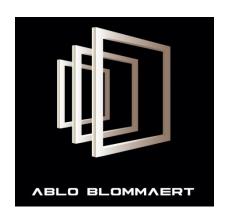
# 2023 Spring

# **LUXURY LIMITED EDITION**



#### The Artist

Thierry Poncelet was born in Brussels, in 1946. At a young age, his grandmother, who was a well-known portrait painter, encouraged him to paint and draw.

After his education, he spent a few years working for a picture restorer at the studio of a well-known painter, Max Massot. During this time, he learnt the technique of painting restoration. However, his love for painting soon outgrew his interest in restoration, and he decided to become a full-time oil painter, specialising particularly in whimsical dog portraits.



## The Image

Thierry Poncelet has been captivating art collectors with his wonderful and eccentric canine portraits called 'Aristochiens' for over twenty years. After deciding to give new life to some old ancestral portraits that he found in second-hand stores or markets, Poncelets Aristochien series was born. Since then, Poncelets paintings have attained a unique place in the world of contemporary art.

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# Thierry Poncelet

Cairn Terrier With A Pipe

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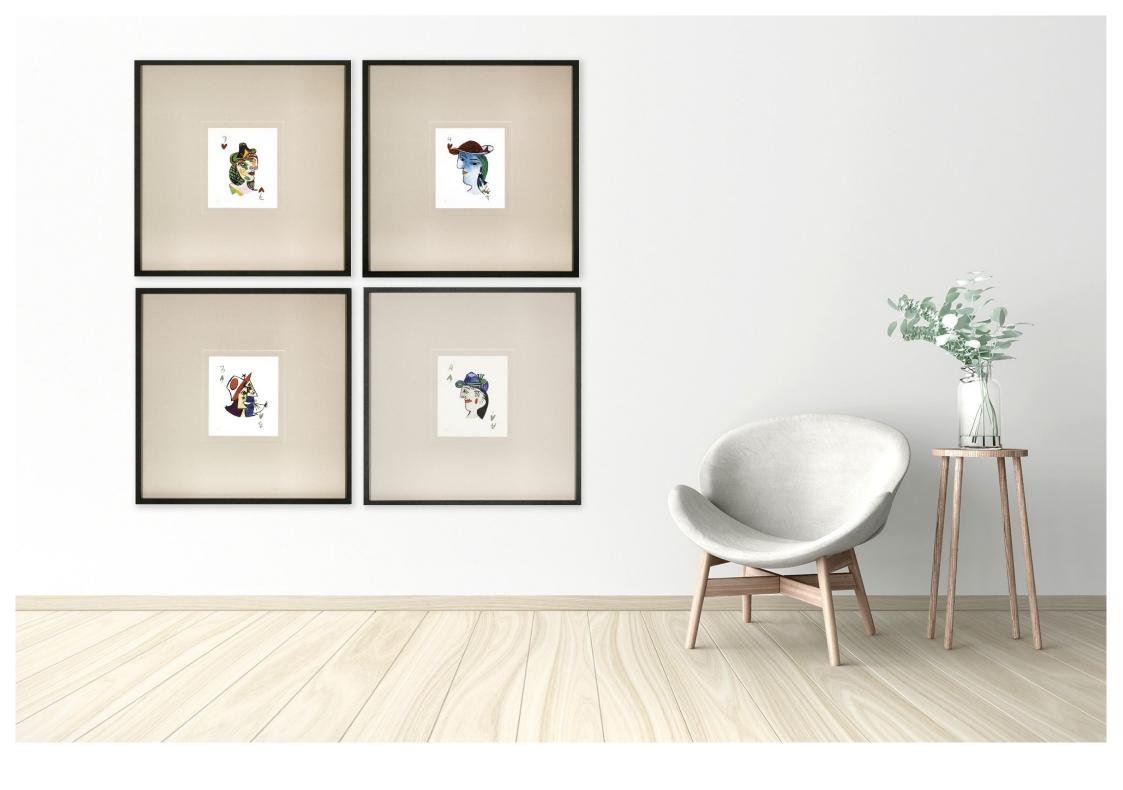






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X 344: 105x105 cm

#### The Artist

Holly Frean is an award winning artist whose work incorporates a range of mediums from oil painting to print making. Frean has developed a unique and technically accomplished style which appeals to art lovers, artists and collectors alike. She has received commissions from fashion designer Johnny Boden and hotel designer Kit Kemp and has collaborated with brands including Burberry, Paul Smith and Anthropologie. She was awarded the 2012 National Open Art Competition Painting Prize chosen by Grayson Perry and her work is regularly seen at the Royal Academy of Arts Summer Exhibition. Frean exhibits both in the UK and the USA and commissions include those from the Duchess of Northumberland, designer Betty Jackson, comedians Russell Howard and Ricky Gervais and actor Russell Tovey.



The Image

A Pack of Picasso's Women comes from a large work made for Frean's solo exhibition entitled 'Poker Face' at Rebecca Hossack Art Gallery in New York.

The artist's motivation for this pack of cards was not just the opportunity to study Picasso's various female subjects who sat for portraits throughout his life but also an exploration into 20th Century picture making in all its forms - Cubism, Surrealism, Neo-Classicism... From his prodigious paintings made as his father's pupil, through to the monumentally unforgiving self-portraits he made towards the end of his life, Picasso's work has amazed and inspired Frean ever since she came across a coffee table book on his Pink Period as a child.

Here the viewer is presented with the women in Picasso's life. These are in Frean's words 'portraits of portraits' painted in gouache on to handmade paper. Each of her packs is laid out in order of suit (Clubs, Diamonds, Spades, Hearts) with two jokers added at the bottom right to make a total of 54 cards. Tonal and colour balance is key; the cards are arranged so as to maximise visual interest and keep the viewer's eye roving around the work. The playing card motif refers to the 'game' of picture making and reveals the way in which format and sequence has always, and continues to play, a central role in Frean's oeuvre.

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# Holly Frean

Pack of Picasso's Women, 2015

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X 345:105x105 cm

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The Image

The artist was inspired to produce *A Pack of Blue Dancers* in response to a life-long love of the work of Henri Matisse, in particular his blue cutouts of the female nude from the 1940s.

Tonal and colour balance is key; Frean's playing cards are arranged so as to maximise visual interest and keep the viewer's eye roving around the work. Matisse's cutouts are in Frean's words 'not only sublimely jazzy but also the perfect shade of blue'. The playing card motif refers to the 'game' of picture making and reveals the way in which format and sequence has always, and continues to play, a central role in Frean's oeuvre. This image is a homage to an old master whom she has found inspirational to her studio practice.

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# Holly Frean

A Pack of Blue Dancers No.2, 2019

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