

The Road To The **CANADIAN CULINARY
CHAMPIONSHIPS**

GOLD MEDAL PLATES

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aesthetically rich natural environment of Sherwood Valley and tranquil Lake Sherwood. Every tee box affords a breathtaking view, and fairways are luxuriously studded with groves of magnificent oak, willow and sycamore trees. The front nine holes rise into the majestic Santa Monica mountains while the back nine holes dip towards beautiful Lake Sherwood before rising back into the hills for a dramatic finish at the Clubhouse.

You will spend four nights at the luxurious Four Seasons Hotel in Westlake Village, an idyllic retreat set within acres of gardens just 15 minutes from the golf course. You will golf 36 holes in one day at Sherwood Golf Course – 18 with the Great One himself and 18 with Russ Courtnall, and then golf an additional 18 holes over the next two days with Russ Courtnall also at Sherwood's championship course.

Russ Courtnall, who played 15 seasons in the NHL for seven teams including Toronto Maple Leafs, Montreal Canadiens and the Vancouver Canucks finished his amazing hockey career with 297 goals, 447 assists and 744 points. Russ was a fan favourite in every city he played in and is known for his class and humour and scoring the clutch goals when his team needed it the most.

Russ will be the consummate host as he takes you to his favourite local hot spots – Mastro's Steakhouse rated as one of the best steakhouses in LA, and Tuscany Il Ristorante, top rated Italian restaurant in Ventura County where his friend and fellow hockey legend, Valeri Bure who played with the Montreal Canadiens and Calgary Flames among other teams, will join you for dinner and feature his exquisite Bure Family Wines.

There are more than 99 reasons you don't want to miss this trip!

Your five-day, four-night adventure for ONE includes:

- Four nights at the luxurious Four Seasons Hotel breakfast included.
- Welcome reception at the Four Seasons Lounge hosted by Russ Courtnall
- Golfing 18 holes with The Great One, Wayne Gretzky at the private Sherwood Golf Course
- Golfing 18 holes with Hockey legend Russ Courtnall at the championship Sherwood Golf Course
- Golfing two additional 18 holes at Sherwood Golf Course over 2 days – 9 holes with Hockey Legend, Russ Courtnall
- Dinner at Mastro's Restaurant in Westlake Village with Russ Courtnall (cost of dinner is included in your package, wine additional)
- Dinner at Tuscany Il Ristorante in Westlake Village with Russ Courtnall and special guest Valeri Bure featuring his exquisite wines from Bure Family Wines (cost of dinner and Bure Wines is included in your package, other beverages are additional)

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Auction Item

Discover One of the Hottest Destinations on the Planet—Chile! (Second Year!)

With Olympic Gold, 2 Time Silver & Bronze Medallist Adam Van Koeverden, Chef de Mission for the 2014 Sochi Olympic Winter Games and “Crazy Canuck,” Steve Podborski, Canadian Music Legend Barney Bentall and singer-songwriter Sarah Harmer!

Travel Dates: March 16 - 23, 2013

Squeezed between the Pacific Ocean and the Andes Mountains along the extreme southwestern coast of South America, Chile is magically diverse and incredibly beautiful. In the centre of this vast, long and narrow country lies the agricultural heartland and the conditions that makes this a winemaker's paradise!

Your adventure will begin with four nights in the capital city of Santiago – a wonderfully modern and urban city surrounded by the magnificent peaks of the Andes. While in Santiago, you will have time to explore one of South America's most interesting cities, including Plaza de Armas, the city's main pedestrian square in the heart of the city near the city's most relevant historic buildings including Metropolitan Cathedral, Mercado Central (Central Market) and La Vega Central, Santa Lucia hill, great restaurants and specialty shopping. We will also venture outside Santiago to hike in the world's longest continental mountain range – the Andes (optional), visit the picturesque port of Valparaiso and its 46 hills, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, taste the wines of the Maipo Valley, long famous for its elegant cabernet sauvignons and the Casablanca Valley region that excels at crisp and fruity sauvignon blanc, chardonnay and pinot noir.



For your last three nights, you will be transported back in time to the city of Santa Cruz located in the heart of Chile's wine country - Colchagua Valley – a valley recognized for the production of its premium wines and the most highly awarded Chilean valley at international competitions in recent years. This is the place where syrah, carmenere and malbec are head-turners! We will taste some of the finest wines in this region, including Vina Casa Silva where we will watch their champion Polo team play while enjoying lunch and their award-winning wines at the Club House. We will hike along the many historic trails in the valley and on the last night enjoy an unforgettable private concert by Barney Bentall and Sarah Harmer in the private wine estate of Hacienda Araucano under the stars, overlooking the vineyards of Santa Cruz!

Unforgettable landscapes, peaceful countrysides, great food, wonderful people with a culture steeped in tradition and an exciting wine culture that is drawing attention from around the world, makes Chile a destination that should be on everyone's bucket list!



Your seven-night, eight-day adventure for two includes:

- Four nights' accommodation in the newly opened, five-star Noi Hotel, located at the heart of Alonso de Cordova, one of the hippest areas in all of Chile! The property boasts bright and spacious rooms, full service spa, rooftop pool, two gourmet restaurants, two bars, including a roof top bar with an impressive 360 degree view of the Andes and the green plains of the city, and an impressive wine cellar. (breakfast included)
- Welcome reception on the rooftop terrace of Noi Hotel featuring exquisite wines from Chile with special guests Olympians "Crazy Canuck" Steve Podborski and Adam Van Koeverden, and music icons Sarah Harmer and Barney Bentall
- Three nights' accommodation at the turn of the century Santa Cruz Hotel in the heart of Chile's most awarded wine country (breakfast included)
- Private concert under the stars, overlooking the vineyards of Santa Cruz by Barney Bentall and Sarah Harmer

"Do not go to Chile with Gold Medal Plates... unless, of course, you enjoy meeting fabulous people from all across Canada, visiting an amazing country with breathtaking scenery, mouth watering food, and incredible wines, and having all your needs and expectations exceeded!"
— JASON AND MICHELLE NOEL, ST. JOHN'S

- Private wine tastings in some of the finest wineries of the Maipo, Casablanca and Colchagua Valleys of Chile
- A day hiking in the spectacular Andes (optional)
- An afternoon and evening to explore Valparaíso, a UNESCO World Heritage Site
- Watching a polo match while enjoying lunch and tasting at Vina Casa Silva
- Hiking in the spectacular Colchagua Valley (optional)

Optional add-ons (at additional cost):

- Bike Tour through the vineyards of Santa Cruz
- Pillar Rodriguez Cooking Class – a celebrity chef in Chile!
- La Bicicleta Verde: Locals' Life and La Chimba Private Guided Bike Tour in Santiago



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Auction Item

Under the Tuscan Sun (Fifth Year!)

With Juno Award Winner Jim Cuddy, Canadian hero Rick Hillier, Olympic Medallists Marnie McBean and Chandra Crawford* and Hockey Legend and Battle of the Blades Star Russ Courtnall. Special guests: singer-songwriter, Barney Bentall and fiddler Anne Lindsay!

Travel Dates: April 27 –
May 4, 2013 OR May 4 - 11, 2013

A once-in-a-lifetime private concert under the Tuscan stars with Canada's own Jim Cuddy with friends Barney Bentall and Anne Lindsay. Guests have overwhelmingly declared this one of the best concert experiences EVER!

Enjoy cycling led by Italian guides and beside some of Canada's most decorated Olympians on the beautiful country roads of Chianti. Imagine biking among the vineyards lined with majestic olive trees, stopping for a cappuccino in a quaint square, all set between the famed cities of Siena and Florence. It's considered some of the best cycling in the WORLD!

Wine and olive oil tastings at the world-renowned five-star Relais & Chateau Borgo San Felice and Winery, birthplace of the Super Tuscan, awarded "Most Excellent Hotel" Condé Nast Johansens Gold List and 25 Top Resorts by Condé Nast Traveller in 2011. Add an exquisite Italian wine tasting hosted by Jim Cuddy, poolside serenades AND exquisite regional cuisine and you are set for a tremendous week – in one of the most prized locations on the planet – TUSCANY!

* Chandra Crawford will join each week for 4 days – for those who are up to it you can train with Chandra as she prepares for Sochi 2014!





Your seven-night, eight-day adventure for two includes:

- Accommodations, including breakfast, at the five-star Relais & Chateau Borgo San Felice, a small hamlet dating back to the Middle Ages converted to a magical oasis. The property boasts a large heated pool, spa, tennis court, 24-hour concierge and the Poggio Rosso restaurant. The latter, a winner of international awards, offers traditional Tuscan dishes imaginatively revisited and accurately prepared using locally-sourced ingredients and a carefully-researched wine list that boasts 200 select labels.
- Welcome reception, featuring exquisite wines from the San Felice cellar that houses a remarkable 14 different labels, with a range of both red and white wines. The traditional Chianti Classicos, including the vigorous Riserva wines, are accompanied by other prestigious reds such as Campogiovanni, Brunello di Montalcino DOCG, and Vigorello.
- Concert under the stars with Canadian musicians Jim Cuddy, Barney Bentall and Anne Lindsay
- Rick Hillier, one of Canada's greatest heroes and storytellers' sharing tales of humour, hope and history fireside.
- Italian wine tasting hosted by Jim Cuddy.
- Cycling with Olympians Marnie McBean, Chandra Crawford and Russ Courtnall, led by local guides on some of Tuscany's best cycling routes (bike rental not included).
- Exquisite barrel tasting (optional) and a private tour of the San Felice Cellars by winemaker Leonardo Bellaccini and director Fabrizio Nencioni, followed by a rare olive oil tasting.
- Tour at your leisure of Rampini Ceramics, the best ceramics in all of Italy. Just 15 minutes from the property.
- Time to relax on the property, including the newly renovated spa wellness centre specializing in one of the latest discoveries in the field of beauty treatments: wine therapy.
- Time to explore the enchanting region of Tuscany steeped in history and art, including the medieval towns of Arezzo, San Gimignano, Siena, Montalcino and Montepulciano. Tour the many wineries that surround the area and taste the wonderful cuisine of the many restaurants in the area. There are five Michelin-rated restaurants within 30 minutes of Borgo San Felice!

"Another awesome experience of food, wine, music, cycling and friends in Tuscany again this year. With us it's never a question of whether we'll go on a Gold Medal Plates trip, but which one! The closest thing to "summer camp for adults" I've ever found. Seven years in a row and counting!"—SCOT AND TRACY MARTIN, TORONTO

**"We can't say enough about our stay...great riding, good people, fine wine, amazing setting. What an incredible way to help support Canadian athletes in their continued quest to Own the Podium!"
—GLORIA LODGE AND DAVE HARRIS, TORONTO**

Optional add-ons (at additional cost):

- Hands-on Tuscan cooking class
- Horseback riding in the heart of Tuscany
- Hot air balloon ride to view Tuscany from extraordinary vantage points

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Auction Item

The Magical Wine, Food and Cycling Routes of Provence in the shadow of Mount Ventoux (Third Year!)

With Canada's Premiere Wine Expert, David Lawrason, Olympic Gold Medallist Curt Harnett, Olympic Gold Medallist and Battle of the Blades Champion Tessa Bonhomme, Canadian music icon Ed Robertson of Barenaked Ladies and with Special Musical Guests - Luke Doucet and Melissa MacLelland!

Travel Dates: May 6-13 or May 13 - 20, 2013



There is no other wine region on the planet that speaks to excellence more than the superb wines of France. For over 1,000 years, the Côtes du Rhône has produced the world standard in fine wines – Châteauneuf-du-Pape, Gigondas, Côtes du Ventoux and the best Rosés on the Planet. You will have access to taste some of these exquisite Provencal wines and visit vineyards and Domaines of some of the world's most respected producers. These are wines that express uniqueness, greatness and history – all to be perfectly presented by one of Canada's most passionate and respected wine gurus – David Lawrason.

You will enjoy a glorious week at the breathtaking 5 star Relais and Chateau Crillon le Brave, a property perched on top of a tiny hill village surrounded by vineyards and overlooking Mont Ventoux!

In addition to tasting some of the best wines on the planet, you will explore some of the finest markets, loved the world-over for their wonderful foods, wines, antiques and collectibles. Pick up a freshly baked French baguette, olives, local cheese, a wonderful bottle of wine, and enjoy lunch in a quaint little village!

Whether you are a beginner or an advanced cyclist, there will be many options available if you are so inclined, to cycle the routes of the Tour de France through beautiful countryside. Local cycling guides will share their wealth of knowledge and you will have the opportunity to cycle alongside Olympians Curt Harnett and Tessa Bonhomme. And whether you get on a bike or not, everyone will go home talking about an unforgettable concert featuring Ed Robertson of Barenaked Ladies (with special guests Luke Doucet and Melissa MacLelland).



Your seven-night, eight-day adventure for two includes:

- Seven nights' accommodation in the superb, relaxed refuge of Relais and Chateau Crillon le Brave, located 13 km from Mont Ventoux in the heart of Provence and only 40 km from Avignon (gourmet breakfast included). The property boasts an amazing setting, perched on top of a tiny hill village surrounded by vineyards and olive groves where the views are stunning! Beautiful luxury accommodations, a heated pool, exquisite restaurant, mini-spa and an impressive wine cellar
- Welcome reception featuring exquisite wines from the region hosted by Canada's leading wine expert, David Lawrason
- Gourmet food sampling highlighting the best cuisine of each region and exquisite cheeses
- Private concert by Ed Robertson of Barenaked Ladies with special musical guests Luke Doucet and Melissa MacLelland

"An addictive trip, with withdrawal symptoms and all. Can't wait to embark on next year's adventure!"
— REZA & MARJAN NAVABI, VANCOUVER

- Private wine tastings led by David Lawrason, highlighting the very best of each of the regions
- Exquisite markets loved the world over for their wonderful foods, wines, antiques and collectibles.
- Cycling led by wonderful local guides alongside your special guests where you will ride some of the most famous and coveted routes of the Tour de France, including a ride up Mont Ventoux, if you choose! (optional – bike rental not included).

Optional add-ons (at additional cost):

- Hot air balloon riding over the vineyards of Southern France
- Cooking Classes



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Auction Item

Hockey Night in the Adriatic (Third Year!)

With Ron MacLean of Hockey Night in Canada, Alan Doyle, Lead Singer of Great Big Sea, Chef Todd Perrin of Top Chef Canada fame and Hockey Legends Russ Courtnall and Paul Coffey!

Travel Dates: June 22 – 29, 2013

Experience seven amazing days on the idyllic waters of the Adriatic coastline aboard traditional luxury schooners, visiting beautiful and rustic islands, sampling local and international wines and foods, being entertained by hockey stories and robust, heartfelt tunes by Alan and Todd – (he's from Newfoundland, of course he sings too!) We will ensure your glass is never empty and a song and smile just a breath away.

Be there to say "I WAS THERE" for the third annual International MacLean Cup Road Hockey game, where you will play with Russ, Paul and the rest of your shipmates to make up Team MacLean to play against Team Croatia, refereed by none other than Ron MacLean. We play for bragging rights, beer and the opportunity to hoist the mighty cup around the magical island of Hvar, host-island to the game. It may not be a serious game, but it is seriously fun! All guests are invited to play or you can choose to cheer on your favorite team!

Your adventure will begin in Split, Croatia, a city built on the shores of the Adriatic with its core housed inside the 2,000-year-old Diocletian's Palace, bursting with bars, cafes and boutiques that are all wrapped up in a



Mediterranean buzz – spectacular! Your adventure will end in the legendary city of Dubrovnik, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. In between, you will visit remote islands, experience a traditional Peka dinner in the hill-top village of Pitve, be serenaded by Alan Doyle on the schooner, on top of turrets, or wherever else he decides to pull out his guitar and be entertained by hockey tales from your hockey legends Russ Courtnall, Paul Coffey and of course, Ron MacLean! Relish as the schooner chefs, led by Chef Todd Perrin, participate in a week-long "Adriatic Cook-off" to declare the best schooner chef.

Relax, enjoy the sunshine, take a dip in the crystal clear Adriatic waters, celebrate life and this gorgeous part of the world steeped in history. This is one big floating kitchen party across the Adriatic Sea!



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“Sailing through the Dalmatian islands with these perfect sized gulets and first class service was wonderful. But what made it truly special is to have 6 gulets each with 12 great people from across Canada. What a tremendous combination of travel and fun with friends new and old alike. We can’t think of any other travel experience that could match Hockey Night in the Adriatic!”

— DOROTA AND STAN WEBER, CALGARY

Your eight-day, seven-night adventure for two includes:

- After arriving in the spectacular city of Split, you will spend eight days and seven nights aboard a six- or seven-cabin luxury schooner, known locally as “gulets.” These vessels are professionally crewed with Captain, cook and staff. Cabins are quaint with their own private bathroom. Breakfast and lunch is provided
- Welcome reception where you will sample the wonderful foods, wines and beers of the region, in the seaside village of Omis, hosted by Ron MacLean of Hockey Night in Canada, Alan Doyle of Great Big Sea and “Robin Hood” fame, Chef Todd Perrin and hockey legends Russ Courtnall and Paul Coffey!
- Superb and authentic dinner with Ron and Cari MacLean at Dvor Dubokovic in the hill-top village of Pitve for a traditional Peka dinner while being serenaded by traditional folk musicians (meal and wine included).
- Daily anchor stops in quiet secluded bays to take a dip in the beautiful waters of the Adriatic. There are sure to be unique cocktails and tunes by DJ Ron MacLean (his first job before broadcasting).
- Tasting the exception grappa, food and wines of this beautiful region of the world.
- The Third annual International MacLean Cup Road Hockey game in Hvar, followed by a postgame celebration in this world-class port. Be ready for some serious fun!
- Enjoy lunch created by your crew led by Chef Todd Perrin of “The Chef’s Inn” and his new restaurant opening in St. John’s this spring - “Mallard Cottage”. Chef Todd uses some of his tricks from Top Chef Canada as part of the Chefs ‘Adriatic Cook-off’ on the gulets.
- A memorable visit to the beautiful island of Korcula, known as “Little Dubrovnik.”
- Private concert by the sea by Alan Doyle of Great Big Sea!

Optional add-ons (at additional cost):

- Opportunity to explore Split, Croatia, a city built on the shores of the Adriatic with its core housed inside the 2,000-year-old Diocletian’s Palace, bursting with bars, cafes and boutiques that are all wrapped up in a Mediterranean buzz – spectacular!
- Opportunity to extend your stay to visit other islands and the legendary city of Dubrovnik, a UNESCO World Heritage Site!

Auction Item

Ultimate Ski Week at Revelstoke Mountain Resort

An amazing week-long ski adventure at Revelstoke Mountain Resort and one week's accommodations at the luxurious ski-in ski-out Sutton Place Hotel – Penthouse Suite

The Sutton Place Hotel Penthouse Suite is generously sized, appointed with luxurious King beds in all THREE bedrooms. The penthouse will exceed all your expectations with a relaxing living room space, dining area, spacious den, fully equipped gourmet kitchen, flat screen televisions, cozy gas fireplace and in-suite laundry. The astonishing mountain views await you from a private, fully furnished walk out balcony. Other amenities & services include: Rockford Wok Bar Grill, La Baguette Café, 3 outdoor hot tubs, outdoor pool, ski valet, concierge, onsite childcare, secure underground parking & 24 hr reception. Enjoy multiple days of skiing and snowboarding at Revelstoke Mountain Resort. The resort boasts North America's highest lift-serviced vertical at 1,713 metres (5,620 ft), 3,121 acres of fall line skiing, high alpine bowls, 13 areas of gladed terrain and phenomenal groomed terrain. Revelstoke Mountain Resort is also the only resort world-wide to offer lift, cat, heli-, and backcountry skiing from one village base.



Your Revelstoke experience for one week and six people (three couples) includes:

- One-week accommodations in the super luxurious Sutton Place Hotel Penthouse suite
- Eight, six-day lift tickets for Revelstoke Mountain, provided by Revelstoke Mountain Resort
- Private Ground transportation to and from Calgary provided by Stoke Shuttle
- Case of wine signed by tonight's Olympians and Gold Medal Plates Chefs



The Sutton Place Hotel
REVELSTOKE MOUNTAIN RESORT

Terms and Conditions: Dates to be mutually agreed upon based on availability of Sutton Place. The Resort Home is providing the Penthouse Suite. Contact Black Tie Properties for all arrangements. Gratuities are not included. This prize is non-negotiable and not convertible to cash. Advance booking is required. The recipient agrees to accept the prize as is, fully aware of any and all restrictions. The redemption process of these live auction items is the sole responsibility of the winners. The recipient agrees to these terms and conditions. This package is valid for the winter season of 2012/2013.

Auction Item

Calgary's Great Culinary Adventure

Dinner out will never look the same! Your culinary adventure offers you an opportunity to experience a palate pleasing evening at each one of our amazing restaurants of this year's 2012 Gold Medal Plates competing Chef's. Nominated as the best 10 Chefs in the city by John Gilchrist – this package will not disappoint the foodie in you.



This amazing package includes dinner for 4 paired with wine at:

Chop Steakhouse (Andrew Keen)

Yellow Door Bistro - Hotel Arts (Duncan Ly)

Belgo (Shaun Desaulniers)

NOtaBLE (Justin Labossiere)

Catch (Kyle Groves)

Crazyweed – Canmore (Eden Hrabec)

Model Milk (Justin Leboe)

HOME Tasting Room (Xavier Lacaze)

Brasserie/Wine Bar Kensington (Cam Dobranski)

Terms and Conditions: Gratuities are not included. Please refer to the gift certificate of each restaurant for specific restrictions such as black-out periods. These prizes are non-negotiable and not convertible to cash. The recipient agrees to accept the prize as is, fully aware of any and all restrictions. The redemption process of these live auctions are the sole responsibility of the winners. The recipients agree to these terms and conditions.



Auction Item

“Royal Bow” A Paul Van Ginkel Original



“Royal Bow”, 60X40”, oil on canvas painting by Paul Van Ginkel. \$7000 value. Among other things, this beautiful painting captures the elegance and pride as depicted by our athletes.

[*Secret Auction Item*]

Don't miss your
opportunity to *secretly*
bid for a trip to
Big White in Kelowna



Secret Auction Item

The Big White Culinary Adventure – For four lucky guests!

With 2012 Canadian Olympic Gold Medallist Jamie Sale, hockey star Craig Simpson, Culinary Champion Marc Lepine of Ottawa, Olympic Multi-Medallist Adam Van Koeverden, Legendary Entertainer Barney Bentall and Special Guest Appearances by Two-Time Olympian and 2007 World Champion Freestyle Skier Kristi Richards!

Travel Dates: February 5 – 10, 2013



You and three guests will be treated to an amazing ski and culinary week. The week will begin with a champagne reception at the fabulous Big White Ski Resort where you will get to meet the rest of the guests from across Canada and GMP celebrities: Olympic Gold Medallist Jamie Sale, hockey star Craig Simpson, Marc Lepine, 2012 Canadian Culinary Champion (Atelier Restaurant, Ottawa), and legendary entertainer, Barney Bentall! You will enjoy three nights at Big White Ski Resort, where you will stay in an executive two-bedroom condominium and receive four three-day ski passes for you and your guests. You will hit the slopes enjoying some of the best skiing conditions in the world and maybe even get a run or two with two-time Olympian and 2007 World Champion Freestyle Skier Kristi Richards, who has her sights set on Sochi in 2014! On February 6th, you will join the other Gold Medal Plates guests again and be treated to a wonderful four-course culinary experience called

“The Last Supper” as Chef-Champion Marc Lepine prepares his last dinner as reigning Canadian Culinary Champion in the spectacular White Spirit Lodge. This will definitely be one of the highlights of the week!

Following your three days of skiing, you and your guests will be transferred back to Kelowna, where you will spend two nights at the spectacular Delta Grand Okanagan Hotel and receive VIP passes to the 2013 Canadian Culinary Championships. You will attend the Mystery Wine Pairing, Black Box, and Grand Finale competitions, and watch the ten gold-medal-winning chefs from across Canada compete in these three thrilling and grueling challenges. At the Grand Finale you will witness the crowning of Canada’s best chef for 2013!

All ground transportation from Kelowna Airport to Big White Resort and from Big White Resort to the Delta Grand Okanagan Hotel is provided.

Secret Auction Item

What it is

The Big White Culinary Adventure for Four Guests (see page 5 and 7)

Top three bidders win!

Send your bid to Bigwhite@goldmedalplates.com

Minimum bid \$7,000.

Bidding closes at 9:00 pm tonight!

How it works

- 1) Once the item is introduced from the stage the bidding will be declared open
- 2) To bid, simply send your bid to Bigwhite@goldmedalplates.com with the details as noted below
- 3) The MC will announce from stage the current bid level throughout the night to keep you posted if you wish to email a counter bid
- 4) The bidding will close at 9:00 pm
- 5) Before the end of the event, the MC will announce who the winning bidders are – remember up to 3 bidders can win!
- 5) You will be asked to come up to the side stage to receive your certificate and to make payment

4 things to include in your email

- 1) Contact: First name, Last Name
- 2) Table Number: Table #x
- 3) Bid Amount: \$xxxx (\$7000 minimum)
- 4) Phone number: xxx-xxx-xxxx



“Fantastic Trip! Gold Medal Plates is the most hospitable host and takes extremely good care of its guests. We were entertained, extremely well fed, the wine was of high quality and flowed freely, and our every need was considered and taken care of. Thanks for a wonderful 5 days!!”
— ANNA SANDERS, SASKATOON

“Gold Medal Plates, gold medal food, gold medal friendships!!”
— BRAD & LEANNE SMOLIAK, EDMONTON



Your six-day, five-night Big White Culinary Adventure for four includes:

- Three nights' accommodation in a deluxe two-bedroom condominium with ski in/out access at either Stonebridge Lodge or Sundance Resort on February 5, 6 and 7, 2013
- Four three-day ski passes to Big White, Western Canada's premiere ski destination
- Welcome champagne reception hosted by Canadian Culinary Champion Marc Lepine, Jamie Sale, Craig Simpson and Barney Bentall
- Ground transportation from Kelowna Airport to Big White Resort and from Big White Resort to the Delta Grand Okanagan Hotel
- A four-course culinary experience at the spectacular White Spirit Lodge, created by 2012 Canadian Culinary Champion Marc Lepine of Atelier in Ottawa
- Two nights' accommodation at the Delta Grand Okanagan Hotel in Kelowna on February 8 and 9, 2013 (two, one-bedroom hotel rooms)

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- Four VIP passes to the three Canadian Culinary Competition events, as follows:

MYSTERY WINE PAIRING COMPETITION ON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8 AT THE HOTEL ELDERADO.

Chefs will be presented with a mystery bottle of wine on Thursday night and are then required to prepare a dish with local ingredients that best complements the mystery wine, in a set amount of time and with a set budget. During the event you will taste the mystery wine and play 'judge' as you vote on the "People's Choice Award" for the best wine and food pairing. Food and wine included.

BLACK BOX COMPETITION ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9 AT OKANAGAN COLLEGE

Chefs receive only 10 minutes notice and a black box containing an array of diverse foods before having to produce and plate two spectacular dishes for the national judges. All in one very short hour! You won't get much closer to watching an Iron Chef competition than this - you will be a spectator in the kitchen!

The Grand Finale Competition on Saturday, February 9 at Delta Grand Okanagan Hotel

Your VIP tickets include access to the VIP reception where Marc Lepine, 2012 Canadian Culinary Champion and Executive Chef at Atelier in Ottawa, will prepare spectacular hors d'oeuvres and wonderful regional wines will be served. On the final night of competition, anything goes. Chefs create their best dish for guests to sample, paired with a great wine from their regional winery partner. By evening's end, Canada's Champion Chef for 2013 will be crowned and a victory celebration will be staged including a show produced by National Entertainment Advisor, Jim Cuddy. Food and wine included.



Auction item

The Glory, Magic and Mystery that is South Africa – Eight Wonderful Days of Wine, Song and Sunshine Amidst Luxury and Adventure

Declared 'The Best Destination on the Planet' by Trip Advisor in 2012!

With Special Guests Juno Award Winners Jim Cuddy and Sam Roberts and Olympic Gold and Silver Medallist Simon Whitfield and Very Special Guest Ed Robertson*

Travel Dates: February 25 – March 4, 2013 OR March 4 – 11, 2013

Come and experience South Africa – a land of spellbinding landscapes – from Table Mountain to God's window – mountains, forests, breathtaking coastline, vineyards and deserts - majestic wildlife, fascinating cultures and local traditions presented by some of the most hospitable and warm people you will ever meet – we promise you will be mesmerized by the rhythm and soul of Africa!

You will enjoy a glorious week at the luxurious 5 star Asara Wine Estate located in Stellenbosch, 25 minutes from the Capetown airport. Asara, set in the tall grass of Cape plains, is known as the meeting point of African gods and here General Manager Pete Gottgens who served as Nelson Mandela's Personal Chef for seven years is sure to make your stay unforgettable. Stellenbosch is a vibrant, safe university town offering old world charm, trendy bars, gourmet restaurants and a vibrant night-life. Capetown, with world class sites and shopping, is also only 40 minutes from Asara and was recently declared the best travel destination in the World by Trip Advisor.

Your adventure will include a spectacular champagne dinner at the top of one of the Seven Natural Wonders of

the World – Table Mountain - where you can either hike or take a cable car to this amazing setting. Also, you will experience a Private Game Reserve Day Safari where you will experience the Big 5 – lions, rhinos, elephants, Cape buffalos and leopards along with many other wildlife.

If golf is your passion, there are five superb golf courses within 30 minutes of Asara. And if cycling is your passion, you will want to pack your bike and join Olympic Gold Medallist Simon Whitfield on daily guided rides through the mountains and along the spectacular coastline. And for those of you who are up to a challenge – Gold Medal Plates has reserved a space for you in the March 10 Cape Argus Ride, the world's largest timed bike ride at 110 km around Table Mountain and along the breathtaking coastline of the Cape of Good Hope! And if golfing or cycling are not for you, we offer NIA - a workout that draws from the martial arts, dance arts and healing arts - great for cautious beginners or highly fit athletes!

Add concerts under the African sun by Juno award winners Jim Cuddy, Sam Roberts and Ed Robertson and special guest Anne Lindsay, and it is an experience that you just can't miss!

* Ed will join each week for four days and bring his tremendous musical talent and wit in a very special 'Ed's Night' performance.

Your seven-night, eight-day adventure for two includes:

- Accommodations, including gourmet breakfast, at the five-star Asara Wine Estate located amidst the rolling Stellenbosch hills, the foot of the tranquil dam. Set apart from other estates by its rich African heritage and world-class hospitality, Asara has 3 full dining restaurants, cigar bar, pool, 24-hour concierge and a carefully-researched wine list.
- Welcome reception, featuring exquisite wines from Asara's cellar
- Concert under the African sun with Canadian musicians Jim Cuddy, Sam Roberts and Ed Robertson and special guest Anne Lindsay
- South Africa wine tasting hosted by Jim Cuddy
- Poolside parties and music
- Cycling with Olympian Simon Whitfield, led by local guides along the mountains and coastlines of the area (optional). Opportunity to participate in the world's largest timed bike ride, Cape Argus – 110 km. (Entry fee not included). (Note: You will need to bring your own bike – road bike rentals not available in South Africa)

South Africa is a fantastic blend of Europe and Africa - great food, amazing wines and jaw dropping scenery. I was impressed with how safe it was and loved the people and culture, not to mention Table Mountain, Cape of Good Hope and the wildlife – scenes out of National Geographic. Another dream trip ticked off my bucket list, but I will be back!—
JIM HEPPELL, VANCOUVER

- Nia sessions - playful and pleasurable workout with dynamic movement patterns set to great music - taught by Martha Randall - Nia Black Belt Teacher
- A spectacular champagne dinner at the top of Table Mountain where you can either hike or take a cable car to this amazing setting
- Private Game Reserve Day Safari – includes transportation and lunch
- Time to explore the beauty of Capetown Stellenbosch and the world-class wine district of South Africa with over 150 wine estates surrounding the Asara property. Some of Africa's best dining is within 30 minutes of the resort.

Optional add-ons (at additional cost):

- Participate in the Asara Wine Harvest and pick grapes and enjoy breakfast with the Asara winemaker
- Golfing
- Mountain bike riding through the vineyards



Terms and Conditions: Flight not included. Meals only as specified above will be included. Transportation as noted above will be included. These prizes are non-negotiable and not convertible to cash. The prize must be redeemed on the dates specified – no exceptions. The recipient agrees to accept the prizes as is, fully aware of any and all restrictions. The redemption process of these live auctions are the sole responsibility of the winners. The recipient will be required to sign a waiver of liability regarding GMP Services Inc., Gold Metal Plates, Canadian Olympic Foundation and Canadian Olympic Committee and their respective employees and volunteers' involvement in offering, sponsoring, hosting or arranging the events or activities described as part of the above package. The recipients agree to these terms and conditions. Please note: Trips are available for those eighteen years of age and older.



Auction Item

The Great One in a Million Golf Experience!

With The Greatest Hockey Player of all Time, Wayne Gretzky and Hockey Legends Russ Courtnall and Dinner with Special Guest Valeri Bure!

Travel Dates: March 4 - 8, 2013



Your bragging rights will be legendary as ONLY 8 people will get the once in a lifetime chance to golf with Wayne Gretzky and Russ Courtnall on their home course, the private Sherwood Golf & Country Club Course in Thousand Oaks, California! This 7,052 yard, par - 72 private course set at the base of the majestic Santa Monica Mountains in Thousand Oaks, just outside central LA, is home to a championship 18-hole Jack Nicklaus signature golf course which proudly hosts the Tiger Woods Foundation World Challenge Tournament.

Indisputably the greatest hockey player ever, Wayne Gretzky needs no introduction. He played 20 seasons

in the NHL for four teams from 1979 to 1999 including the Edmonton Oilers where he led the team to four Stanley Cup victories. His records and accolades are endless - leading point-scorer in NHL history, with more assists than any other player has points, only NHL player to total over 200 points in one season - a feat he accomplished four times; nine Hart Trophies as the most valuable player, ten Art Ross Trophies for most points in a season, five Lady Byng Trophies, five Lester B. Pearson Awards, two Conn Smythe Trophies as playoff MVP and in 1999 he was inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame. Also known as the most gentlemanly superstar in the modern history of the NHL you know The Great One will be a treat to golf with no matter how you perform!

Sherwood's championship course features imaginative use of land elevations and valleys, waterfalls, running streams and unique rock formations that echo the