

First Monday Toy Auction

Monday 6th November 2023 at 6:00pm

Highlights include:

- Large collection 1:18 scale cars including Maisto, Anson, Road Tough, Motor Max, Road Signature, Welly, Bburago, Auto Art, Jadi, Ertl, Kyosho, and Hot Wheels
- Dinky cars and trucks including a superb range of Dublo Dinky
- Military vehicles from Dinky, Benbros, and others
- Military figures, sets and accessories including Britains
- Military books
- OO-gauge from Hornby, Triang, Mainline, Bachmann, and others
- European HO/OO-gauge including Roco and Trix
- O-gauge locomotives, rolling stock and accessories from Hornby and others
- Railway books & DVDs



Featured item: Lot 101
Kyosho 1:18 scale diecast Triumph TR3A

Our November auction features cars, trains and military.

A special treat for all our motoring enthusiasts is the collection of **1:18 scale cars**. There are more than 100 of them and there's a great variety, including some rare and valuable models.

We also have a good range of **Dinky** cars, trucks and buses, including **Dublo Dinky** in beautiful condition.

Our selection of **military items** includes vehicles, accessories, sets, toy soldiers from Britains and others, and some interesting books.

For the trains buffs we have British and European **HO/OO-gauge**, plenty of **Hornby O-gauge**, and a few other curious pieces.

The auction starts at 6:00pm next Monday, November 6th, 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 on Saturday 4th, Sunday 5th and Monday 6th November, 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

Coming Up

We have just two more auctions before the end of the year. The first is one of our "quiet" **Mid-Month Auctions**, just a couple of weeks away on **Monday 20th November**.

The final auction for the year will be our First Monday Toy Auction on **Monday 4th December**. This will be a special **Christmas Auction**, full of gift ideas and other fun things.

Looking ahead to next year, we have some specialty auctions coming up, starting with **"Dolls, Dolls, and More Dolls"** on **Sunday 21st January, 2024**. We will have over a thousand dolls on offer, of all shapes and sizes, so tell all your doll collector friends about this special auction. We will have full details early in the new year.

The Rhodo Festival is Back

November is the time once again for the **Blackheath Rhododendron Festival**. This is held on the first weekend in November, with the main events taking place next Saturday, November 4th.

There will be activities all around Blackheath, including the Festival Parade, live music, stalls, displays, competitions, and of course the beautiful gardens of Blackheath in full bloom.

And if you've been missing the garden gnomes, this year's **Rotary Gnome Convention** will be held during the Rhodo Festival. Come and see all the gnomes frolicking in the Campbell Rhododendron Gardens all day on Saturday.

For full event details, visit rhodofestival.org/rhodo-festival.

Keith's Trivia

Here is this month's round of questions about trains, planes, automobiles, and... boats.

1. How many lights or discs are displayed on the front of a Royal Train in the UK?
2. The record setting French Trident was what type of aeroplane?
3. What does "HWM" stand for in the brand of the famous HWM formula 1 racing car?
4. What were the German submarines "Bremen" and "Deutschland" designed for?

Remember, there's a prize at the end of the year, so send your answers to trivia@antiquetoys.com.au.

And here are the answers to last month's trivia questions:

1. Francis Webb Sheilds was famous for adopting the 5'3" (1600mm) gauge for Victorian railways.
2. The US Navy's K-class airships were used mainly for anti-submarine warfare.
3. The "klaxon" horn was named by car engineer Franklyn Hallett Lovell Jr, after the ancient Greek "klazo" meaning "I shriek".
4. Early ships' funnels were taller than those on modern ships to provide adequate draught for coal-fired boilers.

At The Gearin

Spring is a great time to visit the **Beautiful Blue Mountains**, and any time is great to visit **Trains, Planes and Automobiles**. Our shop at The Gearin in Katoomba is open on Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from 10:00am to 4:00pm. And this weekend, we're also open on Sunday for auction viewing.

So come up to the Mountains if you can, have a great day at the Rhodo Festival, enjoy the local scenery, and view the auction lots and other marvellous toys and collectables at Trains, Planes and Automobiles.

And remember, we also have accommodation here at The Gearin. Why not make a weekend of it?

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