



## **Nature Ball: LIVE AUCTION ITEMS**

### **1) ARCTIC CRUISE EXPEDITION**

**Value: \$38,000, kindly donated by Adventure Canada**

Adventure Canada's "Heart of the Arctic" tour scheduled departure from July 18-30, 2017.

On this journey guests will discover the beating heart of the Arctic from Nunavik to Nunavut and the coast of Greenland. Wildlife viewing of polar bears, walrus, and muskox is excellent. Cultural experiences include meeting community leaders and highly reputed Inuit Art-creators. Steeped in a culture all its own, the heart of the Arctic will stay with you long after you return home.

### **2) CANOE WITH AUTOGRAPHED PADDLES**

**Value: Priceless, kindly donated by Canadian Tire**

Explore nature and enjoy family-fun memories in your own Pelican Canoe donated by Canadian Tire with cherry paddles *signed personally* by the Honourable Prime Minister Justin Trudeau and Madame Sophie Grégoire Trudeau. (2 adult and 2 child personal floatation devices included)

### **3) EXPLORE IQALUIT, NUNAVUT**

**Value: \$7,000, kindly donated by First Air**

Two tickets from Ottawa or Montreal to Iqaluit. Enjoy this opportunity to explore Iqaluit, the capital of Nunavut and gateway to the secret world of Canada's Arctic landscapes, Inuit cultures and artwork in the Nunarra Sunakkutaangit Museum.

### **4) OWN A "ROBERT BATEMAN"**

**Value: \$10,000, kindly donated by Robert and Birgit Bateman**

World renowned artist, conservationist and Nature Canada member, Robert Bateman has donated his Bald Eagles Studies which showcases the powerful features of this magnificent and much revered bird species. This piece truly represents the beauty and diversity of Canada's wildlife which Nature Canada hopes to protect for future generations to celebrate.

### **5) FINE IRISH DINING**

**Value: Priceless, kindly donated by Irish Ambassador Jim Kelly and his wife Ann Martin**

Enjoy a spectacular evening with family and friends or business colleagues. A group embassy dinner for 10 people at the official residence of Irish Ambassador Jim Kelly and his wife Ann Martin at their beautiful home in Rockcliffe Park.

### **6) BECOME AN ATWOOD CHARACTER**

**Value: Priceless, kindly donated by Margaret Atwood**

Have your name appear as a character in Vol.3 of Margaret Atwood's ANGEL CATBIRD trilogy, forthcoming September 2017 from Dark Horse Comics. Volume 1 published this month debuted at #1 on the New York Times Bestselling graphic novel list. (The winning bidder will have no control over the character).