



*Transferware  
Collector's Club  
Tenth Annual Meeting  
BRISTOL, England  
October 15-18, 2009*



*The Transferware Collector's Club is pleased to invite members to our tenth annual meeting in the city of Bristol, England, which has many historic ties with the USA. We shall be staying at the Redwood Hotel, Beggar Bush Lane, Fairland, Bristol, BS8 3TG, which is a short taxi ride from both Bristol Temple Meads Railway Station which serves trains from London, and Bristol International Airport, with flights to and from Newark NJ with Continental Airways. For those traveling by road, the M5 is close by and the hotel has ample free parking.*

*We have a wonderful team of speakers, some of whom you know and others who will be new to you. They include, Karin Walton, the curator of ceramics at Bristol Museum and Art Gallery, Jonathan Gray, "From Swansea to Philadelphia", John Homewood, "Wild Rose Border and Nuneham Courteney", Laurie Fuller, Chairman, Friends of Blue, and members David Scriven, Colin Parkes, Royce Walters, and Dick Henrywood.*

*In Bristol we shall be having a guided tour of the SS Great Britain, which was built by the great Victorian engineer Isambard Kingdom Brunel in 1843. At the time she was the largest passenger ship ever built and sailed between Bristol and New York.*



*When we go to the Bristol Museum and Art Gallery, which has a wonderful ceramics section with much made locally, it is hoped we shall be able to view the reserve collection.*

*We shall see the Avon Gorge which is depicted on Bristol transferware, although nowadays there is a suspension bridge crossing it which is an engineering miracle and this too was built by Brunel.*



*We shall be spending a day in Bath, which is only a short coach ride away. Our day begins with a guided tour of the Roman Baths. After a lunch at Woods Restaurant, which is opposite the Assembly Rooms, we shall visit No 1 Royal Crescent, which will enable us to see how wealthy people lived at the end of the 18th century. Each room is an exquisite example of Georgian interior design with authentic furnishings. There will be a steward in every room to answer any questions you might have. The stewards have been prompted that there could be questions asked about the china. A guided tour of the Museum of Eastern Art will be given by the curator, Michael Lee, in order to see their collection of ceramics.*



*Your registration fee is ALL INCLUSIVE: 3 nights at the Redwood Lodge, all meals, from Thursday evening until Sunday lunchtime, coach travel to attractions in Bristol and Bath and all entrance fees and guided tours. This year, there will not be an optional day of activities. There will be ample time, including a nightly cash bar, to renew friendships and make new ones. A Show and Sale will be held on Sunday afternoon from 2pm-4pm. For anyone not wanting to rent a whole table, a Jumble Table is offered, with a limit of 5 items per person.*

*Might we suggest that you bring umbrellas with you?*

*Please note: Preceding the meeting, the club is also sponsoring a special 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary ceramics tour. This tour is separate from but complimentary to our meeting. The tour (its announcement is included herein) will deliver participants right to the Redwood Lodge just in time for you to register for the meeting!*

## Meeting Schedule

Thursday 15th October

4:00pm Registration  
5:30pm Cash bar  
6:30pm Dinner  
8:00pm Welcome and opening remarks  
8:15pm Lecture 1  
Announcements re Friday

\*Friday 16th October

Breakfast  
9:00am Lecture 2  
9:45am Coffee break  
10:15am Leave for Bath by coach, viewing places of interest on the way  
11:30am A guided tour of the Roman Baths. The Abbey is alongside but we shall only have time to view it from the outside.  
12:30pm Re-board coach  
12:45pm Lunch at Woods Restaurant (a Bath institution)  
1:45pm Visits to No. 1 Royal Crescent, and the Museum of Eastern Art, viewing the Assembly Rooms and the Royal Circus on the way.  
4:00pm Return to Bristol  
5:30pm Cash Bar  
6:30pm Dinner  
8:00pm Lecture 3  
Announcements re Saturday

Saturday 17th October

Breakfast  
9:00am TCC annual business meeting  
10:45am Coffee break  
11:15am Depart by coach for -----  
11:30am A guided tour of the SS Great Britain and to view the Avon Gorge  
12:45pm Re-board coach  
1:00pm Lunch at Bristol Museum  
2:00pm Visit to the Bristol Art Gallery and Museum to view their ceramics collection.  
*(It is to be hoped that this will be a guided visit and that we shall see the reserve collection.)*  
3:30pm Leave for Redwood Lodge  
4:30 Lecture 4 at Hotel  
5:30pm Cash bar  
6:30pm Dinner  
8:00pm Lecture 5  
Announcements re Sunday

Sunday 18th October

Breakfast  
9:00am Lecture 6  
10:00am Lecture 7  
11:00am Coffee break  
11:30am Lecture 8  
12:30pm Boxed lunch  
2:00-4:00pm Show & Sale

\*Owing to the nature of Bath there will be some strolling (!) and wheelchair access is limited in the Roman Baths, but we are told everything possible will be done to make your visit enjoyable.

**TCC 10<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING  
BRISTOL, ENGLAND  
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15 - SUNDAY OCTOBER 18  
REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

**A GREAT ALL INCLUSIVE PACKAGE:** 3 Nights Lodging, ALL meals, 8 Presentations, 2 Day-Time Excursions with guided tours, Sunday Show and Sale, and all taxes and gratuities!!

*Payment Options:* We are pleased to provide you with several payment options: You may pay in pounds sterling, taking advantage of the exchange rate at the time of payment, or you may pay in US dollars. Dollar payments will be based on an exchange rate of \$1.55/£1. PayPal payments and payments in US dollars also include a modest fee to cover transmittal costs. Registration fees are based on a minimum of 50 participants.

**BEST RATE:** Register and pay in full by June 1, 2009

**SINGLE OCCUPANCY:**

Pay with Bank Check: Total £525 GBP or \$ 840 USD  
Pay with PayPal Total £545 GBP (Pounds sterling only)

**DOUBLE OCCUPANCY:**

Pay with Bank Check: Total £785 GBP or \$ 1,250 USD  
Pay with PayPal: Total £815 GBP (Pounds sterling only)

**LATE REGISTRATION:** If you register after June 1, 2009, add the following to the Best Rate. Please note: Late registration will be only accepted subject to availability.

**SINGLE OCCUPANCY:**

Pay with Bank Check: Total Best Rate + £100 GBP or Best Rate + \$150 USD  
Pay with PayPal Total Best Rate + £120 GBP (Pounds sterling only)

**DOUBLE OCCUPANCY:**

Pay with Bank Check: Total Best Rate + £150 GBP or Best Rate + \$200 USD  
Pay with PayPal Total Best Rate + £180 GBP (Pounds sterling only)

**UK DAY-TRIPPERS  
(No Lodging, No Breakfast)**

*Please check the boxes of your choice – price is per person*

Two Excursions with Lunch and All Presentations, Show and Sale, Sunday Boxed Lunch	All Presentations, Show and Sale, Sunday Boxed Lunch	Show and Sale Only, no Lunch	Thursday Dinner at the Redwood Lodge	Friday Dinner at the Redwood Lodge	Saturday Dinner Dinner at the Redwood Lodge
£160.00	£88.00	£20.00	£24.00	£24.00	£24.00

**SUNDAY SHOW AND SALE: TABLE RESERVATIONS**

Clothed table rental for member dealers: £20.00 per table

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UK Day-Trippers Total of above (page 3) X the number of people \_\_\_\_\_  
Overnight Attendees (circle single or double occupancy) \_\_\_\_\_  
Late reservation (see page 3) (after June 1, 2009) \_\_\_\_\_  
Show/Sale Tables for Member Dealers; number reserved X £20.00 \_\_\_\_\_  
GRAND TOTAL (specify £ or \$): \_\_\_\_\_

ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT US: email: [sue.wagstaff2@btinternet.com](mailto:sue.wagstaff2@btinternet.com) or [merlinbl@pacbell.net](mailto:merlinbl@pacbell.net). Telephone: +44 (0) 1275 395822 (International callers: First enter your international access code-- for US members it is "011"--, then enter the UK country code "44" and omit the "0").

MAKE PAYMENT IN ONE OF THE FOLLOWING WAYS

**BANK CHECK IN POUNDS STERLING:**

Please make check payable to Frank Wagstaff and mail it with your registration form to: Transferware Collectors Club, c/o Frank and Sue Wagstaff, Viaduct Cottage, Dunkerton, Bath BA2 8BG, UK

**PAYPAL PAYMENT IN POUNDS STERLING:**

Send money to: [frankwagstaff@btinternet.com](mailto:frankwagstaff@btinternet.com)  
Once PayPal payment has been confirmed, be sure to mail your registration forms to Transferware Collectors Club, c/o Frank and Sue Wagstaff, Viaduct Cottage, Dunkerton, Bath BA2 8BG, UK

**CHECKS IN US DOLLARS:**

Mail with registration form to: Transferware Collectors Club, c/o Judie Siddall, 734 Torrey Court, Palo Alto, CA 94303.

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS:** Prices are based on a minimum of 50 paying participants and a currency exchange rate of \$1.55/£1. At the time of payment, the Transferware Collectors Club reserves the right to add any increased amount arising from changes in the foreign exchange rates. Rates are based on group participation and there can be no refund for services or portions of the event activities not taken. No refunds or cancellations will be accepted after September 1, 2009.

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDITIONAL NIGHTS AT THE REDWOOD LODGE**

Should you wish to stay additional nights at the Redwood Lodge, please contact the Hotel directly, informing them that you are attending the TCC event. A double room costs £106 and a single £97.50, include breakfast, and you will be responsible for payment directly to the hotel. Email address is: [events.redwood@foliohotels.com](mailto:events.redwood@foliohotels.com). and the telephone is: (44) 1275 395822