



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- ***If I already have a date booked with Mazzone Hospitality, can I still enter?***

If you already have your date booked, you may contact your Mazzone sales manager to discuss your eligibility for entering the contest. The Couple of the Year will hold their wedding January-March of 2018. You must be in the initial engagement and planning stage for your wedding and must be willing to reschedule your booked date to that time.

- ***What is included in the Grand Prize?***

Outline of Prize:

One grandprize winner will win the “Wedding Works” as the Capital Region Couple of the Year! The following items will be included in their grand prize based on sponsorship value that the listed company has provided. After winning the prize, the couple will join Mazzone Hospitality for the full year of planning and will engage with the Capital Region while they go through the planning stages.

Videographer	<i>Harris Company</i>
Photographer	<i>Harris Company</i>
DJ	<i>DJ Vinny Vin</i>
Florist	<i>Anthology Studio</i>
Ceremony Music Officiant	<i>Spa City Duo Victoria O. Milne</i>
Décor Rentals	<i>Rain or Shine</i>
Linens and Décor	<i>Total Events</i>
Designer	<i>Styled by Melissa</i>
Makeup and Hair	<i>Make me Fabulous</i>
Planning and Coordination	<i>Katie O’Weddings & Events</i>
Ice Sculpture	<i>“The Ice Man” Customized Sculptures</i>
Tuxedos	<i>Tuxego</i>
Bridal Gown	<i>Ferri Formals</i>
Bridal Dresses	<i>Ferri Formals</i>
Photobooth	<i>Smile Lounge</i>
Bridal Suite Accommodations	<i>Pavilion Grand Hotel</i>
Bachelorette Accommodations	<i>Pavilion Grand Hotel</i>
Wedding	<i>Mazzone Hospitality</i>
Rehearsal Dinner	<i>Mazzone Hospitality</i>
Engagement Party	<i>Mazzone Hospitality</i>
Bridal Shower	<i>Mazzone Hospitality</i>
Bachelorette Party	<i>Mazzone Hospitality</i>

- ***When would my wedding be?***

The couple of the year will have the opportunity to select their Dream Date from one of our “Upscale on Sale” wedding packages happening January-March 2018.

- ***When is the winner announced?***

The top 10 finalists will be contacted for interviews the week of March 6th-10th. Couples must be available for interviews during that time to be considered for the grand prize. The grand prize winner will be announced at the “Experience the Difference” Wedding Event on March 19th at the Albany Capital Center. The top 10 finalists must be present to win.

- ***Do I need to be present at the Wedding Event to win?***

The grand prize winner will be announced at the “Experience the Difference” Wedding Event on March 19th at 2pm at the Albany Capital Center. The top 10 finalists must be present to win.

- ***How will the contestants be judged?***

Contestants will be judged based on the “most deserving” and “most engaging” submissions. Most deserving is defined as a couple that would not normally be able to have a wedding of this capacity due to economic need or qualified reasoning. Most engaging is defined as the couple who’s photo story or video is the most captivating. Winning couple will engage throughout the Capital Region throughout the planning year for their wedding.

- ***Am I limited to what the prize includes?***

All campaign sponsors will outline their contribution to the couple and the top 10 finalists. Anything above that level of contribution will be at the sole responsibility of the winning couple.