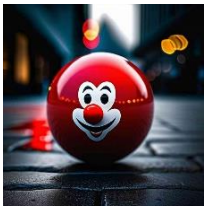




THE SASSY SHOW

The Sassy Show is a tribute to a beloved past outspoken member of SECA. She was a former resident and member of Alley #179. She was full of spark and energy and she encouraged and participated in all things SECA. We pay tribute to this kind and generous lady by hosting a “Variety Arts” show where any SECA member can participate and showcase their talents as an individual or as a group. It is a night of Fun and Entertainment. It is not judged like other competitions, but rather by audience attendees.

The purpose of the competition is to have FUN and Entertain. The purpose of this competition is threefold: First, it provides a means through which a clown or group of clowns can present their skills and talents to their peers. Second, it provides a challenge for clowns to improve their performance and appearance. Lastly, it improves the level of the art of clowning throughout the region. This affords a participant the opportunity to entertain in a friendly environment. The prizes are the smiles you earn from your audience.



PARADEABILITY:

What is more fun than watching buffoons march in a public display of tom foolery! Come join the Parade! Our SECA Parade is not like the larger organizations. We want to give everybody a chance to be seen and heard in the entertainment field. Your costume does not have to be spot on, your prop does not have to be constructed of the finest materials. Our parades allow clowns from all walks of life to bask in the limelight of performing for the pure joy of smiles and laughter. It encourages young clowns and seasoned performers to spread laughter. Its not so much a competition as it is a brotherhood of entertainers mentoring each other and getting the laughs. We do call it a competition because it is judged by the public. Prizes are awarded. Any Full Paid SECA member can participate. You are encouraged to work the crowd within the marked perimeters.

All Competitions are “Peoples’ Choice” so bring your best Game forward. The SECA Family prides itself on our friendly fun competition. We hope you take advantage of the opportunity to entertain and support not just our art of clowning but our members as well.

The Rules for the SASSY SHOW

- All contestants must be SECA Members
- Performances are allowed 1 minute set up, 1 minute tear down. Performance must not exceed 5 minutes from the time your foot hits the marked area.
- We do not have a Stage, but we will have a curtain wing and a marked floor perimeter .
- You must sign up for competition no later than by 5pm on Tuesday. Sign up sheets and set up instructions will be available at the registration table.
- IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE A CRITIQUE, YOU MAY REQUEST IT WHEN SIGNING UP. PLEASE REMEMBER THE CRITIQUE SHEET IS 'ONE PERSONS OPINION' regarding the following three elements:**
 - A) WHAT THEY LIKED
 - B) WHAT THEY DIDN'T LIKE
 - C) SUGGESTIONS FOR IMPROVEMENT
- Music can be on cassette tape, cd or MP4 format, but must be "one button ready". We will not be trying to locate specific tracks. "One button" ready means, when the button is pressed to play, your music is ready to go. It should be the only music on the device. If you need to test your music to see if it works, I will be available on Tuesday 10a-12n to test.
- All performances must be in good taste and not offensive to the general audience.
- Nothing can be thrown into the audience. If water, shaving crème or confetti is being thrown in staging area you must provide a tarp and clean up mess within your allowed 1 minute cleanup.
- All skits need a "Name " and every act must have their picture taken.
- Yes you can compete in a single and a group competition for the Sassy Show but you must notify competition director prior to competition check in.
- Check in immediately follows Group Photo

Rules for Paradeability:

- Must be a SECA Member
- Nothing can be thrown into audience
- Work the crowd at least twice within staging area, preferably play to each side of the route.
- This will NOT be a critiqued competition
- Check in is 8:30 am on Wednesday
- All contestants must get their picture taken prior to the beginning of the parade