## THE WAR CHILD BENEFIT AUCTION

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Saturday November 8, 12pm to 5pm Sunday November 9, 12pm to 5pm

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#### **ILLUSTRATIONS**

Front cover: Lot 4 Back cover: Lot 6



## WHAT IS WAR CHILD?

War Child is a charitable organization dedicated to helping children and their communities overcome the devastating impact of war. Since being founded in 1999, War Child has grown into one of the most respected charities in North America, reaching nearly 500,000 people in 2013 alone.

## WHAT DO WE DO?

Conflict undermines the support structures children need when growing up. War Child helps communities rebuild from within and recreate an environment in which childhood can thrive once more. We do this by restoring access to education and justice and by providing opportunities for families to generate economic growth and break the cycle of poverty and violence.

## HOW WE WORK

War Child believes in investing in national partners and communities. Our programs respect the capacity and experiences of local people. War Child insists on a progressive, critical and informed view of what aid is and how it can help protect civilians caught in war, by helping them become advocates for change within their communities. And we understand that the best development involves active listening, and the flexibility to evolve and adapt according to the needs on the ground.

## WHY WAR CHILD?

The world is a violent place – now maybe more than ever. Whether it is in the Middle East, Africa or Asia, one thing is certain – women and their children will bear the brunt of conflict. Driven from their homes, abused, maimed and even killed, in war, childhood stops.

## AND YET...

The resilience of the communities we work with is inspiring. With the right support they will rebuild. Parents will begin to provide for their families, children will return to education and girls will no longer be attacked with impunity. It takes a long time to get there but we have seen success in every country we work in.



Brian Eno once described culture as "everything we don't have to do...the gratuitous stylistic extras we add to those things we do have to do. You have to eat, but you don't have to decorate elaborately prepared curries with silver leaf. You have to move around, but you don't have to dance."

In other words, culture is comprised of all that we do that defines us as individuals and as communities – from art to cuisine to our hairstyle.

Because culture is so important to our sense of identity, it is no surprise that it is increasingly a target in war. From the Nazi's looting of art collections in the Second World War, through the bombardment of Dubrovnik in Croatia, on to the cultural vandalism in Iraq, attacks on culture have been used to demoralize populations in conflicts across the world.

When the guns fall silent, however, culture acts as a thread of continuity to what went before. In fragile post-war states – such as those that War Child operates in – its restoration can play a vital healing role. Art and culture can help children realize that their heritage is not just war. It goes a long way to creating an environment in which childhood can, once again, thrive and the return to violence becomes less and less likely.

So, as you contemplate (and purchase!) the guitars on display at this auction, do not take for granted the culture that forged them. It is a precious gift that can too easily be lost in the upheaval of war.

Yours sincerely,

Samantha Nutt Founder of War Child

War Child would like to thank all those who have made this auction possible – to Mike Carparelli, to Jeremy Goldsmith and everyone at Bonhams and of course to the artists who donated their precious time and talent we humbly thank you.



"I'm very happy to have the opportunity to donate work to this auction to support children in need. War Child's request to alter a guitar made sense for my work, as the guitar is very much an all-in-one symbol, vehicle, and portal into adolescent angst and shadow drives. I chose to marker out the guitar in gold and slap a Nirvana sticker on it. On the back, it says it all: GRACIAS." (Slater Bradley, Berlin, 18.09.2014)

1 (reverse)

## 1¤

## SLATER BRADLEY (B. 1975)

*Gracias*, 2013 gold marker and vintage Nirvana sticker on Carparelli Acoustic Bass Guitar **\$8,000 - 12,000** 







2 (reverse)

## 2¤

## STERLING RUBY (B. 1972)

A.P.B.B. (After Picasso Blue Bass), 2012 signed with the artist's initials and dated 'SR12' (lower right) acrylic with varnish on Carparelli Acoustic Bass Guitar \$15,000 - 20,000

Provenance

Donated by the artist.







"I have been collaging since I was 5 years old and to this day, when working with this medium I am transported back to my childhood of innocence and purity. My piece touches on these two qualities of the children forced to serve in armed conflicts around the globe. The presence of money signifies the overwhelming greed of the military groups that make use of child soldiers for their own benefit. My hope is for my piece to inspire children and adults alike in to seeing the importance, of caring and educating our youth today in order to give them a brighter future for tomorrow." (Aiko)

3 (reverse)

## 3¤

## AIKO (B. 1975)

Young Money, 2013 signed 'AIKO' (on the reverse) collage, spray paint and silkscreen on Carparelli Acoustic Bass Guitar \$8,000 - 12,000

## Provenance

Donated by the artist.





4 (reverse)



## 4¤

## SHEPARD FAIREY (B. 1970)

Peace Dove, 2012 signed and dated 'Shepard Fairey 12' (on the reverse) spray paint and collage on Carparelli Acoustic Bass Guitar (Model CB900) \$10,000 - 15,000





"I am happy to support War Child's efforts in aiding children effected by war. The image on this guitar relates to my 2010 performance at the legendary Cabaret Voltaire in Zurich, and mirrors Man Ray's 1924 photo Le Violon d'Ingres." (Zevs)

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## ZEVS (B. 1977)

*Liquidated Chanel - Performance at Cabaret Voltaire*, Zurich, 2013 thermal transfer on Carparelli Acoustic Bass Guitar **\$8,000 - 12,000** 





6 (reverse)

"No person, and certainly no child, should have to endure what many of these children have lived through, and in some cases, still live in. I am honored to be able to make a small contribution towards helping them. Thank you War Child for that opportunity." (Michael Stipe)



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## MICHAEL STIPE (B. 1960)

Radiant Guitar, 2012 Inkjet print on surfboard laminate fiber with resin on Carparelli "Spirit of '69" Acoustic Guitar \$5,000 - 7,000

Provenance

Donated by the artist.





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## SAM TAYLOR-JOHNSON (TAYLOR-WOOD) (B. 1967)

Guitar With Palms, 2013 signed 'Sam Taylor-Johnson' (on the face) airbrushed Carparelli Acoustic Bass Guitar **\$10,000 - 15,000** 





"For many years it has been my vision to create environments and forms which reveal the hidden world of the beauty of the soul through the ethereal dance of light, colour & form. It is my intention for my work to uplift, heal & nurture the viewer in such a way that one is inspired to 'Remember' the Beauty that we are, so that we can live together in Harmony. Painting 'Hope' has taken me on a journey of Return to Inner Peace very similar to the vision of what War Child represents to the world-a hand of Hope leading us to Love, Peace and Harmony." (Ginger Gilmour)



8 (reverse)

## 8<sup>°°</sup> GINGER GILMOUR (B. 1949)

Hope, 2013 acrylic on Carparelli Acoustic Bass Guitar **\$5,000 - 7,000** 





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## MATTHEW BELLAMY (B. 1978)

Sheep on Park Farm, Devon, 2014 signed, inscribed and dated 'by Matthew Bellamy musician, painter, shepherd 08/14' (on the reverse) cellulose lacquer on Manson MB-1 Matthew Bellamy Signature Guitar \$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance

Donated by the artist.





"This is the area I was raised, still my favourite place to relax when not on tour. Running free through fields like this is what inspired me in my early years as a musician." (Matthew Bellamy)



10 (reverse)

"Soulman goin' 110 colored dots signify the end Soulman sings a soulful song clear and simple deep and long"

(Iggy Pop)



## 10<sup>¤</sup> IGGY POP (B. 1947)

Soulman, 2012 signed 'Iggy Pop' (on the face); titled 'Soulman' (on the reverse) acrylic on Carparelli Left Handed Hollow Body Acoustic Bass Guitar

\$7,000 - 9,000







11 (reverse)

## 11<sup><sup>II</sup> PEARL THOMPSON (B. 1957)</sup>

... even in the Darkest Shadow, the Brightest Flowers Can Rise Again..., 2014 acrylic, ink and silver on Carparelli Arco F1 Electric Guitar \$3,000 - 5,000

"War Child's mission to bring war-affected communities the resources that their circumstances demand is not only crucial and appropriate, but speaks to a fundamental quality we have as humans to respond and react to injustice, even when we're not directly affected ourselves. There is some mystery in the contrast between lives lived in abundance and lives lived in poverty and struggle. There is mystery in the connection we have to each other and the ability to react to injustice. Art can be a meditation on these mysteries, as it was for me during the process of this project. I'm grateful to be able to take part in a response and to support War Child's programs that make a difference in the lives of over 375,000 war-effected children a year." (Gus Van Sant)

12<sup>α</sup> **GUS VAN SANT (B. 1952)**  *Untitled*, 2012 polyester resin on Carparelli Acoustic Bass Guitar **\$5,000 - 7,000** 





"I am honoured to be included in this effort to raise funds for, and consciousness of, the important work Dr. Samantha Nutt and War Child are doing to provide assistance and dignity to children who are the innocent victims of the plague we call war." (Michael Adamson)

13<sup>°°</sup> **MICHAEL ADAMSON (B. 1971)**  *Combine Charms*, 2012 acrylic paint on Carparelli Acoustic Bass Guitar **\$3,000 - 5,000** 

14<sup>°</sup> **ROBBY KRIEGER (B. 1946)**  *Guitar Face* signed and dated 'Robby Krieger 2014' (lower center) acrylic on Carparelli Acoustic Bass Guitar **\$1,500 - 2,000** 







"I am very honored to help with the War Child guitar auction. I draw superheroes every day but the real heroes are the women and men of the War Child organization whose efforts are in such need across the globe." (Steven McNiven)



15 (reverse\_



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## STEVEN MCNIVEN (B. 1967)

*Electric Spider Man*, 2014 signed 'McNiven' (on Spiderman's elbow) acrylic on Carparelli Arco F1 Electric Guitar **\$3,000 - 5,000** 



"I've been creating things for War Child since the mid nineties, designing or creating for events like the Pagan Fun-Wear Fashion Show or Milestones, an exhibition and auction of major new artwork on behalf of War Child. Each time I'm asked I jump at the chance because I love the fact that War Child links up with various local humanitarian organizations, almost like "Peace Cells", that work in many different areas of conflict around the world. also think War Child engages creative people in the right way and puts their creativity to work for an often overlooked fact that children are not only killed and maimed but are left traumatized by War. In fact in the last decade over 10 million children have been traumatised by war." (Dave Stewart)

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## DAVE STEWART (B. 1952)

War Could Only Be Imagined By A Madman Screamed The Guitar, 2014 signed 'Dave Stewart' (on the neck) acrylic on Carparelli Acoustic Bass Guitar \$2,000 - 3,000

## Provenance

Donated by the artist.

## END OF SALE

## CONDITIONS OF SALE FOR THE WAR CHILD BENEFIT AUCTION

The following Conditions of Sale, as amended by any published or posted notices or verbal announcements during the sale, constitute the entire terms and conditions on which property listed in the catalog shall be offered for sale at auction and sold via Bonhams for War Child Canada, the consignor of such property for whom we are providing certain auction services and acting as agent. As used herein, "Bonhams" "we" and "us" refer to Bonhams & Butterfields Auctioneers Corporation in its capacity as auction agent, including any local or affiliated entity Bonhams may engage to assist with the auction.

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Payment for purchases may be made in or by (a) cash, (b) cashiers check or money order, (c) personal check with approved credit drawn on a U.S. bank, (d) wire transfer or other immediate bank transfer, or (e) Visa, MasterCard or American Express credit or debit card. A processing fee will be assessed on any returned checks. Please note that the amount of cash notes and cash equivalents that can be accepted from a given purchaser may be limited.

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(b) If mediation does not resolve all disputes between the parties, or in any event no longer than 60 days after receipt of the written notice of dispute referred to above, the parties shall submit the dispute for binding arbitration before a single neutral arbitrator. Such arbitrator shall be a retired judge or an attorney familiar with commercial law and trained in or qualified by experience in handling arbitrations. Such arbitrator shall make all appropriate disclosures required by law. The arbitrator shall be drawn from a panel of a national arbitration service agreed to by the parties, and shall be selected as follows: (i) If the national arbitration service has specific rules or procedures, those rules or procedures shall be followed; (ii) If the national arbitration service does not have rules or procedures for the selection of an arbitrator, the arbitrator shall be an individual jointly agreed to by the parties. If the parties cannot agree on a national arbitration service, the arbitration shall be conducted by the American Arbitration Association, and the arbitrator shall be selected in accordance with the Rules of the American Arbitration Association. The arbitrator's award shall be in writing and shall set forth findings of fact and legal conclusions.

(c) Unless otherwise agreed to by the parties or provided by the published rules of the national arbitration service:

(i) the arbitration shall occur within 60 days following the selection of the arbitrator;

(ii) the arbitration shall be conducted in the city of San Francisco, California; and
 (iii) discovery and the procedure for the arbitration shall be as follows:
 (A) All arbitration proceedings shall be confidential;

(B) The parties shall submit written briefs to the arbitrator no later than 15 days before the arbitration commences;

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(2) depositions per party, provided however, the deposition(s) are to be completed within one (1) day; (III) Compliance with the above shall be enforced by the arbitrator in accordance with California law;
(D) Each party shall have no longer than eight (8) hours to present its position. The entire hearing before the arbitrator shall not take longer than three (3) consecutive days;

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## **BUYER'S GUIDE FOR THE WAR CHILD BENEFIT AUCTION**

Bonhams is pleased to be providing auction services for the War Child Benefit Auction on Sunday, November 9, 2014 at 7:00 pm E.T. at Bonhams' New York Gallery (the "Sale") to help support War Child's charitable efforts.

As you will find in this Buyer's Guide, bidding and buying at auction is easy and exciting. Should you have any further questions about the auction process or the lots being offered, please visit our website at **www.bonhams. com/us** or call the New York Reception Desk at (212) 644 9001.

Please note, a buyer's premium is added to the winning bid price of each individual lot purchased, at the rates set forth in the Conditions of Sale. The winning bid price plus the premium constitute the purchase price for the lot. Applicable sales taxes are computed based on this figure, and the total becomes your final purchase price.

Also, please note that buyers in the War Child Benefit Auction are asked to pay and pick up as soon as practicable and in any event no later than 4:00 p.m. E.T. on the second (2<sup>nd</sup>) business day following the auction.

Payment for lots purchased in this Sale may be made to Bonhams by cash, checks drawn on a U.S. bank, money order, wire transfer, or by Visa, MasterCard or American Express credit or debit card. Shipping and removal of purchased lots are the responsibility of the buyer.

#### AUCTION CATALOG

The illustrated auction catalog provides descriptions and estimated values for the lots being offered for sale. Each "lot" consists of a single "guitar" visual art piece designed and customized by the named artist. The catalog also includes the dates and times for the preview and auction and the full text of the Conditions of Sale applicable to bidders and buyers in the auction. A printed version of the catalog is available from Bonhams by calling (212) 644 9001. A small charge may be levied for the cost of the printed catalog and/or shipping. An online version of the catalog for this sale is available for viewing at www.bonhams.com.

#### AUCTION PREVIEW

The auction preview is your chance to inspect each lot prior to the auction. We encourage you to look closely and examine each object on which you may want to bid so that you will know as much as possible about it. Lots are sold "as is" and with all faults; illustrations in the auction catalog, on the website, and in other materials are provided for identification only. At the preview, staff will be available to answer your questions and guide you through the auction process.

The preview for the War Child Benefit Auction property is scheduled for Saturday, November 8<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, November 9<sup>th</sup> from 12:00 to 5:00 E.T. in our New York gallery.

#### ESTIMATES

The auction catalog includes low and high estimates for all lots. The estimates are provided as a general guide to current market value only. Estimates should not be interpreted as a representation or prediction of actual selling prices and are not warranted by Bonhams or the event organizers for tax or general value purposes.

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#### **BIDDING AT AUCTION**

You can bid in the Sale in several ways: in person, via live online bidding, by absentee bid, or over the telephone. Registration is required to participate in all forms of bidding. Registration is required to participate in all forms of bidding. You can obtain registration information online or by calling the New York Reception Desk at (212) 644 9001.

Lots are auctioned in consecutive numerical order as they appear in the catalog. Bidding typically begins below the stated low estimate. The auctioneer will accept bids from interested parties, within his or her discretion (and may also execute bids on behalf of the seller by placing responsive or consecutive bids up to the amount of the reserve, but never above it, for lots subject to a reserve). We assume no responsibility for failure to execute bids for any reason whatsoever.

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At the auction venue, you will need to register at the Reception Desk in order to obtain a numbered bid card. To place a bid, hold up your card so that the auctioneer can clearly see it. Decide on the maximum amount that you wish to pay and continue bidding until your bid prevails or you reach your limit. If you are the successful bidder on a lot, the auctioneer will acknowledge your paddle number and bid amount.

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As a service to those wishing to place bids, we may at our discretion accept bids without charge in advance of the Sale by telephone, online, by facsimile, or in writing on bidding forms available from us. "Buy" bids will not be accepted; all bids must state the highest bid price the bidder is willing to pay. Our auction staff will try to bid just as you would, with the goal of obtaining the item at the lowest bid price possible. In the event identical bids are submitted, the earliest bid submitted will take precedence. Absentee bids will be executed in competition with other absentee bids, any applicable reserve, and bids from other auction participants. A friend or agent may place bids on your behalf, provided that we have received your written authorization prior to the sale.

Absentee bid forms are available in both the print and online versions of the catalog and at our New York gallery. Absentee bids can be submitted prior to sale in person, online, via fax or via email.

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#### **ONLINE BIDS**

Web users may place absentee bids online from anywhere in the world. To place a bid online, please visit our website at **www.bonhams.com/us**.

We are pleased to make our live online bidding facility available to bidders in this Sale.

Additional terms and conditions of sale relating to online bidding will apply. Please see www. bonhams.com/us or contact the Client Services Department to obtain information and learn how you can register and bid online in this Sale.

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Bonhams generally uses the following increment multiples as bidding progresses, subject to the auctioneer's discretion:

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\$50-200	.\$10 increments
\$200 - 500	.\$20/50/80 increments
\$500 - 1,000	.\$50 increments
\$1,000 - 2,000	.\$100 increments
\$2,000 - 5,000	.\$200/500/800 increments
\$5,000 - 10,000	.\$500 increments
\$10,000 - 20,000	.\$1,000 increments
\$20,000 - 50,000	. \$2,000/5,000/8,000 increments
\$50,000 - 100,000	.\$5,000 increments
\$100,000 - 200,000.	.\$10,000 increments
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In our best judgment a work by an unknown hand working in the artist's studio.

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In our best judgment a work of the period of the artist and closely related to the artist's style.

## AFTER (ARTIST)

In our best judgment a copy of the known work by the artist.

## SIGNATURE

#### SIGNED

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