Appendix 1 Russell-Cotes Art Gallery & Museum Management Committee January 2025 Disposals Report

Disposals from the Russell-Cotes Collection

Object Number	Description	Image	Proposed intended action
:T9.11.2007.18	A cased taxidermy mount of a Guillemot (Uria aalge) which was knocked down by the Honourable Charles Harris (afterwards Bishop of Gibraltar) with a riding whip near Boscombe, Dorset, 11.1827.		Offer to Hampshire Cultural Trust and/or Bournemouth Natural Science Society as a transfer.
:T9.11.2007.33	A cased taxidermy mount of a Pine Marten (Martes martes) shown feeding on a Ptarmigan in winter plumage. The Pine Marten is mounted on simulated rock decorated with heather.		Offer to Hampshire Cultural Trust and/or Bournemouth Natural Science Society as a transfer.

:T29.8.2007.16	A large, cased group of pinned insects (without data) including approx. 90 butterflies and moths, 30 beetles (including iridescent) and 12 other large insects. Heavily damaged by past pest infestation.		Immediate destruction.
:T31.8.2007.1	A cased group of approx. 96 pinned moth types, originally two or four of each species of moth, named with type-written label. Heavily damaged by past pest infestation.		Immediate destruction.
Various	A group of 312 books relating to the life and work of the poet Percy Bysshe Shelley (1792-1822)	No image available	Offer to Arts University Bournemouth, Bournemouth University and BCP Council Libraries as a transfer.