



Auction to Feature Classic Ferrari Dino GTS Formerly Owned by Led Zeppelin's Manager

Description

Later this month, a special 1973 Ferrari 246 Dino GTS car will be sold at an auction. This car once belonged to Peter Grant, the manager of the famous band Led Zeppelin.

What makes this car so special is that it only has 1,007 miles on its speedometer. This means it hasn't been used much. It is also one of only 235 cars of this type that were sold in the United Kingdom from 1972 to 1974. It was delivered to Peter Grant in 1973. The car had a unique 'Rosso Bordeaux' paint color and a classic brown leather interior. There are only 114 cars with this type of paint and leather combination.

In the years it was driven, the car was well taken care of. It received important repairs and improvements such as rebuilding its suspension and brakes, installing a stronger motor starter, and a complete overhaul of the radiator.

Yet, the car still has its original wheels, controls, and instruments. More importantly, all the car's historical documents will be included in the sale. The documents include letters with the Ferrari factory in Italy and an original logbook with Peter Grant's name on it.

The auction will be held online by a company called Car & Classic. The auction will start on February 22 and end on February 29. It is estimated that the car will sell for a price between £275,000 and £350,000.

According to Dale Vinten, who works at Car & Classic, this car is not just a vehicle. But it is also a part of rock history because it belonged to Peter Grant. It is a great piece of memorabilia for any fan of Led Zeppelin.

Vocabulary List:

1. **Auction** // (noun): A public sale in which goods or property are sold to the highest bidder.
2. **Speedometer** // (noun): An instrument in a vehicle that measures and displays the speed at which the vehicle is traveling.
3. **Suspension** // (noun): The system of springs, shock absorbers, etc., by which a vehicle's body is supported on the axles.
4. **Overhaul** // (verb): To take apart (a piece of machinery or equipment) in order to examine it and repair it if necessary.
5. **Memorabilia** // (noun): Objects valued for their associations with historical figures, events, or entertainment.
6. **Fan** // (noun): A person who has a strong interest in or admiration for a particular person, thing, or activity.



Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. What is a process of buying and selling goods or services by offering them up for bid?
Option: Speedometer
Option: Suspension
Option: Auction
Option: Overhaul
2. Which game sequel was announced to eager fans recently?
Option: Memorabilia
Option: Helldivers 2
Option: Malevelon Creek
Option: Enemy
3. What term describes anything related to a galaxy?
Option: Evolve
Option: Adjustments
Option: Galactic
Option: Commercial
4. What is a specific task or duty assigned to a person or group of people?
Option: Take off
Option: Mission
Option: Worries
Option: Spacecraft
5. Which type of game environment allows players to freely roam and explore?
Option: Promising
Option: Liberation
Option: Open-world
Option: Varied
6. What term is used to describe distinctive attributes or characteristics?
Option: Commercial
Option: Features
Option: Adjustments
Option: Community
7. What term refers to a person who is enthusiastically devoted to something or someone?



- Option: Eager
- Option: Fan
- Option: Discover
- Option: Clarify

8. Which term best describes a diverse range of options?

- Option: Variety
- Option: Suspension
- Option: Commercial
- Option: Evolve

9. What term refers to a group of individuals sharing common characteristics or interests?

- Option: Galactic
- Option: Introvert
- Option: Community
- Option: Clarify

10. What term describes someone who is keenly excited or interested in something?

- Option: Eager
- Option: Speedometer
- Option: Auction
- Option: Overhaul

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

- 11. The car's _____ system was upgraded to improve ride comfort.
- 12. The museum had a collection of rare _____ from famous historical events.
- 13. The protagonist's main _____ in the story turned out to be his best friend.
- 14. The new startup showed _____ growth potential in its early stages.
- 15. Companies need to constantly _____ to stay competitive in the market.
- 16. The movie received critical acclaim but did not do well at the _____ box office.
- 17. The country celebrated its _____ from colonial rule with a national holiday.
- 18. The coach made several tactical _____ during the game to outsmart the opponents.



19. Could you please _____ the instructions for this assignment?
20. She played the _____ of a detective in the award-winning movie.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. The spacecraft is scheduled to at 8:00 AM for its mission to Mars.
22. Despite his he remained calm during the high-pressure situation.
23. The team of astronauts boarded the advanced designed for deep space exploration.
24. The mechanic recommended an of the engine to improve performance.
25. The game developers introduced a new mythical realm called in the latest expansion pack.
26. Explorers set out to hidden secrets of the ancient ruins.
27. The fans were to experience the new updates in the game.
28. The company's primary goal is to secure more partnerships for global expansion.
29. The game offers players a array of character customization options.
30. The online platform aims to connect like-minded individuals and build a strong .

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Auction 2. Helldivers 2 3. Galactic 4. Mission 5. Open-world 6. Features 7. Fan 8. Variety 9. Community 10. Eager

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