

## 2021 Rapid City Amazing Rush Contest

### Official Contest Rules

**NO PURCHASE OR PAYMENT NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN. THE CONTEST IS OPEN TO LEGAL RESIDENTS OF THE UNITED STATES.** Participation constitutes entrant's full and unconditional agreement to and acceptance of these Official Contest Rules. The registration for the **2021 Visit Rapid City Amazing Rush Contest** ("Contest") begins on April 1, 2021, and ends on August 6, 2021, at 5:00 pm (MST) ("Contest Period"). Race qualifiers will be drawn from online entries received between April 1, 2021 and August 6, 2021 at 5:00 pm (MST) on or around August 13, 2021. Contest is hosted by Visit Rapid City, 512 Main Street Suite 240, Rapid City, SD 57701 ("Host").

**Eligibility:** Contest is open to sports planners and meeting planners who submit a qualifying request for proposal (RFP) for an event, meeting or convention (minimum of 200 total room nights) to be held by December 31, 2024. RFP's are reviewed and qualified by Visit Rapid City.

Qualifying planners will be chosen to compete in the Amazing Rush in Rapid City and the Black Hills of South Dakota, a two-day competition to be held on October 7-8, 2021. Each qualified planner selected to participate in the Amazing Rush will pair up with a local affiliate from the organization or association they represent (i.e. if you are a planner for a Pharmaceutical Fraternity your teammate needs to be a member of this fraternity and reside in the Rapid City region\*). Visit Rapid City will assist with recruiting a local affiliate to make up your Amazing Rush team. If no local affiliate can be located to join your Amazing Rush team then you will be ineligible to participate in the event or special circumstances could be considered. Competing planners will receive round-trip airfare or a percentage of their gas paid for if driving, accommodations for 3-4 nights and transportation for the Amazing Rush Contest. The winning team of the Amazing Rush Contest will be awarded with an exclusive VIP opening night reception or hospitality suite for their booked event, meeting or convention in Rapid City. Prize is only honored if the winning team holds their meeting or convention prior to December 31, 2024 with a minimum of 200 total room nights. Payment for the exclusive VIP opening night reception or hospitality suite (prize) is made directly to the convention venue or host hotel. All natural persons must be age 18 or older and legal residents of the United States for the duration of the Contest. Employees, officers and directors of Host, its parent companies, affiliates, subsidiaries, advertising, promotion, and fulfillment agencies, their immediate family members and persons living in their same household, are not eligible to participate in the Contest. Void where prohibited. All federal, state, and local laws and regulations apply.

**How to Enter:** No purchase necessary. On or around April 1, 2021, the Host will promote a Visit Rapid City Amazing Rush Race Contest using electronic and print marketing efforts. Participants will have the option to register online at [www.RushtoRapidCity.com](http://www.RushtoRapidCity.com) where they will be given the option to complete an online entry form. Mandatory fields to be completed online include: Name, Email, Phone, City, State, Organization, Planner Verification. By completing the online form for the Visit Rapid City Amazing Rush Contest, the Participant agrees to receive promotional information from the Host and its partners. Upon submission of the form, participant will be contacted by the Director of Sales & Servicing at Visit Rapid City.

Host is not responsible for lost, late, misdirected, or non-delivered entries or for any miscommunication or technical failures as a result of contest participation. Upon receipt, entries become property of Host.

Entrants agree that the Host, its affiliates, directors, officers and agents are not liable for, and will be held harmless against, any and all claims to injury, loss or damage of any kind resulting directly or indirectly from participation in this contest or from acceptance or use of any prize.

**CAUTION: ANY ATTEMPT BY AN ENTRANT TO DELIBERATELY DAMAGE ANY WEB SITE OR UNDERMINE THE LEGITIMATE OPERATION OF THIS PROMOTION IS IN VIOLATION OF CRIMINAL AND CIVIL LAW. HOST RESERVES THE RIGHT TO SEEK DAMAGES FROM ANY SUCH INDIVIDUAL TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW.**

**Grand Prize:** The winning team of the Amazing Rush Contest will be awarded with an exclusive VIP opening night reception or hospitality suite for their booked event, meeting or convention in Rapid City. The prize will be awarded in accordance with these Official Rules. Odds of winning a chance to compete in the Amazing Rush depend on the number of eligible entries received. Other expenses and/or services not specified are the sole responsibility of each winner. No alternative prize, cash, or other substitution is permitted. Prize is not transferable. All federal, state and/or local taxes are the sole responsibility of the winner. Prize is only honored if the winning team holds their meeting or convention prior to December 31, 2024 with a minimum of 200 total room nights.

If the winning team of the Amazing Rush Contest is ineligible, or fails to claim prize, the prize may be forfeited or an alternate winner selected. An unclaimed prize will become the property of the Host.

**Selection of Race Qualifiers:** Competing planners will be determined, on or around August 13, 2021 from all eligible entries. All decisions are final and binding. Odds of being selected to participate in the Amazing Rush will be determined by the number of participants. Selected participants will be notified at the time of the selection via phone and/or e-mail. Selected participants will have five (5) calendar days from the phone/e-mail notification to accept the invitation. Host is not responsible for and shall not be liable for late, lost, misdirected, or unsuccessful efforts to notify contestant or for late, lost, misdirected, or unsuccessful efforts of contestant to claim prize.

If the selected participant cannot be contacted, is ineligible, or fails to claim selection, the selection may be forfeited or an alternate participant selected. An unclaimed selection will become the property of the Host.

**Winners:** The Registration Name of the potential winner of the 2021 Rapid City Amazing Rush Contest may be publicly announced, at the Host's sole discretion, in any media, for the duration of the sweepstakes period; but, the Host has no obligation to do so.

Any potential prize winner whose name is announced publicly as the winner of the 2021 Visit Rapid City Amazing Rush must show proof of eligibility and qualify for the particular sweepstake in order to accept the prize. Host is not obligated to select, or publicly announce, any alternative prize winner. By entering the sweepstake, all entrants agree that their registration names may be announced publicly either after or prior to the Host's notification to them that they are a potential prize winner and either after or prior to the Host's determination of their eligibility or qualification for, or their acceptance of the prize. The Host reserves the right to disqualify any potential winner if such potential winner is determined to have been ineligible or unqualified.

Entrants and winners are solely responsible for their own actions relating to this Contest, and the acceptance and/or use of a prize. By participating in this Contest, and/or by acceptance or use of the prize, all entrants and winners agree to release and hold harmless Host, Sponsors and their parent, affiliates, subsidiaries, retailers, agencies, Contest sponsors and the respective officers, directors, employees and agents from and against any liability arising in connection with the Contest and/or use of the prize.

**Official Rules:** To obtain a copy of these Official Rules, send your request along with a stamped, self-addressed envelope to: Visit Rapid City, 512 Main Street Suite 240, Rapid City, SD 57701. Requests must be received no later than August 31, 2021.

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