## **Diamonds and Wine Sparkle at Charterhouse Auction**

The huge Charterhouse two day auction of over 1,200 lots on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> & Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February includes a fine selection of valuable jewellery and superb wine.

"We have had a fantastic start to the year having received the best every entry of fine wine into the auction. David Baines, who is our wine expert with over 40 years of specialist wine knowledge, has travelled far and wide to amass 200 lots of wine, port and spirits making this probably the finest such auction in the West Country." Commented Richard Bromell. "We always combine our wine auctions with silver and jewellery as there is a good crossover of clients looking to buy and with 500 such lots there is plenty of choice with estimate from £50 up to £6000."

In the wine going under the hammer, there are cases of Chateau Lafite ( $\pounds 8,000-10,000$ ), two cases of the outstanding Chateau Petrus ( $\pounds 9,000-11,000$  per case) along with cases of port such as Warre's 1983 ( $\pounds 300-400$ ) through to spirits including a limited edition bottle of Courvoisier cognac ( $\pounds 1,500-2,000$ ).



A case of Chateau Petrus £9,000-11,000



A case of Warre's port £300-400

Top lot in the jewellery section is a fine diamond bracelet (£5,000-6,000) followed by a good selection of large diamond, sapphire and ruby rings, earring, necklaces and bracelets.



Viewing for this important auction is on Wednesday 22nd February 9am-7pm and Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> February from 8.30am. For advice on wine, port and spirits, please contact the Charterhouse wine expert David Baines or Richard Bromell, Partner, at Charterhouse, The Long Street Salerooms, Sherborne 01935 812277, or you can view and download the sale catalogue from www.charterhouse-auctions.co.uk

Charterhouse is now accepting entries for their two day March auction which includes medals, coins, stamps, clocks and other collectors items., To arrange a free home visit, please contact Sharon Ableson at Charterhouse 01935 812277 or via email sa@charterhouse-auctions.co.uk