

LIST OF PROMISES

1. **A de luxe picnic for a great day out** Prepared by Caroline Langton for a maximum of eight people (*Guide £75*)
2. **Two evenings of babysitting** (e.g. 7.30pm-midnight) Mother of 3 grownup children and grandmother of two (3 years and 1 year old) Used to be DBS checked when working as Primary School Administrator now retired. Offered by Alison du Cane (*£25-£30 per evening*)
3. **A candlelit dinner for 8-10 people in the Dining Room at Kelmescott House**, the previous home of William Morris. A tour of the principal rooms. Drinks in the large garden, weather permitting or in the large first floor Drawing Room which overlooks the river. Four course Dinner with fine wine, cooked and served by Jock and Joy Birney. Date to be agreed. (*Guide £75 per head*)
4. **A fine chocolate tasting for 8 people** with Marie Pierre Moine and Sara Jayne Stanes OBE. Founder and Chairman of the Academy of Chocolate, Director of the Royal Academy of Culinary Art, Author of Chocolate, The Definitive Guide, To take place at the Sloane Club with drinks and savoury nibbles to finish. Approx. 2 hours. Chocolate goodie bag at the end. (*Guide £400*)
5. **A morning on the Lambourn gallops** with Jamie Snowden, champion national hunt trainer. This wonderful experience for a family or group of four people includes a tour around the yard and breakfast at his home. As long as you are happy with an early start it's a wonderful experience and Lambourn is only one hour's drive away along the M4. Date to be mutually agreed. Offered by Georgina Callander (*Guide £80-£100*)
6. **Six 1 lb jars of marmalade** Made by Ruth Todd, 4 Seville orange with Sicilian lemons, demerara sugar and a hint of Bergemot, 2 Seville orange with Sicilian lemons, demerara sugar and kumquats. (*Guide £21*)
7. **Lunch or dinner for 4 guests at an exclusive private club in Pall Mall.** Hosted by Richard and Joanna Woods. Jacket and tie obligatory. (*Guide £350*)
8. **Flat in Sante Croce area of Venice for one week.** This comfortable 2nd floor flat with terrace and canal view has central heating, air conditioning and wifi. Sleeps two people and is ten minutes' walk from the Rialto Bridge with its famous fish, vegetable and fruit markets. Five minutes from two vaporetto stops. Kindly offered by Antonia Young. Dates to be agreed. (*Guide £700*)
9. **Can't Cook Will Cook.** A bespoke cookery, hands on, 2 hour informal cookery demo for two people followed by a 3 course meal for 4. Either in the successful bidder's home or in Marie Pierre's home kitchen. Would suit young person leaving home or anyone inexperienced who finds themselves in a situation where they have to cook. Menu and recipes to suit the tastes and skills of the successful bidder (*Guide £250*)
10. **One place at BEST Club Y1-Y6.** Thursdays 5pm-6pm at St Peter's Church. Focusing on Reinforcing Resilience, Self Esteem and Confidence and Managing Anxiety, Anger and Fear, through sport, art and drama. (*Guide £95*)
11. **Two hours of architectural consultancy advice.** Whether it be advice about your ideas to transform your home, make alterations or extensions or plan your dream new house, Robbie Kerr will offer his advice and experience to help focus these ideas and help begin the journey to realization. (*Guide £400*)

- 12. Dinner for two at Cote Brasserie in Turnham Green Terrace.** Kindly donated by Catherine Clarke *(Guide £50)*
- 13. Sipsmith Distillery Tour for 4 people** If you enjoy the good things of life, this is the lot for you! 4 vouchers for a tutored tasting of Sipsmith's most sippable spirits. You will be greeted by a ginny tippie and taken through the chequered history of gin before being introduced to Sipsmith's three copper ladies, Prudence, Patience and Verity. You will also learn how Sipsmith's award winning gins are made - with plenty of opportunities for tasting. *(Guide £100)*
- 14. "The Yacht Race "by Charles Murray Padday.** C.1910. No.48 of 750 oleographic reproduction. Size 28.5" x 21" Kindly donated by Richard and Rosemary Millar *(Guide £200)*
- 15. Weekend of dog sitting** Caroline Illingworth will care for your dog in her house for a weekend (max 72 hours) or for 3 days. The three days can be split into days and half days to a total of three days. Your dog will be fed, watered and walked and given endless attention and love! It must be house-trained. At owner's own risk. Dates by agreement *(Guide £75)*
- 16. A long weekend in a picturesque cottage, north Oxfordshire, Cotswolds.** Two bedrooms, a twin with a cot and super king. Beautiful views down the valley and walks. On the edge of the village with lovely green and pub. Child friendly with giant trampoline and plenty of toys. Offered by Chloe Riddell, dates to be agreed. *(Guide £200)*
- 17. Four hours of Spanish Lessons** for children 8-12 (max 4) offered by Jennifer Usher *(Guide £40 per hour)*
- 18. Buy a church service!** Choose your favourite hymns and request a sermon from Charles on a subject of your choice

SHORT INTERVAL

- 19. A portrait of your house** in west London painted by Denis Browne. Watercolour, A4 size, unmounted *(£70-£100)*
- 20. A weekday (Mon-Thurs) round of golf for 3 people on the Old Course at Sunningdale** accompanied by the Mike Illingworth. Max handicap Men 18, Ladies 24. The Old Course was made Number One in the Top 100 England 2019 from Golf World. *(Guide £690)*
- 21. Delicious homemade canapes for a drinks party.** Created by Bridget Stevenson, maximum 30 people, date to be agreed. *(Guide £250)*
- 22. Framing a picture or print** with mount, moulding, glass and backing as required. Size to be no more than 2 ft sq. Framed by picture framer Ruth Hawkins *(£50 depending upon moulding chosen)*
- 23. One homemade pavlova** filled with cream and seasonal fruit, created by Debbie Vint. Serves 6-8 people. Made to order for a date of your choice *(Guide £15)*
- 24. A half day walking tour in London** offered by Gabrielle Leigh-Wood who is a Blue Badge Guide, for up to 15 people. She is happy to be flexible as to where and when. *(Guide £100)*
- 25. One week in a seaside cottage, Aldeburgh, Suffolk.** Sleeps 6. Offered by Follett and Libby Balch – one double and two twin bedrooms. Bathroom and separate wc – two beds with wash hand basins. Sitting room, dining room, kitchen/breakfast room. Sea views. During summer and school holidays some availability: June 22-July 6, July 19-27 and Christmas week. Other dates may be available through discussion with owners. *(£1000 depending on time of year)*

- 26. Cooking for a dinner party** Humphrey Fletch will come to your house and cook dinner for up to 10 people. He has over 20 years' experience, formally ran The Brackenbury, trained at Michelin starred Glasshouse in Kew and The River Café. *(Guide £750)*
- 27. Four hours' dog walking** by Victoria Perea-Usher *(Guide £15 per hour)*
- 28. A portrait of your pet** by Jackie Hall *(Guide £50)*
- 29. Cut and blow dry** from experienced hairdresser Simon at Simon McNeill Hairdressing, 338 King Street, W6 0RR *(Guide £50)*
- 30. 8 bed holiday farmhouse** 30 kms from Cherbourg and 2 kms from the sea. D-day beaches, sea food and rock pools, owned by David and Jinty Broad. Available for one week, usually available during school half-terms and in first half of July and September *(Guide £500)*
- 31. A guided tour of Westminster Abbey** for up to 6 people by Richard Palmer, a London Blue Badge guide and former Abbey Honorary Steward. The package includes entry fees to the Abbey and an option to visit (free flow) the recently opened triforium galleries which now houses the museum and treasury. They also offer spectacular birds' eye views of the interior of the church. Date by agreement. *(Guide: £150 - £170).*
- 32. Guided wine tasting in your own home** of four wines up to the value of £150 offered by wine expert Miles Davis
- 33. Four traditional ink and water colour drawings of St Peter's Church** painted by Denis Browne, simply framed 45 x 32 cm. Each one is different *(£40-£60 each)*
- 34. Dinner for six guests at the vicarage.** Featuring Charles' distinctive and unique cooking and Jane's delightful and potent cocktails!