlow, Shrewsbury, Welshpool and Newtown. Mobile Reflexology allows you to have a treatment in the comfort of your own home and can be a perfect way to relax. I provide Maternity Reflexology and being mobile works really well for pre-natal and post-natal treatments.



## **Lot 10**

**Original item withdrawn from Auction**

## Lot 11

### Couple of Hours of Gardening

Meg and Graham Hemmings of Bishop's Castle offer their time and enthusiasm to help you in your garden



## Lot 12

### Town Cry for a local event

Bishop's Castle Town Crier Jeff Aldridge offers this unique opportunity





## Lot 13

### Ukrainian Heart Broach by Andrew Logan

This is a real wow - This beautiful heart made with glass and resin was created by Andrew Logan to help raise money for this crisis. Around 40 were produced and sold out within hours. You have a unique chance to buy this donated by Andrew. Valued at £180.



## Lot 14

### Day out at Shrewsbury Town Football Club

This includes tickets, a drink and food for up to 4 people kindly donated by Bishop's Castle Mayor – Josh Dicken



## **Lot 15**

### **Local Guided Walk**

Cath Murphy, a fully trained walk leader, offers this walk for a group of up to 10 people in The Marches area. E.g., Mistletoe Walk, Veteran Tree Tour etc.



## **Lot 16**

### **A hand-crafted Midwinter Garland (Wreath)**

A 2hr session for 4 people to hand craft mid-winter Garlands. Experienced instructor Cath Murphy offers this opportunity to create your own art work.



## **Lot 17**

### **Mountain Bike Coaching**

#### **1 hour taster session Off Road Mountain Biking Skills**

Pro-Line MTB Coach Matt Simmonds.

Matt is a CTC qualified skills instructor with over 10 years of coaching experience. Since retiring from racing Matt has coached people of all ages and abilities, from 7-year-olds right up to an XCO Olympic gold medallist. He is passionate about helping people to progress and have more fun on their bikes.



## **Lot 18**

### **Coffee and Cake at the Poetry Pharmacy**

Coffee and cake for 2 voucher at the Poetry Pharmacy and some bags of Lush and Poetry pharmacy bath bombs.



## **Lot 19**

### **Pumpkins at Gwernygo Farm**

#### **Kerry Vale PYO**

Family Pass 2 adults 3 Children to be used weekend before Hallowe'en 2022. On the A489 - 1 mile on Church Stoke side of Sarn SY16 4EP



## **Lot 20**

### **PETA PIPER's Drumming workshop**

10 friends to learn a Samba Rhythm on authentic instruments.

1 hour session with very experienced fun music leader.

Drums, Laughter and Expertise supplied.

Venue to be supplied by the buyer within 15 mile radius of SY15 6TR (Pantglas near BC).





## **Lot 21**

### **Kutz and Co hairdressers Newtown**

A voucher for £20 at Kutz and Co hairdressers Newtown



## **Lot 22**

### **Tour of Snailbeach lead mine**

A guided underground tour of Snailbeach lead mine for up to 6 people, to be taken between Easter and October 2023. (worth £50)



## **Lot 23**

### **A set Cocktail Piano Jazz Classics**

Jim Gaffney has offered a 45-minute set of cocktail piano jazz classics ideal as background music for a sophisticated soiree!



## **Lot 24**

### **Home made Apple Cake**

Diane Gaffney has offered a home made Apple Cake



## **Lot 25**

### **A set of acoustic original music**

Sean Gaffney has offered a 45-minute set of acoustic original music suitable for any party, event or venue locally.



## **Lot 26**

### **A set of 5 CD's**

A set of 5 local CDs from Party in The Park, BC Music and The Allskas.



## Lot 27

**Mid-Week winter let at Plasauduon Cottage Bishop's Castle.**



## Lot 28

**Paint your own ceramic tile –**

or carve your own sgraffito terracotta plaque - assisted by ceramic artist Ellie Tarratt of 'Pretender to the Throne'. Historically inspired ceramics and prints. Ludlow and Bishop's Castle





## **Lot 29**

### **3 Course Sunday Lunch – Voucher for four people**

The Castle Hotel have given a voucher for four people for a three course Sunday Lunch



## **Lot 30**

### **Meal for 2 People**

The Sarn has donated a main course and desert for two people



## **Lot 31**

**Claire Austin Hardy Plants will donate a copy of 'Claire Austin's Book of Perennials'.**



## **Lot 32**

**Voucher to the value of £20**

**£20 to be spent at Rosie's 9 The Square Bishop's Castle**



## **Lot 33**

### **A bag of hard wood logs**

Donated by Foxholes Campsite



## **Lot 34**

### **A ride on a Steam Engine**

Kindly donated by Alistair Evans of Charles Ransford & Sons Ltd



## **Lot 35**

### **A mid-winter Garland**

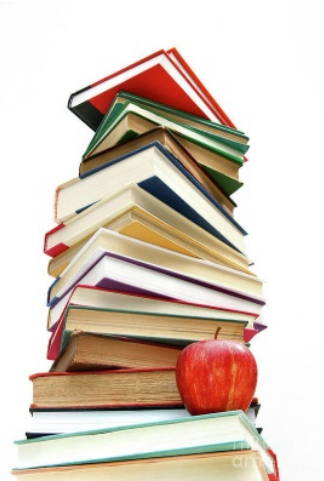
A hand-crafted garland made from natural materials



## **Lot 36**

### **Biology Tuition**

Karen Taylor offers 90 minutes of Biology Tuition up to A Level standard

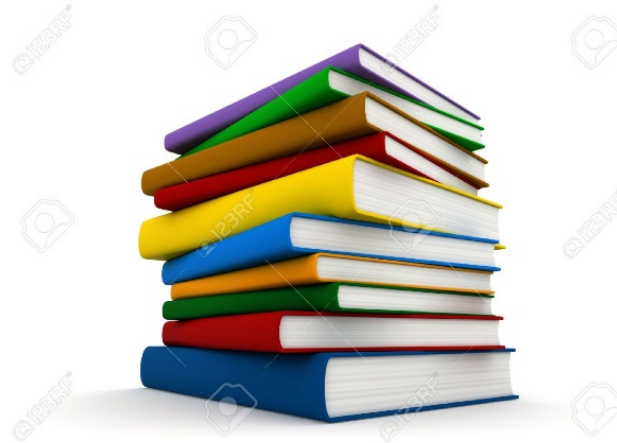




## **Lot 37**

### **Maths or Physics Tuition**

Ian Taylor offers 90-minute tuition on Maths or Physics up to A Level standard. Electronic Engineering to University standard.



## **Lot 38**

### **Indian Cookery Class**

Karen and Ian Taylor offer a class on Indian Cooking for two people in their home. All ingredients are provided. Completed dishes can be taken away with laminated recipes.



## **Lot 39**

### **Trip to Craven Arms Recycling Centre**

Karen and Ian Taylor offer a trip to the centre for objects that could fit into a Navarro vehicle



## **Lot 40**

### **DVD Stand**

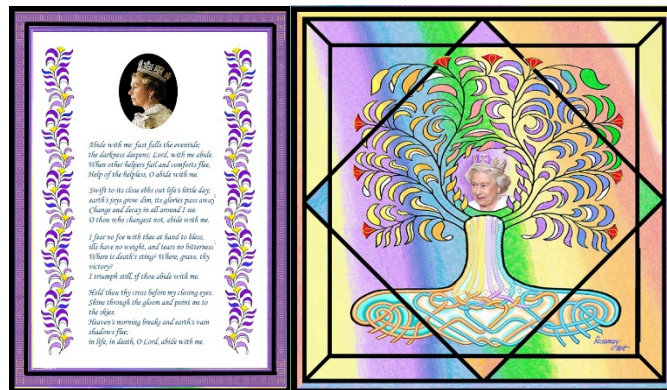
This Apple green stand is offered by Karen Taylor



## Lot 41

### Memorial Art Work

Rosemary Hart is an artist who has turned some of her artwork into a photo frame to commemorate any beloved human, animal or bird. The offer requires you to send a good quality picture of the person/animal/ bird with a contrasting background, preferably plain. The image needs to be clearly defined and not have hair, etc. shading into the background, and Rosemary will send you a jpg of the finished work, of any size you want, for you to print off. The two examples below are currently in the Prayer Chapel of St John's Church Bishop's Castle. Please state whether you prefer "Abide with Me" or the "Rainbow Tree of Life" or will double your bid to have both.



## Lot 42

### One Weeks Home Dog Boarding

Ian & Karen Taylor offer one week's home dog boarding to a female or neutered male dog. They are experienced dog fosterers for a dachshund rescue society.



## Lot 43



Enterprise House offers a set of 50 bespoke Christmas or greetings cards made using an image produced or selected by the auction winner.

## Lots 44 a, b, c, etc

### Works of Art from displaced Ukrainian families

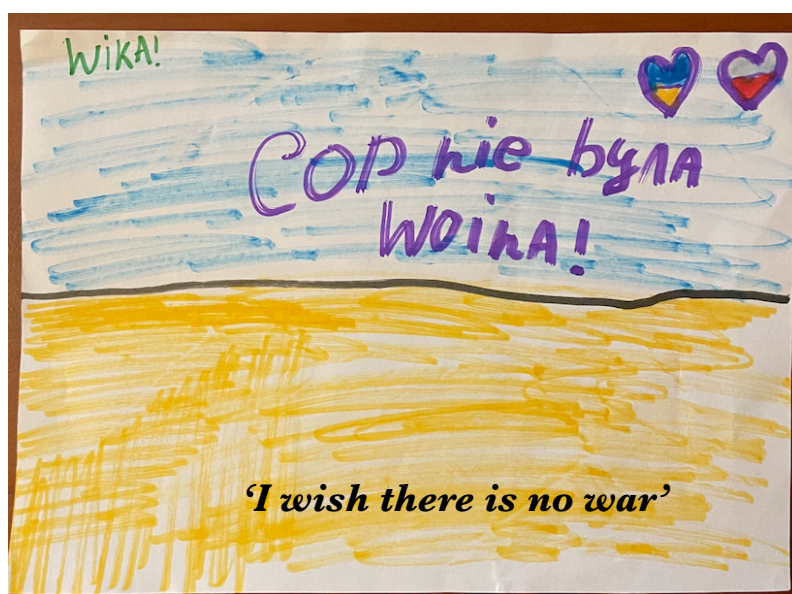
From partners in Poland & Romania (information on following pages)

The following examples were undirected productions created & gifted by young people of varying ages reflecting traditional Ukrainian stories & personal experience.

All will be available at the auction







**Further Auction Lots may be offered**

If this occurs updates will be published as and when appropriate

## **Special Event: Based on donations**

Ohla, from Kyiv, presently resident in Bishop's Castle, will, sing 2 songs: In Ukrainian & in English; both accompanied by Mick Hutton.



## Background:

The Bishop's Castle Community Response to the Ukrainian Crisis began with a concert in April 2022.

<https://inspirationalpathways.org/seeking-safety-ukraine/>

Partners in Romania & Poland are

**Fundația Serviciilor Sociale Bethany**

<https://www.facebook.com/FundatiaBethany>

**University of Economics and Humanities**

<https://wseh.pl/en>

The Bishop's Castle funding supports 2 major recommendations of an independent report (September 2022)

- **Providing support services for families with children** – including **leisure services**
- **Activities to involve refugees in volunteering activities** to support others

Finance raised at the Promise Auction will continue such support

The Auction is composed entirely of free-will offerings & organised by volunteers from the local area.



**Ukrainian Refugee Crisis**

*Bishop's Castle Community Response*

Supporting displaced families in Romania & Poland

Funding raised on 9th April '22 at  
SPARC Event & other donations (May '22):

**£3470.12**

**Paid to Bethany: £1735.06**  
Contribution to Community Centre for Ukrainian families

"English classes, board games sessions, watching movies, playing games, study hours and other activities dedicated to integrating our new friends at the refugee community center to make families feel at home"

**Paid to WSEH: £1735.06**  
For creative & sporting activities with Ukrainian families

"We have asked our Ukrainian groups how we at the University can help them. The money provided by people in the Bishop's Castle area is being used for outdoor & creative activities."

Supporting **Bethany Foundation Iasi** & **WSEH University Silesia**

More information:  
<https://inspirationalpathways.org/developing-the-links/>



## **Contact details**

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## **Web pages**

<https://inspirationalpathways.org/seeking-safety-ukraine/>

<https://inspirationalpathways.org/developing-the-links/>

<https://inspirationalpathways.org/promise-auction/>

# How To Bid:

## Two Ways

1. **Bid** on line by e-mailing (last bids by midnight 21 October 2022)

[bernied107bc@gmail.com](mailto:bernied107bc@gmail.com)

Add: Name and contact details

Lot Number

Amount you will bid

2. **Come** to the Auction!

3. **For** your bid to be successful it must be the highest received both on line or at the auction. We will contact successful on-line bidders and require payment to be received into the Pathways ID Account (see below) within a 'working' week. Failure will result in next highest bid being accepted.

4. **Ukrainian families** displaced & living in **Bielsko-Biala** Poland and **Iași** Romania will benefit from your contributions..

5. **Thank You**

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## Payment:

a) Cash

b) Cheque to, "Pathways: Inspirational Development"

c) BACs

transfer details

Pathways: Inspirational Development

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Payment referenced by Lot Number(s) of purchase

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