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07-31-2010, 10:00 AM #1



handejector
Administrator



Join Date: May 2004
 Posts: 7,172
 Likes: 9
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The Rules

TERMS:

Use of the classifieds is a service for the membership- primarily for personal sales.

Dealers and ongoing commercial ventures who run ads here are required to donate at the Silver level or above to help support this forum. Click "Donations" in the top blue navigation bar.

If your ads run more than 30 days per year, you are an Ongoing Commercial Venture.

We strongly advocate adherence to ALL firearms laws at ALL levels- Federal, State, and Local.

We Reserve the right to delete any ad, at any time, for any reason.

The attitude of "caveat emptor" must be assumed here. That means: "may the buyer beware". The S&W Forum, the owners, and the staff are not responsible for nor guarantors of any ad presented here.

Establish TERMS in advance, like any INSPECTION PERIOD and Right to Return. ACCURATE descriptions, FULL disclosure, and GOOD pics make life simpler for everyone!

Pics can be uploaded by anyone as attachments or posted from a hosting site. Sticky: [POSTING PHOTOS on this Forum.... NEW Format](#) This eliminates a lot of needless chatter like "Please send pics" and "pics sent". If you choose to NOT post pics in your ad, have lookers request them via EMAIL or PM to avoid bumping your ad constantly with pic requests.

We Recommend that you list your STATE, either in your ad or your Profile data to appear on screen. It matters a lot on shipping and local laws.

We recommend that an "I'll Take It" be required in answering the ad, followed by an email or PM. This helps avoid the "I was first!" squabble.

STATE in your ad whether you require the "I'll Take It", or will allow buyers to confirm a deal through email or PM's.

This is not complicated- simply state your requirements in the ad.

We request that you leave your sale prices in the ad when items are sold.

Leaving your sale price will allow folks to search/research what similar items are selling for.

We will lock completed ads when you edit the title to show all items SOLD.

The RULES:

1. All General Posting Rules apply.

See them here- [Announcements & Rules](#)

2. **ONE ad per category.** Allowing front page space for everyone is the idea.

The classifieds are divided into three sections: Guns, Accessories, and Wanted To Buy. You may offer as many items for sale or trade as you wish- **in one ad** in the respective section. Put your ad in the RIGHT CATEGORY. Accessories may be listed in an ad with a gun if you prefer to have only one ad running for simplicity.

To find your ads- click **Search** in the top blue Navigation bar.

At the bottom of the menu you will see **My Threads** and **My Posts**.

When your item is no longer available, please add SOLD, TRADED, or WITHDRAWN to the beginning of the title. Edit the title by clicking "Edit" and then clicking "Go Advanced" at bottom right.

As soon as you edit the title, the thread is considered to be closed and will be locked by forum staff. You are then free to immediately start a new ad thread.

Multiple ads may be deleted without notice beyond a Warning or Infraction.

3. You **MUST** set your profile options to accept either private messages or email from other forum members or your thread will be deleted without notification. We strongly urge that you accept both.

4. **All "For Sale" items must have a price attached.**

We do not allow "make offer" ads. You may put "Or Best Offer" or OBO after the price. If you are honestly trying to trade, we recommend, but do NOT require, that you list a relative VALUE for your item.

5. **We REQUIRE that items listed here NOT be listed on an auction site at the same time.**

IF you list your gun in other forums, please edit your ad PROMPTLY to show the gun sold if it sells here or on another venue.

Please mark it sold in the TITLE of your ad.

6. No Links to live auctions or promotion of live auctions, even by number only, or GunsAmerica ads or other website ads should be posted without permission.

7. We allow one **BTT** (Back To Top) per calendar day, unless you are replying to a legitimate question that has been posted in your thread.

Doing multiple BTT's in a single day may get your ad deleted.

If you have responded to a question(s), you don't need to do a BTT two hours later.

Additional posts on your part like "pics sent" or "email responded to" are needless since you can send it via a PM.

Put **SOLD** or **SPF** in the title of your thread and, if desired, edit your first post to show WHO you sold it to- "SPF to Whoever".

Keep replies to the minimum.

8. If you sell an item, you can edit your ad to add other items and change the title while editing.

If you do not want to do so and wish to start a new ad, place "SOLD" or "WITHDRAWN" in your ad title.

9. **NO extraneous posts!**

If you are not doing business in an ad thread, do NOT post in that thread!

This isn't a discussion forum- this is a listing service.

Non-business dialog like:

"nice gun"

"wish I could buy it"

"price is too high"

is forbidden. These extraneous posts bump an ad an unfair number of times, and deprive other less interesting ads of their turn at the top of the page.

Do NOT bump an ad that is not yours.

Place **Feedback** in the Feedback forum, NOT in the thread you dealt in.

10. Do not advertise or promote other internet forums without prior permission.

Do NOT post a link to your website unless you are at least a Silver level donor.

Do NOT post a link to a website that is not yours.

11. You agree to save HARMLESS the S&W Forum, its owners, and The Staff, for any injury or loss suffered as a result of any transaction occurring from these ads.

12. Violation of these rules, or the spirit of these rules can lead to loss of Classifieds access.

13. We reserve the right to modify The Rules at any time without notice.

14. By posting or participating in a thread here, you are AGREEING to these RULES and Terms.

Lee Jarrett

Owner/Admin



02-24-2011, 11:23 PM

#2



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Regards,
Lee Jarrett



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