

## 2023 ABC SALE Donation Guidelines

The ABC Sale is fast approaching and now is the time to clean out your Attics, Basements and Closets and bring us all the good stuff! Please use the following guidelines to determine the appropriate items that will help us have a profitable sale. This year, when considering if an item is suitable for donation, ask yourself this simple question: **Would I give this to a friend?** And if that answer is yes, if possible, put that item in a box or bag along with similar items according to specific department, i.e., men, women, kitchen, linens, etc.

The following items, however, will NOT be accepted. Please look over the list for each department carefully.

### **Books and Family Fun:**

Important Note: These departments will not be in the Sale this year so please do not bring donations including:

- \*Office equipment
- \*Electronics, Computer/Monitors
- \*Holiday decorations, artificial Christmas trees
- \*Decorative knickknacks
- \*Books, CD's, VHS and BlueRay videos

### **Women's Clothing**

- \*Torn, worn, stained, soiled clothing
- \*Underwear and all sleepwear
  - \*Old, worn shoes
- \*Sneakers, flipflops, other athletic shoes

### **Men's Clothing**

- \*Torn, worn, stained, soiled clothing
- \*Old, worn shoes and boots
- \*Sneakers and other athletic shoes

### **Furniture:**

- \*Mattresses and bed pillows
  - \*Futons and waterbeds
  - \*Metal bed frames
  - \*Particle board furniture
  - \*Home entertainment centers
  - \*Sleeper sofas
  - \*Large appliances
  - \*Exercise bikes/Treadmills

### **Children's**

- \*Child car seats
- \*Strollers
- \*Potty chairs
- \*Large plastic playsets such as kitchens

### **Kitchen**

- \* Cookbooks
- \*Teacups and saucers, single glasses (not in a set)

### **Garden**

- \*Floral glass vases
- \* Skis and ski boots
  - \*Luggage and backpacks

### **Donations will only be accepted during the week before the sale**

Tuesday, March 21, 9am-5pm

Wednesday, March 22, 9am-7pm

Thursday, March 23, 9am-2pm

Bakery donations and live plants should be dropped off on Friday, March 24 10am-2pm. Be sure to label each plant with the name of the plant and your contact information on a popsicle stick

To schedule a pickup of large items, send photos of the items you'd like to have picked up to Heather Benjamin, heather.a.benjamin@gmail.com. Please, no furniture made of particle board, mattresses, cribs, exercise equipment, furniture with soiled or damaged upholstery, or boxes filled with smaller items that could be dropped off at church. TROSA will pick up large items March 20 and 21.