



2014 Auction Rules & Guidelines

The McCoy Pottery Collectors' Society Private Auction and Mixer will be held on Friday July 11, 2014 at the Knights of Columbus, in the Sunrise Shopping Center, in Zanesville. Jeff Koehler of SEOH Auctions has graciously again donated time as auctioneer to help make this another great evening with wonderful McCoy pieces up for sale!

Any registered member wishing to sell McCoy pieces at the auction should review these guidelines and complete an Auction item Description Form for each item being consigned. A sheet will be available in your convention Welcome Packet which provides space for 2 items. If you should have more than 2 items, additional forms will be available at the auction check-in on Friday afternoon.

Items must be from the **J.W. McCoy Pottery, the Brush-McCoy Pottery, Nelson McCoy Pottery, McCoy Limited or the McCoy Collection** to be eligible for the auction. The Auction Committee will review all entries. No limit is set as to the number of items that can be entered by any one person. However, the Auction Committee and Event Coordinator reserve the right to limit individual and overall participation if necessary to maintain the expected time frame for the auction.

The Auction Committee will charge a consignment fee per item with no commission on the actual sale of the item. The fee is due at the time of registration of the item(s). Members of the committee will be available to register items and receive the consignment fees on Friday afternoon from 1:00 to 3:00 PM at the Knight's of Columbus. We will not be able to take entries at the door when the event opens at 5:00 PM so please make a point of dropping your pieces off in the 1:00 – 3:00 PM time frame.

Items may be consigned with or without a reserve price. Please note that in no case should an owner bid on a piece(s) that they own. The consignment fee of **\$5.00** per item, which is non-refundable, will be charged at the time of registration. There will be no extra charge for a reserve. We will require a minimum bid of **\$10.00** on any piece in the auction. If this is not achieved, the piece will not be sold and

the member will receive a refund of their **\$5.00** consignment fee for that piece. The consignment fee may be paid by cash, or check payable to: The McCoy Pottery Collectors' Society.

The Knights' of Columbus will open for the Auction/Mixer event (food, drinks and mingling with fellow collectors) and viewing of the auction items at 5:00 PM. The live auction will begin at 7:00 PM and is estimated to run about 2 hours. Dinner will be served at 6:00 PM.

Any reserve prices will remain private and known only by the seller, the Auction Committee and the auctioneer. Payment for purchase of an item is to occur only at the completion of the entire live auction. This is a direct transaction between the buyer and the seller. The Auction Committee will record all successful bids to assist the bidders and sellers in maintaining accuracy of the transaction. Please remember **all sales are final**. Changes or additions to these guidelines will only be made if extraordinary circumstances warrant them and will be announced prior to the start of the auction.