

DROUOT'S DRAWING WEEK

19-26 MARCH 2018

Only a few steps away from the Palais Brongniart which welcomes the Salon du Dessin as a major yearly rendez-vous, Drouot will feature several events and a series of auctions around the Arts on Paper, standing as a key cultural actor in the art market scene.

- From 13 to 21 March, Drouot organises a curated exhibition titled **Œuvres Choiesies**. The exhibition will include a 'Drawing Cabinet' that gathers highlights from the upcoming sales. The selection of works will offer a wide panel of drawings ranging from the 17th century to nowadays. Most of it will be offered at auction between the 21 and 26 March at Drouot, during six dedicated auctions and included in section among larger sales. This important retrospective will be a beautiful opportunity for collectors and connoisseurs to identify some of the greatest artists of their time, from De La Fosse in the 17th century to celebrated contemporary artist Banksy and including Hubert Robert, Jacques Majorelle, Vassily Kandinsky, Henri Matisse, Sam Francis and Chu Teh-Chun.
- This curated exhibition will be an important step among the tour organised by the Quartier Art Drouot (QAD) from 16 to 30 March. The QAD gathers 15 galleries surrounding Drouot which will all specifically highlight one work of art for the occasion.
- Additionally, Danish auction house Bruun Rasmussen will feature highlights from an old master collection of drawings, the Wolff Collection which will be offered in Copenhagen in May. On March 20 and 21, some of the 2,000 works will be on view at 12 Drouot (exhibition gallery facing Drouot).
- Finally, Drouot will exceptionally welcome visitors on the week-end of 24 and 25 March from 11am to 6pm and, Drouot's restaurant L'Adjugé will be open for dinner from 13 March (11am-11pm). A perfect opportunity to fully embrace Drouot's atmosphere.

17TH



Charles DE LA FOSSE (1636-1716)
Nude woman playing tambourine, study for Terpsichore
Three pencils.
€15,000 - 20,000
Villanfray & Associates, 30 March



Claude MELLAN (1598-1688)
Portrait of Nicolas Claude Fabri de Pereisc (1580-1637)
Black chalk on paper.
€25,000 - 30,000
Leclere - Maison de ventes, 26 March



Alessandro TURCHI (1578-1649)
God appearing to Moses as a pillar of smoke
Pen, brown ink and ink wash.
€5,000 - 8,000
Polakovits Collection
Christophe Joron-Derem, 21 March



Hubert ROBERT (1733-1808)
People resting at the Forum, near the Arch of Titus and the Temple of Castor and Pollux
Sanguine.
€5,000-7,000
Leclere-Maison de Ventes, 26 March

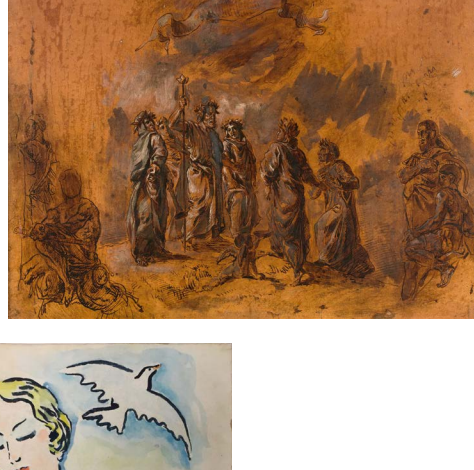


18TH

Giovanni Battista TIEPOLO (1696-1770)
Study for a vase with allegorical figures
Pen and black chalk.
€6,000 - 8,000
Leclere-Maison de ventes, 26 March

19TH

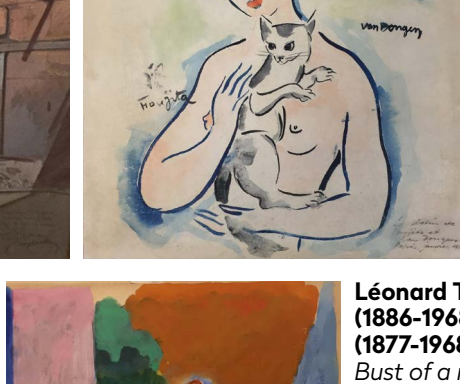
Eugène DELACROIX (1798-1863)
Homer with poets Ovid, Horace and Lucain, welcome Dante, brought by Virgil, at the Elysium
Study for the Senate's library dome.
Oil on tracing paper.
€40,000 - 60,000
Millon, 23 March



Léonard Tsuguharu FOUJITA (1886-1968) & Kees VAN DONGEN (1877-1968)
Bust of a nude woman holding a cat in her arms
Watercolour on paper.
€50,000 - 70,000
Leclere-Maison de ventes, 26 March



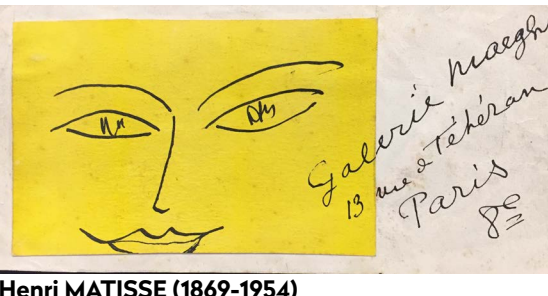
Jacques MAJORELLE (1886-1962)
View of the Kasbah.
Tagadirt n'Bour
Gouache and charcoal on cardboard.
€25,000 - 30,000
Drouot Estimations, 13 April



Kees VAN DONGEN (1877-1968)
La Berma in Phèdre (Illustration for Proust, In Search of Lost Time)
Gouache and pencil on paper.
€30,000 - 50,000
Leclere-Maison de ventes, 26 March

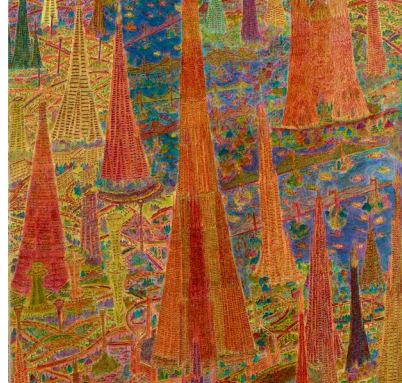


Sam FRANCIS (1923-1994)
BRIGHT RING DRAWING, 1962
Gouache and watercolour on paper.
€60,000 - 80,000
DIGARD AUCTION, 25 March



Henri MATISSE (1869-1954)
Portrait of a young woman, 1944
Pen on paper.
€15,000 - 20,000
Leclere-Maison de ventes, 13 April

21TH



Vassily KANDINSKY (1866-1944)
Construction-souffle, June 1931
Watercolour and ink on paper.
€100,000 - 150,000
Farrando, 26 March



Marcel STORR (1911-1976)
Untitled 2 August-27 December 1972
Pencil, coloured ink and varnish on paper.
€60,000 - 90,000
Ader Nordmann, 23 March



Jean-Michel BASQUIAT (1960-1988)
Untitled, 1982
Pastel on paper.
€300,000 - 500,000
Leclere-Maison de ventes, 26 March



BANKSY (Born in 1975)
Girl with Balloon, 2004
Silkscreen printed in colours, dedicated, dated and signed lower left. Outside of the production.
Expert: Control Office Certificate.
€80,000 - 120,000
DIGARD AUCTION, 26 March



Chu TEH-CHUN (1920-2014)
Untitled, 1988
Ink and gouache on tracing paper.
€100,000 - 150,000
Blanchet & Associés, 21 March

AUCTION SCHEDULE AT DROUOT

WEDNESDAY 21 MARCH

2pm - Christophe Joron-Derem - Room 2
Collection Mathias Polakovits, old master drawings
Expert: Benjamin Perronet
Public exhibition: Saturday 17, Monday 19, Tuesday 20 (11am-6pm) and Wednesday 21 (11am-12pm)

2pm - Blanchet & Associés - Room 7
Public exhibition: Tuesday 20 (11am-6pm) and Wednesday 21 (11am-12pm)

FRIDAY 23 MARCH

2pm - Ader Nordmann - Room 6
Old Master and Modern Drawings
Public exhibition: Thursday 22 (11am-9pm) and Friday 23 (11am-12pm)

2pm - Millon - Room 2
Old Master Drawings
Public exhibition: Thursday 22 (11am-9pm) and Friday 23 (11am-12pm)

SUNDAY 25 MARCH

2pm - DIGARD AUCTION - Room 7
Abstract and Contemporary Art
Expert: Gilles Farssi
Public exhibition: Saturday 24 (11am-6pm) and Sunday 25 (11h-12h)

MONDAY 26 MARCH

2pm - DIGARD AUCTION - Room 1
Urban Contemporary Art
Public exhibition: Saturday 24, Sunday 25 (11am-6pm) and Monday 26 (11am-12pm)

2pm - Farrando - Room 11
Expert: Cabinet Chanoit
Public exhibition: Saturday 24, Sunday 25 (11am-6pm) and Monday 26 (11am-12pm)

2:30pm - Leclere - Maison de ventes - Room 4
Old Master and Modern Drawings
Public exhibition: Saturday 24, Sunday 25 (11am-6pm) and Monday 26 (11am-12pm)

2:30pm - Leclere - Maison de ventes - Room 16
Postwar & Contemporary
Public exhibition: Saturday 24, Sunday 25 (11am-6pm) and Monday 26 (11am-12pm)

FRIDAY 30 MARCH

2pm - Villanfray & Associés - Room 10
Expert: Cabinnet de Bayser
Public exhibition: Thursday 29 (11am-9pm) and Friday 30 (11am-12pm)

FRIDAY 13 APRIL

2pm - Drouot Estimations - Room 10
Expert: Cabinet Chanoit
Public exhibition: Thursday 12 (11am-9pm) and Friday 13 (11am-12pm)

2pm - Leclere - Maison de ventes - Room 7
Public exhibition: Thursday 12 (11am-9pm) and Friday 13 (11am-12pm)

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