

2023 IWMA Western Consignment Boutique

<u>Beginning at noon, Wednesday, Nov 8</u> the boutique will be accepting items to sell. We will also accept items from <u>8 am to 5 pm on Thursday, Nov 9.</u>

New and gently worn Western clothing, jewelry, boots, hats and instruments are rounded up and ready to purchase beginning at <u>8 am Thursday Nov 9.</u>

This is an excellent opportunity to purchase great finds and help the IWMA, 15% percent of all consignment sales go directly to the IWMA. Better yet is the opportunity to make some money by selling your new or gently worn western items!

For those who arrive Friday and Saturday, items will be accepted before 3 pm each day.

Please pass along this information to your fellow performers, members and friends of the IWMA.

GUIDELINES

These items are welcome: Men, women, children size 6 and up western and cowboy themed: Shirts, blouses, leather and dress vests, pants, jeans, skirts, dress jackets, frock coats, gowns, Western suits and any vintage Western clothing. We also accept Western jewelry, Western and cowboy boots (clean and polished), Western booties, belts, Western handbags, Western scarves and neck ties, cowboy and vintage Western hats. Stage and show clothing especially wanted as well as instruments and their carry or travel cases.

<u>These items are NOT allowed</u>: Tee shirts, sweat shirts, shoes unless they are real moccasins, baby or toddler clothing, outer wear to include all coats and down vests, unless it is a coat or vest that can be worn on stage as a prop, home décor, belts that are not Western themed, music or books other than instruction books for the instruments. Untagged items will not be accepted.

<u>Sellers:</u> All items need to be on hangers, clean and pressed and tagged. Your sales will be compiled from the tags collected, all items unsold, marked donated or not, must be picked up by noon on Sunday. Payment for sales (less 15%) will be made by check mailed from the IWMA in about 4 weeks after the convention. Be sure to print your tags now to save time later. Use appropriate hangers for items. Attach tags with safety pins. Use dollar amounts only and don't forget to put your cell phone number on your tags. Items must have a minimum price and value of \$10.

Buyers: Credit and debit cards accepted, checks written to the IWMA upon approval and, of course, cash. If you want to negotiate a sale price with the seller, you must call the cell number provided on that items tag. Items may be "held" for two hours, if not purchased in that time frame they will be returned to the sales floor.

WEDNESDAY, November 8 - 12:00 noon-6:00 pm IWMA Western Consignment Boutique accepting items to sell or donate

THURSDAY, November 9 - 8:00 am-5:00 pm

IWMA Western Consignment Boutique OPEN and accepting items to sell or donate

FRIDAY, November 10 - 8:00 am-5:00 pm

IWMA Western Wear Consignment Boutique accepting items to sell or donate

SATURDAY, November 11 - 10:00 am-5:00 pm

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SUNDAY, November 12 - 8:00 am-12:00 noon

IWMA Western Wear Consignment Boutique OPEN, check out/ pick up unsold items

PURPOSE

As a function of the IWMA, the Western Wear Consignment Boutique supports the IWMA in its efforts to promote the professional growth of individual performing members by:

- selling consigned Western items during IWMA2022 and collecting a percentage of these sales;
- **providing** a venue to redistribute good used clothing, instruments and stage props at very reasonable prices to members and attendees;
- encouraging donations of good used items to further support new performers;
- facilitating a means of welcome income to those members and attendees who consign.

Clean out your closets and join us in supporting the IWMA!

Volunteer opportunities available - contact marsha@westernmusic.org