

# Art Show Bidding and Purchasing Guidelines and Rules Silent Auction!

## Bidding

- 1 All write-in bidding ends at 5:00 PM on Saturday. **There is no voice auction. The last bid on the sheet at that time wins!**
- 2 Study the information on the Bid Sheet carefully, as it includes information such as whether a piece is original or a print, the print number if it is a print, and the medium used to create the piece, as well as the artist's name and the title of the piece.
- 3 If you want to buy a piece outright for the Quick Sale price, inform the Art Show staff, who will process the sale. Works cannot be sold at the Quick Sale price if they already have bids.
- 4 If you wish to bid on a piece, PRINT your bid, name, and badge number on the bid sheet of the piece you desire to buy. Your bid must be equal to or higher than the Minimum Bid price.
- 5 Bids must be in even dollar increments.
- 6 Do not remove bids from the bid sheets. If you have made a mistake, see the Art Show staff, who will rectify the situation. Bids removed by anyone other than the Art Show staff are still valid and will still be counted!
- 7 Your bid is a contract. You are agreeing to pay the amount of your bid.

## Purchasing

- 8 Art must be paid for and picked up by 3:00 PM Sunday. All works that are unpaid will be returned to the artist.
- 9 Pieces not sold at the end of the auction on Saturday may only be purchased at the Sunday Price. If there is no Sunday Price listed, the piece cannot be sold.
- 10 A few pieces are displayed as Not For Sale or NSF (this is fairly common with Guests of Honor). This does, in fact, mean that we cannot sell the piece. If you are interested in purchasing the piece, you will need to contact the artist directly.

## The Print Shop

- 11 In addition to the items for auction, the InConJunction Art Show also has a Print Shop to sell more mass-produced artwork. The prices are marked on the items. If you wish to purchase an item in the Print Shop, simply bring it to the cash register, pay, and take it with you!

## No Cameras!

- 12 **For reasons of copyright, photography is not allowed in the Art Show.** People entering the Art Show will be asked to check their bags, cameras and devices with cameras. While we are certain that 99.9% of those who enter the Art Show are honest people who would never dream of stealing artwork, this measure is in place for those few bad apples that occur in any population. Exception: Television news cameras for purpose of advertising show and convention. We thank you for your understanding.