

# ARTIST RECORDS

**Post-War and Contemporary Art Evening Sale**  
**May 16, 2007**

26 Records Established

## **Lot 2**

**Cecily Brown**, *The Pyjama Game*

Sold for \$1,608,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record \$1,104,000 PREMIUM, *Gnys and Dolls*, 1997-1998, Sotheby's New York: Tuesday, May 15, 2007 [Lot 2], Oil on canvas)

## **Lot 3**

**Marc Newson**, *Pod of Drawers*

Sold for \$1,048,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR A SCULPTURE BY THE ARTIST

(Previous Record Sculpture \$968,000 PREMIUM, *A prototype Lockheed lounge, model no. MN-11lw lc1*, 1986-, Sotheby's New York: Wednesday, June 14, 2006, Fiberglass and riveted sheet aluminum)

## **Lot 5**

**Lisa Yuskavage**, *Night*

Sold for \$1,384,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record \$1,024,000 PREMIUM, *Honeymoon*, 1998, Sotheby's New York: Wednesday, May 10, 2006 [Lot 4], Oil on canvas)

## **Lot 8**

**Morris Louis**, *White Series II*

Sold for \$2,896,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record \$1,832,000 PREMIUM, *Beta Delta*, 1961-, Sotheby's New York: Tuesday, May 15, 2007 [Lot 56], Magna on canvas)

## **Lot 10**

**John Baldessari**, *Quality Material---...*

Sold for \$4,408,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record **\$992,000** PREMIUM, *Kiss/Panic*, 1984-, Sotheby's New York: Tuesday, May 15, 2007 [Lot 7], Black and white photographs with oil tint, mounted)

## **Lot 11**

**Damien Hirst**, *Notechis Ater Humphreysi (No. 0072)*

Sold for \$2,392,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR A PAINTING BY THE ARTIST

(Previous record \$1,696,000 PREMIUM, *Beauty and the beast (2 panels, 1 w/ flies and resin on canvas)*, 2002-, Christie's New York: Tuesday, May 9, 2006 [Lot 65] Butterfly wings and household gloss on canvas)

**Lot 13**

**Donald Judd**, *Untitled*, 1977 (77-41 Bernstein)

Sold for \$9,840,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record Sculpture \$4,629,500 PREMIUM, *Untitled (in 6 parts)*, 1966-1967, Christie's New York: Tuesday, May 14, 2002 [Lot 16], Steel and Plexiglas)

**Lot 15**

**Andy Warhol**, *Green Car Crash (Green Burning Car I)*

Sold for \$71,720,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record \$17,376,000 PREMIUM, *Mao*, 1972, Christie's New York: Wednesday, November 15, 2006 [Lot 16], Synthetic polymer and silkscreen inks on canvas)

**Lot 17**

**Damien Hirst**, *Lullaby Winter*

Sold for \$7,432,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record Sculpture \$3,376,000 PREMIUM, *Away from the flock, divided*, 1995, Christie's New York: Tuesday, May 9, 2006 [Lot 62], Steel, glass, silicone sealants, formaldehyde solution, land and tanks)

**Lot 25**

**Jasper Johns**, *Figure 4*

Sold for \$17,400,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record \$17,050,000, *False start*, Sotheby's New York: Thursday, November 10, 1988 [Lot 34], Oil on canvas)

**Lot 30**

**Lucio Fontana**, *Concetto Spaziale, Natura*

Sold for \$1,832,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR A SCULPTURE BY THE ARTIST

(Previous Record Sculpture £655,200 (\$1,178,417) PREMIUM, *Concetto spaziale, natura*, 1959-1960, Sotheby's London: Tuesday, October 19, 2004 [Lot 16], Bronze)

**Lot 31**

**Eva Hesse**, *Iterate*

Sold for \$4,520,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR A SCULPTURE BY THE ARTIST

(Previous Record Sculpture \$2,256,000 PREMIUM, *An ear in a pond*, 1965-, Christie's New York: Tuesday, May 9, 2006 [Lot 46], Tempera paint, enamel paint, papier-mâché, cotton cord, and varnish on masonite)

**Lot 33**

**Barnett Newman**, *Untitled*

Sold for \$2,952,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR A WORK ON PAPER BY THE ARTIST

(Previous Record Work on Paper \$352,000 PREMIUM, *Untitled*, 1960-, Christie's New York: Wednesday, November 15, 2006 [Lot 22], Ink)

**Lot 36**

**Hans Hofmann**, *Early Dawn*

Sold for \$2,112,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record \$2,056,000 PREMIUM, *Jardin d'amour*, 1959-, Sotheby's New York: Tuesday, May 15, 2007 [Lot 28], Oil on canvas)

**Lot 42**

**Agnes Martin**, *The Desert*

Sold for \$4,744,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record \$2,584,000 PREMIUM, *Leaves*, 1966, Sotheby's New York: Wednesday, November 12, 2003 [Lot 7], Acrylic on canvas with pencil)

**Lot 48**

**Richard Diebenkorn**, *Berkeley #5*

Sold for \$6,760,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record \$6,176,000 PREMIUM, *Berkeley 53*, 1955, Christie's New York: Wednesday, November 15, 2006 [Lot 41], Oil on canvas)

**Lot 49**

**Arshile Gorky**, *Khorkom*

Sold for \$4,184,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record \$3,962,500, *Scent of apricots on the fields*, Sotheby's New York: Wednesday, November 15, 1995 [Lot 13], Oil on canvas)

**Lot 56**

**Susan Rothenberg**, *Diagonal*

Sold for \$1,496,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record \$1,016,000 PREMIUM, *Layering*, 1974-1976, Sotheby's New York: Wednesday, November 12, 2003 [Lot 25], Acrylic on canvas with tempera)

**Lot 58**

**Georg Baselitz**, *Die Russin (Die Dresdner Frauen)*

Sold for \$1,104,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR A SCULPTURE BY THE ARTIST

(No Previous Record in Sculpture)

**Lot 60**

**Gerhard Richter**, *Abstraktes Bild*

Sold for \$6,200,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record BP2, 820,000 (\$5,551,181) PREMIUM, *Abstraktes Bild*, 1991, Sotheby's London: Wednesday, February 7, 2007 [Lot 17], Oil on canvas)

**Lot 63**

**Wilhelm Sasnal**, *Airplanes*

Sold for \$396,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record \$216,000 PREMIUM, *UFO*, 2002, Phillips, de Pury & Company: Thursday, November 16, 2006 [Lot 3], Oil on canvas)

**Lot 69**

**Richard Artschwager**, *Interior with Sideboard I*

Sold for \$1,272,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record \$990,000 PREMIUM, *Triptych V*, 1972, Christie's New York: Tuesday, November 7, 1989 [Lot 18], Liquitex on Celotex)

**Lot 71**

**Richard Prince**, *Untitled (Cowboy)*

Sold for \$2,840,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR A PHOTOGRAPH BY THE ARTIST

(Previous Record Photograph \$1,248,000 PREMIUM, *Untitled (Cowboy)*, Christie's New York: Tuesday November 8, 2005 [Lot 7], Ektacolor print)

**Lot 72**

**Hiroshi Sugimoto**, *Black Sea, Ozuluce; Yellow Sea, Cheju; Red Sea, Safaga*

Sold for \$1,888,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record Work on Paper BP 524,000 (\$1,031,496) PREMIUM, *English Channel, Weston Cliff*, 1994, Christie's London: Thursday, February 8, 2007 [Lot 63], Gelatin silver print)

**Lot 73**

**Cindy Sherman**, *Untitled No. 92*

Sold for \$2,112,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record Work on Paper \$665,600 PREMIUM, *Untitled (#209)*, 1989, Christie's New York: Thursday, November 16, 2006 [Lot 409], Color coupler print)

**Lot 75**

**Matthias Weischer**, *Familie O-Mittag*

Sold for \$480,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record \$441,600 PREMIUM, *Untitled (Interior)*, 2002, Christie's New York: Wednesday, November 15, 2006 [Lot 57], Oil on canvas)