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## MESSAGE FROM THE ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

Dearest supporter,

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you to ArtAttack, Buddies' annual fundraising auction. This year, you will recognize many of the familiar treasures that you've come to expect from us but you will also notice some new developments on the art front: the presence of three leading curators, Sholem Krishtalka, Stephanie Rogerson and Ryan G. Hinds, who have searched the city to bring you cutting-edge contemporary art by Toronto's most exciting visual artists. Our auction lives up to Buddies' tradition of being an artistic pioneer by offering you, our supporters, some of the most innovative and dynamic art in the city.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my deepest gratitude to: RM Vaughan and our three tireless curators who lent us their valuable expertise, the twelve artists who donated their incredible works, the countless companies who generously offered us the various items that you see tonight and the many volunteers who have made this evening possible. I would also like to express how sincerely appreciative I am of you, our patrons, for coming out tonight to lend your support. Without people such as you, the queer and the avant-garde would not have a functional space to develop and present work, audiences hungry for art that celebrates difference and challenges the norm would not have a venue and hundreds of queer youths would not have a safe space to discover, develop and use their creative voice.

We have called tonight's event ArtAttack because we, at Buddies, firmly believe that a primary function of art is to liberate the individual from the hegemony of their society and to allow them to stand beyond it with freedom of perception and autonomy of judgment. Tonight, you join us in the belief that art empowers. Thank you.

Wishing you all happy bidding –



Brendan Healy  
Artistic Director, Buddies in Bad Times Theatre

## MESSAGE FROM THE CURATORS

### SHOLEM KRISHTALKA

**“In selecting artists, I wanted to reflect something of what Buddies in Bad Times Theatre is and does, and so I based my curating around the theme of performance. I chose artists whose work is performative in some way, whether the aspect of performance is in the work itself, as in Robyn Cumming’s and Chris Curreri’s practices, or, as with Oliver Husain and Amy Lockhart, if their broader practices are performance-based in some way.”**

Bio: Sholem Krishtalka is a painter and a writer. He is the Visual Art critic for Xtra Magazine, and is a contributor to C Magazine, CBC Arts Online and Ryeberg.com. His painting is featured in the Carte Blanche 2: Painting book, he has just exhibited his debut solo show in New York City with Jack the Pelican Presents, and launched a print edition commissioned by ArtInvestor in Munich, Germany.

### STEPH ROGERSON

**“I like art that isn’t afraid to fail as well as to succeed: I dig art that’s deftly playful and fiercely smart, and these folks have it in spades.”**

Bio: Steph Rogerson is a writer, artist, curator and academic, and is a PhD candidate in Art and Visual Culture at the University of Western Ontario. Steph received an MFA from the School of Visual Arts in photography and related media in 1999. She has been a contributing arts writer to several magazines and art journals: Fuse, C Magazine, AfterImage Journal of New Media, Xtra! and NOW Magazine. She has presented on queer representation and photography at the University of Bielsko Biela in Poland, Queen’s University, The University of Western Ontario and most recently at The Arts in Society in Venice, Italy.

## RYAN G. HINDS

“Buddies in Bad Times has been part of my life for over a decade, so when I was asked to curate this auction, I wanted to bring in some pieces that would reflect the city, the energy here, and the other things that make this space luminous. As co-founder of The ARTWHEREK! Collective, I’ve been lucky enough to watch the development of some of the best young queer artists in the city. Growing from exhibiting in a book-store attic to showing at the AGO has been an exciting journey, and I’m happy that Tanja, Shannon, and Kevin have been part of it. Before she started winning awards, Tanja caught our eye with her evocative and theatrical work; Shannon with her great use of shape and color; and Kevin with his constant perspective play. It’s my joy that I can bring their work to you, and add tonight to the long list of fabulous nights at Buddies. Happy Bidding!”

Bio: Award-winning performance artist Ryan G. Hinds is recognizable from shows at Circa, Revival, The Gladstone, Goodhandy’s and many festival stages (Including Nuit Blanche, Pride, Fringe, and Rhubarb) and his tireless activism around issues that address queer youth and people of color. Theatre audiences have seen him in plays and musicals everywhere at Buddies in Bad Times, Theatre Passe Muraille, and Ryan is proud to be the first black actor to play Hedwig in “Hedwig & the Angry Inch” (also one of only a handful who appeared both in the movie version and a stage production). Having worked with everyone from art stars Ina unt Ina and Will Munro to playwright Sky Gilbert to icons like Liza Minnelli and Debbie Reynolds, Ryan has been described as “dazzling” (Susan G. Cole, Now Magazine), “thrilling” (Robin Sharpe, BlogTo.com), a “queer renaissance hero” (Paul Gallant, fab magazine), and a “trash-tastic whirling dervish” (Rea Mcnamara, eye magazine). [Ryanhinds.ca](http://Ryanhinds.ca)

## HOW IT WORKS:

**REGISTER:** Be sure to register and pick up your Bidder Card in the Ante Chamber as soon as you arrive. With a Bidder Card you can bid on any lot in our live and silent auctions.

**EXPRESS CHECK OUT:** Spend less time in the checkout line by authorizing the purchase of your items to either your Visa or Mastercard when you register. Simply fill out the billing information section when registering as a bidder and items successfully bid on can be immediately purchased. All you have to do is pick them up at the end of the evening!

**ON DISPLAY:** Browse during the preview and check out the various pieces of contemporary art, cultural adventures and cool stuff up for auction. The catalogue is organized by the running order in which each lot appears during our live auction. Be sure to take note in your catalogue of the items you really have your eye on.

**LIVE AUCTION:** See something you like? RAISE YOUR BIDDER NUMBER!

**SILENT AUCTION:** The silent auction consists of over twenty coveted items up for grabs in two separate groups. Listen up during the live auction for announcements of silent auction closing times. The first group will close at approximately 8:45 PM, and the second at approximately 9:45 PM. You can bid as often as you like using the same bidder number you use for the live auction. The highest bid at the time of closing wins, so keep an eye on your favourites.

**PAYMENT:** You can pick up and pay for your items anytime throughout the evening in the Ante Chamber. Buddies accepts Visa, Mastercard, debit and cash.

## LIVE AUCTION:

### 1. "BUDDY UP"



Photo of Nathalie Claude by Rolline Laporte



Photo of Karin Randoja by Jeremy Mimmagh

Dinner for four at **Sassafras** in Yorkville

Cocktails at Tallulah's with Buddies' new **Artistic Director, Brendan Healy**

Four tickets to **Nathalie Claude's The Salon Automaton**

Four tickets to **The Independent Aunties' Breakfast**

Four subscription passes to **Buddies' 10/11 Season**

### 2. VISUAL ART Curated by Ryan G. Hinds



**Tanja-Tiziana**  
**All Tied Up**  
Man being tied up by Japanese knot master, Midori.  
Black & White print, 8 x 10"  
framing courtesy of O'Connor Gallery

Tanja-Tiziana lives and creates in Toronto, Canada. Much of her artwork, both film-based and digital, explores the style and substance of past eras within the modern metropolis. Professionally, she specializes in stills for film & television along with event and editorial photography. Recently, she was awarded 1st Prize for Outstanding Artist at the Sunnyside Beach Juried Art Show and voted 2009 Best Local Artist/Photographer by Xtra! Magazine readers in Toronto. Her first book of photos, entitled, CIRCA: An Urban Retrospect, was published in 2007. More information on CIRCA can be found at [UrbanRetrospect.com](http://UrbanRetrospect.com). Past exhibitions include Festival International Montreal en Arts in Montreal; Artwher! - Art Gallery of Ontario in Toronto; Riverdale Art Walk in Toronto; and Port Credit Outdoor Art Show in Mississauga, among many others. Her work can often be found on [BlogTo.com](http://BlogTo.com).

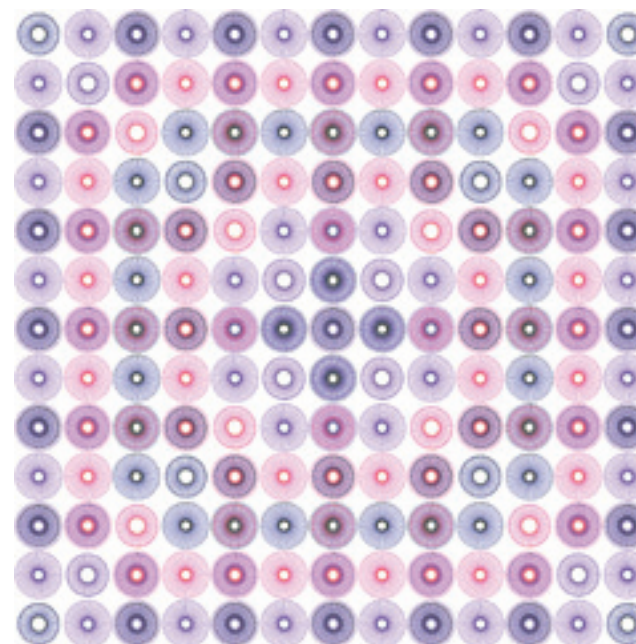
### 3. “COME UP TO MY ROOM”

One night stay in an Artist Designed Hotel Room at **The Gladstone Hotel**  
 Two tickets to the annual alternative design event **Come Up To My Room**  
 And the **LoveDesign** party at The Gladstone Hotel (Jan 21-24)

### 4. “A CULINARY ADVENTURE”

A \$100 gift certificate for **O.Noir** – a sensual dining experience, served in complete darkness by blind wait-staff  
 A \$100 gift certificate for **The Stonegrill** – an interactive dining experience that presents your meal cooking on a heated stone courtesy of Dine.TO  
 A \$100 gift certificate for **The Chef’s House** courtesy of Dine.TO  
 A \$100 gift certificate for **Adega Restaurante** courtesy of Dine.TO  
 A \$100 gift certificate for **The Harbord Room**  
 A \$100 gift certificate for **Balsam**  
 A \$50 gift certificate for **Mitzi’s Sister**  
 A \$50 gift certificate for **The Bishop and the Belcher**

### 5. VISUAL ART Curated by Stephanie Rogerson



**Liss Platt**  
**Untitled (Triangle Disk, holes 1 and 5)**  
 2007, ink jet print, 29” x 29”  
 framing courtesy of O’Connor Gallery

Liss Platt is a media artist whose works take the form of videotapes, films, photographs, web sites, performances, and installations. She is currently an Associate Professor in the Multimedia Program at McMaster University and a part-time consultant for organizations involved in independent media arts preservation, such as IMA and Materiamedia. She also curates video and film programs, writes/edits for media publications, and plays ice hockey.

## 6. "EAR CANDY"

A Bose Portable iPod SoundDock Digital Music System from Bay Bloor Radio

## 7. "FLORAL OCCASIONS"

Distinctive, elegant and evocative arrangements once a month for three months from Demarco-Perpich

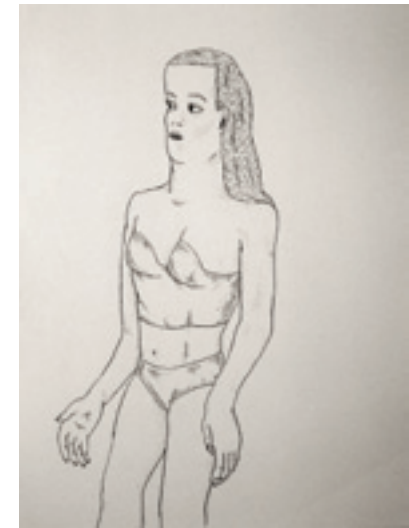
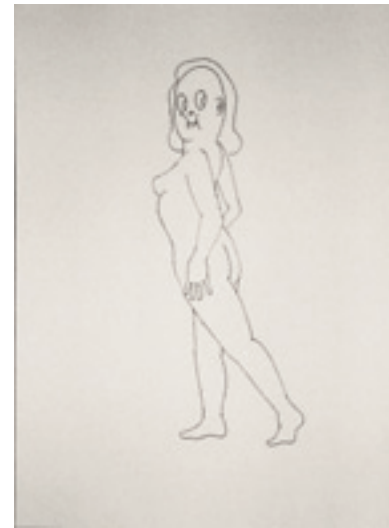
## 8. "THE WILD ONE"

One pair of regular adult Blundstones from the Australian Boot Company

A \$200 gift certificate from Passage Tattoo for a session with Jay

A \$50 gift certificate from Model Citizen for one handprinted T-shirt

## 9. VISUAL ART Curated by Sholem Krishtalka



Amy Lockhart  
diptych  
Lady in Underwear  
2009, ink on paper, 9"x12"  
Portrait of Lady From Behind  
2009, ink on paper, 9"x12"  
framing courtesy of O'Connor Gallery

Amy Lockhart is a filmmaker, animator and artist, whose artwork and award winning films have been exhibited and screened internationally. Lockhart studied at the Nova Scotia College of Art and Design and has been a resident artist at Calgary's Quickdraw Animation Society, Strutts Gallery, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago and The California Institute of the Arts. Her work has received international acclaim and been collected by public and private art institutions and film festivals across the globe.

## 10. "BON VOYAGE"

Two tickets to any production from Montreal's **Centaur Theatre Company's 09/10 Season**

Two night stay at **La Conciergerie Guest House**, Montreal

One year **Zipcar** membership with \$50 driving credits

## 11. "CHEF AT HOME"

A \$50 gift certificate for **Cumbrae's**

Four deliveries of fresh organic produce to your Toronto home from **Front Door Organics**

**Lesson #1 of Cooking 123s Executive Chef program** – chef, Julien Muser, has worked for Mildred Peirce, Rosewater Supperclub, Mitzi's Sister, Verona, Cirque de Soleil and more

## 12. "SOMMELIER'S DREAM"

Four hand-made **Louise Tripod Wine Glasses** designed by Maarten Baptist and a **Loopsey Wine Rack** designed by David Quan from Umbra's U+ Collection

## 13. VISUAL ART Curated by Ryan G. Hinds



Camera: Holga  
 Film: Ilford Delta 400 Pro  
 Post: Self developed - digitally printed

**Kevin Charlie**  
**Looking East - Centre Island**  
**Photography (analogue),**  
**8"x8" matted and framed**

Kevin Charlie is a wedding and lifestyle photographer based in Toronto, and was recently named "one of the top five photographers" in Toronto by Metro News readers. Photography started at an early age for Kevin; picking up his first camera in his elementary school years, and ever since that first click of the shutter he was hooked! "To be able to share my artistic and creative photojournalistic ability with people has truly been an amazing experience" states Kevin. When Kevin is not photographing weddings, lifestyle commissions, commercial assignments or working behind the scenes, he can usually be found traveling and wandering with one of his many film or digital cameras in hand capturing the beauty and inspiration around him.

## 14. "THE ROYAL TREATMENT"

Two tickets to **Bob Newhart Live** at **Roy Thomson Hall** (Dec 4)  
 One night in a deluxe guestroom at the **Fairmont Royal York**  
 One evening of limousine services courtesy of **Avonhill Limousine**

## 15. "DESIGN FOR LIVING"

Two tickets to the Opening Night Reception Gala of the **2010 Interior Design Show**, Canada's largest contemporary design event (Jan 21)  
 Dinner for two at **Sassafras** in Yorkville  
 One evening of limousine services courtesy of **Avonhill Limousine**

## 16. VISUAL ART Curated by Ryan G. Hinds



**Shannon Taylor**  
**Motion Series #3, diptych**  
**acrylic and ink on paper, 15"x21"**  
**framing courtesy of O'Connor Gallery**

Shannon Taylor's studio practice draws inspiration from scientific disciplines like astrophysics and microbiology, observable phenomena in nature, as well as the underlying patterns of the everyday. Her drawings and paintings are deeply involved with exploring the structures and patterns connecting all things, as well as the way technology informs contemporary visual language. As an emerging artist, Shannon has participated in a number of group shows including "Artwherk!" - an annual arts showcase for emerging queer artists, as well as donated art to causes such as the LGBT Youthline Art Auction. She has shown and curated at Propeller Centre for the Visual Arts - an artist-run centre which supports the initiatives of artists at all career levels. Her illustration credits include work for CKLN radio station's Pride Month programming, material for Toronto Roller Derby's all-queer Pride bout, and regular contributions to \$pread Magazine, an NYC-based magazine by and for sex workers and their allies. Shannon Taylor is a 2006 graduate of Ontario College of Art & Design with a major in Drawing & Painting. She is currently working and showing in Toronto.

## 17. "BREAKFAST & THE BARD"

Two tickets to select dates of the **Stratford Shakespeare Festival's 2010 Season**

One night stay at the **The Artful Lodger B&B** in Stratford

**AutoShare** family membership including \$100 in driving credits

## 18. "BARBIE IN WONDERLAND"

A set of four **Pop Saints Prayer Candles** (Bettie Page, Bea Arthur, Michael Jackson, Johnny Cash)

A **Paint by Numbers Glitter Wall Clock**

An **Alice in Wonderland Package** (Charm bracelet, Fancy Deluxe Belt Buckle, Cuff Links)

All from **Barbie's Basement Jewellery**

## 19. VISUAL ART Curated by Sholem Krishtalka



**Oliver Husain**  
**Ambedkar Park and Marlene Pavillion**  
 2009, Print on Vinyl, 29"x35"  
 framing courtesy of O'Connor Gallery

Born in Frankfurt, Germany, Oliver Husain currently lives and works in Toronto. His short films and videos have been exhibited and screened internationally. In 2008, he was a featured filmmaker at the Flaherty Film Seminar, Colgate, New York. In 2009, his screening performance *Purpled Promises* will be presented at Live Film! Jack Smith! Festival, Berlin. In January 2010 an exhibition of his work will open at the AGYU, Toronto.

## 20. "DINNER AND A SHOW"

Four tickets to any **Canadian Stage Bluma** production in the 2009/2010 Season

Dinner for four at **Matignon** French Restaurant

## 21. "TIFFANY & CO."

Red Line cuff links in sterling silver with red enamel by **Tiffany & Co.** generously donated by Rogers Business Solutions

## 22. "CINEFILE"

One Patron Membership to **Inside Out** for its 20th annual **Film and Video Festival** (May 20-30)

Two Festival Passes for the 17th annual **Hot Docs Canadian International Documentary Festival** (Apr 29-May 9)

Two Festival Passes and two tickets to the Opening Night Gala for the **Canadian Film Centre's Worldwide Short Film Festival** (Jun 1-6)

A **Cinematheque** membership and **Sprockets Festival** 10-pack from TIFFF

## 23. VISUAL ART

Curated by Stephanie Rogerson



Chris Ablett  
**Dirty Cupcakes**  
 2009, Chromira print, 16"x20"  
 5 out of 100  
 framing courtesy of O'Connor Gallery

Chris Ablett has been a visual artist for over 15 years, interested in expressing sexuality and gender through art. As a queer and trans person, photography has helped Chris to gain a sense of himself, and has given him a love and appreciation for his body. "Sitting" is his first digital photography art series with over 200 diptych style images featuring dreaming landscapes combined with self-portraits. Chris is currently writing a photography book with Green Candy Press and teaching photography courses.

## 24. "I AM A WILD PARTY"

A private DJ hosted karaoke party in Paddy's Playhouse at **Take A Walk On The Wildside**

## 25. "WORK IT OUT"

Twenty boxing classes at the **Toronto Newsgirls Boxing Club**, Canada's only all-female and trans-positive boxing club

Two Foundation Program Packages (6 classes in each) at the **Yoga Centre Toronto**

A Nutrition Consulting Package which includes an initial consultation, action plan and follow up session courtesy of **Nutrition by Design**

## 26. "LAKESIDE GETAWAY"

Two tickets to *An Ideal Husband* or *The Women* or *The Doctor's Dilemma* during the 2010 Season of the **Shaw Festival**

One night stay at the **Britaly Bed & Breakfast** in Niagara-on-the-Lake

One weekend car rental with 600 free kilometers from **Discount Car & Truck Rental**, Yonge and Bloor location

## 27. VISUAL ART

Curated by Stephanie Rogerson



**David Grenier**  
**Petalhead Portrait No. 24, Circa 1923**  
 2007, archival ink and watercolour on paper, 8" x 10"  
 framing courtesy of O'Connor Gallery

David Grenier is a visual artist working primarily in drawing, performance and installation. He has shown in the United Kingdom and across Canada.

## 28. "KEGGER!!!"

Steam Whistle's 1967 Ford Econoline Van with built-in draught taps will roll into your backyard complete with handsome server, two kegs of beer and 24 stem beer glasses

## 29. "THE BOOKS OF MAU"

Three books (*Life Style*, *Spectacle*, *Massive Change*) by internationally renowned designer Bruce Mau

## 30. VISUAL ART Curated by Sholem Krishtalka



Robyn Cumming  
Untitled from "In Place"  
2004, Photograph -  
chromogenic print,  
30" X 32" unframed

Robyn Cumming is a Photo-based artist working in Toronto. She received a BFA from Ryerson University and an MFA from York University. She currently teaches in the photography dept. at Ryerson University and OCAD. Robyn has been described as, "the most deadpan funny artist using film since French director Jacques Tati" (Peter Goddard, Toronto Star), who has "an uncanny ability to conjure up entire short stories in a single image" (David Jager, Now Magazine). Her work has been exhibited throughout Canada and in New York and Asia, and is reproduced in the art books "Fast Forward 2009" and "Carte Blanche", published by Magenta Foundation. Robyn's work can be found in private collections worldwide as well as in the public collection at the Kiyosato Museum of Contemporary Photography in Japan. She was recently featured in a new series about Canadian photographers titled Snapshot on BRAVO.

### 31. "CULTURE CRAWL"

Two tickets to any **Tarragon Theatre** performance during the 09/10 Season

Two tickets to any **Theatre Passe Muraille** performance during the 09/10 Subscription Season

Two tickets to a **Tafelmusik** performance of *Intimate Bach* featuring Tyler Duncan, baritone (Jan 22)

Two tickets to *And So It Goes* at **Factory Theatre** (Jan 30-Feb 28)

Two tickets to a performance during the **Dancemakers Presents Festival** (Feb 23-Mar 6)

Two tickets to Mozart's *The Marriage of Figaro* at **Opera Atelier** (Apr 27,28,30)

### 32. "INDIE MUSICIAN'S PACKAGE"

Fifteen hours of studio time from **Apmar Music** which may include recording, editing and/or mixing

A one day, six hour mixing session with Noise in the Attic's Juno Award winning engineer **Denis Tougas**

The design of CD packaging and disc face artwork for one musical recording from **Lucinda Wallace**

A \$200 gift certificate to Canada's largest provider of independent music products and services, **Indiepool**

A \$100 rental from **Long & McQuade**

### 33. "MADE IN CANADA"

A Hybrid Stool by **MADE** design duo, Shaun Moore and Julie Nicholson

The book, *Forms With a Smile* which features the best in contemporary Surrealist design and includes a piece on the Hybrid Stool – also donated by **MADE**

### 34. VISUAL ART Curated by Sholem Krishtalka



Cecilia Berkovic  
Untitled, from the Double Page Spread series  
Photograph

Cecilia Berkovic is a Toronto based artist and graphic designer. Not bound to a single medium, her work includes poster projects, limited edition objects, photography and installation. She practices collaboratively with art collective Instant Coffee and sits on the Board of Directors at Gallery TPW. Past projects include designing a permanent themed room at the Gladstone Hotel (Teen Queen), participation in Video Art is Queer 2009 at Pride Toronto, and Instant Coffee Disco Fallout Shelter at the Toronto Sculpture Garden. She is currently pursuing graduate studies in New York.

### 35. “POWER PLAY”

A Kink 101 Bondage Kit featuring luxurious, quality gear from **Aslan Leather** including a set of Red Jag wrist and ankle cuffs, a two-way connector and a Red Jag collar

### 36. “CENTURY OLD BARBER CHAIR”

A fully-functional, antique **Theo A Kochs Barber Chair (circa 1910)** with original nickel plating, porcelain, and leather upholstery generously donated by Liz Carson

### 37. VISUAL ART Curated by Sholem Krishtalka



Chris Curreri  
**Handle**  
 2009, colour photograph, 12"x16.5"

Chris Curreri is a Toronto-based artist who works predominantly with film and photography. His photo-based practice takes the form of looping film projections and photographic suites. He holds a BFA from the School of Image Arts at Ryerson University and an MFA from the Milton Avery Graduate School for the Arts at Bard College. Recent exhibitions include: *Handle* at Diaz Contemporary in Toronto (2009) and *Perceptions and their Arousal* (2008) at Agnes Etherington Art Center in Kingston. Recent film screenings include: Image Forum Festival, Japan; Festival Internacional de Cine de Mar del Plata, Argentina; and the Toronto International Film Festival, Canada.

### 38. "INDIE PRODUCER'S PACKAGE"

A one-night rental of Tallulah's Cabaret, courtesy of **Buddies in Bad Times Theatre**

Two quarter page (6 unit), four colour advertisements in **Xtra Magazine**

Two quarter page, black and white advertisements in **NOW Magazine**

Ten hours of print-based graphic design with boutique agency **JAK Creative**, official designers of Buddies in Bad Times Theatre

The creation of one online promotional video, up to 1 minute in length, from **Loud Lady**, Catherine Hernandez

A \$200 gift certificate from **The Fine Print Copy Centre**

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## SILENT AUCTION

### GROUP 1

**A. "LACEY"** Lacey, an exquisitely executed needlepoint pin-up that would make granny gasp by **Ashlee Cowan**

**B. "PAPER ART"** A one year subscription to **Canadian Art** magazine currently celebrating it's 25th anniversary

A one year subscription to **Prefix Photo**, a Canadian magazine dedicated to contemporary photography and related arts

**C. "ART/EXCHANGE"** An Appreciation Membership for the **Design Exchange**, Canada's Centre for design and innovation and a framed print by **Cindy Grenke** also donated by the Design Exchange

Two general admission tickets to the **Art Gallery of Ontario**

**D. "BOOKHOU"** Alphabet, an original design laser cut in birch plywood by **bookhou**, a local studio that features modern, handmade art and design emphasizing natural materials and small production pieces

**E. "LIBRARY LOVER"** A mini-library of books and other goodies from **Toronto Women's Bookstore**, **Insomniac Press** and **House of Anansi Press**

**F. "LAUGH OUT LOUD"** The complete DVD set of the edgy British comedy series, **The Mighty Boosh** donated by **Bay Street Video**

**G. "OTTAWA ON MY MIND"** Two tickets to attend a **National Arts Centre** Orchestra, English Theatre, or French Theatre presentation

A two night stay at **Inn on Somerset** – easy walking distance from fine restaurants, shopping, Parliament Hill and the Rideau Canal

**H. "NUTRITION BY DESIGN"** A Nutrition Consulting Package which includes an initial consultation, action plan and follow up session courtesy of **Nutrition by Design**

**I. "GOOD FOR HIM"** A Guy's Night In gift pack from **Good For Her** including an Aneros Prognasm and much more

**J. "COME AS YOU ARE"** The **Come As You Are** gift pack includes *The Guide to Doing Me*, a Unisex G-Spot Massager and more

**K. "LEGALIZE GAY"** Five pairs of **American Apparel's** "Legalize Gay" men's briefs in hot colours and various sizes

A **Cruiseline** gift pack including a 250 minute membership, T-shirt, towel and other goodies

A vintage red T-shirt (medium) printed with Montreal/No.69 and a pair of white boxer briefs (medium) from **Priape** and it's brother company, **Good Boy Gone Bad**

## GROUP 2

**L. "SCHLITZE"** Schlitze Sugar Bowl from Katherine Morley's Freaksware series generously donated by **MADE**

**M. "VIOLET & DAISY"** Violet & Daisy Cojoined Salt & Pepper Shaker from Katherine Morley's Freaksware series generously donated by **MADE**

**N. "ADDICTED TO SATIN"** A silk-screen printed pillow by **Yasmine Louis** whose work reflects a romantic nature, a love of kitsch images, and an addiction to satin

**O. "LIFE OF LEISURE"** A one year subscription to four rugged Canadian magazines – **Cottage Life**, **Explore**, **Outdoor Canada**, and **Canadian Home Workshop**

A **Cottage Life** barbeque apron equipped with a mitt, barbeque cloth and more

All courtesy of **Quarto Communications**

**P. "RED EARTH"** A red earthenware serving bowl with leaf pattern sgrafitto decoration and food-safe glazes created by studio potter **Richard Skrobecki**

**Q. "SPRUCE IT UP"** A maintenance-free, artificial 42" boxwood tree from **Hauser Company Stores** – perfect for a balcony, patio or entryway

**R. "TAXES FOR TWO"** Two comprehensive personal tax returns for the tax year 2009 from **Barry Benigson**, **Chartered Accountant**

**S. "MS. LUBE"** One year's worth of oil changes including full vehicle inspection and service with a smile from **Ms. Lube**

**T. "GOOD FOR HER"** A Girl's Night In gift pack from **Good For Her** including a Lelo Mia Rechargeable Vibrator and much more

**U. "GOOD & HANDY"** 10 adult DVDs, including gay male, t-girl, and pansexual videos directed by Mandy Goodhandy and Todd Klink, starring local and visiting talent courtesy of **Goodhandy's**

**V. "REACH FOR THE SKY"** A collector's set of instructional dvds courtesy of **Take A Walk On The Wildside** and starring Sky Gilbert – Acting Like A Girl, So You Wanna Be A Crossdresser, Eh?, Why I Crossdress

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