

## AUCTION

### Good reason to spruik

**R**eal estate agent Peter Hogan is more often seen spruiking at property auctions for Tony Cant Real Estate, but on Saturday night he was in charge of a different auction.

The live auction was part of the fundraising at the fifth annual Mai-Wel comedy debate at the Maitland Town Hall.

While Jean Kitson convinced a capacity audience that sport - not culture - should get the chop in the global financial crisis, Mr Hogan used his skills to encour-

age people to part with their money for a worthy cause.

All of the items were snapped up, including a limited edition Commonwealth Bank cricket stump that was used in the Summer Series and signed by Michael Hussey, a Pacific Dunes golf package and an Edinburgh Military Tattoo tour.

The money raised will go towards the construction of a new \$2.5 million state-of-the-art centre to cater for Mai-Wel's growing clientele.

**FUNDRAISER:** Tony Cant Real Estate Maitland's Peter Hogan at the Mai-Wel comedy debate fundraiser with Mikey Robins on Saturday night.

