



A COLORFUL LIFE

It's hard to believe but it's been 50 years since Lilly Pulitzer took the island by storm with her pioneering prints. In honor of its jubilee, the company has released several limited edition items such as a Lilly-printed model M Steinway & Sons piano and a special Monopoly edition. Special Jubilee clothing collections also will be sold along with the Spring and Summer 2009 collections. *Lilly Pulitzer, Boca Raton (561-368-9975, lilypulitzer.com, for piano inquiries, call 610-878-7754)*

DREAM BIG

Van Cleef & Arpels offers an opportunity that reinforces the company's renowned legacy of creating bespoke jewelry. Held during an invitation-only luncheon on February 6, at the American International Fine Art Fair at the Palm Beach County Convention Center in West Palm Beach, the **Designed to Your Dreams** project allows clients to create a one-of-a-kind piece with the help of a VCA designer. *PBI* spoke to the house's creative and marketing director, Nicolas Bos, about the event. vancleef-arpels.com

PBI: How should a client prepare?

BOS: The clients should spend some time looking through archive books or catalogs to see what they like and styles that they appreciate. The more precise the ideas, the more interesting the process.

What types of stones will be available?

We are going to come with a selection of loose stones. There will be expected stones—diamonds, colored stones in traditional sizes and shapes—but also we will come with some more unusual stones, like tourmalines and garnets.

IN LOVE AGAIN

In the spirit of *amore*, *PBI* offers its four most romantic spots to be kissed.

- ♥ At the beach, while watching the full moon rise over the ocean
- ♥ While strolling through the Ann Norton Sculpture Gardens
- ♥ While getting cozy around the fire pit at the Stir Terrace at the Ritz-Carlton Palm Beach
- ♥ At the CityPlace fountains—make a wish for your happy future together!



EQUINE ELITE

After its successful United States debut last year, the **Lusitano Collection International Exhibition** returns to Wellington's Jim Brandon Equestrian Center February 19-20, offering another opportunity to purchase a Lusitano horse in the United States instead of importing one from Brazil or Portugal. A portion of the proceeds will benefit the American Cancer Society and the Jim Brandon Equestrian Center. lusitanocollection.com

