

SA1159654

Rare Child`s Armchair

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA1159654

Date of manufacture: 18th Century

Dimensions

Height = 84 cm (33.1")

Width = 48 cm (18.9")

Depth = 31 cm (12.2")

Description

A delightful oak armchair of small size, presumably intended for a child, with an undulating cresting rail above a recessed central panel and seat. The downswept arms supported by ball-turned front legs joined by a baluster and ring-turned front stretcher. The patina is excellent with a rich contrast of colours. Probably Welsh, circa 1690-1720. Some old patches and repairs and height loss to the rear feet but large enough and strong enough to comfortably accommodate an adult. Literature: For an armchair of similar scale see *Early British Chairs and Seats* by Tobias Jellinek, page 151, plate 172, where the author suggests the chair illustrated may be an "example of a 'littel chayre' so often referred to in early inventories".

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