

# premiereBIRMINGHAM

## Men's Grooming Competitions 2019 rules & regulations

**SUNDAY, OCT. 20**  
**PROFESSIONALS**  
*Classic Cut*



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Limited to the first 25 per competition. Located in Exhibit Hall.

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### Classic Cut

#### Desired Result

Whether it's a fade, pompadour or high and tight some styles never go out of style. In this competition, judges will be looking for pristine clipper work on a classic men's style while giving it the modernized look for today's fashionable man.

#### Judges



Eric Cheek  
Lead Judge



Dave Diggs



Chuka Torres

#### Competitor Will Be Judged On

The overall cutting technique, originality of look, use of tools, style and overall look for a total of 50 points available per judge.

#### Competition Fees

Professionals

\$70 - On or Before October 19

\$90 - Day of Show

Registered competitors will receive a complimentary 2-day show pass, a 1-day model pass for their model, and Andis® tools package (\$150 value) that will be used to complete the cut and will be the competitor's to keep.

#### Prize Packages

##### Professional

1st \$300 & Trophy

2nd \$200 & Trophy

3rd \$100 & Trophy

#### Schedule

##### Professional - Sunday, October 20, 2019

9:00a	Competition Check-In
10:30a - 10:35a	Competitor & Model Report to Competition Area
10:35a - 10:50a	Rules Briefing
10:50a - 11:00a	Station Prep
11:00a - 11:40a	Competition
11:40a - 11:50a	Final Judging
11:50a - 12:00p	Awards

#### Competition Rules

1. Each competitor must provide a live **male** model – no mannequins. All competitors and models must be eighteen (18) years of age or older. Photo ID for both competitor and model is required.
2. At the start of the competition, the competitors will have 10 minutes to set up their station and will receive their assortment of Andis® tools. During this time competitors can adjust the blades of the clippers provided if they are able to perform this task in the given set-up time of 10 minutes. There will not be any extra time given for blade adjustments, nor will the start of the competition be delayed for this reason.
3. All cutting must be done exclusively with the Andis® tools provided. The use of straight edge razors, razor blades and/or shears is strictly prohibited. If any other haircutting tools are used, the competitor will be disqualified.
4. Competitors will have **40 minutes** to complete the haircut and finished style and are required to remove at least ½ inch of hair. "Clippers down" will be announced at the close of the competition and you must stop cutting and/or styling even if the look is not complete. At their discretion, judges may disqualify a participant for cutting beyond the time limit.
5. All models' hair must be cut during the competition. Competitors are not allowed to cut, trim, shape or preset model's hair before the competition begins. All cut hair **MUST** be left on the floor and participants **MUST** stay at their station for the duration of the competition and judging.
6. Competitors are encouraged to bring their own finishing tools and products including combs, brushes, spray bottles with water as these will **NOT** be provided. The use of semi-permanent color and permanent color are allowed but must be done in advance. The use of light color sprays and chalks is allowed.

### General Rules and Regulations

1. The competitions are open to licensed barbers, cosmetologists and current students only.
2. Each entry must provide a live model – no mannequins. All competitors and models must be eighteen (18) years of age or older. Note: In Classic Cut competition model must be male. Photo ID for both competitor and model is required.
3. All competitors will receive the same Andis® tools package (based on the competition entered) to complete their haircut, only the equipment provided in this package may be used to complete the cut. If any other haircutting tools are used, the competitor will be disqualified.  
**The package includes:** a cape, an adjustable blade clipper, trimmer, clipper comb, Cool Care, oil, blade brush and towel.
3. There will be a limit of 25 competitors per competition.
4. Premiere Birmingham and the Sponsors reserve the right to cancel the competition(s) if a minimum of 10 competitors is not met.
5. All competitors and models must check in at the registration area by the designated report time, 15 minutes before the station prep time. If a contestant is late, they may forfeit their place and paid entry fee.
6. All Participants (contestants and models) must sign a release form. In doing so, the participants agree to abide by the final decision of the judges, as well as use of images and video for promotional purposes and that the competitor has read and understands these rules and the all general rules and regulations.

### Judging

1. Judging team will be made up of no less than 3 master barbers with a minimum of 10 years' professional experience and demonstrated leadership in the barbering community.
2. The judges will inspect each model's hair during check-in. If the judges feel the model does not meet the requirements –i.e. too short of hair, pre-cut or styled etc. It will be up to the judge's discretion to deduct points and/or disqualify from the competition.
3. Judging will take approximately 50 minutes beginning immediately upon start of competition.
4. Entrants and models must remain until the judges' decisions are announced.
5. The decision made by the judges is FINAL. There is no dispute process for the judging of this competition.

### Electrical Equipment

Each participant will be provided with one (1) electrical outlet with a 1500 WATT maximum.

### Liability

Premiere Show Group, Andis®, Birmingham - Jefferson Convention Complex and all other competition sponsors shall not be responsible or liable for models or any damages arising out of work performed on model's hair. Premiere Show Group, Andis®, Birmingham - Jefferson Convention Complex and all other competition sponsors shall not be held accountable or liable for any damages, loss, harm or injury to competition participants or models.