

THE PETWORTH PARK ANTIQUES & FINE ART FAIR
Friday 7 to Sunday 9 May 2021



'Kilns at Burslem' by Julian Trevelyan, oil on canvas, signed and dated 1938-43, 66cm x 54cm, £60,000 + ARR from Jenna Burlingham Fine Art

Plans are forging ahead to hold **The Petworth Park Antiques & Fine Art Fair** in the grounds of Petworth House in Petworth, West Sussex in May this year. Successfully and safely held in a purpose-built marquee in the National Trust's 700 acre deer park last September, following a postponement owing to the lockdown last May, this annual event plans to proceed for the seventh consecutive year from **Friday 7 until Sunday 9 May 2021**.

Dealers are currently signing up and are keen to exhibit. One first time exhibitor at this fair is campaign furniture specialist **Christopher Clarke Antiques** from Stow-on-the-Wold in the Cotswolds. **Burton Antiques** is heading south from Yorkshire to join the other 55 exhibitors.

The retailers in the market town of Petworth are great supporters of the event, led by the Petworth Business Association, as the fair brings a lot of extra business to the shops and galleries, as well as hotels, restaurants, pubs and cafés over the three days. Local exhibitors include **Augustus Brandt**, **Ottocento** and **Rountree Tryon Galleries**, the latter putting on a special exhibition within its Petworth gallery to coincide with and encourage people clients and potential customers at the fair. Many visitors to Petworth Park do head into town to see what else is on offer having shopped at the fair.

Ceramics sold well last September, which has obviously influenced **Julian Ede Antiques'** decision to return, having been a new recruit last September. **Tom Rooth Fine Art** is exhibiting again having completely sold out of his contemporary handmade, hand-finished and signed *Oceanic Collection* of tableware, bringing new designs, like *Prawnography* and *Salmon Spiral* this May, as well as fine art. Other returning newcomers from last year include **Jenna Burlingham Fine Art** from Hampshire, selling art by Modern British artists like Ivon Hitchens, Graham

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Victorian amethyst, emerald
and 18ct gold ring, £1,495 from
Greenstein Antiques



Art Nouveau slender flower
cameo vase by Emile Gallé
signed in cameo, c. 1900, £2,750
from Hickmet Fine Arts

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Sutherland and Julian Trevelyan; original picture and print dealer **Thomas Spencer Fine Art**; **Burlington** and **BEAR Petworth** with a pair of thirties' original mohair, velvet and brass studded *Bo-Point* armchairs by Modernist architect and designer Otto Schulz for Boet, Gothenburg, £2,950. **Timothy Millett** also plans to exhibit his historical medals for a second time; **Diamonds4You** comes back with a pair of cabochon turquoise and diamond drop earrings set in 18 carat white gold, dating from circa 1920, £2,000.

Petworth Park regular, **Jupiter Antiques**, has a rare fine example of a very early Worcester *snake in a basket* pattern teapot and cover not normally found in such good condition, c. 1753-55. **S&J Abbott Ceramics Plus** brings a pair of Bow figures, depicting male and female gardeners, each clutching large colourful floral garlands, circa 1765, £1,250 the pair. A similar pair can be found in the Cincinnati Museum, USA.

Animals are always popular and **Blackbrook Gallery** has a naïve painting *Fat Shorthorn Heifer* by William Henry Davis, an important artist recording the images of the famous prizewinning farm animals during the 19th century. WH Davis's patrons included Lord Spencer, Lord Berwick, Thomas Cope and Queen Victoria, who commissioned four paintings. Farm livestock of the time was fed to become very large, as fat was as an important commodity being used for lubrication, fuel and food for the workers leaving the land to work in the factories of the industrial revolution. Amongst the animals on the **S&J Abbott Ceramics Plus** stand is a very rare miniature, toy size, Rockingham figure of a foxhound on a pink and gilt cushion, £650.

Walton House Antiques from Mere in Wiltshire returns with a late 17th century oak geometric oak coffer with ebony and holly bandings, £1,675. **Tim Saltwell** brings an Edwardian mahogany and satinwood crossbanded bureau of small proportions, circa 1900, £1,450 and an outstanding William and Mary period olivewood oyster veneered chest of drawers, circa 1690, £13,500.

BBC Antiques Roadshow clock expert, **Richard Price** keeps ticking along, as does **Timewise** with vintage watches for him and her. **Greenstein Antiques** has an original thirties' Rolex *Precision* wristwatch, £5,950 and an old cut 3 carat diamond three stone ring, £21,950. Jewellery is always very popular and fellow London jewellery specialist **Shapiro & Co** has a platinum and 15 carat yellow gold, aquamarine, diamond and seed pearl stone set pendant, circa 1900, £6,750. **T Robert** has taken part in most of **The Antiques Dealers Fair Limited's** fairs. For this May, he plans to bring an exceptional German 18 carat five colour gold snuff box by Charles Collins & Sons, Hanau, circa 1820, priced at £9,500 and an extremely rare engraved silver gilt articulated fish pendant containing a cut glass perfume bottle with ruby stopper and a silver & gold miniature spoon, circa 1780, £3,800. Other specialities for sale include silver, glass and sculpture.

Organiser, Ingrid Nilson of The Antiques Dealers Fair Limited said, "Last year, we were fortunate enough to be granted permission to hold the fair in September by the **National Trust** and the local council, so we know how to put all the necessary safety measures in place and are supported by the enormous work and help from **Petworth Marquees**; our security team, who brought the latest technology to help



'Jeune Femme' Carrara marble bust by Henri Weigle, c.1895, £12,795 from Garret & Hurst Sculpture



'Cock and Hen Pheasant' by Archibald Thorburn, watercolour and bodycolour, signed, £14,000 from Rountree Tryon Galleries



Rare Georg Jensen silver bracelet, No 7, 1940s, £995 from Dansk Silver by Jane Burgett



Pair of Chelsea red anchor leaf dishes, 24cm long, c. 1755, £700 the pair from S&J Abbott Ceramics Plus



William and Mary period olivewood oyster veneered chest of drawers, c.1690, £13,500 from Walton House

ensure we held a very safe event, our other supporters, the dealers and my team, all of whom loved the opportunity to be outside in the good weather interacting with each other."

"We had wide one-way gangways, masks were worn; and we adhered to test and trace. Our visitors were really understanding; some had to queue at busier times, but everyone was so happy that the fair was taking place. Basking in sunshine, it had a really jolly atmosphere. Our caterers, Wise Catering, worked hard to ensure we had socially distanced outside table and chairs, so visitors could enjoy take-away refreshments including delicious cakes whilst overlooking the wonderful 'Capability' Brown scenery and impressive house, some also enjoying a Brilliant gin. People were able to visit the mansion and its national treasures, provided they booked in advance."

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Notes to editors:

All items for sale at this fair are vetted for quality and authenticity. The majority of the exhibitors are members of the UK's two professional associations: **The British Antique Dealers' Association** or **LAPADA The Association of Art & Antiques Dealers**.

Event: The Petworth Park Antiques & Fine Art Fair
Date: Friday 7 to Sunday 9 May 2021
Venue: The Marquee, Petworth House and Park, Petworth, West Sussex GU28 0QY
Opening Times: Friday 11am-6pm, Saturday 10.30am-6pm, Sunday 10.30am-5pm

Tickets & enquiries: £5, including re-admission
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Members of the National Trust are given complimentary access to the fair over the three days.

Transport: By Road: A272 Tillington Road (antiques fair entrance at New Lodges). AA signposted to the dedicated entrance at New Lodges.

Ample free parking in the specially located antiques fair car park in Petworth Park. Pedestrian entrance via the Cricket Lodge gate.

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

Nearest airports: Gatwick (approx 50 minutes), Heathrow and Southampton airports (approx 1 hour).

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Set of six Continental ebonised wood dining chairs, probably Italian, circa 1940, £6,250 from Augustus Brandt



'Fat Shorthorn Heifer' by William Henry Davis (1786-1865), oil on canvas, signed and dated 1860, £4,950 from Blackbrook Gallery



Silver plate on brass patent portable Brighton Bun candlesticks, £595 from Christopher Clarke Antiques



Edwardian mahogany and satinwood crossbanded bureau, c.1900, £1,450 from Tim Saltwell



'Fishermen at the Net Huts, Hastings' by Alan Stenhouse Gourley, oil on canvas, signed, £1,500 from Ottocento