

**Harbor Church Live Auction**  
**July 28, 2018**  
**Bill Mckernan, Auctioneer**

1. Fly local colors with this **Block Island Flag** bearing the coat of arms of the Town of New Shoreham, the incorporated name of our town.

2. **Farmer's Market Basket.** This basket includes something for everyone in your party: a Black Walnut cutting board; hand painted pillow; Block Island honey; a beautiful necklace; hand dyed napkins; note cards; pickles; an Island photo and more!. Donated by **Block Island Farmers Market members. Value \$250**

3. One night stay at **Payne's Harbor View Inn** in the shoulder season. Overlooking the Great Salt Pond (New Harbor) this inn was built with all the modern conveniences and the outward lines of an old hotel. The winning bid includes two round trip ferry tickets fro Pt Judith. This is a wonderful gift opportunity for a friend or family member, and even a special evening away for you!

**Donated by Payne's Harbor View Inn Value \$300**

4. Still searching for that elusive **Block Island Glass Float**? Win a glass float, often referred to as an orb, signed by craftsman Eben Horton, creator of the Glass Float Project. The winning bidder will also be afforded the opportunity to work with Eben making a Glass Float in his studio in Wakefield, RI. You can then number it, let Eben hide it, and track it until it is reported found. Make bets with your friends on how long it remains hidden!

**Donated by Eben Horton Value \$350**

5. Local collectors have watched **Whitney Knapp Bowditch** progress from an emerging talent to a fine artist whose work is shown locally at Jessie Edward Studio. **This painting** features an image including the Harbor Church and the Spring House Hotel, two island landmarks, both dating to the 1800's.

**Donated by Whitney Knapp Bowditch Value \$600**

6. Shake off the Winter-is-Coming blues with **Dinner for 8 — including guest host Adrian Mitchell** — The dinner will be at a location determined by Kimberly. Last year Joe Sprague gave the group a hay ride to Adrian's place on the Neck — champagne was flowing, the party had oysters at his farmhouse — then rode the hay wagon back to Kimberly's for a private dinner. Must be after October

**Donated by Kimberley's Catering Value \$1,000**

7. Always dreamt of having a place in a bustling city? Or just want to go to New York City for a visit without the trouble of finding a hotel and making reservations? Win a **three night stay in a wonderfully appointed apartment** located in **Midtown Manhattan**, a three block walk from Grand Central Station. Located in the three acre United Nations Plaza, the unit sleeps four comfortably and the building has a 24 hour doorman!

**Donated by Tom & Pat Doyle Value \$900.00**

8. **Dinner for 2 at the Restaurant 1879.** Travel to and from dinner at the historic Atlantic Inn in the comfort of **Mark Emmanuelle's vintage open car.** Mark, a Jersey boy who long ago adopted —and was adopted by — the Island he so loves will pick you up, take you on an Island Tour, tell you all about year-round life, drop you off at dinner *then* pick you up and take you home!

**Donated by the Atlantic Inn and Mark Emmanuelle \$300 Value**

9. **Go Ocean Fishing for “bottom dwellers”** — that is sea bass, fluke and porgy, —with Captain Hank Hewitt (you'll want to join Facebook just to follow Hank's honest to gosh true exploits following fish 24/7/5, when he's not casting he's preparing!). **A charter trip for up to six people, any month but August** — early July is recommended, plan ahead for next year! (not including gratuity)

**Donated by BI Fishworks Value \$550.00 (minimum bid \$300 - Hank alone is worth it!)**

10. Never mind The One That Got Away, “catch” this **Fresh Water Bass print**, framed and ready to hang on your wall. The antique plate for this exquisite print dates back to 1907.

**Donated by the Glass Onion Value \$325**

11. **Wind Farm Tour for 4 with Deepwater Wind manager Bryan Wilson.** Bryan started as local liaison in the early stages of the project and has extensive knowledge of all aspects of it. This is a wonderful opportunity to get a tour of the Wind Farm with someone who truly can answer all your questions. A summer kid who was determined to live on Block Island and raise his family here, he is passionate about the environment and renewable energies. Redeemable starting early September.

**Donated by Bryan Wilson & Deepwater Wind Value \$300**

12. **This framed oil painting** by long time summer resident and **Harbor Church member Bill Gill captures** the essence of one of Block Island's most iconic — and historic — scenes, a rare true coastal farm with fields of grass running to the beach and buildings dating to the 18<sup>th</sup> century, a time when people lived off the harvest of the land and sea.

**Donated by Bill Gill Value \$300**

13. **Love lobster**, hate having to try to be neat at a restaurant? Want to just dig in and go straight to the paper towels and garden hose after eating? Take **home six 1 ¼ pound lobsters from Finn's tank**, cook them up, gather some friends and have a feast on your deck or in your yard or of you're really bold inside!

**Donated by Finn's Fish Market Value \$130**

14. **Pamela Anderson Gelsomini** has deep roots on Block Island, back to the days when boarding houses served home-cooked meals three times a day, and among her many passions and talents — which do include cooking — is painting and she is now a member of the Spring Street Gallery. This **framed sunset** reflects her lifelong association with and love of this island. Take the glory of a Block Island sunset, painted by more than a casual observer, home with you.

**Donated by Pamela Anderson Gelsomini Value \$150**

15. See a wedding in your future, or looking for hard-to-find-because-they-don't-make-it-anymore fabric to creatively re-purpose? This **Vintage Wedding Dress** will fit the bill and unlock your imagination.

**Donated by Lynn Fletcher Value \$200**

16. Take to the skies with our resident airline since 1970, **New England Airlines!** Enjoy a lighter-than-air trip to the mainland with the fun of trying to pick out familiar landmarks from a very different perspective as you zip over Block Island, the Sound and the coast of Rhode Island. Use these **Two Round trip flights between Westerly and Block Island.**

**Donated by NE Airlines Value \$218**

17. What better way to end the day than you and a companion joining a **Sunset Sail** with the experienced Capts Puckett on the trimaran ***Ruling Passion***. Sip some wine, nibble some cheese, meet some interesting folks as you cruise along watching the sun slip into the ocean. The trip must have 6 people booked in order for them to go.

**Donated by the Capt Puckett Value \$120**

18. **This matted photo by Alex Baba-Vulic** explains Red (light is on the) Right (upon one's) Return as it reminds us for many seasonal vacationers as well as residents, being on the boat — or just the sight of it — entering the Old Harbor has the feel of coming home to safe haven, putting the dark clouds in the rear-view mirror.

**Donated by Alex Baba-Vulic Value \$250**

19. Always carry Block Island on your wrist as well as in your heart with this **silver Toggle bracelet** designed by local jeweler **Peter Gibbons**. Should you wish to exchange this for an item of like value or put it toward a different item in his collection see Peter at the Farmers Market (he's the one being upstaged by his cute little dog, Dug)

**Donated by Peter Gibbons Value \$160**