## <u>Duluth-Superior RC Auction – 2025 Rules</u>

- All buyers and sellers must register and receive a Bid Number.
  - Bid Number must be purchased before submitting an item for sale or bidding on an item.
  - Bid Numbers can be purchased on our website. A Bid Number and Item Tag form will be emailed.
  - The cost of a Bid Number is \$5.
- Auction Fee: 15% will be deducted from all items sold.
- All lots submitted for sale must be valued at a minimum of \$10.
  - Auction staff has the option to not accept a lot they value as not meeting this requirement.
- Submissions to be auctioned will be accepted between 6:30-8:45 am on Saturday, February 22.
  - Duluth-Superior RC Club is not responsible for items left or damaged.
  - All buyers and sellers are responsible for their items.
- Lot items should be ready to present including wings on planes. Better presentation means higher bids!
- Sellers may NOT place a Reserve or Minimum Acceptable Bid on an item.
  - Sellers may bid on their own item to increase bid to an acceptable level.
  - If Seller wins their own item, Seller will be charged either 15% of winning bid or \$15, whichever is less.
- It is the bidder's responsibility to assure the auctioneer recognizes your bid. Be vocal and visible!
- Item viewing is acceptable during the auction. Remain clear of active auction.
- Auction to start promptly at 9:00 am.
  - Bidding amount will start at Auctioneer's discretion but will not start below \$10.
  - Bid increments will be a minimum of \$5. No exceptions!
  - Auctioneer's ruling is FINAL!
- All items are sold "as is" with no guarantee, no exceptions. It is your responsibility for prior viewing.
- Accounts may be closed, and items received, only during the following allotted times.
  - Lunch break and at the conclusion of the auction **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
  - Buyers that close their account will not be able to bid on additional items.
  - Sellers can only close their account after all their submitted items are sold.
  - Items purchased must be checked by auction staff prior to exiting the building.
  - Please return auction paddles to Registration at account closing or prior to leaving.
- Must receive invoice from Registration and take to Finance to make or receive payment.
- Payments may be made via cash, check, PayPal, Venmo, Visa or Mastercard.
- All items left at the conclusion of auction will be recycled by the Duluth-Superior RC Club.
- Auction is not conducted by a professional auction house. Mistakes may occur. Please be courteous.

## **HAVE FUN!**