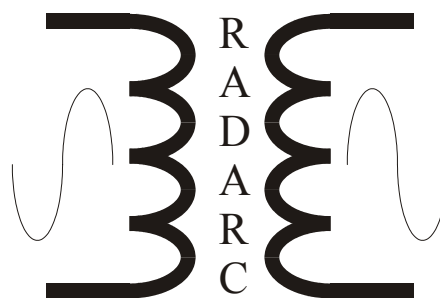


Reading and District Amateur Radio Club

Surplus Equipment Sale Rules

January 2004



1. All buyers **must** be in possession of a bidding number before the auction starts. Non-Members will be required to either join the Club or pay a fee (£2) for this number. Registering for a bidding number implies acceptance of these rules;
2. On completion of a sale, the purchaser must make clear their number and the price paid before taking the goods;
3. Viewing is only allowed up until the point the meeting begins. Following this, all purchasers must keep away from the main selling area in order to allow the event to proceed in an orderly manner. Under no circumstances will bidders be allowed to view articles which are in the process of being sold;
4. It is assumed that all goods are sold for the benefit of the Club. For any person who wishes to have an item sold on their behalf, the Club charges a 10% commission. In the case of non members, a minimum fee of £5 applies.

The fact that it is a commission sale **and** the name / callsign of the beneficiary must be made clear by a label attached to **each** item;
5. In the event of item 4 not being satisfied, the Club will retain all proceeds of the sale;
6. Any reserve price, whether for a commission sale or not, must be made clear before the auction starts by means of a label attached to the item. Otherwise it will be for the auctioneer to make whatever price they can for the article;
7. For a commission sale (item 4) or with reserve (item 6) it is in the interest of the seller to ensure that the auctioneer is aware of this fact prior to the sale;
8. At the end of the event, all unsold goods must be removed by the person who brought them;
9. The auctioneer's decision is final;
10. All goods are sold "as seen" – the Club assumes no liability towards buyers or sellers;
11. Caveat Emptor!