

Michigan Ringman Championship 2019

Thursday * January 31, 2019 * 7:30 PM * Mt. Pleasant, Michigan

(Following Auctioneer Championships)

Entry Form

Please Refer to the Contestant Rules on the
MAA Website at www.FindMichiganAuctions.com

Contestant Name _____

Street Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Daytime Phone () _____

Email Address _____

Member # _____ Are you at least 18 years of age? _____

Name of Auctioneer _____

**If designating an auctioneer for contest - if you don't designate an auctioneer, the MAA will provide one for you - see below for info.*

This entry form and appropriate entry fee must accompany your conference registration to enter.

I Agree that the above is true and correct and I agree to abide by all rules and regulations of the Ringman Championships set forth by the committee, board of directors & officers of the Michigan Auctioneers Association.

Signature _____

Rules Overview:

1. Any current MAA Member can enter (Entries close at **2:00 PM** on Thursday, January 31). **Please Pre-register to help keep the late entry confusion down.*
2. You must register and pay for a full registration at the convention and have your current membership dues paid for the year 2019. Contestants must be at least 18 years of age and a member of the MAA.
3. There will be a \$25.00 entry fee. (\$35.00 after 1/7/19)
4. You must bring the first donated item to sell. Each Contestant will ring two consecutive items. The first to be provided by the contestant, the second to be provided by the MAA and MAA Members. Value of the contestants donated items should be between \$20.00 and \$250.00.
5. All contestants will meet at 5:30PM at the MAC & Ringman Contestant Prep & Rules Meeting. The order of competition will be a random contestant order draw, performed by committee prior to contestant meeting. All ringman contestants should bring their Auctioneer to the meeting if they've identified their Auctioneer prior to the contest.
6. Two active (paid) members of the MAA will serve as the designated Auctioneers for the contest should contestants not have an Auctioneer selected. The designated Auctioneers will be selected by the Committee.
7. No additional Ringman will participate during the ringman competition.
8. Allow the Michigan Auctioneers Association (MAA) to capture photographic images & video for purposes of public promotion. The MAA may choose a posed photograph or one taken during the competition.
9. Allow the MAA to use the champion's name, voice or image to promote the Championship, the MAA, the Auction Industry, or the Champion for any reason.
10. Shall promote the MAA and the Championship on their website and social media accounts in accordance with MAA approvals.
11. Shall cooperate with the MAA in drafting and releasing a Press Release related to the Championship.
12. There will be 3-5 judges for the contest.
13. Contestants will be called to compete and will be introduced by the contest Emcee. Any ringman item descriptions will be handled by the Emcee. If the contestant is not present when called to the podium, he or she will be disqualified.
14. Contestants will NOT be allowed to sell in the MAA Benefit Auction or work the ring (*other than the competition*) until the contest is completed, or they have been eliminated.
15. A Champion will be announced at the end of the evening.
16. The winner will receive a trophy and the title Michigan Ringman Champion.

**For the complete listing of rules & procedures
for the MAA Ringman Championships,
please refer to the MAA Website at
www.FindMichiganAuctions.com.**

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