



Greenville County **Museum of Art**

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News Release

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: Don't miss AFAD Weekend at the GCMA

Greenville, SC-- This year the Greenville County Museum of Art marks the 30th anniversary of its signature event, Antiques, Fine Art and Design Weekend. Sponsored by TD Bank, the annual show opens to the public on Friday, October 16 and ends Sunday afternoon, October 18.

A show record of 27 dealers from across the country will exhibit the best antiques, fine art, and design in the Southeast in the Museum's iconic modern setting on Heritage Green. Silver, linens, fine art, folk art, jewelry, primitives, porcelain, and outstanding antique furniture are for sale.

This year's show features a presentation by internationally acclaimed designer, Nina Campbell on Friday morning. Campbell will talk about her award-winning work for both residential and commercial clients in England, France, Germany, China, and the United States. The author of six design books, Campbell has been named several times to *Architectural Digest's* Top 100 List of Designers and Architects, and her work has been featured in numerous shelter magazines. Her presentation on Friday, October 16, begins at 10:30 am in the Museum Theater. Light refreshments will be served beginning at 10 am. Seats are \$30 and include general admission to AFAD Weekend. To reserve a spot, call 864.546.4061 or visit gcma.org/antiques.

In addition to shopping from an array of stunning antiques, fine art, and folk art, guests can savor delicious Southern hospitality with a tasty boxed lunch, or relax in the afternoon with a cup of coffee or glass of wine at Antiques and Drinks.

Since its inception, the *Art for Greenville* campaign has raised more than \$9 million for the acquisition of more than 125 works of art for Greenville. Antiques, Fine Art and Design

Weekend is the celebration of this year's successful *Art for Greenville* campaign. Today the Greenville County Museum of Art is recognized as one of the country's finest American art museums. Visitors come from around the world and around the corner to see the outstanding collections of works by Andrew Wyeth and Jasper Johns along with the renowned Southern Collection, all made possible by the tireless efforts of volunteers and the incredible generosity of the community.

The 2015 Antiques, Fine Art & Design Weekend show hours are from 10 am until 6 pm on Friday, October 16 and Saturday, October 17, and from 1 pm until 5 pm on Sunday, October 18. For more information, visit gcma.org/antiques or call 864.546.4061.

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