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Bonhams' charity valuation day at The Pantiles

On Saturday 20th June, The Pantiles in Tunbridge Wells will host a valuation day to raise money for Macmillan Cancer Support.

The Bonhams valuation day has been organised in conjunction with a team of experts at the Antiques store in the Corn Exchange at The Pantiles. Between 1pm and 4pm in the Corn Exchange, shoppers will have the chance to bring in any items they have to be valued by the specialists.

There'll be dedicated tables for art, pottery, sewing, mechanical music, clocks, furniture and jewellery and shoppers are asked to make a donation of £2 for the first item they would like to be valued and £1 for any additional items. All proceeds will go to Macmillan Cancer Support.

"An antiques valuation day is perfect for The Pantiles," said Andrew Gower, Centre Manager for The Pantiles. "I am sure there are lots of residents around Tunbridge Wells who would like to know how much their antiques are worth, and the valuation day is for such a worthwhile charity."

Jeremy Sparks, Regional Director from Bonhams, will be on hand in the afternoon to assist with the valuations. Having worked as an auctioneer for more than 30 years, Jeremy has a wealth of knowledge in silver and jewellery but also deals with pictures, collectors' items, art and furniture. The four specialists from the Antiques store will also be there; Steve Kember has specialist knowledge in mechanical music boxes and Tunbridge Ware; Pamela Goodwin is an expert in furniture, clocks, and decorative items; Sylvie Collet has an in-depth understanding of antique sewing and Sue Derrick's knowledge focuses on art pottery.

With a team of experts spanning a wide range of antiques, shoppers will be sure to find out how much their cherished antiques are worth.

Along with all valuation proceeds, Targetfollow will donate the normal hire fee for the Corn Exchange to Macmillan Cancer Support.

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For more information visit www.thepantilesonline.co.uk.

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