

First Monday Toy Auction

Monday 10th October 2022 at 6:00pm

Highlights include:

- Great range of 1-gauge locomotives and rolling stock including LGB
- Lots of Hornby O-gauge including pre-war models
- Hornby OO-gauge locomotives and sets
- Railway books and DVDs
- Cars, trucks and buses including Dinky, Corgi and Matchbox
- Plenty of other cars including 1:18 and 1:24 scale
- Large selection of Minic vehicles and accessories including wooden buildings
- Jim Beam whiskey decanters in a variety of themes
- Tinplate toys and other fun things



Featured item: Lot 259
Accucraft 1-gauge Live Steam NSWGR 3801 Locomotive

This month we have lots of trains once again.

For the **garden railway** enthusiasts, there's an excellent selection of **1-gauge** locomotives, coaches, wagons, track and accessories, including Marklin, LGB, Accucraft, Bachmann and Aristo-Craft. We don't often have this much 1-gauge on offer, so grab it while you can! And our featured item, the **live steam 3801**, is no longer available, so you may never get another chance to own this superb model.

There's a good range of **Hornby O-gauge** including locomotives, rolling stock, sets and accessories. There are also O-gauge plans, buildings and parts.

We also have **Hornby OO-gauge** locomotives, rolling stock, sets and accessories, including modern releases which are no longer available. And there is a little bit of **HO-gauge** including Electrotren and Lima.

The car lovers haven't been forgotten. We have some large scale models from **Biante, Mint & Boxed, National Motor Museum Mint**, and others. There are plenty of smaller cars, trucks and buses including **Corgi, Dinky, Matchbox, Tootsietoy** and **Budgie**.

Then there is the **Minic** collection. As well as clockwork vehicles and toys, we have a selection of **wooden service stations**, which are generally in good condition and very collectable.

We also have another instalment of the **Jim Beam whiskey decanters**. These are quite extraordinary and come in all shapes and sizes, and are also very collectable.

It's a good mix this month and we trust you will find something you like.

The auction starts at 6:00pm next Monday, October 10th, in our Auction Rooms at The Gearin in Katoomba. All are welcome to attend. There is plenty of parking and refreshments are available.

If you can't join us in person, you can participate by sending us absentee bids before the auction, or bidding live online at invaluable.com. Telephone bidding is also available by prior arrangement on lots starting at \$200 or more.

The lots can be viewed in our Auction Rooms next Saturday, October 8th, from 10:00am to 4:00pm, and on the auction day next Monday from 10:00am to 4:00pm.

If you have any questions, please call us on (02) 4787 7974 or send us an email.

THIS MONTH'S NEWS FROM TPA

Farewell Leuralla

As you have probably heard, the **Leuralla Toy & Railway Museum** in Leura has closed its doors after 40 years, and its contents are being auctioned in the coming week by Davidson Auctions. It's a large and amazing collection, and will be offered for sale in a series of auctions starting this weekend.

The first two auctions, "Treasures of Leuralla", will be held on Saturday 8th and Sunday 9th October at the Hydro Majestic Hotel in Medlow Bath.

Three further auctions will be held online at invaluable.com on the 10th, 11th and 12th of October. Viewing is available at Leuralla all this week until Friday.

Trains, Planes and Automobiles has had a long association with Leuralla. We're very sad it has come to an end, but we're looking forward to an exciting series of auctions.

For full details and catalogues, visit our friends at Davidson Auctions.

Keith's Trivia

Here are some more of Keith's cunning questions:

1. What is the gauge of the Ffestiniog Railway in the UK?
2. What was A.H. Cobby famous for in the First World War?
3. What company is acknowledged as making the first steam roller?
4. How many different versions of ship funnels did Meccano make?

Answers to last month's trivia:

1. An antimacassar is a small cloth placed over the headrest of a seat to protect it from hair oils.
2. Cunliffe-Owen's company built "Concordia", a twin-engined 10-12 seater passenger plane.
3. Wolseley made sheep shearing machines.
4. J.J.C. Bradfield's first names were John Job Crew.

Big Weekend in the Mountains

If the Leuralla auction isn't enough reason to visit the **Beautiful Blue Mountains**, here are some more...

The **Leura Village Fair** is back again this year, on Saturday 8th and Sunday 9th October, celebrating Spring with market stalls, street food, entertainment and activities. Visit leuravillage.com.au for full details.

The **Blue Mountains Music Festival** is also back, from Friday 7th to Sunday 9th October, with dozens of performances at venues all around Katoomba. Find out more at bmff.org.

The **Bathurst 1000** is also about to start, with events from Thursday 6th to Sunday 9th October. For more information, visit supercars.com. If you're going west for the race, don't forget to drop in and see us in Katoomba – also check out the Bathurst racing cars in our forthcoming auction!

At The Gearin

There are so many reasons to visit the Beautiful Blue Mountains this weekend, so why not have a little holiday and stay with us? At **The Gearin** in Katoomba, we offer good accommodation at affordable rates, and we still have rooms available.

For those interested in the Leuralla auctions, you could extend your stay until Wednesday and use our wi-fi to attend the online auctions, then pick up your purchases from Leura on your way home. How convenient is that? And you'll also be able to attend our First Monday Toy Auction on the evening of Monday the 10th.

Whatever your interests, we can accommodate you at The Gearin. For more information and rates, visit thegearin.com.au. For all enquiries, email accommodation@thegearin.com.au or call us on **0405 589 906**.

Of course, you must also come and see the range of trains, toys and collectables in our shop. **Trains, Planes and Automobiles** is open on Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays from 10:00am to 4:00pm. And remember, on Saturday and Monday you can view the lots for Monday night's auction.

How will you find the time to fit all this in? Call us on **(02) 4787 7974** or send us an email, and we'll try to answer that question.

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