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## **Star chef has the right recipe for Prince's Trust**

Scotland's hottest new chef is set to create a meal fit for a prince in aid of a charity which helps young people overcome barriers to get their lives working.

Tom Kitchin, whose stylish waterfront restaurant in Leith has been attracting rave reviews since it opened this summer, is offering a fabulous five-course tasting menu with wine for two in an auction at a glittering charity clay pigeon shoot in aid of the Prince's Trust.

The sumptuous night at The Kitchin, on Commercial Quay, is certain to attract the attention of some of the Edinburgh professionals taking part in the shoot, including teams from Royal Bank of Scotland, Microsoft, the Leith Agency and legal firms such as Morton Fraser, Tods Murray and Henderson Boyd Jackson.

The event will take place at Auchter House Country Sports near Dundee on Sunday, August 13. A pro-am style competition will be held in the morning followed by a champagne reception, lunch and a silent auction. Other prizes on the day include a week at an exclusive ski chalet in Courchevel, golfing at Loch Lomond and a day on the set of Doctor Who.

The event, now in its sixth year, regularly raises up to £150,000 for the Prince's Trust, which helps 14 to 25-year-olds realise their potential and transform their lives through practical support including training, mentoring and financial assistance.

The Trust focuses its efforts on young people who have struggled at school, have been in care, are long-term unemployed or have been in trouble with the law. Since the charity was founded by The Prince of Wales in 1976, it has helped more than half a million young people.

Tom Kitchin, who has worked with Michelin-starred chefs such as Pierre Koffmann and Alain Ducasse, said: "It is a pleasure to be asked to help a charity as worthwhile as the Prince's Trust. I believe very strongly in the concept of giving something back and the Prince's Trust epitomizes this philosophy."