

## **Live Auction Items**

Enjoy your coffee and dessert during our live auction. This year's auctioneer, Hoagy Carmichael, will once again encourage you to nod, wink, or raise your arm, to bid on a great selection of auction items that benefit the CFFCM. Listen to Hoagy tell some wonderful stories and make this auction entertaining and successful. Amounts in parenthesis are only minimum auction estimates, full retail values/prices on new items/services, or suggested minimum bids. **All bids accepted.**

L1. **Primitive Shore Decoy:** *an Egret by and from Paul McCain.* Our long time supporter Paul McCain is a recognized artist and carver of traditional and primitive Long Island shore birds. Every creation is an original and well suited for any home. Picture this long legged bird next to your hearth or on the mantel, it is simply exquisite. (\$350 +)

L2. **A day fishing with the Van Puts.** Fish the local streams with the most respected and knowledgeable 'Catskill' fly fishing couple in the world, Ed and Judy Van Put. Ed is the author of The Beaverkill-The history of a River and its People and Trout Fishing in the Catskills. Judy is a local real estate agent, newspaper columnist, and equestrian. In addition to picking up the tips and tricks on where and how to find fish in the area, Ed's mother, Agnes, will provide some of her famous cookies. Ed and Judy will give you a personal inscribed copy of Trout Fishing in the Catskills as a reminder. You might even get Ed's mom, Agnes, to sign it. This will be one of the best days of your life. To be used in the 2009 fishing season. (\$500+)

L3. **A Poul Jorgensen Nymph, Fishing License, and 3 Signatures** Just where could you ever get three of Poul's signatures? There are TWO on his license, one on front and the other over the fishing stamp on the back. The third is simply "POUL", as he signed his notes. The nymph is one from his fly box. It is professionally mounted and framed. License donated by Ed Van Put, Nymph from Rick Eck. (\$350-500)

L4. **A Lovely Trout Runner from Annies Place in Roscoe.** Just what is a trout runner? Well this one is a 30"x 8' hand hooked 100% wool carpet runner with an outstanding trout themed design and cotton backing. It will make a dramatic impression to that foyer, den, or family room. (\$275)

L5. **Half Day on the Pootatuck with Keith Fulsher.** It don't get better than this. Meet Keith at the CT Pootatuck Clubhouse just before noon. Keith will provide a fine lunch and some finer conversation before taking you to his favorite pools. Rain or shine, you will be challenged with some feisty beasts that warily do take the right fly. It is not a big river, but some big fish; bring a 7 ½ 'er and you will be fine. (\$500+)

**L6. A Private Casting Lesson With Joan Wulff.** If you need to correct bad habits, a darn good place to start, or just a tune up...you'll want this lesson. Joan is out of the group class business, but has agreed to provide a couple of hours of personal instruction and attention. Simply put, Joan is the finest casting instructor in the world.

(Thousands)

**L7. A Day Fishing Hewitt's Big Bend Pool.** Spend a leisurely day or evening fishing Hewitt's treasured Big Bend Pool on the Neversink with Host David Willmott and friend Jim Krul. Dave's wife, Catherine will make a nice lunch, Jim will make up stories and Dave will point out showing fish.

(\$500+)

**L8 Rolf Baginski 7 ½' 4W, 3 piece, 2 tip Custom Bamboo Fly Rod.** If you won the trip with Keith on the Pootatuck, this is perfect rod to bring along. Rolf Baginski, The German master bamboo rodmaker and author of Split Cane Rods, is considered the 'father' of the European rodmaking community. This special rod was donated by Rolf to be used as a fundraiser.

(\$1,200+)

**L9. Private Tying Lesson With Mary Dette.** Pick up some pointers on how to correctly select the hackles, mount woodduck wings and put it all together and make a traditional Catskill dry fly. Mary will share with you the family techniques that have been used for almost 100 years. This is a great way to spend a couple of hours and a have a once in a lifetime lesson.

(\$500+)

**L10. Original David Weaver Brook Trout Painting.** This is not a print, but an original acrylic and pencil painting professionally mounted and framed. David is an avid fly fisherman and fly tyer from Gettysburg, PA. His specialties are gamefish painted mostly in acrylics. Among his recent awards are the 1999 NJ Trout Stamp and the 2001 Nevada Trout Stamp. This is a one of a kind and picture perfect.

(\$350-600)

**L11. One on One Lunch with Donald Trump Jr.** If you are going to be in Manhattan sometime and want to have lunch, if you win this you can call one of the CFFCM Trustees, Don Trump Jr. Don Jr. has agreed to take the winning bidder to lunch and then on a back room tour of Trump Tower. You never know who you will meet there. (If you want to bring a guest, add a couple more hundred dollars to the winning bid. Lunch will be arranged at a mutually convenient time.) You won't talk business, it will be all about the outdoors.

(\$350+)

**L12. 3 Dettes, a Fox, and some Redwood Creek Wines.** Framed by Ted Patlen, this mount contains a fly tied by Walt, a fly tied by Winnie, and a fly tied by Mary Dette; each with an individual signature card. The fourth fly is tied by Joe Fox. Joe is Mary's daughter, Linda's son, making Mary his grandmother and the great grandson to Walt and Winnie. This authentic and historical mount is the first including Joe Fox. Included is a foursome of Redwood Creek wines.

(\$600+)

**L13. Hardy/Greys fly rod.** Another all round fly rod. 8'6" 4 Weight four piece. The Hardy classic range draws its inspiration from the past. By utilizing every trick of modern technology, they have made every part totally compatible with the future. These new Lightweight rods are at the core of the Classic range while great to look at with traditional fittings and cosmetics, they also load well and give smooth, accurate delivery. Be the first on your block to own one. (\$250+)

**L14. Experience Alaska Fly Fishing at Sallery Lake Lodge.** A Trip for two to Sallery Lake Lodge, Kodiak Island, Alaska. The 6 day, 6 night fly fishing trip for two includes deluxe cabin accommodations, all sumptuous meals at this comfortable, modern and exclusive Kodiak Island lodge, it is a fly fishing experience you will never forget. Also included are R/T flights from Kodiak. The Sallery River drains from the Sallery Lake into Ugak Bay and produces bright and hard fighting salmon through out the season. Be prepared to catch salmon: Sockeye, Pinks, Chum and Silvers in addition to fast action Rainbows, Dolly Vardens and Steelhead. This trip is for this year August 23-29 or at a mutually agreeable time with the hosts at Sallery Lake Lodge in 2010. According to Erin, if you do it once, you will want to do it again. (\$5,100)

**L15. Cortland Sterling 4W Mid Arbor Fly Reel and Platinum Tip Fly Line.** This feature packed beauty starts as a solid billet of 6061T6 aluminum. It's then machined to exacting tolerances and hard anodized for lifetime durability. Rulon disc drag, counter balanced exposed rim and quick release spool adds maximum control. A knurled bar stock drag knob is slip proof and the mid arbor design gives you maximum line capacity but still has all the benefits of rapid retrieve and reduced line coiling. A lifetime warranty protects your investment. Coupled with backing and Cortland's latest generation WF 4 Precision Platinum fly line makes this an all around winner. (\$225+ )

**L16. The 2006 Guest Fly Tyers Frame** We are always three years behind since starting this annual fly plate. The tyers are those who participate individually every Saturday in the CFFCM Guest Tyer program. These tyers are all unique and so are their flies. This year the plate contains 28 flies tied by: Dave Brandt, Jim Slattery, Ralph Graves, Greg Belcamino, Stan Jakubaszek, Mike Valla, Greg Heffner, Fishy Fullum, Dave McNeese, John Shaner, Ed Burgholzer, Bill Leuszler, Rich Bogardus, Joe Fox, Bill Hrinko, John Drew, Mike Hogue, Peter Jacques, Allen Podell, Andy Sutton, Andy Gennaro, John Roetman, Carl Bradley, Bill Newcomb, Mary Dette, Bob Levinson, Don Bastian, Ted Patlen. It is always, an amazing collection of fine flies. (\$2,000+)

**L17. Fish With Fran.** This is a rare opportunity to fish for New York State's Atlantic Salmon in the Lake Ontario tributaries. Fran has been the NYS/DEC Salmon River Special Assistant for over ten years, after twenty years of professional guiding in the same area. No one knows this fishery and the fish better than Fran. You and another can join Fran at a mutually convenient time to fish for Spring and Summer Atlantics or fish to King Salmon or Steelhead in the fall. Lunch will be provided. (\$800+ )

**L18. Lee Wulff's Lucky Bonefish Hat.** Wear this and everyone will know it is you. This wonderful Scottish tartan hat was one of Lee's favorites. Comes with a 'Pre-Joan' photo of a young Lee in a boat with a fish on and some amazing schools of bonefish. Authenticated by Joan. (\$\$\$ it is up to you)

**L19. Everything but the Kitchen Sink Loaded Vest From our friends at Catskill Flies** Without Dennis' knowing, Ellen loaded this top of the line *Simms G3 Guide Vest* up to the kazoo with everything you need to enter the water. There are flies, tools, accessories, a bandana and even a Marmot rain jacket neatly folded and placed in the back pocket. It would take years to appoint a vest in this style. You won't need anything else. Don't tell Dennis, he thought it was only the vest. Size of your choice.  
(S600)

**L20. A day on Brooklyn water with Hoagy B. Carmichael.** This does not come up very often and is a rare opportunity. Spend a morning with Hoagy and have lunch or meet for dinner and fish the evening rise. Whatever you work out with Hoagy will be fine with us. Soak up the heritage of the past and that of the present. The Brooklyn Fly Fishers have had this property since 1905. It is relatively unchanged, including the membership quota of 19. It is not every day you can fish with Hoagy let alone on Brooklyn Club water.  
(Hoagy will tell you how much)



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## **SILENT AUCTION**

**S1. Framed wooden cutout of fly and fish.** Donated by Debbie and Tom Babcock.  
Minimum Bid \$25

**S2. Weekend Stay for Two at The Beaverkill Valley Inn.** Fish their private water and relax in the luxury of the BVI for two nights with six (6) incredible meals. (Does not include taxes, beverages, tips and service charges) The Catskills most elegant lodging. Value \$680. Donated by the Beaverkill Valley Inn.  
Minimum Bid \$450

**S3. Bethel Woods Lawn Tickets.** Enjoy a select 2009 Pavilion Stage event at Bethel Woods Center for the Arts or 2 adult admissions to the Museum at Bethel Woods.  
Minimum Bid \$25

**S4. Cabela's Deluxe Gear Bag,** 18"W x 10"D x 11-1/2"H. In addition to the main compartment, there are six secure outside pockets, including a large under-flap pocket with buckle-strap closure. Pack it up and be ready to go on a moment's notice.  
Minimum Bid \$20

**S5. Castle Arms Heritage Ace Fly Reels.** Die cast aluminum, lightweight reels with all the buzzers and bells: disc drag, counter balance and large arbor quick retrieve. From (Uncle) Phil Castleman and Heritage Rods. Get both a 3/4 and a 7/8 for one money  
Minimum Bid \$60

**S6. An Angler's Creel, by Peter Corbin.** Celebrated sporting artist and landscape painter Peter Corbin has, in the rare and venerable tradition of Winslow Homer, Ogden Pleissner, and A.B. Frost, merged the natural wonder and elegant drama of the sporting life within the realm of fine art. Donated and signed by Peter Corbin.  
Minimum Bid \$45

**S7. Guy Harvey Framed Ltd 175/200 Rainbow Country Print.** Bold, outstanding, and sure to capture a room's attention to details. Like all of Guy Harvey's art, brilliant and full of life. Donated and signed by Guy Harvey.  
Minimum Bid \$75

**S8. fishpond Crooked Island Guide Pack.** The Crooked Island Guide Pack is a great lumbar pack for big rivers, open flats or tiny spring creeks. Sized to swallow everything but the kitchen sink. Donated by fishpond.  
Minimum Bid \$45

**S9. Isonychia Bi-color Specimen Flies from Bob Hosack.** Nymph and Spinner Isonychia patterns, suitable for framing. Donated by (Bob) RJ Hosack Fine Cane Fly Rods.  
Minimum Bid \$10

**S10. Crayfish Fly from Bob Hosack.** You will not want to fish this one, but use it as study mount. They do not get better than this. Also donated by Bob.

Minimum Bid \$10

**S11. Creekside Cabins, Two Nights for Two.** Enjoy two consecutive nights at Creekside Cabins. Fish well into dark and then roll into bed. Convenience coupled with comfort. Donated by Donna Vallone and Creekside Cabins.

Minimum Bid \$100

**S12. Ex Officio Insect Shield Baja Shirt.** You don't even have to go to the Baja to enjoy the benefits of this protective shirt. It is simply a great way to keep protected. Size Medium. Donated by Ex Officio

Minimum Bid \$25

**S13. Ex Officio Buzz Off Baja Shirt, Size L.** Keep the bugs off with this Buzz Off shirt. Like the other offered in this silent auction, you don't even have to leave home to enjoy it. You can dream of the Baja every time you put this on. Also donated by Ex Officio

Minimum Bid \$25

**S14. Six (6) Vintage Salmon Fly Glasses.** Wonderful set of late 1940's-early 1950's, drinking glasses with pyroglazed salmon fly designs. Donated by Ginny Krul, MWG & Associates.

Minimum Bid \$15

**S15. Barred Wood Duck Feather Lapel Pin/Brooch.** Hand carved and hand painted reproduction of a barred wood duck flank feather. Outstanding work and perfect for any affair. Donated by Ginny Krul, MWG & Associates.

Minimum Bid \$10

**S16. Three Sypher Streamers.** Master fly tyer, Ted Sypher, mounted three of his favorite streamers in a handsome shadow box. All tied in Maine's Rangely Lakes Tradition: Gray Ghost, Rapid River and Blue Devil. Donated by Ted.

Minimum Bid \$75

**S17. Eric Leiser Mounted Snagged Angus.** Fly tying innovator, master tyer, author, and Hall of Fame member, Eric Leiser artistically mounted one of his signature *Angus* flies.

Minimum Bid \$30

**S18. Orvis Battenkill 5/6 Fly Reel.** Gently used and remaining in excellent condition, this highly desirable Battenkill classic reel comes with original paperwork, 2 spare spools and as new fly line. This reel was made in England and is a seriously dependable reel. Donated by Carmine Lisella, Jordan Mills Rod Co.

Minimum Bid \$125

**S19. Beaverkill River Map Shadow Box with Flies.** Barry Mill from Sawdust and Stitches mounted this local map and added some favorite Catskill flies to make it River worthy. If you have a home on the B'Kill, this is ideal. If you have a home on the Willow, the next one is for you. Either way...  
Minimum Bid \$150.

**S20. Willowemoc Creek Map Shadow Box with Flies.** See Above.  
Minimum Bid \$150

**S21. Presentation Fly Wallet to Joan and Lee Wulff.** Now 27 years old and never used. This fleece lined, leather fly wallet bears a brass plate, " To Joan and Lee Wulff, Sunkhaze Chapter TU 1982". This is a piece of history. Donated by Joan Wulff, who will gladly sign it at your request.  
Minimum Bid \$20

**S22. 25 Clouser Minnows.** Proclaimed to be one of the must have flies for both fresh and saltwater by Lefty Kreh, these were tied by the late John Weaver. Donated by Marilyn Ptalis from her husband Paul's estate.  
Minimum Bid \$25

**S23. Renzetti Travel Vise.** Immediately recognized as the benchmark in quality fly tying vises. This is the best selling vise of all times. Donated by Tori Jogodnik.  
Minimum Bid \$125

**S24. Hodgeman Waterproof Wading Jacket.** A fine, lightweight wading jacket, XXL. From Tori Jogodnik.  
Minimum Bid \$40

**S25. Cool Max Hat.** Keep the heat and sun off your neck, when you need to, with this swell lightweight and breathable hat. Make sure you have some protection. Donated by Tori Jogodnik.  
Minimum Bid \$10

**S26. 1 ½ Dozen Catskill Flies in a Cedar Box.** Both the exquisite Catskill flies and the cedar box they come in were handcrafted and donated by 'Catskill' John Bonasera. The flies are so perfect that you'll hate to use them and the nice smelling box will keep them moth free until then.  
Minimum Bid \$35

**S27. Framed Ltd. Edition Brook Trout Print.** 1977 Steven L. Bowers Brook Trout Print, # 100/210. Donated by Joan Wulff  
Minimum Bid \$40

**S28. Turned Stone Wine Stopper.** Recognized Rodmaker, Robert S. Williams, created this one of a kind custom engineered and elegant wine stopper. Robert takes the same pride in machining his own rod components as he does in creating these hand turned creations. Robert has donated many pens and wine stoppers to benefit the CFFCM.  
Minimum Bid \$20

**S29. Vest and Net.** Sally Shea has donated these items in memory of her brother, Bill Sharpless, to benefit the CFFCM. Perfect for the beginner or a growing fly fisherman.  
Minimum Bid \$20

**S30. Jack Yelle 2009 Season Opener Ltd Print.** This is the third in a continuing series of Season Openers by Roscoe's artist, Jack Yelle. This year's is signed by hosts, Ed and Judy Van Put and guest, Assemblywoman Aileen Gunther. ***This is # /12.*** Unfortunately, Congressman Maurice Hinchey could not participate due to priorities in Washington DC so his signature is missing.  
Minimum Bid \$150

**S31. 'Royal Lee' Tied for Lee Wulff by Jim Bashline.** Jim Bashline was an accomplished fly fisherman, author, fly tyer, and editor. Many will remember his books: *The Fly Fishers Bible*, *Atlantic Salmon Fishing*, and *Night Fishing for Trout*, among others. He was a columnist for many newspapers and magazines, founding editor of Flyfisher Magazine, and managing editor of Field and Stream for a short time. Here is a true one of a kind, full feather wing salmon fly tied on a vintage 9/0 blind eyed salmon hook, named The 'Royal Lee' tied and mounted by Jim Bashline. It is dated March 11, 1983 at the Frauncis Tavern. Donated by Joan Wulff.  
Minimum Bid \$300

**S32. Two Hours of Individual Casting Instruction.** Tom's Fly Fishing Service, New Cumberland, PA, will give the winner two hours of casting instruction from a FFF Certified Casting Instructor. Donated by Tom Brtalik, Tom's Fly Fishing Service,  
Minimum Bid \$25

**S33. Orvis Silver Label, TL 4W Fly Rod.** 4 piece mid flex, Orvis 8'6", 4W, 3 1/8 oz. rod. Great rod for all around fishing. Donated by member and Castabout artist, Jack Pangburn.  
Minimum Bid \$250

**S34. Fused and Stained Glass Caricature Fish** by Curtiss Olson (1941-2008), dated 1963. This is most likely one of famed glass artist, Curtiss Olson's, earliest works. Mr. Olson was known for his fish plaques and fused glass art pieces. This highly colorful fish will brighten any room and it will be sure to create some conversation. Donated by Joan Wulff  
Minimum Bid \$25

**S35. Agnes' Basket of Goodies.** The most desirable (and delectable) annual silent auction item we have. Always a treat, you never know what to expect from Agnes Van Put's kitchen but it is always great. Discourage the other bidders right from the start with a big bid. Agnes will also include a signed copy of the CFFCM Cookbook.  
Minimum Bid \$50

