

SATURDAY 29 APRIL 2023

WE CELEBRATE KING'S DAY IN LONDON!



11.00-12.00 Set-up of the traditional street fair blankets and stalls.

12.00-17.00 Street fair, food and drinks, children's games, activities in and around the Dutch Church/Centre

- **BUY A KIDS FUN & GAMES-CARD FOR £5 TO PLAY:** Sjoelen, stroopwafel-biting, sack-race, arts & crafts and other classic Dutch games, plus drink & snack
- **VRIJMARKT** Everyone can sell their pre-loved toys, books and other stuff on their blankets on the street. *NO FOOD OR DRINKS*
- **FOOD OUTSIDE** Dutch fries, kroketten, kaassoufflés, kibbeling (fried fish)
- **FOOD & DRINKS INSIDE** (*Church hall and King's Café downstairs*) poffertjes, broodje rookworst, Dutch apple pie, tompoucen, Dutch cheese, Indische snacks, Dutch beers, Dutch gin, Oranjabitter, coffee, tea & orange squash

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15.30-16.00 OPENING & AUCTION All proceeds are going to the joint Dutch charities in the UK (church hall)

16.15 TOAST by Dutch Ambassador Karel van Oosterom, celebrated with oranjabitter and singing of Het Wilhelmus, (church hall)

17.00 CLOSURE Outside **17.30 CLOSURE** Inside

18.30-00.00 KING'S PARTY with DJ & LIVE MUSIC The perfect finale of King's Day!
Reserve your space via **www.dutchcentre.com**

UPSTAIRS



DOWNSTAIRS



RULES FOR THE STREET FAIR (VRIJMARKT)

- Set-up from 11.00
- No selling of commercial goods.
- No selling of food and drinks.
- Parents/Carers are ALWAYS responsible for watching their children.
- Goods that weren't sold by the end of the day are to be taken back home.
- Leave the site the way you found it, neat and tidy.
- Make sure you bring enough cash/change. And watch your own money!

ALCOHOL

- Please note there is NO alcohol consumption allowed on the streets.
- Please keep your alcoholic drinks inside or on the stairs.

PHOTOGRAPHY

Please note that there will be photographers during the event. If you or your children prefer to not be photographed please let the photographer know or mention this at the Dutch Centre stall.



AUCTION CATALOGUE

The King's Day auction raises funds for Dutch charities in the UK. This way the Koning Willem Fonds/Netherlands Benevolent Society can keep helping Dutch citizens in need, the Dutch Centre (Centre for arts and culture) can continue to build cultural bridges between The Netherlands and the UK, the Dutch Church is supported and Vereniging Neerlandia can continue to organise Dutch events.



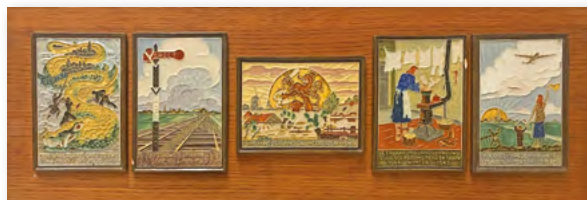
1. 'CHRISTMAS IN HOLLAND' WALL PLATE IN BOX BY ROYAL DOULTON

This plate is from the 'Christmas around the World' collection from Royal Doulton. During a couple of years in the 70s the Royal Doulton Group released this Christmas themed series of wall plates from different countries, designed by John Beswick and made in England. 'Holland' was produced in 1976 in a limited worldwide edition of 15.000. This is number 1193. *Anonymous donor. Estimate: £15-25*

2. FIVE DUTCH LIBERATION TILES BY THE PORCELEYN FLES

Ceramic cloisonné tiles depicting five scenes of the Dutch liberation at the end of WW2. These tiles were produced by the Porcelain Fles, a famous still existing Delft's Blue factory, in 1945 and following years. The five tiles are glued to a wooden plate making them easy to display.

Anonymous donor. Estimate: £50-100



3. PAINTING 'OUTSIDE MY WINDOW' BY BÉ VAN DER HEIDE



Bé van der Heide is a Dutch artist, working in London Park Studios in Finsbury Park as well as in her house in Vilaritg, Spain. She has work hanging in the Dutch ambassador's residence and has had many exhibitions over the years. This work 'Outside my window' from 2019 measures 106 x 80 cm.

www.linkedin.com/in/be-van-der-heide-57206013
Donated by the artist. Estimate: £200-400

4. JEWELLERY 'KAAS' BY CECIEL VAN OEVELEN

This unique, bold and colourful earring and pendant set is made from pewter, acrylic and silver by Ceciel van Oevelen. Ceciel has been living in Cornwall since 1985 and has, besides being an independent jewellery designer, worked as a Creative Project Manager for people with Alzheimer's. The title of this collection is "Kaas" as Ceciel likes to give her designs a quirky nod to the Netherlands. The holes are representative of the appearance of Dutch cheese (kaas) and is especially made in festive neon orange for the King's Day auction.

www.cecielvanoevelenjewellery.com

Donated by the designer. Estimate: £100-200



5. TOUR 'DUTCH TRACES OF WAR IN LONDON' BY THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT OF THE EMBASSY

This tour 'Dutch traces of war in London' is an exploration along a few key buildings in central London in which Dutch history was written during WW2. One of these buildings is Oranjestad where Queen Wilhelmina worked during the war. Organised by the Military department of the Embassy of the Netherlands, you'll have ample opportunities to ask questions. This tour is not for sale, so truly unique. Put your own group of max 10-12 together. Tour either in Dutch or English. Walking will be 2-2.5 hours/5km.

Donated by Richard Piso. Estimate: £100-200



6. SPECULAASPLANK

Het snijden van koekprenten is een vorm van volkskunst die zijn bloeiperiode kende in de 17e en 18e eeuw. Heiligen als Sint Nicolaas werden veelvuldig gebakken als speculaasprent. Deze koekprent van Sint Nicolaas weegt bijna 5 kg en heeft afmetingen van 70 x 27cm. Kan gemakkelijk aan de muur gehangen worden.

Donated by Clara Granter-ten Kate. Estimate: £50-75



7. AMSTERDAM PHOTO ON CANVAS

'MeesterMax.nl - Online Nederlandse les voor expats' doneert ook dit jaar weer een XL print op canvas van de typische Amsterdamse grachtenpanden aan de Warmoesstraat/Guldehandsteeg. Het canvas is 120 x 80 cm. Als je tussen 29 april en 6 mei een gratis online proefles aanvraagt en de code 'Koningsdag2023' noemt, krijg je 10% korting op je eerste strippenkaart.

Donated by www.meestermax.nl. Estimate: £80-120



8. WINE TASTING WITH CLARENCE TAN



If you love wine, this is for you! Bid on this wine tasting event and Clarence Tan will come to your home or office to organise a wine tasting for 6 people, worth £540. Choose 6 wines in a theme, for instance Bordeaux vs. the world, Old World vs. New World, Star Burgundies, Grand Crus, Barolos, Super Tuscans. Clarence will bring charcuterie and delicatessen, as well as wine glasses. The event will last 1.5-2 hours, where he'll talk about wine and wine tasting, vintages, history, producers, tasting notes, food pairings etc. *Donated by Clarence Tan. Estimate: £500-800*

9. WATERCOLOUR 'BEHIND FLODDIGARRY ISLAND' BY GERALDINE VAN HEEMSTRA

This watercolour of a bay on the Isle of Skye is called 'Behind Floddigarry Island' and measures 20 x 51cm (35cm x 67cm incl passepartout). Geraldine van Heemstra lives in London but often spends time on the Isle of Skye. Living and working in London provides a sharp contrast to the silent and spacious Scottish Hebrides. However, both places stimulate, challenge, and inform Geraldine van Heemstra's artistic practice. *Donated by the artist. Estimate: £200-300*



10. PRINT 'MAN WITH BEARD III' BY ROSS ABRAMS

William Ross Abrams (1920-2007) was an American artist who lived in Deia, Mallorca, Spain for many years till his death in 2007. This original print 'Man with beard III -4/4' from 1975 is signed "Ross Abrams" and numbered, titled and dated in pencil. Bought from the artist. *Donated by Loesje van Hellenberg Hubar. Estimate: £50-100*





11. DINNER WITH THE AMBASSADOR OF THE KINGDOM OF THE NETHERLANDS

Bid for a unique chance to have a private dinner with Ambassador Karel van Oosterom, hosted at the residency of the Netherlands in London. You and your guests (group of 10) will be treated to an elegant three-course seated dinner, which lasts about 3 hours, to be scheduled on a mutually convenient date based on the Ambassador's availability.

Donated by Karel and his wife Anna van Oosterom. Estimate: £1,000-2,000

12. HAMMERSMITH RIVERSIDE WITH DUTCH BARGE, BY ALAN DENNEY



Alan Denney is an amateur artist who lives in Hammersmith and spends his recreation time on the river. This painting was done al-fresco in Hammersmith beside the river and catches the functional lines of the barges at their moorings, the shafting light, the different shapes of the trees on Barnes riverside and the reflections in the water.

The picture is professionally mounted and framed. The frame measures 40 x 46 cm and the picture area measures 28 x 34 cm.

Donated by the artist. Estimate: £100-200

13. REMBRANDT WALL PLATE BY THE PORCELEYNE FLES



This antique Delft Blue wall plate with an image of Rembrandt was made by the Porceleyne Fles, the last surviving Delft's Blue factory in the Netherlands, established in 1653. Hand painted by (probably) Mr. J.W Lisset, who worked there from 1887-1938. The year code on the back of the plate is AG, which means this plate was made in 1911. Diameter 42cm. *Anonymous donor. Estimate: £100-200*

14. CHRISTIE'S EDUCATION ONLINE COURSE

Christie's Education is a specialist institution internationally recognized as a centre of academic excellence, specialising in the study of art business and the art market, art history and art world ecosystems, curating and connoisseurship. Christie's Education online courses offer you the flexibility to learn about the art world, wherever you are based and whenever you have time. Choose from courses worth \$1700 each, covering Jewellery, Art Market Economics, Contemporary Art, European Masters, Art Law, Watches or Modern Art.

<https://education.christies.com/online>

Donated by Christie's. Estimate: £500-800

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DUTCH CENTRE - www.dutchcentre.com

The Dutch Centre showcases the best of Dutch arts and culture in London for a broad London audience. We hold talks, lectures, film screenings, comedy nights, theatre, concerts, exhibitions and much more.



Nederlandsche
Kerk

DUTCH CHURCH - www.dutchchurch.org.uk

De Nederlandse Kerk in Londen is een vrije, open en oecumenische geloofsgemeenschap in het hart van de City of London.



Vereniging Neerlandia

VERENIGING NEERLANDIA - www.neerlandia.org

Gezellige club voor alle Nederlanders in het VK, met als doelstelling het organiseren van activiteiten met een Nederlandse connectie en het handhaven van Nederlandse tradities zoals Koningsdag, Sinterklaas en Leidens Ontzet.



KONING WILLEM FONDS - www.koningwillemfonds.org.uk

Helps Dutch people living in the UK that are in need, sometimes by offering a listening ear or advice, other times by financial support.



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