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The Winter Show, Postponed Because of Omicron Surge, Sets April Dates



After being online-only in 2021, the Winter Show will be held in person in April at the former Barneys outpost. Hiroko Masuike/The New York Times

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The Winter Show's 68th edition will run from April 1 through April 10 inside the former flagship location of Barneys New York at 660 Madison Avenue, the art fair's organizers announced Friday.

The fair, which benefits the [East Side House Settlement](#), a nonprofit organization serving the Bronx and Northern Manhattan, had been [postponed](#) in December because of the surge of the coronavirus pandemic. (It had been slated to be held in January at the Park Avenue Armory.) The fair went virtual for its 2021 edition, and this year, it will be in person and include some online viewing rooms.

"It was disappointing to postpone, but we knew it was the right decision," Helen Allen, the executive director of the Winter Show, said in an interview.

"But there is nothing as good as seeing artworks in person, and we are thrilled to have found a new venue," she added.

The fair established itself in the 1950s as a leading venue for antiques buyers and later broadened its scope to fine art and design. Dealers are vetted by a committee and typically produce richly decorated booths, which separate them from the simple white walls synonymous with the contemporary art market.