

Lockdales' Auction #273 Report: The Watch Sale: 14 September 2024

Total prices realised: £332,408 (incl. prem.)

Rolexes were sold including a white gold sodalite dial Daytona for £25,000, an Explorer II 'Freccione' for £12,200, and an 18ct Day-Date '76 for £9200. A Tudor Sub made £5200 and an Omega Speedmaster 1970 went for £2900. Patek Philippe dress watches were sold for £5800 and £6000. WWII and later military and pilots watches reached up to £2500. Speedmasters in general were popular, and Seamasters – especially the James Bond model. Vintage Seikos are in demand and all exceeded expectations. Pocket watches performed well, and clearly have increased in popularity in recent years. A 1930s 18ct cased Patek Philippe example made £3200. Some clocks sold strongly including a mahogany mantel for £340 (in at £80 top); a lantern clock for £650, a Cartier 'onyx' £360, and some heavy ormolu up to £340.

We welcome consignments for our next watch sale. Contact Jude Machan via our office for an appointment, or to find out where he will be out on the circuit.



Lot 35: 18ct white gold Rolex Daytona with sodalite dial. Est. £20,000-£25,000. Hammer £25,000.