

SA1013032

Antique French Rococo Vernis Martin Lacquer Clock by Planchon - Paris

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1013032****Date of manufacture: 1890**

Dimensions

Height = 39.5 cm (15.6")

Width = 21 cm (8.3")

Depth = 13 cm (5.1")

Description

~ French - Circa 1890 ~ ~~ Excellent condition, fully overhauled ~~ A stunning antique French Vernis Martin style lacquer clock. The exquisite waisted, lacquered eau de nil case is decorated with delicate floral swags and mounted with gilt bronze. The gilt metal cherub sits aloft, offering a bouquet of flowers. The fine porcelain enamel dial is complete with its original finely incised and engraved gilt hands. It is signed in homage to the 18th century clockmaker Paul Leautier of Paris. The French movement is of high quality and is by Planchon of Paris. It is in excellent clean and running condition having been fully overhauled by our clockmaker. Pendulum is an old replacement. It runs for 8 days and strikes the hours and halves on a bell. We have a video of the clock running, please ask and we will send you a link or paste this into your browser: <https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=682857326770380> Condition of the case is excellent, the original gilding is beautifully clean and bright with hardly any wear or discolouration. The cherub has been re-lacquered. The lacquer is also in lovely condition with an old craquelure, marks, discolouration and losses to the edges t...

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