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ROLEX DAYTONA "LESSON ONE"

50 exceptional examples of the world's most celebrated chronograph wristwatch

Geneva, 10 November 2013 - Sale 4002

[All sold prices include buyer's premium*]

50 lots sold	Total: SFr.12,032,850 / \$13,248,167 / €9,866,937	100% sold by lot		
50 lots offered	SFr.1 = US\$1.101 / €0.82	100% sold by value		
Lot	Description	Estimate (SFr.)	Price Realised	Buyer
23	An extremely important stainless steel chronograph wristwatch. Signed Rolex, Cosmograph, Oyster, Daytona, ref. 6263/6239, Paul Newman model, manufactured in 1969.	200,000 - 400,000	SFr.989,000 \$1,088,889 €810,980	Anonymous
26	A highly important stainless steel chronograph wristwatch, especially made for Sultan Qaboos bin Said Al Said. Signed Rolex, Oyster Cosmograph, ref. 6263, manufactured in 1974 and sold by Asprey to Oman.	300,000 - 600,000	SFr.785,000 \$864,285 €643,700	Anonymous
7	An extremely rare stainless steel chronograph wristwatch with pulsation dial. Signed Rolex, Cosmograph, Daytona, ref. 6239, manufactured in 1967.	120,000 - 240,000	SFr.761,000 \$837,861 €624,020	Anonymous
8	A 18K gold chronograph wristwatch with black. Signed Rolex, Cosmograph, Daytona, Paul Newman model, ref. 6239, manufactured in 1969.	80,000 - 160,000	SFr.497,000 \$547,197 €407,540	Anonymous
34	A 18K gold, diamond and sapphire-set chronograph wristwatch. Signed Rolex, Cosmograph, ref. 6269, manufactured in 1986.	180,000 - 360,000	SFr.461,000 \$507,561 €378,020	Anonymous
20	A stainless steel chronograph wristwatch. Signed Rolex, Oyster Cosmograph, Paul Newman model, ref. 6263, manufactured in 1971.	100,000 - 200,000	SFr.449,000 \$494,349 €368,180	Anonymous
35	A 18K gold and diamond-set chronograph wristwatch. Signed Rolex, Oyster, Superlative Chronometer, Cosmograph, Ref. 6269/6263, manufactured in 1986.	180,000 - 360,000	SFr.425,000 \$467,925 €348,500	Anonymous
14	A stainless steel chronograph wristwatch with black "transitional-saucer" dial. Signed Rolex, Cosmograph Daytona, Paul Newman model, ref. 6262, manufactured in 1970.	60,000 - 120,000	SFr.395,000 \$434,895 €323,900	Anonymous
12	A 14K gold chronograph wristwatch. Signed Rolex, Cosmograph, Daytona, Paul Newman model, ref. 6241, manufactured in 1969.	80,000 - 160,000	SFr.389,000 \$428,289 €318,980	Anonymous
11	A very rare 14K gold chronograph wristwatch with champagne dial. Signed Rolex, Cosmograph, Daytona, Paul Newman model, ref. 6241, manufactured in 1969.	80,000 - 160,000	SFr.377,000 \$415,077 €309,140	Anonymous

Aurel Bacs, International Head of Christie's Watch Department: *"Christie's first ever evening auction dedicated to wristwatches proved an unprecedented success. With four hundred people in the saleroom and plenty more queuing outside, I rarely experienced a similar rock concert atmosphere from the rostrum. Possibly the most rigorously curated watch auction ever staged, each lot was selected by Christie's watch department in partnership with Mr. Pucci Papaleo according to a disciplined approach to originality, condition and provenance. Setting 50 world records for 50 watches as well as achieving an absolute record price for any Rolex Daytona ever sold at auction, Rolex Daytona "Lesson One" will be remembered as an historical event".*

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**Estimates do not include buyer's premium.*

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