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« Queen Mary », a drawing exhibition by Olaf Breuning

Far from special effects, smoke machines and glitter, kitsch outfits and precise setting of photographs; Olaf Breuning presents an astonishing ensemble of small pencil drawings. The series hangs in a line and shows progressively the richness and variety of an outstanding graphic repertoire. The thin, precise and delicate layout shows the essence of a childish imaginary world revisited by its ghosts.

Lily van der Stokker

For more than ten year and before the revival of pop art aesthetics, Lily van der Stokker imposed all over the world her marsh mallow aesthetics, spreading along with her small flowered, colourful and ornamented inscriptions, sentences which are not as politically correct as it seems. (...) Beyond her attitude towards avant-gardes aesthetics, which she largely contributed to dismiss from its conformism, she also continually misused astonishing language conventions and media strategies. (Eric Troncy)

In parallel, Lily van der Stokker is present on Monoprix advertising campaign.

Opening: Saturday 5th November 2005 From 4 to 9 pm