

**Absentee Bid Form**  
**38th Annual Benefit Auction**  
*August 25 and 26, 2023*

**Absentee bids accepted until noon on Friday, August 25, 2023**

For any questions, please contact Cindy Gibson: 828.765.2359 ext.1308 or [bidding@penland.org](mailto:bidding@penland.org)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (day) \_\_\_\_\_ (evening) \_\_\_\_\_

I have registered and purchased an absentee bidder or online bidder ticket for Penland’s 38th Annual Benefit Auction (includes catalog). I request that Penland enter bids on the following lot(s) up to the maximum price I have indicated below. I understand that if my bid is successful, I will be obligated to pay the purchase price, which will be the amount of my winning bid. NC sales tax does not apply to this charitable event.

Alternatively, phone bidding may be arranged for the live auctions on Saturday (1:00-3:00pm). Phone bidders will be called before the piece comes up for auction and your bids will be executed by a member of Penland’s absentee bid team. To arrange phone bidding, please contact Penland’s absentee bid coordinator Cindy Gibson.

All bids must be finalized by noon on August 25. In the event of identical absentee bids, the bid received first will take precedence. I understand that Penland will make every effort to execute the absentee bid as submitted; however, Penland cannot be responsible for any inadvertent error or failure to execute the bid. These bids are to be executed at the lowest price permitted by other bids or reserves and in an amount up to but not exceeding the specified amounts.

Successful bidders will be contacted on Monday, August 28 and will be invoiced for the purchase price and the cost of shipping. Penland accepts cash, personal checks, MasterCard, Visa, Discover, and American Express.

I have read and understand the conditions of sale found at <https://penland.ejoinme.org/AbsenteeBidding>.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Artist Name	Lot Number	Maximum Bid

**Register as an absentee bidder:** <https://penland.ejoinme.org/AbsenteeBidding>

**Submit a bid:** Complete this form and submit it: By e-mail: [bidding@penland.org](mailto:bidding@penland.org)  
 By fax: 828-765-7389  
 By mail: Absentee Bidding, Penland School of Craft  
 P.O. Box 37, Penland, NC 28765

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