## **AUCTION RULES**

- 1. Absolutely NO pre-auction sales on the premises.
- 2. There is a \$1.00 fee to enter an item or group of items into the auction.
- 3. A \$2.00 registration fee is required to obtain a bidding paddle.
- 4. All sellers must have a paddle to protect the price wanted for an item. All items must be registered as soon as possible. Items should be batched wherever possible. Only horological related items will be accepted. Registration will start at Noon and end at 1:15PM. The Auction will start at 1:30PM sharp. You must buy a bidding paddle before registering your item. The recorder will use this to identify you as the owner.
- 5. During the auction a member may bid up their own items until the desired price is met. Please bid your reserve early to save time.
- 6. Chapter 135 terms of sale are as follows:
- A) All sales are final.
- B) No warranties or guarantees are expressed or implied.
- C) All items are sold 'as is' and 'where is'.
- D) Full payment must be made on sale day (or as otherwise arranged by buyer and seller). All monies being paid for auction transactions shall be strictly between the buyer and seller.
- E) There will be no limit on the number of articles you may bring for sale, but if too many come forward it may be necessary to establish a cut-off point.
- F) Chapter 135 assumes no responsibilities for lost, misplaced or stolen items.
- G) Absolutely NO pre-auctions sales on the premises.
- H) To speed thing up please batch items under \$10 together.
- I) To speed thing up please prepare a brief written description of your item(s) to give to the person assigning a number to your items. The auctioneer will use your description to sell the item.

# **VOLUNEERS NEEDED:**

#### **AUCTION STAFFING POSITIONS**

### 1. ASSIGNOR

Assigns an auction number to each item and writes a brief description (i.e. Ansonia, Shelf Clock, Working) Affixes the number to the items. Collects \$1 per item. One person required

#### 2. ARRANGER

Makes sure that all items are arranged in numerical order on the table for the auctioneer. One person required.

#### 3. PRESENTERS

Take items from table and hold up while auctioneer sells them. Two persons required, alternating items.

#### 4. AUCTIONEER

One Back up person required. Second person gives Auctioneer a break if more than 50 items offered for sale.

#### 5. RECORDER -

Records the selling price and the number of the buyer. One person with legible handwriting required.

#### 6. PADDLE SELLER

Sells paddles for \$2 and records name of Paddle buyer. One person with legible handwriting required.

# 7. 50/50 TICKET SELLER

One person required

If possible please contact Ron Kowalski in advance to volunteer or to get more information at 360-756-2322 or <a href="mailto:ron.k@comcast.net">ron.k@comcast.net</a>
It's a lot of fun and your chance to help out.