

## 2009 Reynolds Foundation Gala Live Auction Items

### **\* Celebrity Golf with Neal Boortz, Foursome**

**Starting Bid: \$1,800**

**(aka: The Talkmaster, Mighty Whitey and The High Priest of The Church of the Painful Truth)**

*Donated by Neal Boortz and Reynolds Plantation*

*Join Neal for 18 holes of golf on Reynolds Plantation's Oconee Course, followed by lunch and conversation at the Linger Longer Grille. This package will include signed copies of his books "The Terrible Truth About Liberals," "Somebody Has To Say It," and the "Fair Tax Book."*



Neal Boortz has been a Talk Show Host in Atlanta, Georgia since 1969, currently on News Talk 750 WSB. Since early 1999 his show has been syndicated on radio stations from Maine to California and from Alaska to Florida. His program airs live from 8:30 to 1:00 pm each weekday with close to four million listeners nationwide.

### **\* Ultimate Evening for 10**

**Starting Bid: \$4,000**

*Donated by Mercer Reynolds*

*An elegant evening at Mercer Reynolds' residence with acclaimed concert pianist, Damon Denton. A special dinner, with selected wines, will be prepared by Executive Chef Gerald Schmidt. Chat with Damon Denton during dinner and enjoy his piano performance afterward in the great room.*



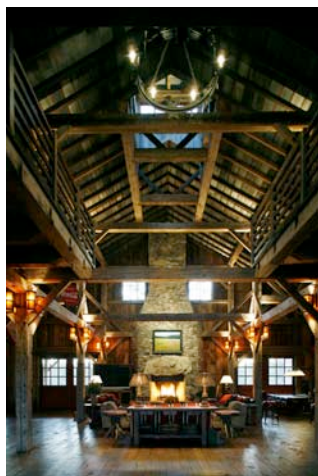
Damon Denton, a graduate of the Julliard School, is an award-winning international concert pianist. He is currently a resident of Athens, GA and a frequent guest artist at the University of Georgia.

Gerald Schmidt is the executive chef at Reynolds Plantation.

### **\* Sports Package at the Barn**

**Starting Bid: \$6,000**

*Donated by Mercer Reynolds and Reynolds Plantation*



*You and 24 friends cheer on your favorites at either The Kentucky Derby (May 2, 2009); The US Open Golf Finals (June 21, 2009); or the Georgia/Florida Football Game (October 31, 2009) at the Reynolds Family Barn. A sports themed menu will include hors d'oeuvres and cocktails.*



**\* Diamond Pendent**

*Donated by Aurum Studios*

*This 18-karat yellow and white gold diamond pendant features a round textured disc enhanced with a diamond swirl design and diamond coil bail. The chain is 18-karat white gold with two diamond stations. Total diamond weight: 0.71 carats.*



Aurum Studios' prize-winning artists have been designing and crafting a wide range of fine jewelry since 1975.

**Starting Bid: \$2,500**



**\* Atlantis Trip**

*Donated by John & Betsy Russell*

*Relax during this three night/four day trip to Paradise Island, Bahamas. Accommodations at Atlantis Resort include two rooms (double occupancy). Airfare not included.*



**Atlantis** is a tropical **resort** and hotel featuring a large marine habitat, marina, water attractions, a spa, a casino and a large conference center.

**Starting Bid:**

**\* Mystery Cruise Aboard Celebrity Cruise lines**

*Donated by Celebrity Cruise Lines*

**Starting Bid:**

**\*\*\*TO BE ANNOUNCED AT THE GALA\*\*\***



The exceptional level of personal service, award-winning cuisine, world-famous amenities and accommodations that are the most spacious at sea, ensure an unforgettable cruise experience. Celebrity guests and the travel press, such as *Condé Nast Traveler*, consistently rate Celebrity Cruises as one of the world's finest cruise lines. Experience what sets Celebrity apart.

**\* Food and Wine Pairing with Richard Matthews**

*Donated by Richard and Kathy Matthews of Classic Wines*

**Starting Bid: \$3,000**

*You and your guests will be treated to a delightful evening with Richard Matthews, Proprietor of Classic Wines. Richard will showcase award winning wines while preparing wonderful, small dishes which pair well with the wine. In this intimate setting Richard will enhance your knowledge and appreciation for food and wine.*



**Classic Wines**

Established in 2006, Classic Wines is the product of a forty-year dream of its owner, Richard Matthews, and offers the largest selection of wines in the area. In addition, they carry an extensive inventory of distilled spirits and an array of custom made gift baskets.

**\*Private Dinner**

**Starting Bid: \$5,000**

**Presidential House at The Ritz-Carlton Lodge, Reynolds Plantation**

*Donated by Executive Chef Scott Gambone, The Ritz-Carlton Lodge*

*Four couples will enjoy a private poolside reception followed by a four-course dinner, prepared by Executive Chef Scott Gambone, with wine pairings in the formal dining room. Overnight accommodations and breakfast at Georgia's Bistro are included.*



The 5,400 sq. ft. Presidential House at The Ritz-Carlton Lodge boasts four master suites, wood burning fireplaces, a private outdoor pool and game room.

**\* Set of TaylorMade Irons and Golf Bag**

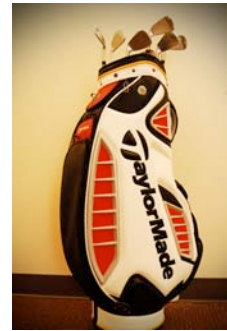
**Starting Bid: \$1,000**

*Donated by TaylorMade*

*TaylorMade Tour Staff Bag with a set of TP Tour Irons (3 through pitching wedge)*



TaylorMade, which became part of adidas in the late '90s is considered the #2 golf club maker, after Callaway Golf, making metal drivers and irons (R500 Series), putters (Rossa), and balls (Distance Plus, TP Tour), which are sold worldwide. Other products include bags, apparel, and accessories, as well as items for women and kids. It sponsors players on the PGA (Mike Weir), Senior PGA (Gary McCord), European PGA, and LPGA (Se Ri Pak) tours.



**\*Autographed Golf Bag**

**Starting Bid: \$425**

**by Paula Creamer, Retief Goosen, Kenny Perry, & Justin Rose**

*Donated by TaylorMade*

*TaylorMade Tour Staff Bag autographed by Paula Creamer, Retief Goosen, Kenny Perry and Justin Rose.*



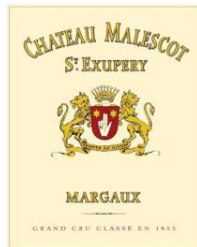
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**\*1975 Chateau Malescot St-Exupéry Margaux**  
**(Jerobaom, equivalent of 6 bottles)**

*Donated by Thomas & Karen Allhoff*

*“This classy Margaux shows elegant, ripe cassis flavors with notes of cedar, tobacco and restrained vanillin oak set in a silky, highly extracted texture underscored by refined, focused tannins.”*

**Starting Bid: \$1,500.00**



Records indicate that wine was produced at Chateau Malescot St-Exupéry as far back as 1608.

[www.malescot.com](http://www.malescot.com)

**\*Mountain Escape**

*Donated by Terry and Terrie Russell*

**Starting Bid:**

*Escape for 4 days/3 nights to this six bedroom, four and a half bath, three story home overlooking a point on Lake Glenville/Thorpe Lake in Cashiers, NC. Every room in the house has a view of the lake and a waterfall next to the house can be seen from the dock. The main floor has two master bedrooms w/ bathrooms. Five bedrooms have queen beds and the sixth has four single beds.*



The scenic mountain village of Cashiers, NC can be found at 3,500 feet in the southwest corner of North Carolina's Blue Ridge. Visitors to the area can enjoy fishing, hiking and shopping in Cashiers and nearby Highlands.