



AAADA Antiques and Fine Arts Fair

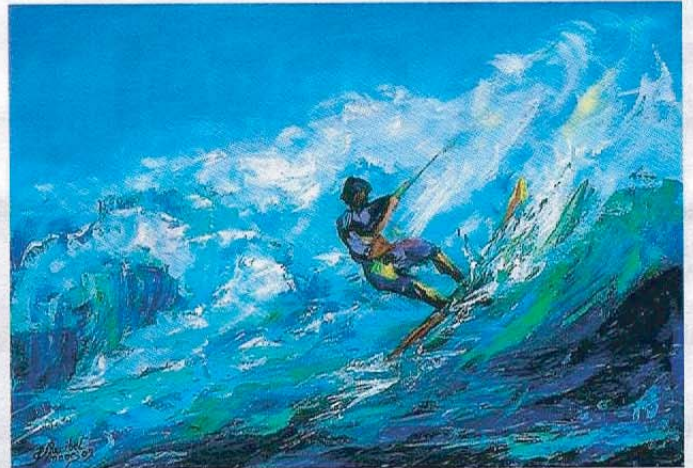
Featured on the bookmark printed by the Australian Antique and Art Dealers Association to promote its annual fair is the Fair Fairy Lustre Wedgwood Vase. It's one of the many Fairyland Lustre bowls and vases that Daisy Makeig-Jones designed for Wedgwood between 1915 and 1929. The particular vase featured on the bookmark is in the collection of the Capocchi family, owners of Harlequin, Kaleidoscope and Capocchi. Theirs is even more desirable and valuable because it is a striking example of the celebrated Candlemas pattern of four blue lustre candles tapering to a queen's head. The vases were expensive when they were first made and are still expensive now. The Capochis join more than 60 leading professionals from every state in the country for the only fair run by the Australian Antique and Art Dealers Association. Industry experts vet every item so buyers can be sure they receive precisely what they have paid for.

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The Showring, The Entertainment Quarter, Moore Park
Gala opening and preview on August 22 from 6pm,
tickets at the door \$30

General admission: August 23-25, 11am-8pm, Aug 26,
11am-6pm. Tickets \$20, concession \$15

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The Colours of Australia

A new collection by Spanish painter Maribel Jimenez is based on the colours of Australia. Inspired by the richness of Australian colours, Jimenez was able to present a wonderful abstraction, feeling proud to be part of such a beautiful natural environment. Her fascination with colour has been at the forefront of her 27-year artistic career. Crowned with recognitions, special mentions and exhibitions in renowned galleries in both Venezuela and the United States, she has also received training from reputed international artists including Goncharenko, Chirinos and Trina Reina de Ferrer. "Another striking aspect of this painter is the grace of her execution," said Spanish painter and art critic Pablo Sansegundo Castaneda. "This gift can only be found in the true masters. Maribel shows a speed of stroke and an inner security that enable her to hint what she wants us to see in her paintings with the slightest nervous and light touch." The collection includes landscapes, seascapes and Australian images.

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