



CHARITY AUCTION

TO BENEFIT
OPERATION DELTA DOG

SEPTEMBER 5 - 11, 2020

Auction Rules

- 1) Auction starts at **3pm EDT on 9/5/2020**
- 2) Auction ends at **3pm EDT on 9/11/2020**
- 3) All bidding on items will be via Facebook in the Virtual Camp Auction Fall 2020 group. ***You must have a Facebook account AND join the group to be able to bid on items.***
- 4) All bids are in US Dollars.
- 5) Bids will be placed in \$1 increments; your bid must be \$1 higher than the previous highest bid
- 6) Bids will be placed as comments on the photo of the item
- 7) High bidders will be notified via Facebook/FB Messenger.

Once notified, high bidders will have 3 business days to submit their donation to Operation Delta Dog. A screenshot showing a receipt of payment to Operation Delta Dog will be required to release the item to the high bidder. Screenshots or other proof of donation may be emailed to vcampauction@gmail.com. Detailed instructions on payment options are available in the Facebook Group.

If the high bidder does not complete their donation to Operation Delta Dog and provide proof of donation to the VCamp auction team within 3 business days of notification, the bidder will forfeit their bid and the next highest bidder will be contacted. The volunteer auction team will make every effort to contact the high bidder after the auction closes.

How to Donate an Item or Service for the auction:

Complete the form at <https://forms.gle/T3Mn5WVvKRLfFSAMX9>.

Please note that to upload a photo, you must be logged into a Google account. If you do not have a Google account, you can send your photo and item description to vcampauction@gmail.com.

Items for donation should be NEW and be something that you would give to a friend or purchase for yourself (or your dogs).

Shipping costs are paid by the donor unless otherwise stated in the auction listing.

Donations will be accepted until 3pm EDT on 9/3/2020

Donors must be able to ship items to the high bidder within one week after contact with winning bidder.

How to View and Bid on Auction Items:

- 1) Join the Facebook group called Virtual Camp Auction Fall 2020. The direct link to the group is [facebook.com/groups/VCampAuction](https://www.facebook.com/groups/VCampAuction)
- 2) Navigate to Photos, then select Albums.
- 3) Click on the album named **Donations (view and bid here)**
- 4) Scroll through the photos to view items and read their descriptions. To place a bid, comment on the photo of the item. Bids are accepted in \$1 increments.

Hint: you can set group notifications to "All Posts" during the auction to keep up with the action!

What happens when the auction closes?

When the auction closes, commenting on the item will be turned off so that no additional bids can be placed. The person with the highest bid at the close of the auction will be named high bidder.

High bidders send the amount of their high bid via PayPal directly to Operation Delta Dog. From PayPal, send to info@operationdeltadog.com (friends and family, please) within 3 business days AND send proof of their donation (screen shot, email or other confirmation) to vcampauction@gmail.com. If you do not have a paypal account, you can submit your donation via <https://www.operationdeltadog.org/how-you-can-help/donate/>.

The VCamp auction team will connect the high bidder and the donor via Facebook/FB Messenger. High bidders and donors are responsible for arranging shipment and receipt of the auction item.

Hint: make sure to check FB messenger for "Message Requests" – FB messages from non-friends are stored there.

Donors will pay shipping cost within their country unless otherwise noted in the auction listing.

Dogs of Course and its agents and employees are not responsible for items that are not shipped, arrive broken, or are not what was expected. High bidders are urged to contact the donor directly to resolve disputes.

Not interested in the auction, but want to contribute to Operation Delta Dog?

- You can make a tax-deductible cash donation directly to Operation Delta Dog. <https://www.operationdeltadog.org/how-you-can-help/donate/>
- You can support them by getting something for the dogs! Purchase needed items off their Amazon Wish List like dog food, toys, bait bags, bully sticks, training treats and more! <https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2CAP8XUP754LW?type=wishlist&filter=unpurchased&sort=priority>