BORDALLO PINHEIRO AT *MAISON&OBJET* IN PARIS

Portuguese olive and an equatorial touch in our vases are the novelties of Bordallo Pinheiro

Caldas da Rainha, September 2024 – **Maison&Objet** will take place from the 5th to the 9th of September at the Paris Nord Villepinte Exhibition Center. **Bordallo Pinheiro** will be present with its latest creations in Hall 4, Stand F4-G3.
There are four major novelties that will be presented: Equatorial vases, Olival collection, resulting from the partnership with the Portuguese olive oils Esporão, the Carmen and Gudrun glasses, the most recent table collection by Claudia Schiffer.

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Carmen brings us the lightness and joy of sunny days, which can be whenever we want, as long as we have a ***Carmen*** glass in hand! ***Gudrun***, a tribute to Claudia Schiffer's mother, breathes in the fresh air of the countryside, the rustle of the leaves and all the warm autumn tones the fields are painted with. Pieces inspired and conceived with the help of mother nature, continuing the naturalist work of master Raphael, highlight the detail of manufacturing work and accuracy when interpreting the natural world.
In addition to these novelties, visitors will also be able to appreciate collections such as ***Equatorial*** vases, ***The Meaning***, ***Jarra com Lagostas***, ***Frutos Tropicais***, ***Flora***, the most recent collection of ***Sardines*** – which this year celebrates 10 years of collection –, ***Couve***, ***Couve com Lavagante***, and ***Prato Painel***, among others.

Bordallo's pieces are known for their bright colours, reliefs and naturalistic decorations, rendering them unique and desired all across the world. These original characteristics can only be obtained with the participation of craftspeople and through their know-how, built up throughout the generations. Due to this meticulous handwork, from modelling to ornamentation, from painting to finishing, each piece is unique.



Olival

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Carmen

It is to the rhythm of ***Carmen*** that the new line of Bordallo Pinheiro glasses arrives: fun, festive and unapologetically extravagant! And to the naturalistic motifs and expressive colours, typical of the brand's creations, we've added something completely new. In the collection's goblets, where each foot features a popular fruit (strawberry, orange, grape or lemon), the bowl is made of faceted glass, creating an exotic dance between the transparency of the body and the three-dimensional exuberance of the base. All the glasses match each other, and the ceramic glasses, of different sizes, reproduce the decorative motifs of the goblets in high relief – so originality is combined with a highly versatile profile. In addition to allowing you to fill any room with colour and vitality, the ***Carmen*** line makes it possible to enjoy a hot or cold drink and, in the case of glasses, even fruit or a dessert.

Gudrun by Claudia Schiffer

"Autumn, with its fallen leaves and acorns, holds a special place in my heart. Growing up, I loved watching the colours change and jumping into the piles of leaves meticulously gathered by my mother in our garden. Then we would dry them and create beautiful artwork. The pieces I idealized and designed were designed for my mid-century wooden tables and to give my home the unmistakable warm tones of autumn. And also to have their place in my weekend hideaways in the countryside, contributing to a cosy atmosphere with their cosy colours, next to a crackling fireplace. It gives me immense pleasure to feel how these pieces introduce a subtle touch into a living space, harmonizing with green hydrangeas, an autumnal classic." **(Claudia Schiffer)**



Equatorial vases

The freshness, exoticism and allure of the rainforest always present in your home? We say yes! The new collection of ***Equatorial*** vases, in two different sizes, brings the dense and exuberant canopies of the Amazon, refuge for macaws, hummingbirds and countless other captivating birds and species right to the centre of your living room. Authentic points of colour, light and joy that will give more life to your flowers and lightness to your home. A new *tropicaliente* incursion by Bordallo Pinheiro, so you can enjoy an intense and original sensory experience on a daily basis. When you come to our stores, be sure to stop by the Equatorial region!



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About *Bordallo Pinheiro*

The Factory Fábrica de Faianças das Caldas da Rainha was founded in 1884, combining the traditional arts of ceramics, the modernity of various styles that announced themselves as the future, and the originality and irreverence of its creator, ***Raphael Bordallo Pinheiro***. Thus, the first pieces were produced, which even today, are inseparable from our imagination, full of creativity and humour, marked by social conscience and the transgression of pre-conceived ideas.

The acquisition of the company by Grupo Visabeira in 2009 rescued this valuable heritage, ensuring the continuity of a company of outstanding artistic renown that is intertwined with the national cultural heritage. Using much of the century-old techniques to reproduce models, the factory continues to recover the rich and vast Bordallian legacy and, animated by the same pioneering spirit that gave rise to it, creates contemporary products, reinforcing its partnership with renowned artists of contemporary art and basing its prestige in the various markets it does business in. Names such as Claudia Schiffer, VHILS, Estúdio Campana, Nini Andrade, Joana Vasconcelos, Paula Rego, Maria Lynch and Vik Muniz among others, carry on the spirit and work of Raphael Bordallo Pinheiro, whether through reinterpretations of his works or whether through their own works that are strikingly inspired by the legacy that Raphael left behind.

Recognized worldwide, the brand's collections have been awarded with the highest design awards to recognise talent in this area. Awards such as the *German Design Awards, Iconic Awards* and *European Product Design Awards* are already part of the history of Bordallo Pinheiro.

Currently, the main international markets are France, Italy, Spain, the United Kingdom, the Netherlands, Sweden, the United States and Japan. The brand is available, online, worldwide, winning over more and more admirers.

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