



SPARKLING DATE by Maurice Lacroix



HEARTBREAKER by Léon Hatot



BRESSEL LADY by JeanRichard



CHRONOMASTER MOONPHASE by Zenith

LADY BLU AVENTURINE by Blu

### Mechanical jewels

As mechanical watches have been quickly gaining in popularity for both sexes, many brands have been moving away from ladies quartz watches and going in the direction of mechanical watches. There are some great new ladies' mechanical timepieces coming on the market this year. **JeanRichard's** Bressel Lady, with its hours, minutes, seconds and power reserve indicator, shows off its decorated automatic movement through a sapphire crystal caseback. **Léon Hatot** also displays the beauty of its new mechanical chronograph movement in its Heartbreaker model. The Heartbreaker's window in the caseback is in the form of a heart, as is the shape of the dial and the sapphire crystal. **Maurice Lacroix's** Sparkling Date is a newcomer to the world of ladies mechanicals with its hand-decorated mechanical automatic ML 127 movement with retrograde date and

moon phase indications. This handsome timepiece with its purple and black lacquered dial is limited to 250 timepieces, which is rather a shame; let's hope there will be more versions to come! In **Zenith's** His for Her Collection, this year sees a new Chronomaster Moonphase with a perpetual calendar, black dial and diamond bezel. For women who love the masculine yet elegant look, this would be a perfect choice. Lastly, in the ladies mechanical roundup, one of my longstanding favourites is **Blu** and its Lady blu Aventurine timepiece. The mysterious aventurine dial rotates once around its axis every 12 hours and is powered by an automatic mechanical movement. This year sees the addition of two halos of diamonds for the bezel and rotating inner-dial. This is just a taster of some of the spectacular new mechanical timepieces for ladies this year. Make sure you don't miss our complete ladies' mechanicals report in the next issue of *Europa Star*. ◀