

The Flute Market

Serving the student and professional flutist alike

Consignment Agreement

Please send this page of the agreement with your instrument and keep the other page for yourself as reference. An instrument will not be listed unless this signed agreement accompanies it.

This document constitutes a Consignment Agreement between The Flute Market and:

Owner of Instrument

Name:

Address:

City, State, Zip:

Email:

Phone:

Consigned Item to The Flute Market

Brand Name:

Serial Number:

Model:

Date of Last Service:

Description/Features you wish included in marketing:

Price you are seeking:

Time frame to sell:

By signing this document you agree to consign the above listed flute/piccolo/headjoint with The Flute Market and verify that you have read, understood, and agree to all articles listed on the following page

(Signature)

(Print Name)

(Date)

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Thank you for choosing The Flute Market as your broker for your flute, piccolo, or headjoint. Please read the following terms and ask any questions prior to sending your flute/piccolo/headjoint to The Flute Market.

It is in the best interest of everyone involved to show a flute or piccolo for sale in the best condition possible. It is recommended that, if at all possible prior to consignment, a flute or piccolo is inspected and adjusted or repaired by a flute repair technician to restore it to the best possible playing condition prior to listing for consignment. Please include documentation of repairs or adjustments, as new owners find this information valuable. If you cannot have your flute serviced, you may have your flute/piccolo/headjoint listed "as is", but this will yield a lower sale price for you. The Flute Market can also help you get your flute serviced by one of our out-of-house trusted technicians.

While The Flute Market cannot guarantee a sale within a certain time frame, it agrees to use all professional skill, knowledge and experience necessary to the best advantage of all parties in order to expedite a sale as quickly as possible. (A typical expected time frame for sale is 3 to 6 months, but may be longer for unusually expensive or rare flutes.) Upon arrival and inspection of the flute/piccolo/headjoint, The Flute Market will recommend a sale price you can expect to receive for your item. These recommendations are made based on age and condition of the flute/piccolo/headjoint, time frame desired for a completed sale, and current trends in the market, however, you have final say over the sale price you would like to receive. No lesser amount from a buyer shall be accepted without your written permission and The Flute Market may lower its commission in order to facilitate a sale. Once your item sells, The Flute Market will pay you your sale price via check within 5 business days. In the event that you request the return of your flute/piccolo/headjoint while it is out on trial and it sells, you shall accept the net proceeds of the sale in lieu of the returned item.

For The Flute Market's services, which may include preparing your item for sale, describing your item, photographing your item, listing your item on The Flute Market's website and elsewhere via the Internet, communicating with prospective buyers, shipping to prospective buyers for trial, closing the sale, and accepting and processing payment for your item, you agree:

- a.) The Flute Market's consignment fee upon sale of flute/piccolo/headjoint is 15% (minimum \$100).
- b.) There are no listing fees associated with consignment other than the 15% commission fee (minimum \$100) retained upon completion of a sale.
- c.) If you request your actively listed flute/piccolo/headjoint to be sent back prior to it selling, you will be responsible for return shipping and insurance plus a 3% (minimum \$50) cancellation fee based on advertised list price if item is requested back within one year. This is to cover time spend preparing and play testing, photographing, communicating with prospective buyers, advertising, and time spent listing on the website and other outlets. Your instrument or headjoint will be mailed within 1 business day once return costs are settled.

For any intermediate to professional level flute or headjoint, it is highly recommended that you maintain your own private insurance, if you have any, until your flute sells. If you do not have instrumental insurance on your flute/piccolo/headjoint, you are encouraged to buy shipping insurance when sending an item to The Flute Market. All shipping to and from prospective buyers will include shipping insurance provided by The Flute Market.

**Please retain this sheet for your records. Please direct all consignment inquiries to:
ann@theflutemarket.net – 570.495.1195 – 1014 McRae Lane Lewisburg, PA 17837**