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Elvis is in the building! – Movie props and more at Antiques Fair

Collector's items such as props from the Gold Coast set of the much-anticipated Baz Luhrmann directed Elvis biopic and the return of interstate dealers will make it a bumper Albion Antique & Collectables Fair at the Brisbane Showgrounds starting this Friday.

More than 1,000 movie items across five specially crafted film sets are up for grabs, including a likeness of Graceland, to lights to more than 100 elephants, there's something not just for Elvis fans but film buffs as well.

The three-day premier antique event will also showcase a quality range of furniture, jewellery, clocks, collectables, and bric-a-brac and will be staged in the John Reid Pavilion.

The event will also feature the finest selection of vintage linen and lace for the connoisseur.

With borders now open, seven interstate antique dealers will join the 2022 line-up of more than 20 local dealers participating in the annual fair which is now in its sixth year.

Brisbane Showgrounds General Manager of Venue Sales and Marketing Jago Coyle said he was delighted that the fair has made the Brisbane Showgrounds home for the second year in a row.

"The Albion Antique & Collectables Fair is a true antique marketplace with a myriad of high-quality dealers exhibiting their collections," Mr Coyle said.

"It's fantastic that interstate dealers will be part of the fair thanks to the re-opening of borders which has kickstarted the events industry across the nation."

Mr Coyle said with its heritage features, the John Reid Pavilion is the perfect setting for the fair and we look forward to welcoming Brisbane collectors this weekend.

The 2022 Albion Antiques and Collectables Fair will be held on Friday 1 April and Saturday 2 April from 10am to 5pm and on Sunday 3 April 10am to 3.30pm.

Tickets can be online here <https://www.albionantiquecollectablesfair.com.au/buy-tickets> or at the door, \$10 for adults; \$8 for pensioners, under 15 years are free. A 3-day pass is \$15.

The Brisbane Showgrounds precinct is located 1.5km from Brisbane's CBD and is Queensland's largest indoor/outdoor events site.

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