



### **CIRCULATION**

### 13,000 copies per issue

80+ key wedding vendors, salons, and boutiques

**UNVEILED Wedding Shows** 

Twin Cities Bridal Shows

**Newsstands** 

### WHY MPLS.ST.PAUL WEDDINGS

### INTEGRATED PLATFORMS

At *Mpls.St.Paul Weddings*, we understand your challenge to achieve more with your marketing budget. Our integrated platforms have the proven appeal to go beyond building awareness for your brand. We can create preference for your brand. Our print, digital, and events provide your business with the greatest visibility and return on investment.

### **BIG IMPACT**

Mpls.St.Paul Weddings has the most sought after content and we can put your brand messages in the center of it all. From compelling content to stunning photography, Mpls.St.Paul Weddings will align your business with renowned credibility and quality – and place you in front of Twin Cities brides primed to make decisions for their big day.

### **OUR REPUTATION**

Twin Cities brides pick up our publication because they trust the *Mpls.St.Paul* brand. *Mpls.St.Paul Weddings* has a powerful reputation and *Weddings* is the go-to resource for thousands of couples every year.

### THE RESULTS?

The power to drive your business.





As a self-proclaimed wedsessed woman, Emily's love of all things bridal commenced decades before her July 2012 nuptials. As both the editor of *Mpls.St.Paul Weddings* magazine and the deputy features editor of *Mpls.St.Paul Magazine*, Emily spends her days exploring the ever-changing world of weddings while simultaneously perfecting the art of creating order amid chaos (also known as magazine deadlines).

"Our goal at *Mpls.St.Paul Weddings* is to offer couples local resources that bring their unique celebration to life. Our content is fresh and beautiful, offering curated ideas that

span every aspect of the big day—from the proposal to the honeymoon and beyond."

-Emily Howald Sefton weddings@mspmag.com





According to the American Marketing Association, a consumer needs to be exposed to a message 9 to 10 times before they take action. *Mpls.St.Paul Weddings* offers several channels for you to reach affluent Twin Cities brides & mothers of brides.

### **BLOGS**

Aisle File Real Brides

TARGETED DISPLAY

### SOCIAL

Facebook, Pinterest & Instagram

### **RESOURCE GUIDE**

mspmagweddings.com

### **EVENTS**

Unveiled & Twin Cities Bridal Show

# MARKETING

Aisle File e-newsletter Targeted e-mails

E-MAIL

### **PRINT**

Magazine



# **PRINT RATES**

Spring/Summer and Fall/Winter. All rates are net.

Ad Size	1x	2x
1/12 Page	\$895	\$720
1/6 Page	\$1,495	\$1,200
1/3 Page	\$1,995	\$1,600
1/2 Page	\$2,595	\$2,075
2/3 Page	\$3,600	\$2,880
Full Page	\$4,650	\$3,720
2 Page Spread	\$7,300	\$5,850

With the purchase of an ad, for six months, you receive:

- Lead list delivered monthly
- Guaranteed listing in the Weddings Resource Directory
- Guaranteed online directory listing on mspmagweddings.com

# PREMIUM POSITIONING

Inside Front Cover \$5,500 Inside Back Cover \$4,875 Back Cover \$5,500

Additional 10% for special positioning within the magazine.



### REACH A HIGHLY AFFLUENT, INFLUENTIAL, & EDUCATED AUDIENCE.

Our advertisers benefit from our highly desirable demographics and ever-increasing readership. mspmagweddings.com has become the preeminent local resource for engaged couples looking

to find wedding planning resources at their fingertips.

## **ROS AD RATES**

	Print Advertisers	Online Only
6 Month	\$500 total	\$700 total
12 Month	\$900 total	\$1200 total

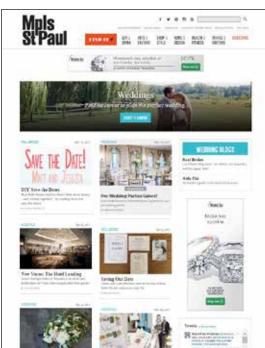
Leaderboard (728 x 90)

Mobile Leaderboard (320x50)

Medium Rectangle (300x250)

1/2 Page (300 x 600)

Premiums for Rich Media. All rates are net.





- The top **Sponsor Content** position follows the lead editorial feature for a high-impact opportunity.
- Medium Rectangle #1 has prime placement next to Emily Howald Sefton's Editor's Advice section.
- There are two ad positions next to our popular Sales + Events + Things to See section. Choose from the vertical Sponsor Content position or a Medium **Rectangle** display ad to show your message.
- Purchase an enhanced listing and be included in Aisle File as a **Featured Vendor**.

### **RATES**



Featured Vendor ......FREE

with the purchase of an enhanced listing.

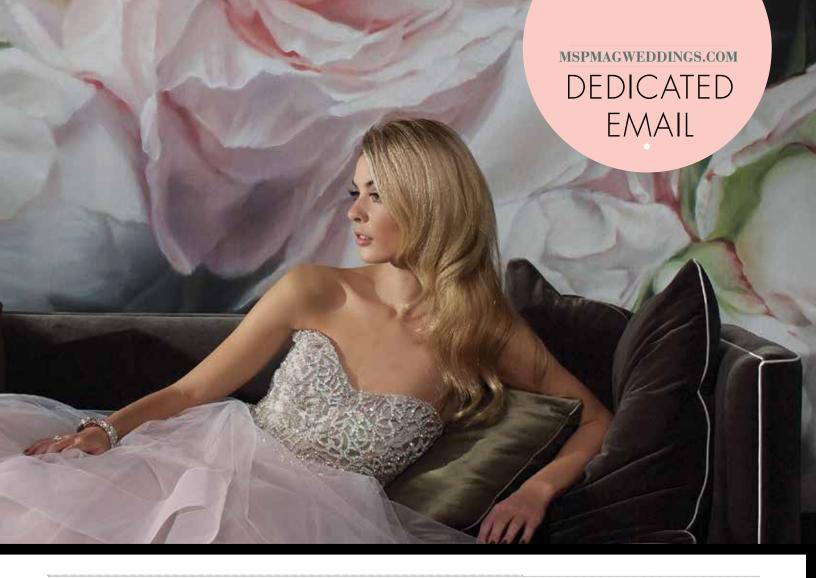


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# EXCLUSIVE AISLE FILE DEDICATED EMAIL

Advertise your message without distraction from competitors

Cost: \$500

Available Tuesday - Friday

A breakthrough and compelling opportunity to standout from your competitors.

# **AISLE FILE**

Bringing you the best in Twin Cities bridal

A Message From Our Partner



### A day of bridal eye candy!

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**GET TICKETS** 

# MSPMAGWEDDINGS.COM ENHANCED LISTINGS

Our online go-to resource guide is a must for advertisers who want to reach couples at the very beginning of wedding planning.

Highlight your business with:

- Directory Listing
- Complete business listing
- Expanded description
- Social media plug-ins
- Offers and promotions
- Photo slideshow
- Google Map locator

### COST:

Print A	dvertisers	Online Only
	\$600 total \$350 total	\$750 total \$500 total
(produ	ction included	)

### BONUS Aisle File e-newsletter

Your listing will be showcased as a **Featured Vendor** in our popular
Aisle File E-newsletter with 3,100 subscribers. The listing will be rotated with other vendors throughout the year.



# MPLS.ST.PAUL WEDDINGS MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS

### **PRINT**

### **PRINTING SPECS**

Heat-set, Web Offset, 133 Line Screen, Perfect Bound, 8" x 10.875" Trim Size

Additional production charges may be incurred if supplied ads do not follow listed specifications.

### PREFERRED FILE FORMAT

A high resolution (300 dpi) Adobe PDF or PDF/X-1a with embedded fonts, CMYK colors, and flattened transparency.

#### **ACCEPTABLE NATIVE-FILE FORMATS**

Adobe InDesign, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Photoshop. All images/elements must be 300 dpi at size, a TIFF or an EPS is preferred to a JPEG format.

### **FONTS**

Postscript fonts are preferred, TrueType fonts can be problematic. We are not responsible for errors caused by TrueType fonts.

### **COLOR**

Everything must be in CMYK format and color corrected. All other color formats (RGB, Pantone/PMS) will be converted to CMYK. We are not responsible for colors which must be converted to CMYK. Overall printing maximum density of all colors cannot exceed 280%.

### **COLOR PROOFS**

Please supply a SWOP certified color proof pulled from supplied materials. If you do not supply a proof, we can provide one at a charge of \$75. If no proof is provided and you choose not to purchase one we will not be responsible for any color issues with the printed advertisement.

### **AD MATERIAL SUBMISSION**

Ads can be uploaded at: www.mspaduploader.com

username: mspads password: sonic

Ads can also be emailed to ads@mspmag.com (25MB or less) or sent on a disk to 220 S. 6th St., Ste 500, Mpls, MN, 55402, Attn Joe Mertes.

Any questions should be directed to:

salessupport@mspmag.com

Mpls.St.Paul Weddings

220 S. 6th St., Suite 500, Minneapolis, MN 55402

### **DIGITAL**

DIGITAL ADS (IN PIXELS)				
WIDE		DEEF	P FILE	
300	Х	250	< 70K	
300	Х	600	< 70K	
728	х	90	< 70K	
320	х	50	< 70K	
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### STANDARD PRINT PAGE SIZES (IN INCHES)

UNIT	WIDTH	НΙ	EIGHT	
1/12	2 1/4	х	2 5/16	
1/6 Vertical	2 1⁄4	х	4 7/8	
1/6 Horizontal	4 5/8	х	2 <sup>5</sup> /16	
1/3 Vertical	2 1/4	х	10	
1/3 Square	4 5/8	×	4 7/8	
1/2 Vertical	4 5/8	х	7 1/4	
1/2 Horizontal	7	×	4 7/8	
2/3 Vertical	4 5/8	х	10	
Full Page (non-bleed	ł) 7	×	10	
Full Page* (bleed)	8 3/8	×	11 ¼	

\*Bleed Specifications

Full page bleed:  $8.3/8 \times 11\%$ . Trim:  $8" \times 10.7/8"$ . Live matter should be kept 5/16" from trim of magazine:  $(7.3/8" \times 10.1\%")$ 

Two-page spread bleed: 16 5/8" x 111/4".

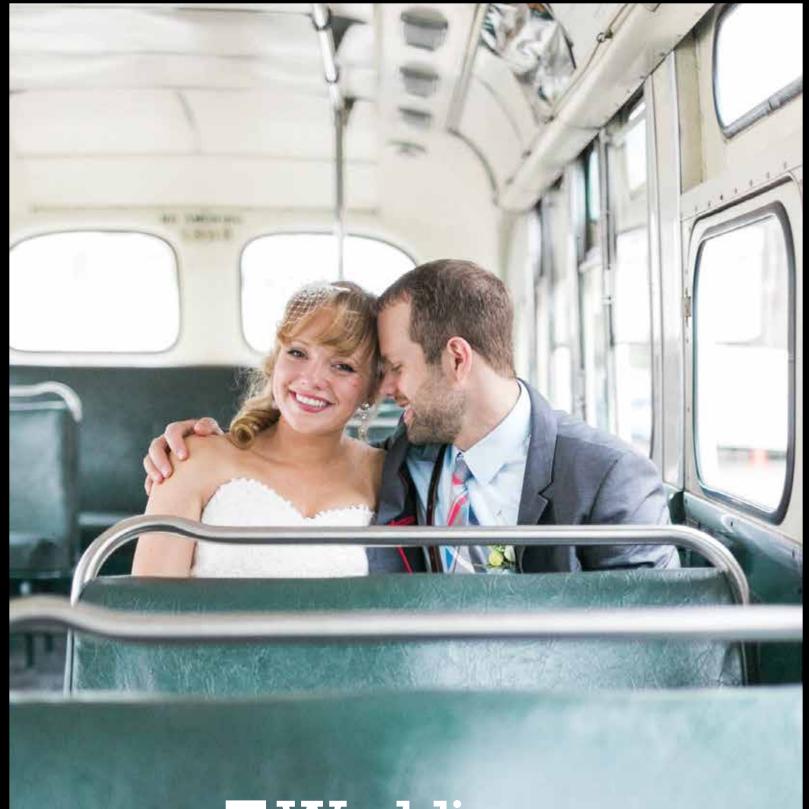
Trim: 16" x 10 7/8".

Live matter should be kept 5/16" from trim of magazine. (Allow 1/8" in gutter of each page to compensate for loss of image area due to perfect-binding process.)

1/6 H	
1/2 V	









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