

PHILATELIC PROGRAMME 2011

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To mark the wedding of H.S.H. Prince Albert II of Monaco and Miss Charlene Wittstock, the Stamp Issuing Office of Monaco issues one block and five stamps.

2nd PART
30,58€



Block of the PRINCELY WEDDING

Code 11210

PRINCELY WEDDING Series

PRICE OF THE SET: 5,00€

PRICE OF THE SET: 6,91€

→ Sheets of 10 postage-stamps with illuminations

Code 11200 5,00€



Issue on July 1, 2011 / FDC big size

Design: Guéorgui CHICHKINE
Printing process: Heliogravure
Size of the block: 100 x 120 mm
Size of the stamp: 52 x 41 mm

Code 11220 4,10€



Issue on July 1, 2011 / FDC small size

Design: ALBUISSON / DE LA PATELLIERE / ANDREOTTO
Line-engraving: Pierre ALBUISSON
Printing process: Monochrome steel-engraving and gold tooling
Size of the stamp: 40 x 32 mm



Code 11212 0,55€

The design combines the works of three artists. It is available in 4 colours each colour corresponding with the postage price of a 20gms letter: second class postage "écopli" for France and Monaco 0,55 €, postage price for Europe 0,60 €, postage price for the rest of the world 0,77 €

Issue on July 1, 2011 /

FDC big size with the four stamps



Code 11216 0,77€

Design:

ALBUISSON /

DE LA PATELLIERE /

ANDREOTTO

Line-engraving:

Pierre ALBUISSON

Printing process:

2 colours steel-engraving

and gold tooling

Size of the stamp: 40 x 32 mm



Code 11214 0,60€



Code 11218 0,89€

The size of the reproductions is smaller than the real stamp's size. The sizes are indicated perforation inclusive. All the stamps are sold in the post offices of the Principality of Monaco, at the Stamp Issuing Office, the Stamp & Coin Museum as well as some philatelic counters located in France, exception of the block and the €4,10 stamp of the Princely wedding which will be sold only by the Stamp Issuing Office of Monaco.



Code 11230

ART and LITERATURE Series

→ Sheets of 6 postage-stamps with illuminations

PRICE OF THE SET: 6,95€

**BICENTENARY OF THE BIRTH OF FRANZ LISZT**

Franz Liszt, who was born in 1811 and died in 1886, is the embodiment *par excellence* of a Romantic pianist-composer. Liszt, with Chopin, was the inventor of new virtuosity on an instrument that he approached in a very orchestral way. His major works include the *Piano Concerto No. 1*, *Years of Pilgrimage*, *Hungarian Rhapsodies* and the *Faust* and *Dante Symphonies*.

➤ Issue on October 10, 2011 / FDC small size

Design: Yves BEAUJARD

Line-engraving: Yves BEAUJARD

Printing process: 3 colours steel-engraving

Size of the stamp: 52 x 41 mm

Code 11232 1,00€

**350th ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF ANTOINE 1st**

Antoine 1st was born in Paris in 1661 and died in Monaco in 1731. He succeeded his father, Prince Ludwig 1st, in 1701. After an education at the court of Louis XIV, he was appointed colonel in one of the King's regiments and served in the army in numerous battles. Antoine 1st was a great lover of music and theatre and was on friendly terms with the famous Lully. Concerned about Monaco's independence and sovereignty in an uncertain political climate, he modernised the fortifications in Monaco, Menton and Roquebrune and equipped them with impressive artillery.

➤ Issue on October 10, 2011 / FDC small size

Layout: CREAPHIL

(Picture from the Archives Department of the Palace of Monaco)

Printing process: offset and gold tooling

Size of the stamp: 40 x 52 mm

Code 11235 1,80€

**BICENTENARY OF THE BIRTH OF THÉOPHILE GAUTIER**

Born in Tarbes in 1811, Théophile Gautier was three years old when his family moved to Paris. He published "*Poésies*," his first collection of poems, in 1830. In 1835, in the preface to his novel "*Mademoiselle de Maupin*," Gautier protested with vigour and humour against the idealistic excesses of romanticism. He proclaimed total and definitive independence for art (this is Parnassus' theory that art doesn't need to be useful, its sole purpose being beauty).

➤ Issue on October 10, 2011 / FDC small size

Design: Guéorgui CHICHKINE

Printing process: Offset

Size of the stamp: 52 x 41 mm

Code 11234 1,75€

**CENTENARY OF THE BIRTH OF HENRI TROYAT**

Born in Moscow in 1911, Henri Troyat arrived in Paris in 1920. He published his first novel, "*Faux Jour*" ("*Deceptive Light*") in 1935 and obtained the Populist Novel Prize. In 1938, he received the Max Barthelemy prize in recognition for all his work, and his novel "*L'Araignée*" ("*The Web*") was awarded the Prix Goncourt. Troyat won the Prince Pierre of Monaco Literary Prize in 1952 and was elected to the French Academy in 1959. In his books he portrayed the Slavic soul that dwelled within him throughout his life.

➤ Issue on October 10, 2011 / FDC small size

Design: Cyril DE LA PATELLIERE

Line-engraving: Claude JUMELET

Printing process: 4 colours steel-engraving

Size of the stamp: 41 x 52 mm

Code 11238 2,40€

SPORT Series

PRICE OF THE SET: 1,20€

Code 11240

→ Sheets of 10 postage-stamps with illuminations

**CENTENARY OF THE MONTE-CARLO GOLF CLUB**

The Monte-Carlo Golf Club was established in 1911 and remodelled in 1983. It overlooks the Principality from a height of 900 m. The 18-hole course offers a layout with many different facets, on both the aesthetic and technical levels.

➤ Issue on August 9, 2011 / FDC small size

Design: Alain GIAMPAOLI / XIMENES

Printing process: Offset

Size of the stamp: 30 x 41 mm

Code 11242 0,60€

**CENTENARY OF THE MONEGASQUE ALPINE CLUB**

Founded in 1911, the Monegasque Alpine Club has broadened its horizons over the years. Hiking, snowshoeing or rock climbing - the activities are aimed at all kinds of participants. To mark its centenary, the Club will organise numerous events, including an ascent of 100 peaks and a walking holiday in Slovenia, as well as a return trip in 24 hours from Monaco to Argentera (an Italian summit of 3,297 m), combining cycling and climbing.

➤ Issue on August 9, 2011 / FDC small size

Design: Richard SEREN

Printing process: Heliogravure

Size of the stamp: 30 x 41 mm

Code 11244 0,60€

→ Sheets of 10 postage-stamps with illuminations

PRICE OF THE SET: 2,05€



STAMP DESIGNED BY CHILDREN

In association with the Directorate of National Education, the Stamp Issuing Office of the Principality of Monaco organised a drawing competition for pupils attending schools in Monaco, aged 9 to 12, on the subject of "Environment and Ecology in Monaco." The stamp shows the design by the winner of the competition.

➤ Issue on May 18, 2011 / FDC small size

SEPAC

For the third joint stamp issue by the Small European Postal Administrations Cooperation (SEPAC) on the theme of "Beautiful Corners of Europe," the Office has chosen a very picturesque photo of Monaco with a view of the Rock and the Port through the succulent plants of the Exotic Garden.

➤ Issue on September 28, 2011 / FDC small size

THE CARABINIERS DU PRINCE DE MONACO

The *Compagnie des Carabiniers du Prince* was formed in 1817 to protect the palace and other royal residences, to provide security for the Sovereign Prince and his family and perform ceremonial and civic duties. The Guard, whose motto is "Honour - Loyalty - Devotion to duty", is composed of 100 trained French military men.

➤ Issue on July 18, 2011 / FDC small size

Design: Anais AZIADJONOU

Printing process: Offset

Size of the stamp: 40 x 30 mm

Design: OETP

Printing process: Heliogravure

Size of the stamp: 41 x 30 mm

Design: CREAPHIL / BOUCHER

Printing process: Heliogravure

Size of the stamp: 41 x 30 mm

Code 11252 0,53€

Code 11254 0,75€

Code 11256 0,77€

→ Sheets of 10 postage-stamps with illuminations



CENTENARY OF THE INAUGURATION OF THE PARIS INSTITUTE OF OCEANOGRAPHY

The Paris Institute of Oceanography was founded in 1910 in the fifth arrondissement of Paris by Prince Albert I of Monaco and inaugurated on 23rd January 1911. With Monaco's Oceanographic Museum, it forms part of the Prince Albert I of Monaco Foundation, whose aim is to spread knowledge about the ocean. Today, this Parisian establishment is continuing its mission of university teaching and educating the general public.

➤ Issue on September 19, 2011 / FDC small size

THE 150th ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF GEORGES MÉLIÈS

Georges Méliès (1861-1938) was a French filmmaker born and died in Paris, and was the creator of the first film studio. He directed more than 500 films, and mastered every step of his work, from the film's conception to selling copies. Méliès, aware of the magical power of moving pictures, had a profound impact on the world of cinema. He is considered the father of special effects.

➤ Issue on September 28, 2011 / FDC small size

THE 50th ANNIVERSARY OF THE FIRST MAN TO TRAVEL INTO OUTER SPACE

Russian cosmonaut Yuri Gagarin made history by becoming the first man to travel into outer space. On 12th April 1961, on board the Vostok 1 capsule, he took off from the Tyuratam-Baikonur Cosmodrome (now in Kazakhstan), then completed an orbit of 1 hour 48 minutes around the Earth. He was awarded the title of "Hero of the Soviet Union", the highest honour of the former USSR.

➤ Issue on September 28, 2011 / FDC small size

Design: Eve LUQUET

Line-engraving: Eve LUQUET

Printing process: 2 colours steel-engraving

Size of the stamp: 40 x 32 mm

Design: Martin MÖRCK

Line-engraving: Martin MÖRCK

Printing process: 2 colours steel-engraving

Size of the stamp: 40 x 32 mm

Design: Guéorgui CHICHKINE

Line-engraving: Claude ANDREOTTO

Printing process: Monochrome steel-engraving

Size of the stamp: 40 x 32 mm

Code 11262 0,77€

Code 11264 1,45€

Code 11266 2,78€

↳ Sheets of 10 postage-stamps with illuminations



MONACOPHIL 2011

Under the High Patronage of H.S.H. the Prince Albert II of Monaco, the next International Philatelic Exhibition "MonacoPhil 2011" will be held from December 2 to 4, 2011, on the "Terrasses de Fontvieille". This international philatelic event will host an exhibition of 100 worldwide rarities among the most famous collections. The 8th edition will gather postal administrations and well-known international stamp-dealers. A collective exhibition will be devoted to the philately of the United Kingdom and former colonies.

➤ Issue on August 29, 2011 / FDC small size

Design: Richard SEREN

Printing process: Offset

Size of the stamp: 30 x 41 mm



GRAND FAIR

The next Grand Fair will be held on Sunday, 2nd October 2011 in the Salle du Canton. It is organised by the Monaco Numismatic Association, the Monaco Association of Postcard Collectors and the Monaco Philatelic Union. This biennial event attracts international dealers in the fields of numismatics, philately, postcard collecting and book collecting.

➤ Issue on August 12, 2011 / FDC small size

Design: Richard SEREN

Printing process: Heliogravure

Size of the stamp: 30 x 41 mm



CHRISTMAS 2011

This year the christmas stamp represents a nativity scene. It is a depiction of the birth of Jesus as described in the gospel of Luke.

➤ Issue on October 17, 2011 / FDC small size

Layout: CREAPHIL

Printing process: Offset

Size of the stamp: 41 x 30 mm

Code 11272 0,55€

Code 11274 0,60€

Code 11276 0,60€

PREFRANKED Series

PRICE OF THE SET: 0,39€

Code 11280

↳ Sheets of 10 postage-stamps with illuminations



This prefranked stamp replaces the one that was issued in 2007. It is designed for companies under contract with the Monaco Postal Service and is only for use for items posted to France and weighing less than 35 g. The stamp depicts the John Dory (*Zeus faber*), a deep-sea fish that lives mainly in the Mediterranean and the Atlantic Oceans.

➤ Issue on August 16, 2011 / No FDC

Design: Sylvia CORNET

Printing process: Offset

Size of the stamp: 30 x 41 mm

Code 11280 0,39€

Code 11290

↳ Sheets of 10 postage-stamps with illuminations



ALPINE FOREST

The United Nations declared 2011 as the "International Year of Forests". Hence, PostEurop has chosen "forests" as a common theme for the Europa stamps issues.

➤ Issue on May 3, 2011 / FDC small size

Design: Rino GOLINELLI

Printing process: Heliogravure

Size of the stamp: 30 x 41 mm

Code 11292 0,58€

EUROPA Series

PRICE OF THE SET: 1,33€



MEDITERRANEAN FOREST

Design: Jean-Paul VERET LE MARINIER

Printing process: Heliogravure

Size of the stamp: 30 x 41 mm

Code 11294 0,75€