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## ITEM 1 - YAK-52 FLIGHT EXPERIENCE

Have you ever wondered what it's like to loop or barrel roll over the British countryside? Well, now is your chance! You'll take the passenger seat in an ex-military Russian plane capable of +7g's and -5 g's and 300mph. You'll also have the chance to fly it yourself as it has dual controls!

The Yak 52 aircraft was built in the former Eastern Bloc and trained the fighter pilots of the Warsaw Pact countries as a lead-in trainer to the MiG Jets. If it's not aerobatics you like, that's fine, you can stay the right way up and enjoy the beautiful sights.

Your flight will take place from the historic Battle of Britain airfield, North Weald. Your family and friends will be welcome to come and watch your flight experience. A café, toilets, and a children's playground are all available.

You must be in good health, less than 6ft 4 tall and weigh less than 15 stone. Flight to take place on a mutually agreed date.

Kindly donated by Mr Jonathan Windover. **RESERVE PRICE - £100**



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## ITEM 2 - SANDRINGHAM HOUSE AND GARDEN TOUR AND SPARKLING AFTERNOON TEA

Enjoy a private guided tour for four guests of the magnificent Royal Estate property, Sandringham House, with access to the beautiful Gardens, and a Sparkling Afternoon Tea for four at the Courtyard Restaurant.

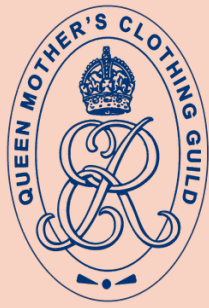
The tour is to take place on an agreed date between June and October 2026.

Kindly donated by His Majesty The King  
**RESERVE PRICE - £500**



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## ITEM 3 - FRAMED ARTWORK BY ARTIST AMANDA BASTIN

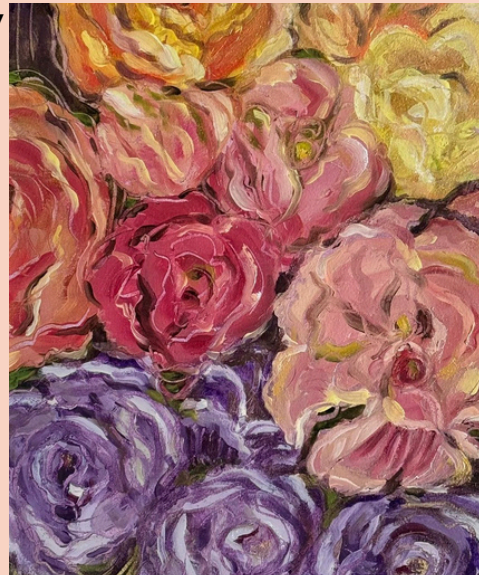
'Looking Rose' by Amanda Bastin

Framed oil on canvas, 42cm x 33cm

Amanda Bastin is a British artist living in London. Her vibrant paintings, brimming with life and beauty, explore both the familiar and fantastical realms of nature's infinite wonders. Amanda is currently exhibiting in the Linley showroom.

[www.amandabastinart.co.uk](http://www.amandabastinart.co.uk)

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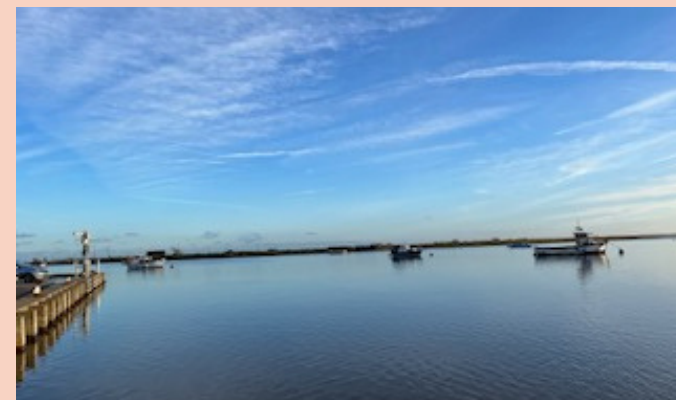
## ITEM 4 - GUIDED TOUR OF ORFORD NESS AND COBRA MIST, SUFFOLK

Enjoy a private tour for up to ten people to magical Orford Ness and the extraordinary Cobra Mist building in Suffolk.

You will travel by boat from Orford Quay, then transfer into two Land Rovers. Your first stop is the new colony of breeding seals, located where the lighthouse once stood. Next, enjoy a short drive to the Cobra Mist building, which is not open to the public. Built by the Americans during the Cold War, Cobra Mist was intended for long-range surveillance radar in Europe and Russia, though it was never fully operational. It later served for the transmission of the BBC World Service. The late Nicholas Gold brought the interior from Babcock, which still includes many original items. After the tour, enjoy coffee and brownies in the old BBC canteen.

Tour to take place on a mutually agreed date (weather dependent)

Donated by kind permission of the executors of the late Mr Nicholas Gold. **RESERVE PRICE - £100**



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## ITEM 5 - BOTTLE OF CHÂTEAU LÉOVILLE BARTON 1996

A bottle of Château Léoville Barton 1996,  
Bordeaux, Bonhams Fine Wine Department.

'A classic, "old school" Claret, displaying a deep ruby colour, with refined aromas of cassis, cedar, tobacco, and truffle. This vintage is characterised by firm, structured tannins that have mellowed over time, offering a long, rich finish'

Kindly donated by Mr Tim Deacon

**RESERVE PRICE - £50**



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## ITEM 6 - FOUR TICKETS TO JESUS CHRIST SUPERSTAR AT THE LONDON PALLADIUM

The award-winning Regent's Park Open Air Theatre production of Jesus Christ Superstar comes to the iconic London Palladium this summer. Starring Sam Ryder as Jesus, Tyrone Huntley as Judas and Jesse Tyler Ferguson, Simon Russell Beale, Richard Armitage, Boy George, Layton Williams and Julian Clary sharing the role of King Herod.

Tickets are for 7.30 pm performance on Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> August 2026, Row L, Royal Circle

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**RESERVE PRICE - £200**

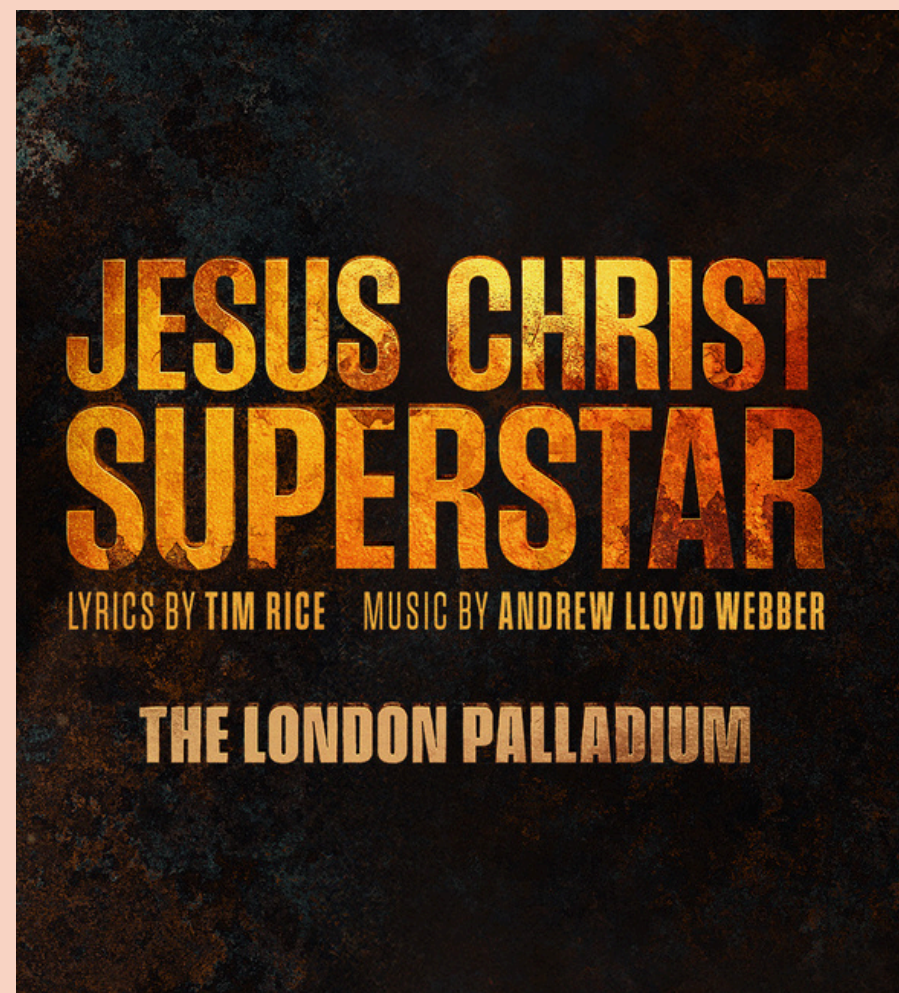


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## ITEM 7 - HANDMADE FARMYARD PLAYSET AND MAT

A charming hand-knitted farmyard playset. This delightful collection includes a playmat, an accompanying book, a storage bag, and a host of adorable farmyard pieces.

A one-of-a-kind item lovingly made by hand. Perfect as a new baby gift, for playrooms, nurseries or play groups.

Kindly donated by Andrea Peel and Barbara Marchant, Friends of the Guild.

**RESERVE PRICE - £75**



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## ITEM 8 - PRIVATE TOUR FOR FOUR OF JANE AUSTEN'S HOUSE

Enjoy an exclusive private tour for four at the Jane Austen House in Chawton, Hampshire, led by Director Lizzie Dunford. The experience includes a champagne reception of the house and gardens, plus a copy of the 250th anniversary coffee table book and 'Sense and Sensibility'.

Valid until December 2027.

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**RESERVE PRICE - £100**



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