

Disney items heading to auction ABBA to start 'digital experience' New York's MoMA gets emojis

LOS ANGELES (AP) — An animatronic doll from Disneyland's It's a Small World ride and an original "stretching portrait" from the park's Haunted Mansion are hitting the auction block. Van Eaton Galleries announced Wednesday that the items will be among myriad pieces of Disney memorabilia available at the "Souvenirs of Disneyland" live and online auction Nov. 19. Other lots include an animatronic sparrow from the Enchanted Tiki Room and original concept art for the Pirates of the Caribbean ride. Mike Van Eaton of Van Eaton Galleries says the auction brings together pieces from private collectors over the past 60 years. Items from the "Souvenirs of Disneyland" sale are on display at Van Eaton Galleries in Los Angeles.

NEW YORK (AP) — The members of ABBA are reuniting for a "new digital experience" next year. The iconic Swedish pop band made the announcement Oct. 26, but didn't offer much detail. They said they are teaming up with Universal Music Group and entertainment mogul Simon Fuller ("American Idol," "Spice Girls") to "create an original entertainment experience ... that will enable a new generation of fans to see, hear, and feel ABBA in a way previously unimagined." ABBA includes Benny Andersson, Agnetha Faltskog, Bjorn Ulvaeus and Anni-Frid Lyngstad. They formed in Stockholm in 1972 and last performed together 35 years ago. Hits include "Dancing Queen" and "Take a Chance on Me."

NEW YORK (AP) — Back in the day, before cars could drive themselves and phones could send stickers and animations, a Japanese phone company released a set of 176 emojis. The year was 1999 and the tiny 12-by-12 pixel designs — smiley faces, hearts, cats — were popular in Japan. In 2010, Unicode Consortium, which now controls emoji standards, translated the emojis into the Unicode standard, which means a person in France can send an emoji to a person in the U.S. and it will look the same. New York's Museum of Modern Art says it has acquired original set of 176 emojis. They were a gift to the museum from the phone company, Nippon Telegraph and Telephone. — Associated Press

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