

Bikers Paradise at Charterhouse Auction

The Charterhouse auction of vintage, classic and modern superbikes on **Sunday 4th February** has pretty much something for every bike enthusiast when nearly 80 motorcycles will be going under the hammer.

“We have been working hard scouring the country advising clients with their motorcycles hidden away or stored in their barns, garages and even in their living rooms,” commented Matthew Whitney. “Entries have come from Wales, Lincolnshire, all the counties across the West Country and even three four motorcycles from a client in France who had them delivered to our store!”

Motorcycles in the Charterhouse auction date from 1930 with a Triumph CSD through to 2014 Harley Davidson Dyna Switchback sidecar combination.

Star of the show is a 1940 Indian Chief. An American motorcycle it was imported into the UK in 1945, possibly by an American GI at the end of World War II. Now beautifully restored, this rare 1200cc American classic is estimated at £28,000-32,000*. *plus 13.2 buyers premium inc VAT



1940 Indian Chief

There are many British, Italian, German, Japanese, American and other bikes in the auction with café racers, lightweight mopeds, scramblers, touring and other bikes. With marques including Triumph, BSA, Lambretta, Vespa, Greeves, Royal Enfield, Norton, BMW, Bridgestone, Levis, AJS, Velocette, Gilera, Harley Davidson, Kawasaki, Yamaha, Suzuki, Honda, Ducati and many others there is plenty of choice.



1966 Norton Atlas Special



1976 Honda 750 Four



2014 Harley Davidson Dyna Switchback sidecar combination



1952 Ariel Square Four, barn stored



Lambretta 1967 150 Special



1935 Cotton, Barn Stored



1983 Ducati Darmah 900

There is also plenty of choice of condition too. Some are dismantled for restoration, others have been dragged out of barns ripe for restoration, many have current MOT's and are ready to take to the road or race track and there are some which are show winning concours bikes.

February is a busy month at Charterhouse for classic vehicle enthusiasts with this **Classic Motorcycle Auction on Sunday 4th February** followed a week later with **Classic and Vintage Cars on Sunday 11th February**.

Viewing for both auctions is at The Royal Bath & West Showground, Shepton Mallet, BA4 6QN, the day before (Saturday 3rd & Saturday 10th) and the morning of the respective auctions from 9.30am.

Catalogues are available from Charterhouse, The Long Street Salerooms, Sherborne DT9 3BS, or you can see all the vehicles on www.charterhouse-auction.com

For further information regarding these auctions, or to arrange a home visit if you are looking to sell a classic car or a classic motorcycle, contact **Matthew Whitney** at Charterhouse, The Long Street Salerooms, Sherborne **01935 812277** or email images for valuation at **info@charterhouse-auction.com**

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