

THE TENTH ESHER HALL ANTIQUES & FINE ART FAIR IN SURREY

Friday 6 - Sunday 8 October 2017



'The Artist's Studio' by Edwin Hughes (British, 1851-1904), oil on canvas, 24" x 42", signed and dated 1877, £9,750 from Cambridge Fine Art

The Esher Hall Antiques & Fine Art Fair gathers some 30 expert dealers from around England to congregate in the Esher Hall at Sandown Park Racecourse, Portsmouth Road, Esher, Surrey KT10 9AJ over three days in the autumn. Known to attract a discerning audience of collectors, interior designers, and people seeking a unique gift, a talking point for their home or office, or simply a treat, this tenth incarnation takes place from **Friday 6 until Sunday 8 October 2017**.

Organiser, Ingrid Nilson, Director of **The Antiques Dealers Fair Limited** said, "We continue to return to Sandown Park Racecourse, as this annual event has proved popular with visitors, who come from London, Kent and other southern counties, as well as from the Midlands and further afield. It is easily accessible from London and the M25 and there is ample free parking. Surrey boasts an affluent population that appreciates the fine antiques and contemporary art exhibited by the dealers each year. We have a good mix of disciplines on offer to cater for a variety of tastes, as well as a number of newcomers to add fresh interest. Our work with the **Queen Elizabeth Scholarship Trust** charity continues. We look forward to welcoming some QEST scholars, who will demonstrate their skills and sell their crafts. More information will be available about the individuals nearer the time."

Taking centre stage on **Garret & Hurst Sculpture's** stand are *Dancers of the Ballet Russe*, a bronze duo by Austrian Stefan Dakon (1904-1997), c.1920, £3,895. Known for his depiction of Russian ballet school dancers, Dakon worked with Lorenzl and is collected around the world. Many of Dakon's models were used by ceramic manufacturer Goldscheider. **Garret & Hurst Sculpture** also brings a selection of 21st century bronze sculptures, both figurative and animalier.

Paintings by both contemporary and Victorian artists are for sale including *The Artist's Studio* by Edwin Hughes (1851-1904), oil on canvas, signed and dated 1877, £9,750 from **Cambridge Fine Art**. For visitors from London, **Cambridge Fine Art** also has *Off the*

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Early 18th century bowl depicting the eight horses of Mu Wang, Kangxi, c.1622-1722, £2,950 from Catherine Hunt Oriental Antiques

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Creek, Hammersmith, oil on canvas, signed and dated 1901 by Gordon Arthur Meadows (British, 1866-1937), £2,850 and *Waterloo Bridge* by Francis Edgar Dodd RA (1874-1949), £2,500.

Antique furniture includes a large English oak table, c1750, from **Melody Antiques**. Able to seat up to eight people, this usable and practical table folds up to just 24", has double gate legs for stability, two large end drawers and is available at a really realistic price of £1,875. A smart George I burr walnut chest of drawers, 34" wide, £6,900 is also on the stand together with some of their extensive and popular selection of Welsh oak dressers. Returning after a successful first fair, at Esher Hall last year, is **Catherine Hunt Oriental Antiques** with an interesting selection of oriental porcelain, including a Kangxi blue and white charger depicting warriors, c1690, £7,500 and a pair of Chinese Ko-sometsuke square dishes, made during the reign of the Ming Emperor Tianqi for export to Japan, 1621 to 1627, £1,650. The corners are notched and would have been for use in a Japanese tea ceremony.

Impressive lighting from cut glass chandeliers to candelabra and lustres can be found on **Fileman Antiques'** stand, as well as other fine antique drinking glasses and decanters. Clocks are a useful and good investment and Antiques Roadshow expert **Richard Price** always has fine timepieces, most notably fine French Louis XVI and Empire examples.

A number of jewellery dealers are returning to exhibit including **T Robert and Plaza**. **Plaza** focuses on vintage and contemporary signed pieces from the major jewellery houses such as Cartier, Boucheron, Tiffany, Chopard, Mauboussin, Chaumet and Bulgari. Amongst the antique jewellery and objets d'art on **T Robert's** stand are some Murle Bennett pieces including a 15ct gold, turquoise and pearl brooch, design attributed to Archibald Knox, c. 1905, £885 and a silver and enamel trinket box, Chester 1911, also £885.

With light refreshments available within the fair, it is possible to enjoy a day out perusing all that is available for sale, whether visiting with friends, seeking items for a collection, a special gift or doing up a new house. Tickets are £5 from Eventbrite (<https://tinyurl.com/y8cerpav>). More information from www.esherhallfair.com

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Notes to Editors:

The fair is vetted with a dateline of 1970 for most disciplines.

Event: The Esher Hall Antiques & Fine Art Fair, supported by Savills and NFU Mutual Godalming

Venue: Esher Hall, Sandown Park Racecourse, Portsmouth Road, Esher, Surrey KT10 9AJ

Date: Friday 6 – Sunday 8 October 2017

Opening times: Friday 11 am – 6pm, Saturday 10.30am – 6pm, Sunday 10.30am – 5pm

Tickets & enquiries: £5, including catalogue (and re-admission) through Eventbrite: <https://tinyurl.com/y8cerpav>
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Transport: M25 (Junction 10), A3 from London and Guildford. Ample free parking.



Pair of brass mounted opaque glass bowl lights, English, c. 1900, £3,200 the pair from Fileman Antiques



18ct gold, chrysoberyl cat's eye and diamond devil head ring, c.1905, £5,850 from T Robert



'Osmondia and Cup Moss' by Albert Durer Lucas, oil on canvas, 1865, £5,750 from Cambridge Fine Art



'Sapho' bronze by Emmanuel Villanis, c.1900, £7,895 from Garret & Hurst Sculpture



George I burr walnut chest of drawers, 34" wide, £6,900 from Melody Antiques

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Selection of aquamarine and diamond rings, c1930-70, and diamond eternity rings, c1930s from Plaza

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