

Missouri Professional Auctioneers Association
Ringman Contest

The full name of the contest is

“MPAA Ringman Championship”

There shall be a one division of the contest that will include men and women. All shall be treated equally in every respect.

Contestants shall be 18 years of age or older; current, active (paid) members of MPAA at the time of the entry deadline.

Contestants must have paid the **\$50.00** fee by the contest deadline. All entries are to be stamped with the date received in the office. **Deadline is July 31, 2009.**

The registration form will be included in the Conference and Show brochure.

No contest entries will be accepted after the deadline date.

Competing order will be determined prior to the event by a drawing.

An MPAA contestant booklet will be produced after the registration deadline to include a photo and a bio of all contestants.

The contestant booklet is confidential prior to the competition and will only be distributed on-site the day of the event.

All contestants must attend the rules meeting scheduled prior to the contest. A roll call will be taken at the start of the meeting. In the event a contestant is not present during the initial roll-call, their name will be called two additional times at 15 minutes intervals. In the event a contestant is not present when their name is called the second and final time, they will be disqualified from the contest without return of entry fee.

All ringman contestants are required to bring their Auctioneer to the meeting if they've identified their Auctioneer prior to the contest. Auctioneer must be a current MPAA member.

Two active (paid) members of the MPAA will serve as the designated Auctioneers for the contest should contestants not have an Auctioneer selected.

Contestants may not at any time engage in conversation with any judge prior to or during the competition. The RC committee chairperson shall review all circumstances involving judge/contestant interaction.

CASH PRIZES:

FIRST PLACE: \$500.00

SECOND PLACE: \$300.00

THIRD PLACE: \$200.00

RINGMAN 2009 COMPETITION REGISTRATION FORM

COMPANY NAME: _____

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

PLEASE INCLUDE A SHORT (50-75) WORD BIO FOR THE CONTEST BROCHURE ALONG WITH YOUR PICTURE:

\$50 fee enclosed—MPAA—912 Country Lane—Newton, KS 67114

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