

# 2009 Texas PPA Convention Schedule

## **Thursday, September 17**

2 pm Print Committee Meets Triple Crown  
4 pm Set up Print Competition Rooms World Series  
4 pm Set up Print Competition Rooms Super Bowl  
7 pm Deadline for Hand Carried Print Cases Triple Crown

## **Friday, September 18**

7 am - 10 am Registration open Convention Center  
8 am (Start) Golf Tournament (see writeup on page 20) (*Extra Fee Req'd*) Waterchase Country Club  
9 am - Noon Print Judging – (A thru L) World Series 1 & 2  
9 am - Noon Print Judging – (M thru Z) Super Bowl 1 & 2  
8 am - Noon **PHOTOSHOP WORKSHOP - Ross Benton (Intermediate to Advanced)**  
Convention Ctr E-2  
(*Extra Fee Req'd*)  
8 am - Noon **PHOTOSHOP WORKSHOP - Cris Duncan (Basic to Intermediate)**  
Convention Ctr E-4  
(*Extra Fee Req'd*)  
9 am - Noon **“HANDS-ON” FULL STUDIO WORKSHOP** (*Extra Fee Req'd*) Convention Ctr M-2,6,8,10  
**with Equipment & Instructors (Rick Ferro, Martin Grahame-Dunn, Steve Kozak, John Woodward)**  
(*see registration form on page 21*)  
Noon - 1:30 pm Lunch (on your own)  
Noon - 3 pm Registration open Foyer 2nd Floor  
1:30 pm - 5 pm **PHOTOSHOP WORKSHOP continues - Ross Benton** (*Extra Fee Req'd*)  
Convention Ctr E-2  
1:30 pm - 5 pm **PHOTOSHOP WORKSHOP continues - Cris Duncan** (*Extra Fee Req'd*)  
Convention Ctr E-4  
1:30 pm - 5:30 pm Print Judging – (A thru L) World Series 1 & 2  
1:30 pm - 5:30 pm Print Judging – (M thru Z) Super Bowl 1 & 2  
1:30 pm - 4:30 pm **“HANDS-ON” FULL STUDIO WORKSHOP** (*Extra Fee Req'd*)  
Convention Ctr M-2,6,8,10  
**Repeat of Morning Session... (see registration form on page 21)**  
5 pm - 7 pm Dinner (*on your own*)  
7 pm - 10 pm **“Fearless Photography: Passion to Profit” - Mary Ann Halpin** Champions Ballroom  
**Sponsored by Miller’s Professional Imaging**

## **Saturday, September 19**

7:00 am Registration opens Foyer 2nd Floor  
8 am - 11:30 am **“Anatomy of Portraiture” - Martin Grahame-Dunn** Champions Ballroom  
**Sponsored by NIK Software**  
9 am - until ? Print Judging - (A thru L) World Series 1 & 2  
9 am - until ? Print Judging - (M thru Z) Super Bowl 1 & 2

11:30 am - 1:00 pm Lunch on your own

1:00 pm - 3:45 pm **“Retouch Secrets of the Masters” - Janice Wendt** Champions Ballroom

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4:00 pm - 7:00 pm Trade Show Open

7:00 pm - 8:30 pm Dinner *(on your own)*

8:30 pm - 11 pm **“Creating Profits for Today’s Studio” - Rick and Deborah Ferro**  
Champions Ballroom

*Sponsored by BWC Imaging*

**Sunday, September 20**

6:30 am Registration opens Foyer 2nd Floor

7 am - 8:30 am **EARLY BIRD: “Children’s Themed Portraits” - Diane Wilson** Hall of Fame

*Sponsored by Virtual Backgrounds, Marathon Press, APR*

7 am - 8:30 am **PRINT CRITIQUE WITH THE JUDGES** Superbowl 1 & 2

7:30 am - 9 am Southwest PPA Past Presidents Breakfast Stanley Cup

8:30 am - 11:30 am **“The Complete Digital Photography Process” - Jim DiVitale**  
Champions Ballroom

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9:30 am - Noon Southwest PPA Board Meeting World Series 1

11:30 am - 4:00 pm Trade Show Opens Convention Center

11:30 am - 1 pm Southwest PPA Past Presidents Spouse Luncheon Room 1906

1:30 pm - 3:30 pm CPP Test

4 pm - 5:30 pm Vendor Reception *(Exhibitors Badge Req’d)* Hall of Fame

4 pm - 7:00 pm **“Method or Madness?” - Tammy Wolfe & Tamar London** Champions Ballroom

*Sponsored by White House Custom Colour*

**Monday, September 21**

7:00 am Registration opens Foyer 2nd Floor

7:30 am - 9 am Texas PPA Past Presidents Breakfast Stanley Cup

7:30 am - 10:30 am **“Live Free, Shoot Hard, Create Dynamic Images” - Richard Sturdaent** Champions Ballroom

9 am - 11:30 am Texas PPA Executive Council Meeting Room 1915

10:30 am - 2:00 pm Trade Show Opens Convention Center

Noon Texas PPA Past Presidents Spouse Lunch Restaurant

Noon - 2 pm Texas Board of Directors Luncheon Super Bowl 1 & 2

Noon - 1:30 pm Lunch *(on your own)*

2:00 pm - 2:15 pm Texas PPA General Membership Meeting Super Bowl 1 & 2

2:15 pm - 5:15 pm **“The Many Hats of a Photographer” - Dave Huntsman & Jessica Vogel**  
Champions Ballroom

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6:30 pm - 7:30 pm Cocktail Reception Foyer 2nd Floor

7:30 pm - 10 pm Print Awards Gala & Dinner Champions Ballroom

10 pm - Midnight Post Gala Dance w/DeeJay Champions Ballroom

**Tuesday, September 22**

6:30 am - 9:30 am Registration Foyer 2nd Floor

8:45 am - Noon **“Live Free, Shoot Hard, Create Dynamic Images” - Richard Sturdaent**  
Champions Ballroom

Noon Convention Ends - **Have a Safe Trip Home**