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**FASHION** Some of the world's coolest labels are up for grabs in our online charity auction

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THERE IS ONLY one thing better than getting your hands on the latest fashion, and that's getting your hands on the latest fashion while helping a worthy cause.

The Pulse has teamed up with the Muir Maxwell Trust, the Musselburgh-based epilepsy charity for children and families, to bring you an online charity auction with a huge range of fantastic items and experiences on offer.

Alongside a shopping voucher for The Centre in Livingston and a silk scarf from Glasgow's Pringle Murray, Lot 1 includes a stylish and practical holdall from Harris Tweed, a unique silver and 18-carat gold pearl necklace from Ortak and a Stuart Gladstone clutch bag.

With celebrity followers such as Sienna Miller and Lorraine Kelly, Edinburgh luxury accessories brand Stuart Gladstone's amazing bags are now stocked in boutiques and shops around the UK. The clutch will definitely be something you'll want to bag.

Also in Lot 1 is a pair of divine



Lindsay Campbell

Bebaroque tights, the kind frequently featured in copies of Vogue and sported by numerous celebs.

Keira Thorley is an Edinburgh College of Art graduate who has rubbed shoulders with top Scottish designer Christopher Kane and was nominated for the Scottish Young Designer of the Year award at 2009's Scottish Fashion Awards in Stirling.

Her amazing leather work has made her jackets and wrist-ankle bows coveted by fashionistas everywhere. She has donated a wrist-ankle bow to the cause in Lot 2.

Edinburgh institution Jane Davidson, which has been serving the fashion world since 1969, has donated a stunning clutch bag by Lulu Guinness - something guaranteed to turn heads.

Boudiche Lingerie, based in Frederick Street, has donated a sexy Stella

McCartney slip, while Schuh has donated a £50 voucher to spend in its stores.

Rounding off the items in Lot 2 is a beautiful hat from Joyce Paton, who was crowned accessories designer of the Year at last year's Scottish Fashion Awards. Paton's work entwines vintage and modern and will instantly turn any girl into a glamour puss.

Have you ever wondered what a hairdresser would do to you if he had his way, or what a top make-up artist would recommend? What about if you could roll out of bed and they made you look like a movie star? The top item on offer in Lot 3 of our online charity auction gives you the chance to find out.

Top Scottish make-up artist Mailin Haddow, who has worked on endless campaigns, models, shows and shoots, will show you which products you should



### BAGS OF GOODIES

Stella McCartney slip from Boudiche Lingerie, main; Joyce Paton hat, above; Bebaroque tights, above right; Harris Tweed holdall, right; Stuart Gladstone clutch, left, are all under the virtual hammer



### Lots of interest

#### Lot 1: Value £650

Harris Tweed holdall; Stuart Gladstone bag; Pringle Murray silk scarf; £100 voucher for The Centre, Livingston; Bebaroque tights; Ortak pearl necklace

#### Lot 2: Value £558

Lulu Guinness clutch; Stella McCartney slip; Keira Thorley leather bow; Joyce Paton hat; £50 Schuh token

#### Lot 3: Value £500

Makeover by Mailin Haddow, pictured, and Gary Lees plus goody bag

be buying, and then give your face the royal treatment. She will make you look like the sexy starlet you really are.

Meanwhile, international hairdresser Gary Lees, who has worked with the likes of Christopher Kane, L'Oréal and Burberry, is taking time out to give your hair the care it needs, transforming you into a fashionista.

Not only will Haddow and Lees make you over, but they will also give you a little goody bag full of treats to keep you looking hot all season long.

As well as getting these fantastic items

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and experiences, successful bidders will also be providing invaluable support to the Lothian-based Muir Maxwell Trust.

Established in 2003 by Ann and Jonny Maxwell, the charity was named after their 13-year-old son, who has a severe form of epilepsy called Dravet Syndrome. Muir is profoundly damaged by his condition, with limited speech and language and severe developmental delay.

The impact of his illness on the Maxwell family has been huge. The Trust's aim is to make life better for other families following in their footsteps. You can find out more on [www.muirmaxwelltrust.com](http://www.muirmaxwelltrust.com)

Your help is greatly appreciated. Good luck and get your bids in early!

Bidding is now open online, see the ebay shop at [http://stores.shop.ebay.co.uk/The-Pulse-Charity-Auction\\_W00Q\\_arms21](http://stores.shop.ebay.co.uk/The-Pulse-Charity-Auction_W00Q_arms21)