

# Welsh Antiques

3rd to 5th May

*This weekend we make visits to Cirencester and Gloucester on our way to Wales. Spend the day at the Royal Welsh Showground, Builth Wells, for the first day of the two-day International Antiques and Collectors Fair of Wales, and make stops at Lechlade and Newbury on our way home. Even if you don't find a bargain, you will enjoy a pleasant weekend break.*



**£270 PER PERSON**

*Single Room Supp: £40  
Entry to antique fairs not included*

## What's Included

- ✓ 2 nights Dinner, Bed & Breakfast
- ✓ All bedrooms are en suite with TV, telephone & hospitality tray.



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### Newport

The leafy Coldra Woods form an attractive backdrop to this welcoming hotel, which has a heated mini pool.

### Friday 3 May

Departing Oxted at 9.00am we travel to Cirencester where we shall have some time to explore the weekly antiques fair that is held in the Old Corn Hall, where you will find an eclectic mix of antique furniture, jewellery, silver and collectables. Early afternoon we journey on to Gloucester Antique Centre, housed in what is widely acknowledged to be Britain's finest



example of a medieval timber-framed townhouse. Over two spacious floors, with over 40 knowledgeable dealers you will find a diverse selection of antiques and collectables, art, decorative items, stamps, toys, clocks, postcards and cigarette cards, coins, silver and glassware, jewellery, vinyl records, and much, much more! Late afternoon we continue on to our Newport hotel, arriving early evening.

#### **Saturday 4 May**

This morning we make our way to Builth Wells, where you will find up to 1000 stands, from near and far. Sited in two huge exhibition halls, 8 huge drive-in undercover buildings, with more outside in marquees on grass & hard standing, the Builth Wells Fair promises to be a worthwhile visit. We shall spend the day here with perhaps time for a brief local fair visit on our return journey.

#### **Sunday 5 May**

Departing after breakfast, we seek out local antique fairs not yet published as we make our way to Bibury for the monthly village hall fair, which although small, usually has a fabulous stock of items including a selection of jewellery, ceramics, glass, silver, pictures and even some clocks and furniture. We go on to Jubilee Hall Antiques Centre at Lechlade, where we shall have some time to visit the antique shops in the town before continuing our journey home, with, time permitting, a stop at The Emporium in Hungerford where there are over 60 dealers. We return to Oxted early evening.