

Strong First Day Sales Results at Poly Auction Hong Kong's Autumn Auctions 2020

Chinese Ceramics and Works of Art, Rare Wine, Whisky & Chinese Tea as well as Noble Handbags & Hype Collectibles Sales Achieved a Grand Total of HK\$180 Million

3 Items Fetched over HK\$10 Million

Poly Auction Hong Kong has reported a successful first day of sales at their Autumn Auctions 2020. Five auction sessions were held today which covered sections of Chinese Ceramics and Works of Art, Rare Wine, Whisky & Chinese Tea as well as Noble Handbags & Hype Collectibles, with the total sales figure HK\$180 Million.

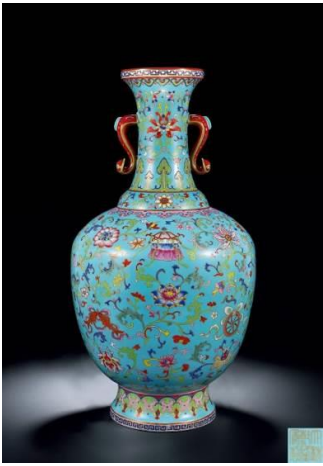
Alex Chang, Managing Director of Poly Auction (Hong Kong) Ltd, said, "The global art market is faced with a need for restructuring because of the pandemic this year. Poly Auction Hong Kong Ltd. will continue its efforts in developing mobile apps and WeChat Mini Programs to cater for collectors and market needs. The Chinese Ceramics and Works of Art, Rare Wine, Whisky & Chinese Tea as well as Noble Handbags & Hype Collectibles sectors all performed well in the Autumn Auctions this year, with multiple lots sold at high prices on the live, phone and online platforms amid competitive bidding. In the future, our teams will, as they always do, provide collectors with top-notch auction lots and outstanding services to present an even wider array of treasures to our collectors so that they can consider adding to their collections."

Chinese Ceramics and Works of Art

With a thoughtful selection, the Chinese Ceramics and Works of Art Department had launched three specialised auctions, which featured treasured possessions with honourable provenance from prominent collectors, including the Late Professor E.T. Hall, Gerald Greenwald, J.M. Hu, J.T. Tai and Robert Chang. Three sales realized HK\$150 million, with 3 items fetched over \$10 million.

Albert Du, Senior Specialist of the Chinese Ceramics and Works of Art Department, said "Despite the pandemic, the three main sales of Chinese Ceramics and Works of Art of Poly Auction Hong Kong still achieved excellent results. I should first like to express my sincere gratitude to many collectors who support Poly Auction Hong Kong. The excellent results also demonstrate the meticulous attitude and the accurate judgement of the professional teams here at Poly Auction Hong Kong. In the future, we will enhance our effort to present even more extraordinary lots."

Lustrous Aura Selected Qing Imperial Porcelains from the Fonthill, Ten-views Lingbi Rock Retreat and Western Collection



Lot 1039
 A FINE AND RARE LARGE
 TURQUOISE-GROUND
 'BAJIXIANG' CLOISONNE-
 IMITATION VASE WITH RUYI
 HANDLES
 QIANLONG PERIOD, 1736-1795
 H 54.5 cm
 Sold Price: HK\$ 41,300,000



Lot1031
 A FINE AND IMPORTANT BLUE
 AND WHITE 'BAJIXIANG'
 MOONFLASK, QIANLONG
 PERIOD, 1736-1795
 H 50 cm
 Sold Price: HK\$ 8,142,000



Lot 1038
 A PAIR OF FINE FAMILLE-ROSE BLUE-
 GROUND MEDALLION 'DOUBLE NINTH
 FESTIVAL' BOWLS
 QIANLONG PERIOD, 1736-1795
 D 15 cm
 Sold Price: HK\$ 7,316,000

Imperial Affection, Part II



Lot1008
 A RARE BLUE AND WHITE 'FLORAL AND FRUIT'
 HEXAFOIL BOWL
 XUANDE PERIOD, 1426-1435
 D 22.6 cm
 Sold Price: HK\$10,384,000



Lot1012
 A BLUE AND WHITE 'PLAYING CHILDREN'
 OCTAGONAL BOX AND COVER,
 WANLI PERIOD, 1573-1620
 H 13.5 cm
 Sold Price: HK\$ 4,720,000

Important Chinese Ceramics and Works of Art



Lot 911
 A RARE FAMILLE ROSE 'LOTUS SCROLL' BOTTLE VASE,
 TIANQIUPING
 QIANLONG PERIOD, 1736-1795
 H 50.8 cm
 Sold Price: HK\$ 17,110,000



Lot 920
 A GILT-BRONZE FIGURE OF VAJRAPĀṆI
 YONGLE PERIOD, 1403-1424
 H 21cm
 Sold Price: HK\$ 5,664,000



Lot 926
 A LARGE HUANGHUALI PAINTING TABLE, HUAZHUO,
 18TH CENTURY
 L 212 cm W 76.2 cm H 88.9 cm
 Sold Price: HK\$ 2,832,000



Lot 983
 AN ARCHAIC BRONZE 'TAOTIE' WINE VESSEL,
 YOU, SHANG DYNASTY
 C. 1500 – 1050 B.C.
 H 21.7 cm
 Sold Price: HK\$ 2,124,000

Rare Pu'er Tea, Chinese Spirit and Whisky

Poly Auction Hong Kong attracted a great deal of attention when it made its foray into the market of tea leaves in 2019. The Autumn Auction this year offered more than 200 exquisite lots, including vintage pu'er tea, precious dried tangerine peels, collector-grade Chinese spirit and whiskies. The total sales amount was about HK\$ 20.28 million. In the auction, there was a bundle of seven 1950s pu'er tea cakes, each in wrapping paper printed with blue text and came in their original packaging. It is the classic tea product from the 1950s state-run tea factory. After multiple rounds of bidding, the tea cakes were finally sold at the high price of HK\$ 3.245 million. Especially noteworthy is the Important Hong

Kong Private Collection Sale, which was a new thematic sale. It included a series of rare and precious pu'er tea, white tea and dried tangerine peels of more than 70 years in private collections. They were very well received by collectors and bidding was competitive. As many as 96% of the lots offered in this sale were sold. Furthermore, Yamazaki 50 Edition 3 fared brilliantly: it was sold for the final bid at HK\$ 2.124 million. This lot was the last edition of Yamazaki 50 whisky which was bottled in 2011, and was among a limited run of 150 bottles.

Liam Gui, Head of Department, Rare Wine, Whisky and Chinese Tea Specialists, said, “We sincerely thank collectors for their attention and support. Under the current situation, consciousness for maintaining health and well-being is ever increasing. The Rare Wine, Whisky and Chinese Tea Specialists of Poly Auction Hong Kong strive to provide collectors with quality tea leaves, dried tangerine peels and Chinese and Western wine and whiskies that are aged well and have investment potentials. We hope that while enjoying the fond tastes fermented by time, everyone can also understand the traditional culture and the concept of well-being that embody oriental wisdom.”



LOT 529
SEVEN PIECES OF VINTAGE
PU'ER TEA CAKES, 1950S

Sold Price: HK\$ 3,245,000



LOT 553
AN ANTIQUE PU'ER TEA CAKE, 'SONG
PIN HAO', 1920S
weight: approximately 219g
process: non-fermented tea storage: dry

Sold Price: HK\$ 1,416,000



LOT 590
DRIED TANGERINE PEEL, 1950S
weight: 1,800g
condition: completely clear

Sold Price: HK\$ 354,000



Lot 624
 KWEICHOW MOUTAI 1983-1984
 ABV:53% Vol:540ml
 Quantity:2bottles
 Sold Price: HK\$ 448,400

Lot 704
 CROIZET CUVÉE LEONIE 1858
 Cognac
 ABV40% 700ml 1 btl
 Sold Price: HK\$ 354,000

Lot 669
 YAMAZAKI 50 EDITION 3
 50 Years Old Mizunara oak Bottled 2011
 1 of 150 bottles ABV 57% 700ml
 Sold Price: HK\$ 2,124,00

Noble Handbags & Hype Collectibles

In the Noble Handbags & Hype Collectibles Sales in the Autumn Auctions this year, more than 120 noble handbags and hype collectibles were presented. Multiple lots were the subject of competitive bidding on the live, phone and online auction platform, which were filled with an atmosphere of excitement. The highlight lot was an extremely rare White Himalaya Niloticus Crocodile Birkin 25 with an extremely high value for collection. It was sold at a high price of HK\$ 2.3 million, the top price in the sale.

Handbag specialist, Amanda Zhao, said, “The pandemic did not diminish the enthusiasm of collectors in bidding for noble handbags. This fully demonstrates the fact that handbags made of rare leather and of limited edition have an extremely high value for collection on the market. In the future, we will continue with our current effort in expanding our search for rare and precious auction lots based on the principle of quality over quantity.”



Lot 819
 A RARE MATTE WHITE HIMALAYA NILOTICUS
 CROCODILE BIRKIN 25 WITH PALLADIUM HARDWARE
 HERMÈS 2020
 L.25 × H.19 × D.13 cm, Condition Report Grade I
 Sold Price: HK\$ 2,301,000



Lot 794
 HERMÈS 2006
 A LIMITED EDITION BLACK BOX LEATHER &
 BLUE POTOMAC CANVAS BIRKIN 30 WITH
 PALLADIUM HARDWARE
 Sold Price: HK\$ 259,600



Lot 792
HERMÈS 2018
A SHINY BLACK ALLIGATOR SELLIER KELLY 25 WITH
GOLD HARDWARE
L.25 × H.18 × D.10CM. , CONDITION REPORT GRADE I
Sold Price: HKD 542,800



Lot 793
CHANEL 2012
A MÉTIERS D'ART PARIS-BOMBAY RUNWAY BLACK
LUCITE MATRYOSHKA EVENING BAG WITH GOLD
HARDWARE
W.9 × H.19 × D.7 cm
Condition Report Grade I-1.5
Sold Price: HK\$ 377,600

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Poly Culture Group Corporation Limited expanded its auction business to Hong Kong in 2012 with the establishment of Poly Auction Hong Kong, and was listed on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange on 6th March 2014 (Poly Culture Group Corp. Ltd., 03636.HK).

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