







Gala Holiday Auction

LIVE AUCTION Friday, August 24 * 6–9pm Preview 4–6pm

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Items valued at \$100 or more will be placed in the Gala Holiday Auction and items valued at less than \$100 will be placed in the Silent Auction.

Vetting

The Auctioneer shall recruit seasoned members to assist in evaluating items as to age and value during the Consignment. Those vetting can refuse to accept any item(s) deemed unsuitable.

Rules

- 1 By Bidding, each bidder agrees to these Auction Rules.
- **2** All Sales are final. There will be no exchanges or refunds unless otherwise noted.
- 3 All items are "as is". The Auctioneer and the Golden Glow has attempted to vet the item correctly, but neither warrants nor represents and in no event, shall be responsible for the correctness of descriptions, genuineness, authorship, provenance or condition of the items. No statement made on this bidding sheet or in the catalog or made orally at the auction or elsewhere, shall be deemed such a warranty, representation, or assumption of liability.
- 4 Amounts paid for the item are in no way considered a donation and is not deductible for income tax purposes.
- 5 The Glow or the Auctioneer reserve the right to add or withdraw items, without notice, to or from the auction.
- 6 Each person bidding assumes all risks and hazards related to the auction and items obtained at the auction. Each bidder agrees to hold harmless from any liability arising indirectly from The Glow, their elected and appointed officials, members and employees, the auctioneer, the event organizers, and/or volunteers connected with the auction.



Auction Item Drop Off

Tuesday 8/21 **2-5pm** Wednesday 8/22 **2-5pm** Thursday 8/23 **9am-12pm**

Fees

- 1 Buyer's Fee: 10%
- 2 Seller's Fee: 10%
- **3** Buyer pays 4% Credit Card Fee if a credit card is used for the financial settlement.







Auction

- 1 The Auctioneer shall decide the "order" of auction.
- 2 The number of lots will be determined by the auctioneer.
- **3** The Auctioneer, at his discretion, will determine if an item is to be placed in the Silent or Live Auctions.
- **4** The auctioneer reserves the right to reject a bid from any bidder.
- **5** The highest bidder acknowledged by the auctioneer shall be the purchaser.
- 6 In the event of a dispute by bidders, the auctioneer and a designated representative of the Golden Glow appointed by the convention hosts shall have sole discretion either to determine the successful bidder or to re-offer and resell the items in dispute.
- **7** If, after having acknowledged an opening bidder, the auctioneer decides that any advance thereafter is not of a sufficient amount, he may reject the advance.
- 8 On the fall of the auctioneer's hammer, possession of the item passes to the highest bidder, who shall not remove the item from the hall until all financial settlements are complete.

Payment by the Buyer

- 1 Golden Glow will collect, on site, all monies from buyers and buy-back fees.
- **2** The buyer with the winning bid will pay the sum of of the highest bid amount, plus 10% Buyer fee, plus 4% if a credit card is used for the financial settlement.
- **3** The buyer must pick up all items the night of the auctions. Any item left unclaimed, without prior arrangements, will go back to the seller.

Payment to the Seller

- 1 Settlement with sellers will be made within three weeks of the close of the convention.
- 2 All settlement checks will be mailed to the sellers by August 31, 2018.
- **3** Auction checks must be cashed by September 30, 2018.
- 4 The Seller will be paid the Amount of the winning bid less 10% for the Seller's Fee.

Bidding

- 1 A bidding number assigned to each attendee will be the same as their registration number.
- 2 This bidding number will be on the front of the attendee's name tag.
- **3** Nametags must be worn at all times, so no one will forget their bidding number, and confusion is avoided.
- 4 An auction card with the registration number will be included in the attendee's registration packet and must be used to bid at the auction. The auctioneer at his/her discretion may refuse a bid not signaled by use of the auction card. The auction card number will be printed in large print to assist with accurate clerking of the auction.
- 5 The number will be written in large print, so the auctioneer does not have trouble recognizing the highest bidder when the item is sold.
- 6 Any additional rules will be added and announced by the Auctioneer at the start of the Auction.