



MHA
MASONRY HEATER DESIGN/BUILD CONTEST 2018
Primarily a masonry heater

CONTEST RULES:

1. The heater must have been built between the time period of March 1, 1980 – March 1, 2017 and must primarily be a masonry heater but may include common elements such as firewood storage, heated bench, heated water, or bake oven (black or white). If a fireplace, cook stove, smoker, barbeque, wall, or other similar element is included or attached please enter the project in the “Masonry” category instead.
2. The heater may have been built for a customer or for yourself.
3. A project that has been entered and won any place in a previous MHA contest may not be entered again.
4. Contestants who win any place (1,2,3) may not enter in the same category the next year (skip a year), but may enter other categories.
5. The contest is open to individuals and companies.
6. An individual or company may enter up to three designs in the contest per year.
7. Submit entry as a single PDF file and send to margepadgitt@comcast.net as an attachment to an email or through drop box if the file is too large. or by mail. Also send two photos of your finished project via email in jpeg format. Mail the CD or thumb drive to Marge Padgitt, MHA Contest, 1134 S Pearl Street, Independence, MO 64050. Include the following:
 - A. The official entry form. This will be removed prior to giving the entry to the judges. The judges will not know who the entrant is.
 - B. A type-written page with a description of the scope of work, materials and suppliers used, and price of the project. Describe what the customer wanted to accomplish and how you met their needs. **DO NOT** include your company name or your name on this page.
 - B. Five to ten photos that show the project before, during, and after. No identifying marks, signs, or people may be in the photos. The Before and After photos should be 8” x 10” size. Other photos may be 8 x 10” or smaller. Make sure that no people, signs, trucks or identifying items are in the photos. Consider hiring a professional photographer if you don't have photographic skills. The photos become the property of the MHA and contestant agrees to allow MHA to use the photos for any purpose, giving credit to the designer/builder. Mail the CD or thumb drive to Marge Padgitt, 1134 S Pearl Street, Independence, MO 6405 . Entries without the CD will be disqualified.
8. **There will be three places awarded**, with a trophy for each place. Judging will be done by professionals in the industry at the annual MHA meeting at Wildacres. Judges will be asked to score on a point system for aesthetics, skill in craftsmanship, design elements, creative use of materials and overall design.
9. The entry must meet guidelines as described by the MHA and must be classified as a functioning “Masonry Heater” per International Residential Code.
10. Kits may be used for the interior core, but not the exterior finish work. Manufactured doors and other metal/cast/glass components may be used.
11. Entries must be the original design and work of the contestant (individual or company).
12. Entrant must be a full voting member in good standing of the MHA, but need not be present at the annual meeting.
13. Fee is \$45.00 per entry and must be submitted with the entry.

If any of the above requirements are not met, the contestant's entry will be disqualified. No refund of fees.

JUDGING is done by several experienced masonry heater builders, masons, and oven builders. Judging is blind—the judges only see numbers, no names are shown on the entries.



MHA
BAKE OVEN DESIGN/BUILD CONTEST 2018
Primarily a commercial or residential bake oven

CONTEST RULES:

1. The bake oven must have been built between the time period of March 1, 1980 – February 1, 2018.
2. The bake oven may have been built for a customer or for yourself, may be commercial or residential and **cannot include any other large elements such as a fireplace, masonry heater, or other masonry projects.** To classify as a bake oven, the project must be primarily a bake oven but may have other features such as a cook top, water heater, wood storage, bench, counter, lighting, secondary oven, or roof. If any other element such as masonry heater, wall, or fireplace is attached to the oven in any manner the entry should be placed in the “Masonry Heater” or “Masonry” category instead. The oven may be residential or commercial and may be an indoor or outdoor oven.
3. A project that has been entered and won any place in a previous MHA contest may not be entered again.
4. Contestants who win any place may not enter in the same category until the second year (skip a year), but may enter other categories.
5. The contest is open to individuals and companies.
An individual or company may enter up to three designs in this contest.
7. Submit entry as a single PDF file and send to margepadgitt@comcast.net as an attachment to an email or through drop box if the file is too large. or by mail. Also send two photos of your finished project via email in jpeg format. Mail the CD or thumb drive to Marge Padgitt, MHA Contest, 1134 S Pearl Street, Independence, MO 64050. Include the following:
 - A. The official entry form. This will be removed prior to giving the entry to the judges. The judges will not know who the entrant is.
 - B. A type-written page with a description of the scope of work, materials and suppliers used, and price of the project. Describe what the customer wanted to accomplish and how you met their needs. **DO NOT** include your company name or your name on this page.
 - C. Five to ten photos that show the project before, during, and after. No identifying marks, signs, or people may be in the photos. The Before and After photos should be 8” x 10” size. Other photos may be 8 x 10” or smaller. Make sure that no people, signs, trucks or identifying items are in the photos. Consider hiring a professional photographer if you don't have photographic skills. The photos become the property of the MHA and contestant agrees to allow MHA to use the photos for any purpose, giving credit to the designer/builder. Mail the CD or thumb drive to Marge Padgitt, 1134 S Pearl Street, Independence, MO 6405 . Entries without the CD will be disqualified.
8. **There will be three places awarded**, with a trophy for each place. Judging will be done by peers in the industry at the annual MHA meeting at Wildacres, and will be based on a point system for aesthetics, skill in craftsmanship, design elements, creative use of materials and overall design. 10 points possible for following the rules of the contest..
9. Kits may be used for the oven, but not for the exterior finish work. Manufactured doors and other metal/cast/glass components may be used.
10. Entries must be the original design and work of the contestant (individual or company).
11. Entrant must be a member in good standing of the MHA but need not be present at the annual meeting.
12. Fee is \$45.00 per entry and must be submitted with the entry or the entry will not be accepted.

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Fireplaces, chimneys, barbecues, rocket mass heaters, or other masonry projects that may include multiple elements such as a masonry heater with a fireplace, bake oven, and chimney; or house, shelters, etc.

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1. The project must have been built anytime from March 1, 1980 – February 1, 2018.
2. The project may have been built for a customer or for yourself – residential only.
3. The Masonry category includes indoor and outdoor fireplaces, chimneys, barbecues, rocket mass heaters, fire pits, pillars, houses, outdoor rooms, benches, bridges, or other masonry project made with brick, stone, or cob. If a bake oven or masonry heater is a part of the same project and is part of the design it must be included.
4. A project that has been entered and won any place in a previous MHA contest may not be entered again.
5. Contestants who win any place may not enter in the same category until the second year (skip a year), but may enter other categories.
- 6.. The contest is open to individuals and companies.
7. An individual or company may enter up to three designs in each category.
8. Submit entry in a three-ring notebook. The notebooks should include the following:
Submit entry as a single PDF file and send to margepadgitt@comcast.net as an attachment to an email or through drop box if the file is too large. or by mail. Also send two photos of your finished project via email in jpeg format. Mail the CD or thumb drive to Marge Padgitt, MHA Contest, 1134 S Pearl Street, Independence, MO 64050. Include the following:
 - A. The official entry form. This will be removed prior to giving the entry to the judges. The judges will not know who the entrant is.
 - B. A type-written page with a description of the scope of work, materials and suppliers used, and price of the project. Describe what the customer wanted to accomplish and how you met their needs. DO NOT include your company name or your name on this page.
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10. Indoor and outdoor fireplaces, chimneys, cook stoves. Barbeques, fire pits, pillars, houses, outdoor rooms, or other masonry projects are eligible. If a bake oven or masonry heater is a part of the same project and is part of the design it may be included.
11. Entries must be the original design and work of the contestant or company.
12. All entry materials must be placed in a plain envelope and turned in to MHA Director, Richard Smith, by 3 pm. On the second day of the annual meeting.
13. Entrant must be a member in good standing of the MHA but need not be present at the annual meeting.
14. The fee is \$45.00 per entry and must be submitted with the entry or the entry will not be accepted.

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Entry Form (Make copies and use one form for EACH entry)

Name of entrant (s): _____
(Individual or company):

Company: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Category (check one):

Masonry Heater Design/Build Contest

Bake Oven Design/Build Contest

Masonry Design/Build Contest

Entry Number: _____ (will be provided by the contest administrator)

I give permission to the Masonry Heater Association of North America to use the photos I submit to the contest on the MHA website, in print, for the media, or for any other purpose.

Signature of entrant: _____ **Date:** _____

Date of entry:

Mail entries to arrive by February 1 to

Marge Padgitt

MHA Contest

HearthMasters, Inc.

1134 S Pearl Street

Independence, MO 64050

Or send the entry in a PDF file along with two jpeg photos to margepadgitt@comcast.net

If you have questions about project categories or other items please contact the contest administrator Marge Padgitt at ympadgitt@yahoo.com or 816-461-3665

Note: If you win a trophy and are not in attendance at Wildacres, you will be responsible for shipping costs to get the trophy award to your location. Be aware that shipping outside the U.S. is very expensive. If more than one person participates in your project, additional trophies may be ordered and paid for separately.