



# Stumps Prom & Party 2008 Ultimate Prom Official Contest Rules

1. NO PURCHASE NECESSARY. A PURCHASE WILL NOT INCREASE YOUR CHANCES OF WINNING. VOID WHERE PROHIBITED BY LAW. ALL FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS APPLY.

2. PARTICIPATION CONSTITUTES ACCEPTANCE OF RULES AND DECISIONS, CONSENT TO USE AND RELEASE OF CLAIMS. By entering this contest, each participant warrants that he or she has read and agrees to abide by all contest rules and that he or she is not prohibited from participating in the contest. Participation in this contest constitutes participant's full and unconditional acceptance of these Official Rules and the decisions of Stump Printing Co., Inc. ("Stumps"), its parent corporation, affiliates, employees and agents, which are final, binding and non-negotiable in all respect. Each participant agrees to release, discharge, indemnify and hold harmless Stumps and its parent corporation, affiliates, shareholders, employees, officers, directors, agents, representatives, advertising and promotion agencies and prize suppliers from any liability arising from or related to the contest, including without limitation, personal injury, death, and property damage, and claims based on publicity rights, defamation, or invasion of privacy. Further, participants fully and unconditionally release all claims for consideration, copyright infringement and all other claims of any nature relating to the use of their entry, name or likeness.

3. ELIGIBILITY. This contest is open to U.S. residents 16 years of age and older who are enrolled in a public or private high school and who are members of a school sponsored prom or formal dance planning committee and to the advisors of stated school sponsored prom or formal dance planning committee. Proof of age and identity must be furnished upon request. Employees, agents, independent dealers and affiliates of Stumps and its agents, affiliates and immediate family members of all such persons, are not eligible to participate in this contest. Stumps reserves the right at its sole discretion to cancel, terminate, suspend or amend this contest at any time for any reason. Stumps further reserves the right to amend these contest rules at any time without prior notice, at its sole discretion. Stumps reserves the right to disqualify any participant for any reason, including, but not limited to, violation of these Official Rules or infringement of the rights of a third-party.

4. TO ENTER. This contest will run between December 28, 2007 and March 8, 2008. To enter this contest, participants are asked to complete an application and an essay which will be posted at the Stumps website, <http://www.stumpsprom.com/ultimateprom/>, and submit the application no later than midnight, March 8, 2008, ("Eligible Entries") to be eligible to win this contest. Please only one entry per school. By submitting an entry, participants agree to abide by these Official Rules. Persons submitting entries under false pretenses will be disqualified. Stumps is not responsible for telecommunications, network, electronic, technical or computer failures of any kind. Stumps is not responsible for any lost or misdirected mail sent by participant or Stumps. Entries will not be returned and will become the property of Stumps for promotional and other use.

5. PRIZE. There will be one (1) Eligible Entry to win the Stumps Prom 2008 Ultimate Prom the week of March 24, 2008. The high school identified on the Eligible Entry ("Winning School") will receive an "Ultimate Prom" package provided by Stumps and other Ultimate Prom partners. The Winning School will win a performance from a popular musical entertainer and decorations and favors worth up to \$5,000.00 from the 2008 Stumps Prom Catalog (favors will be dependent on inventory). If the musical entertainer has to cancel the chosen date for the Ultimate Prom, Stumps will provide an option to reschedule, a substitute artist or monetary compensation for the value of the entertainer's booking. The principal and prom advisor of the Winning School must sign a copy of these Official Rules and a form releasing Stumps from all claims, in order to receive the Prize. All decisions of the judges of this contest are final, binding and non-negotiable. No Prize may be transferred or substituted. Stumps will award fifty second place prizes worth \$100.00 in gift certificates, one hundred third place prizes worth \$50.00 in gift certificates and two hundred fourth place prizes worth \$25.00 redeemable in the 2008 Stumps Prom Catalog. Second and third prize winners will be posted on <http://stumpsprom.com/> on March 22, 2008.

6. IDENTIFICATION OF WINNER. Stumps will notify the Winning School by phone or email at the information provided on the application on or about the week of March 24, 2008. The Winning School and its principal must accept the prize by signing and returning the Authorization and Release and a copy of these contest rules no later than March 30, 2007.

7. The name of the Winning School will also be posted at <http://stumpsprom.com/>. No Prize will be awarded until such documentation is received by Stumps. The Winning School is responsible for any taxes associated with the award of the Prize. The Winning School must comply with the terms and conditions of the entertainer's contract and allow up to twenty representatives of Stumps Prom access to the venue two days before the event.

8. SPONSOR: This contest is sponsored by Stump Printing Co, Inc. and its "Ultimate Prom" partners.

9. MISCELLANEOUS. By entering this contest, the Winning School consent to Stumps' use of their name, likeness, image and institutional data for advertising and promotional purposes without additional compensation, except where prohibited by law. BECAUSE PERSONAL INFORMATION FROM PARTICIPANTS WILL BE COLLECTED BY ENTERING THIS CONTEST, PARTICIPANTS SHOULD REVIEW THE PRIVACY POLICY POSTED ON STUMPS' WEBSITE, which can be found at [www.stumpsprom.com](http://www.stumpsprom.com). By entering this contest, participant authorizes Stumps to contact participant for commercial purposes via fax, telephone, or e-mail addresses listed on the participant's entry form. By submitting an application, each applicant agrees to release, discharge and hold harmless Stumps Prom Inc. from all claims and damages arising out of the school's participation in the application process or the Ultimate Prom itself, and to have the school name, participants' voices and likeness used at the discretion as part of the Ultimate Prom, or as part of promotions for the Ultimate Prom. There will be no use of participant's name or other personal information for future commercial purposes except as in accordance with Stumps privacy policy. This Agreement is governed by the laws of the State of Indiana, without giving effect to conflicts of law rules.

10. RESPONSIBILITIES. Stumps Prom will provide the following services to the Winning School: decorations, favors, stage decor, royalty court, after prom decorations and favors, grand march/"paparazzi" entrance and portrait photography setting from the 2008 Stumps Prom Catalog, musical performance, publicity/press coverage, DJ and audio equipment, photography/video, (3) Winning School banners and limo service for the Prom Advisor and Prom Committee Chairperson. The Winning School must provide: venue location, (10) set-up and tear-down volunteers, security, food and beverages, portrait photographer, after prom set-up, tear-down volunteers and venue clean up.

I hereby grant to Stumps, the unrestricted right to use, publish, and reproduce, for all purposes, including publicity, promotion, and advertising, in any media, online or offline, our school name, my name, city and state of residence, including the essay entry I have submitted (collectively, "Publicity Materials"). I waive any right I may have to inspect or approve the Publicity Materials, or the advertising or other copy that may be used in connection therewith or the use to which the Publicity Materials may be applied. I grant to Stumps all right, title, and interest I may have on any pictures or videos from the Ultimate Prom night, and further grant Sponsor the right to give, sell, transfer and exhibit the print in copies or facsimiles thereof, for advertising purposes, as it deems fit. It is the responsibility of the Winning School to secure photo releases from all attendants before the event.

Applicant signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Prom advisor signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Principal/Administrator signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

School Name \_\_\_\_\_