

## 2018 PHILADELPHIA SHELL CLUB ORAL AUCTION

1. ***Hexaplex cichoreum***, pair of this beautiful species which seems to be limited to the Philippines and parts of Indonesia.
2. ***Strombus peruvianus***, Panamic specialty, 150 mm
3. ***Ceratostoma burnetti***, Pusan area, South Korea, 112mm dark giant, amazing giant specimen of this amazing species.
4. ***Megalobulimus*** collection, from Brazil and now very hard to get, the largest land snails from the Americas, six fresh specimens of six species:  
*pintoii*, 111mm; *valenciennes*, 129mm; *auritus*, 91mm; *oblongus*, 92mm., *oosomus*, 81mm; and *ovatus*, 107mm.
5. ***Alcithoe jaculoides***, rare deep water volute from New Zealand, large size (150mm)
6. ***Conus vitellus***, set of 3 beauties from tropical western North America
7. ***Strombus iredalei***, from Australia, recently separated as a valid species.
8. ***Lucerna patina***, land snail
9. ***Peduogyra hayii***, land snail from Australia!!
10. ***Vokesimurex cabritii***, very large pink specimen from the Yucatan, great data, 82mm
11. ***Cymbium glans***, large West African volute, 245mm
12. ***Cymbiola deshayesii***, endemic to New Caledonia, now impossible to get.
13. ***Melo umbilicatus***, 210mm
14. ***Neptuneopsis gilchristi*** PAIR! South African endemic deep water volute.
15. ***Lambis truncata***, large lambis in good condition, 295mm
16. ***Livonia mamilla***, large Australian classic, 210mm
17. ***Hexaplex duplex***, large specimen of this unusual West African murex
18. ***Haliotis fulgens***, pair, one with extra blue-green iridescence
19. ***Cassis madagascariensis***, 200 mm, Caribbean classic
20. ***Melo melo***, 230mm, hard to find large specimen
21. ***Haliotis rufescens***, 195mm California giant from an old collection!
22. Large color photo of the classic rarity, ***Conus cedonulli***, top quality large professional photo
23. 19<sup>th</sup> Century original hand tinted color plate of shells, but all were printed left handed!
24. Two thick acrylic boxes with encased shells!
25. Framed set of the first US postage stamps featuring seashells
26. The stone cone, yes, this is a cone shell carved in a dark red brown stone and then highly polished.
27. Chinese shell art pictorial scene dating from the 1980s
28. Indonesian pendant ammonite set on a silver chain link
29. Silver encased ammonite pendant from Indonesia
30. Pendant featuring a silver octopus clasping an ammonite.
31. Book: Shells, by Bouchet, Gettles, and Mermet, beautiful French book of shell photography, 2008
32. Book: Shells, by Bill Emerson and Andreas Feiniger, American book of beautiful shell photography, 1972
33. ***Syrinx aruanus***, the world's largest gastropod species!
34. ***Turbo marmoratus***, nice green coloration
35. ***Conus betulinus***, very nice large 120mm specimen
36. ***Strombus peruvianus***, 165mm.
37. ***Terebra guttata***, giant beauty, 155mm

38. *Turbo jourdani*, unusual colors of this giant turbo species, w/op
39. *Periglypta magnifica*, 90mm East African beauty
40. *Charonia powelli*, very orange Australian triton
41. *Cymatium tigrinum*, Panamic collector item, 132 mm with periostracum
42. *Angaria sphaerula*, small vut red with wide flat spikes
43. *Babelomurex japonica*, 51mm giant specimen
44. *Latiaxis pilsbryi*, very rare species
45. *Latiaxis kinoshitae*, deep water from Japan
46. *Tenagodus armatus*, exquisite worm shell
47. *Harpa cabritii*, WOW! Different!
48. *Cypraea stercoraria*, West African cowry, this one has spectacular dark blackish coloration
49. *Galeodea kurodai*, pair of this deep water rarity from Southeast Asia
50. *Cardita crassicosta*, two great colors, one rare purple, the other a yellow-orange
51. *Phenacovolva lindae*, rare ovulid from the Caribbean
52. *Cabestana africana*, 110mm giant from South Africa
53. *Zidona dufresnei*, exceptionally marked fresh shell of this species with one of those very long tips
54. *Mitra swainsoni* and *Mitra belcheri*, pair of the large Panamic miter shells
55. *Chlamys ornata*, unusually colorful set of 11 from the southern Caribbean
56. *Cypraea pantherina*, set of four from the Red Sea
57. *Cypraea mauritiana*, set of five excellent specimens including a seldom seen and beautiful bulla
58. *Codakia distinguenda*, exceptional Panamic species, large specimen with beautiful dark pink interior
59. *Pinctada margaritifera*, beautiful Indo-Pacific pearl oyster
60. *Glycymeris gigantea*, beautifully marked pair, Panamic
61. *Ryssota otaheitana*, 104mm gigantic Philippine land snail
62. *Spondylus* species, we don't know what it is.
63. *Spondylus crassisquama* (we know it of course as *princeps*), Panamic, the much sought after red color form
64. *Strombus latus*, the ONLY West African strombus species, this is the lightest weight of the many recognized forms.
65. *Melo umbilicatus*
66. *Scaphella kieneri*, a large and gorgeous specimen from the Gulf States.
67. *Pecten maximus*, large specimen probably from Northern Europe.
68. *Pecten novaezelandiae*, nice dark specimen
69. *Cymbiolista hunteri*, nice large specimen
70. *Argonauta*
71. *Argonauta*
72. Florida fossil shells, Pliocene era, set of four unusual specimens, in great condition
73. *Concholepas concholepas*, large very strange muricid from Chile
74. *Hypocassis tessellata*, beautiful cassis shell from West Africa
75. *Spondylus americanus*, large and spiny white color form
76. *Nihonia australis*, rare deep water turrid from Eastern Asia, huge 124mm
77. *Fulgoraria hirasei*, nice large specimen in good condition
78. *Haliotis gigantea*, hard to get abalone from Japan
79. *Haliotis midas*, hard to get abalone from South Africa

## 2018 PHILADELPHIA SHELL CLUB SILENT AUCTION

1. *Strombus peruvianus*
2. Big purple barnacle cluster
3. *Cypraea tigris*, 108mm
4. *Vasum turbinellum*, 83mm giant
5. *Cymatium pyrum*
6. *Spondylus americanus*
7. *Marginella sebastiani*
8. *Calliostoma haliarchus*
9. *Strombus gallus*
10. *Strombus gallus*
11. *Strombus gallus*
12. *Strombus gallus*
13. *Strombus canarium* ALBINO
14. *Harpulina lotoisii*
15. *Conus circumcissus*
16. *Phalium granulatum peristephes*
17. *Babylonia lutosa*
18. *Tonna allium*
19. *Cypraea tigris*, DWARF, 61mm
20. *Poireria zelandica*
21. *Cymbiola aulica*
22. *Bursa rana*
23. *Sconsia grayi*
24. *Cymatium dunkeri*
25. *Chicoreus axicornis kawamurai*
26. *Cypraea mappa*
27. *Cypraecassis testiculus*
28. *Tonna dolium*
29. *Spondylus americanus*
30. *Oliva incrassata* set of 5
31. *Melo melo*
32. *Melo melo*
33. *Melo broderipii*
34. *Mimachlamys pseudolima*
35. *Mitra papalis*
36. *Amoria*
37. *Conus magus*
38. *Oliva porphyria*
39. *Architectonia perspectiva*
40. *Mimachlamys gloriosa* YELLOW
41. *Cardium unedo*
42. *Conus australis*
43. *Conus novahollandiae*
44. *Cypraea mappa*
45. *Strombus taurus*
46. *Conus striatus*
47. *Xenophora pallidula*
48. *Murex pecten*
49. *Phasianella australis*
50. *Helicostyla annulata*
51. *Conus villipini fosteri*
52. *Biplex perca*
53. *Vexillum coloscopium filiareginae*
54. *Conus tulipa*
55. *Pecten hericius*
56. *Liguus virginica* set of 6
57. *Callanaitis disjecta*
58. *Murex festivus*
59. *Conus aulicus* juvenile
60. *Conus geographus*
61. *Strombus campbelli*
62. *Conus amadis*
63. *Turbo cornutus* pair
64. *Phyllonotus pomum*
65. *Cymbiolista hunteria*
66. *Strombus raninus* dwarf 46mm
67. *Conus zelandica* giant
68. *Conus vidua cuyoensis*
69. *Chiton tuberculata*
70. *Haliotis assimilis*
71. *Callista maculata* pair
72. *Cypraea cervus*
73. *Lucerna oxitensis*
74. *Cancellaria reticularis*
75. *Globularia fluctuata*
76. *Phalium areola agnitum*
77. *Ancilla obrusa*
78. *Distorsio clathrata*
79. *Conus ione*
80. *Ranularia sinensis*
81. *Conus archon*
82. *Murex pellucidus*
83. *Terebra triseriata*
84. *Murex* species
85. *Chicoreus rubiginosus*
86. *Chicoreus banksii*
87. *Clausilia bidentata* set of 6
88. *Vasum turbinellum* 112mm

89. *Vasum turbinellum* 120mm
90. *Cypraea ventriculus*
91. 3 large *Latiaxis mawae*
92. 3 *Argopecten ventriculus*
93. Sea urchin set of 4
94. *Colus stimpsoni*
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96. *Turritella virgineus*
97. *Chlamys crassisquama* YELLOW
98. *Conus gubernator*
99. *Vexillum taeniatum*
100. *Cerithium nodulosum*
101. *Rhinoclavus sinensis*
102. *Chicoreus dilectus*
103. *Chicoreus dilectus*
104. *Chicoreus dilectus*
105. *Latiaxis mawae*
106. *Chlamys delicatula*
107. *Charonia variegata*
108. *Pecten convexum*
109. *Zoila friendii*
110. *Conus magnifica*
111. *Charonia variegata*
112. *Cassis tuberosa*
113. *Busycon contraria*
114. *Busycon carica* pair w/o
115. Shell stands, set of 9
116. *Tonna zonatus*
117. Apple snails set of 15
118. Sowerby's *Shells of the World* reproduction
119. *Encyclopedia of Shells*, Wye
120. *Collector's Encyclopedia of Shells*, Dance
121. *Shelling in the Caribbean and Florida*,  
Magnotte
122. *Shells of New Guinea and the Central Indo-Pacific*, Hinton