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Leaving a particularly wet winter behind us, we head towards the spring full of excitement as we put the final touches to our two forthcoming events, both of which take place in Lancelot 'Capability' Brown designed landscapes in this 300th year since his birth, with the added attraction of topical exhibitions at each venue.

At the beginning of May we are hosting The Petworth Park Antiques & Fine Art Fair, being held once more in a purpose built marquee in the 700 acre deer park surrounding Petworth House following the successful launch last year. In June, coinciding with the celebrations marking Her Majesty The Queen's official 90th birthday, we return to Harewood House in West Yorkshire.

If you have yet to visit one of our fairs, make this the year to come along to enjoy a great day out, or weekend away, and experience the warmth, atmosphere and the genuine hospitality awaiting you from the exhibitors and our team.

Ingrid Nilson
Director, The Antiques Dealers Fair Limited

THE PETWORTH PARK ANTIQUES & FINE ART FAIR
Friday 6 - Sunday 8 May 2016



Venue: The Marquee, Petworth Park, Petworth House, Petworth, West Sussex GU28 0QY

Opening hours: Friday 11.00-20.00, Saturday 10.30-18.00, Sunday 10.30-17.00
Drinks reception Friday 18.00-20.00

Following on from last year's undeniably successful inaugural event, both for the exhibitors and for the town of Petworth, we are returning to host The Petworth Park Antiques & Fine Art Fair in the glorious grounds of the National Trust stately mansion, Petworth House. The fair is supported by Anderson Rowntree, one of the oldest established law firms in West Sussex, Savills, Petworth Business Association, Petworth Antiques & Decorative Arts association and The National Trust. Funds for the David Shepherd Wildlife Foundation will be raised at the event.

Highlights of the fair include a William IV cut glass and silver mounted chandelier with ten lights, a bronze entitled 'Cheval Turc' by the famed animalier sculptor Antoine-Louis Barye, a Victorian gold, diamond and cabochon garnet snake necklace as well as 'Samburu Warriors', an oil on canvas by contemporary artist Emily Lamb, granddaughter of wildlife artist



David Shepherd, who was granted permission to paint the warriors by the Kingsley Holgate Foundation. New faces to this year's fair include Roger Dade Antiques, Kaye Michie Fine Art, Shapiro & Co, Fileman Antiques, Dickson Rendall, Stephen Kalms Antiques, Jonathan Knight Sculpture and Wakelin & Linfield.

This is also an ideal opportunity to visit the world famous art collection in the state rooms, as well as *The Embroiderers' Guild celebrating Capability Brown* which is taking place in the House until September. Antiques fair ticket holders will be granted free entry to Petworth House, the Park that inspired such artists as JMW Turner, and the 'Capability' Brown exhibition during the

three days of the fair. In return, National Trust members and holders of Petworth House tickets can take advantage of complimentary access to the fair.

Tickets: £10 | Free entry for NT members

Transport: By road: A272 Tillington Road (antiques fair entrance at New Lodges). Pedestrian entrance through the Cricket Lodge. Ample free parking in the special located antiques fair car park in Petworth Park (follow antiques fair AA signs). Courtesy shuttle bus to/from Petworth town centre.

Nearest railway station is Pulborough (approx 70 minutes from London Victoria).

Charity: David Shepherd Wildlife Foundation, registered no. 110683

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Website: www.petworthparkfair.com

THE ANTIQUES & FINE ART FAIR AT HAREWOOD Friday 10 - Sunday 12 June 2016

Venue: The Marquee, Harewood House, Harewood, Leeds, West Yorkshire LS17 9LQ

Opening hours: Friday 11.00-20.00, Saturday 10.30-18.00, Sunday 10.30-17.00

Drinks reception Friday 18.00-20.00

The Antiques Dealers Fair Limited returns to stage The Antiques & Fine Art Fair at Harewood for the fifth occasion and a very fitting opportunity to celebrate Her Majesty The Queen's official 90th birthday in a setting with royal connections.

To mark the royal birthday, many of the exhibitors are bringing items with regal links such as a pair of Royal Brierley crystal presentation goblets made to commemorate the 1937 coronation of the Queen's father, King George VI, and an exceptionally rare pressed horn snuff box with a lid modelled after the portrait of George I by Sir Godfrey Kneller. New faces at the fair include J A Yarwood Antiques, Howell 1870, Timewise, Hickmet Fine Arts and Morgan Strickland Decorative Arts.



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At this year's fair, we are launching an ongoing affiliation with The Queen Elizabeth Scholarship Trust (QEST), the charitable arm of the Royal Warrant Holders Association, that funds the education of talented craftspeople through traditional college courses, apprenticeships or one-on-one training with masters.

Antiques fair ticket holders gain complimentary access to Harewood's grounds, gardens and Below Stairs. For £5 each, (saving £11.50 on an Adult Freedom ticket), fair visitors can upgrade to see the House's State Rooms and current exhibitions marking the 300th anniversary of Lancelot 'Capability' Brown's birth. Harewood House's exhibitions and activities including *The Art of Landscape* which presents a full and fresh assessment of the cultural influence of the 'Capability' Brown design at Harewood and invites you to explore the innovations made by artists across the centuries. *Great Capabilities; a celebration of 'Capability' Brown at Harewood* takes place from 4th to 12th June, celebrating the achievements of Lancelot 'Capability' Brown at Harewood in a series of walks, talks and exhibitions. Visit www.harewood.org for more information.

The fair is supported by Knight Frank, Masons Yorkshire Gin and Wilson Mitchell & Co. Ltd, senior partner practice of St. James's Place Wealth Management.

Tickets: £5 | Free entry for Harewood members
For an extra £5, antiques fair ticket holders can gain access to Harewood House's State Rooms, including the current exhibitions.

Transport: By road: 5 miles from Wetherby and the A1, 7 miles from Leeds and Harrogate on the A61, 8 miles from the M1, 22 miles from Sheffield and York. Follow Brown road signs to Harewood House and yellow temporary signs.

Ample free parking for antiques fair visitors with a courtesy shuttle bus between the car park and The Marquee.

Nearest railway station is Leeds or Harrogate.

Nearest airport is Leeds Bradford airport, 9 miles.



Charity: Queen Elizabeth Sponsorship Trust (QUEST), registered no. 1152032

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Website: www.harewoodfair.com

SAVE THE DATE

Friday 7 - Sunday 9 October 2016

The Esher Hall Antiques & Fine Art Fair, Esher Hall, Sandown Park Racecourse, Portsmouth Road, Esher, Surrey KT10 9AJ

Opening Hours: Friday 11.00-18.00, Saturday 10.30-18.00, Sunday 10.30-17.00

www.eshershallfair.com



TICKETS

If you have visited one or more of our fairs or are based within an 80 mile radius and have given us your postal address, you will automatically be sent a complimentary ticket, which allows you and up to two guests to attend the fair free of charge. If you would like a ticket for any of our other fairs, please contact us by email or telephone and we will arrange complimentary tickets for you.

REFRESHMENTS

All our fairs offer light refreshments within the fair. Both these houses also have their own catering facilities, and the town of Petworth has a number of different eateries from pubs and coffee shops to fine dining establishments, thereby offering you plenty of choice.

BUY WITH CONFIDENCE

All items for sale at our fairs are vetted for quality and authenticity. Exhibitors are predominantly members of either of the two largest associations of professional dealers - LAPADA The Association of Art & Antiques Dealers (www.lapada.org) or the British Antique Dealers' Association (www.bada.org) - both of which have codes of conduct to which their members must adhere. Consequently, you have recourse in the unlikely event there is a dispute over anything you have purchased.

PACKING AND SHIPPING

Stephen Morris Shipping has 40 years experience in worldwide fine art and antiques packing, storage and shipping. The company will be at both fairs to wrap and deliver purchases if and to wherever required.

SOCIAL MEDIA

If you participate in social media, why not follow us on Twitter (@ADFLfairs), where we post regular updates in the run up to each fair? Or find us on Facebook -



www.instagram.com/AntiquesDealersFairLtd. We have recently added Instagram (@adlfairs) to our social media stable. We post messages in a variety of languages, so please feel free to retweet, like, share or forward the information to friends you think may be interested.

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