

Fireplace Restoration We have a highly skilled workforce that has an outstanding reputation for carrying out all forms of fireplace restoration and have restored thousands of fireplaces in some of England's finest homes and castles as well as many offices, restaurants and private homes.

Throughout the years many household fireplaces sustained damaged either through constant use or years of neglect. Some of these fireplaces have missing parts, broken sections, cracks, numerous layers of paint, stains/discolouration, fire damaged areas, to name just a few. As a result many fires have become less of a focal point for the room in which they reside with many of them being hidden by boarding or furniture. We can offer a free estimate for the works needed to bring the fireplace back to its former glory.

Our skilled workforce are highly trained at not only restoring fireplaces but at also identifying any existing safety issues that could prove a risk to householders and neighbouring properties. All our site visits are carried out by a member of staff who is Hetas safety registered and will talk through any safety issues with the client. We can also arrange camera inspections of Flues if it is needed as well as flue safety treatments and chimney reconstruction.

We can provide the following services of restoration and they can all be carried out on site if desired without the fireplace needing to be removed:

### **Marble & Stone Fires**

- Paint removal
- Cleaning of soot, oils, dirt etc;
- Sealing and polishing
- Deep stain removal of some of the most darkest of stains by using poultices
- Detailed Carving of replacement/damaged parts
- Cracks & chips repaired
- Replacement parts using original marble/stone to match
- Other

### **Cast iron, Steel & Brass Fires**

- Paint & Rust removal
- Replacement parts supplied & fitted
- Repairs/replacement to damaged fire bricks
- Welding and reconstructing broken sections
- Polishing to a pewter or gun metal finish & polished brass
- Other

### Wooden Surrounds

- Paint removal
- Replacement sections to damaged/missing parts using the same wood
- Detailed carving
- Wax and French polishing
- Other

### Tiles & Hearths

- Cleaning and Paint removal from tiles, stone and brick
- Repairing breaks, cracks and missing parts
- Replacing unwanted sets of tiles in situ
- Templating and replacing slate & tiled hearths
- other

### Inglenook Brick & Stone Fires

- Paint removal
- Cleaning of soot, tar and stains
- Sealing & stabilising of brick and stone
- Removing & replacing damaged/crumbling bricks & stone
- Re-pointing

All of our restoration work is carried out neatly and to the highest standard possible with minimal disruption. Providing that the flue is safe for use (camera inspection will confirm this) and that all other features meet with safety standards, then we are able to issue a hetas certificate for showing that it is safe for use as a working fire.

#### **Other services we offer:**

We provide a **fitting service** for all fireplaces needing installing and as all of our fitters are Hetas registered, you get the peace of mind in knowing that each installation is carried out safely with a certificate provided on completion.

We also **design & manufacture fireplaces** as well as **sell** from a **large stock of restored originals**.

We will be happy to discuss any of your fireplace requirements from small projects to larger ongoing projects. Don't hesitate to give us a call for a free quote today!