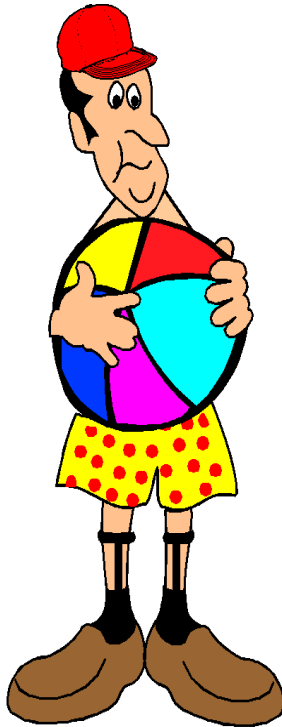


**\$ 4.95****1998 Summer Edition***This Month We Are Featuring***Lladro Land at the Beach!****1,681 Retired Figurines - Total Market Value****In Excess of \$1,255,800.00\***

There are 2,189 retired Lladro figurines in our database of which 1,681 are currently available from clients looking to trade-up their collections. Ipso facto, we have unfilled orders for 214 figurines on our Buy/Want List. You can help us out by buying the ones we have and selling to us the ones we need. Summertime brings bathing beauties and children to the beach and to the park along with all their favorite pets. The very proper **#L-5666G Trino At The Beach** came with her armchair, parasol and painted pink toenails. The more contrite, red-haired, **Sunning in Ipanema #L-5660G**, was content to sit on a rock under her wide brimmed white hat in a flapper bathing suit along with out-stretched striped towel in hand.

Sitting on sister rocks are two other bathing beauties, **#L-5614 Startled** and **#L-5615G Bathing Beauty**, both retired in 1989. **#L-1512G Hawaiian Beauty** is more formally seated in her high-backed wicker chair with flower lei about her neck and shapely legs peaking out from her sarong. We don't have any jelly fish but we do have the one and only fish that Lladro ever did, **#L-1210G Blowfish**, retired in '81 (*I'll let you in on a little secret... this one's gonna go very fast!*).

Our other beach going pets include **#L-4640G Cow w/Pig**, **#L-5020G Painful Elephant** and **#L-5021G Painful Bear**... your everyday beach going variety of pets ! No space to mention all this month's featured pieces, but we MUST tell you about the very rare **#L-1351G Botanic**, retired in 1979 and never sold in the United States (see backcover) and **#L-5733G Horticulturist** retired in 1993. Both pieces exquisitely sculpted by Master Sculptor, S. Furio. See color photographs for other featured pieces --- ran out of print space.

**LLADRO HAS ONLY MADE A THIMBLE ONE TIME:** It was for the Franklin Mint Collection of the Great Porcelain Houses of the World in 1980. This thimble was only offered to thimble collectors and not Lladro collectors. The porcelain thimble created is ornamented with three figures in high relief. In a floral setting, one young girl waters a plant; another sits with spring flowers in her lap; and a third stands holding a bouquet of flowers. Lladro's distinctive identifying mark is an integral part of the design.



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