
PORTUGIESEER HAND-WOUND MONOPUSHER EDITION "LAUREUS SPORT FOR GOOD"

Schaffhausen, 17th February 2020 – IWC Schaffhausen has unveiled the Portugieser Hand-Wound Monopusher Edition "Laureus Sport for Good". With this special edition, the Swiss luxury watch manufacturer continues its support of the social sports projects run by its partner, Laureus Sport for Good.

- Limited to just 500 watches, the **Portugieser Hand-Wound Monopusher Edition "Laureus Sport for Good"** (Ref. IW515301) is the 14th Laureus special edition from IWC and the first Portugieser with a monopusher chronograph.
- The timepiece is enclosed in a 46-millimetre stainless steel case, with a characteristic Laureus blue dial and rhodium-plated hands. The small seconds dial is at 6 o'clock and the power reserve display is at 9 o'clock. The watch is fitted with a black alligator leather strap by Santoni.
- The IWC-manufactured hand-wound 59360 calibre has an eight-day power reserve. The monopusher chronograph can be started, stopped and reset with a single push-button that is integrated in the crown. The recorded time is displayed on the subdial at 12 o'clock.
- Engraved on the back of the watch is the winning design from the annual IWC drawing competition for participants of Laureus projects. This year, the jury selected a drawing by 15-year old Yi Xin from China as the winning entry with a moving portrayal of friendship.
- Yi is a participant in the "Special Olympics China" programme. This Laureus-supported project offers training in Olympic sports disciplines for children and adults with mental disabilities.

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FEATURES

Mechanical movement – Monopusher chronograph function – Minute and second stop function – Power reserve display – Date display – Special back engraving – Limited to 500 watches

MOVEMENT

IWC-manufactured calibre	59360
Frequency	28,800 vph / 4 Hz
Jewels	36
Power reserve	192 h (8 days)
Winding	Hand-wound

WATCH

Materials	Stainless steel case, blue dial, rhodium-plated hands and appliques, black Santoni alligator leather strap
Crystal	Sapphire, arched edge, anti-reflective coating on both sides
Water-resistant	3 bar
Diameter	46 mm
Height	13.9 mm

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In 1868, the American watchmaker and entrepreneur Florentine Ariosto Jones travelled from Boston to Switzerland and founded the 'International Watch Company' in Schaffhausen. His visionary dream was to combine advanced American manufacturing methods with the craftsmanship of Swiss watchmakers to make the best pocket watches of his time. In doing so, he not only laid the foundation for IWC's unique engineering approach but also established the centralised production of mechanical watches in Switzerland.

Over its 150 year history, IWC Schaffhausen has developed a reputation for creating functional complications, especially chronographs and calendars, which are ingenious, robust, and easy for customers to use. A pioneer in the use of titanium and ceramics, IWC today specialises in highly engineered technical watch cases manufactured from advanced materials, such as titanium-aluminide and Ceratanium®. Preferring the principle of "form follows function" over decoration, the Swiss watch manufacturer's timeless creations embody their owners' dreams and ambitions as they journey through life.

IWC sources materials responsibly and takes action to minimise its impact on the environment, creating intrinsically sustainable timepieces that are built to last for generations. The company prides itself in training its own future watchmakers and engineers, as well as offering an excellent working environment for all employees. IWC also partners with organisations that work globally to support children and young people.

DOWNLOADS

Images of the Portugieser Hand-Wound Mono-pusher Edition "Laureus Sport for Good" can be obtained at press.iwc.com

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