



**Bidder #**  
Office Use Only

# Celebration 2011

## ABSENTEE BID FORM

**Bid Receipt Deadline: September 30, 2011 12:00AM**

<b>Bidder Name:</b>					
<b>Billing Address:</b>			<b>Local Address:</b>		
<b>City:</b>	<b>State:</b>	<b>Zip:</b>	<b>City:</b>	<b>State:</b>	<b>Zip:</b>
<b>Phone 1:</b>			<b>Phone 2:</b>		
<b>Email Address:</b>			<b>Fax Number:</b>		

Item#	DESCRIPTION	BID AMOUNT

1. By signing this form, the bidder agrees to be bound by the conditions of the sale and the terms of the specified sale. See reverse side.
2. It is the bidder's responsibility to accurately record the Item Number and Bid Amount on the absentee bid form.
3. All absentee bids must be secured with valid credit card.
4. Successful bidders are responsible for picking up or the cost of shipping and handling of their purchases.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Vcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Use:
Date Received: _____
Time Received: _____
Staff: _____

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**Conditions:** The Bascom, Inc. has endeavored to accurately describe the items being sold, but all property offered for sale is strictly "as-is" "where-is" with all faults. All sales are final and no refunds are given. All sales records shall be conclusive. It is the bidder's responsibility to determine the exact condition/authenticity of each item. No statement in the catalog or by representatives, volunteers or employees of The Bascom shall be considered as a warranty or assumption of liability. Written and oral descriptions given by The Bascom staff members or volunteers are given as a courtesy to a client, are only an opinion, and should not be considered as a guarantee of age, composition, or authenticity. The absence of a condition statement does not imply that the item is in perfect condition or completely free from wear and tear or imperfections. By bidding, you signify that you have either closely examined the items, have chosen not to examine them, or have hired an independent agent to examine the item for you.

**Terms:** All sales are subject to the terms and condition of sales. Bidding is available by absentee bidding and by live in-house bidding. Absentee bidding payment is due at the end of the auction by credit card only. In house bidding payment is due at the end of the auction by cash, check, Visa, MC, Amex and Discovery. The Bascom reserves the right to withdraw an item for any reason deemed appropriate, including any items that may have a reserve, or if there is a lack of bidding interest or lack of appropriate funds. The Bascom shall have the right to withdraw any item at any time for any reason.

**Absentee Bids:** Arrangements for absentee bidding can be made by completing and submitting the Absentee Bid Form. The Bascom must receive the completed form by Friday September 30<sup>th</sup> at 12:00AM. This form can be obtained at the The Bascom located at 323 Franklin Road, Highlands, NC 28741 or on the website at: [www.Celebrationartdesigncraft.org](http://www.Celebrationartdesigncraft.org). All Absentee Bids must be secured with a valid credit card number. All Absentee bids will be executed in a fair, competitive and confidential manner. While every effort is made to execute and honor absentee bid, The Bascom is not responsible for failure to execute a bid and is not liable for any losses incurred as a result of failure to execute absentee bids. All bids are date and time stamped. In the case of identical bids, precedence goes to the floor. In the case of identical absentee bids, the first bid received will take precedence. NOTE: It is the bidder's responsibility to accurately record the Item Number and Bid Amount on any Absentee bid form.

**Payments:** All items purchased via absentee bid will be paid for by a credit card. The card will be charged within three days of the auction. Successful bidders will be notified by The Bascom via telephone, fax or email the first business day following the auction. All items purchased via absentee bid must be paid for within three days from the sale date.

**Ownership:** Item ownership is conveyed immediately following the fall of the auctioneers hammer. While we try to handle and store all items with great care The Bascom will have no liability or any loss or damage to an item after the hammer has fallen.

**Packing, Loading and Shipping:** The Bascom does not ship and it does not have storage space available. Buyers are responsible for picking up the items within 7 days of the auction. Packing, loading and shipping is strictly the responsibility of the buyer. The Bascom suggests the purchaser contact: *Storks – Wrap, Pack & Ship* in Cashiers, NC 828-743-3222. No items will be released by The Bascom without permission of the buyer.

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