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FINE ARTS

2025 COMPETITION SCHEDULE

THE ROCKY SHOW

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Fine Arts Schedule

** Updated 19/12/2024: Schedule could be amended without notice **

Competition Entries Close

Friday 30th May 2025

Entry Fees

General: \$5.00 per entry*

Juvenile: \$1.00 per entry

*unless otherwise stated

There will be a \$1 administration fee.

Exhibit Delivery

Rockhampton Showgrounds

James Lawrence Pavilion

Friday 6th June (8am – 5pm)

Sat 7th June (10am – 4pm)

Exhibit Collection

To be collected from the James Lawrence Pavilion at showgrounds.

Saturday, 14th June 8.00am – 12.00pm or

Judging

Wednesday 11 June 2025

Please ensure your Exhibitor Card is securely attached to your exhibit at time of delivery.

Note: Exhibitor Cards will be emailed to the email address you supply to Showday Online after you have finalised your application.

Strictly no vehicle access within the Showgrounds – kindly park outside the grounds

Rockhampton Agricultural Show Contact Information

Hours of Operation: Monday to Friday - from Monday 26 May 2025

Name: Rockhampton Agricultural Show, Rockhampton Regional Council presented by Advance Rockhampton

Phone: (07) 4936 8800

Email: show@rrc.qld.gov.au

Postal Address: PO Box 1860, ROCKHAMPTON QLD 4700

[Rockhampton Agricultural Show Website](#)

[Online Nominations: Enter a Competition](#)

[Rockhampton Agricultural Show Facebook](#)

IMPORTANT

Please note there may be some changes to classes, regulations and procedures from previous years. To ensure that there are no issues with your entries, please read this schedule carefully.

PRIVACY

Council is collecting the personal information you supply for the purpose of competition correspondence and result booklet. Council deals with personal information in accordance with law, including the Information Privacy Act 2009.

REGISTRATIONS

Step 1 Register your entry/s online

Section schedule <https://www.rockyshow.com.au/Competitions>

Follow the links to Showday Online Fine Arts to register.

Fill out your entries as per Showday Online instructions and pay for your entries.

NOTE: If you cannot pay online, CASH payments can be made at the Rockhampton Regional Council City Hall Customer Service office Monday to Friday 9am - 4pm until 23 May 2025 or the Rockhampton Showgrounds Admin Officer Monday to Friday 8am - 4pm from 26 May to 6 June 2025

Step 2 Get your exhibits ready

Make sure to follow the guidelines in this schedule to ensure your artwork are ready with the exhibitor cards attached to the back of the artwork.

Note: Exhibitor cards will be emailed to the email address you supply to Showday online after you have finalised your application, unless arranged with the Steward.

Step 3 Deliver your artwork

To the Rockhampton Showgrounds James Lawrence Pavilion Friday 6th (8am – 5pm) Or Saturday 7th (10am – 4pm)

No late entry deliveries will be accepted.

EVENT VOLUNTEERS

The countdown to the 2025 Rockhampton Agricultural Show has begun, and Rockhampton Regional Council is once again reaching out to the community for their invaluable support as volunteers.

The Rockhampton Agricultural Show is not just an event; it's a cherished tradition that brings the community together. As we gear up for another unforgettable year, we are calling on individuals from all walks of life to join us in making it happen.

WHY VOLUNTEER?

Volunteering at the Rockhampton Agricultural Show isn't just about lending a hand; it's about joining a passionate team, forging new friendships, and creating lasting memories. Whether you're a seasoned volunteer or new to the experience, there's a place for everyone in our dedicated crew.

INCENTIVES

As a token of our appreciation for your support, volunteers will enjoy a host of perks, including:

- **FREE Access:** Explore all the excitement of the Show using your exclusive Volunteer pass!
- **FREE Show Volunteer Shirt:** Receive a Show Volunteer shirt to wear with pride and keep as a memento of your contribution.
- **Short Shifts:** Flexible volunteering with short shifts to suit your schedule, allowing you to enjoy the Show while helping out.
- **Resume Boost:** Gain valuable volunteer experience to enhance your resume and showcase your dedication to the community.
- **Training and Networking:** Take advantage of training opportunities and network with fellow volunteers, expanding your skills and connections.

For more information on becoming a volunteer at the 2025 Rockhampton Agricultural Show please visit the website <https://www.rockshow.com.au/Get-Involved/Volunteer>



PROUDLY SUPPORTED BY

The Rockhampton Agricultural Show wishes to thank the competition supporters who have contributed towards prize money, prizes and the conduct of the Competitions. Without the generosity of the businesses and individuals, the Fine Arts Section of the show would not be possible.



REGULATIONS

PLEASE NOTE: Due to space restrictions exhibits must not exceed 70cm x 90cm in size (including the frame)

General

- **Paintings must be suitably framed and ready to hang with picture wire or cord.**
- All entries must be the **ORIGINAL** unaided work (except for Disability Section) of the exhibitor from their own original reference material, **NOT COPIED**, either wholly or in part from other artist's work or their reproductions.
- Workshop/Seminar or any work started and or completed under tuition is not permitted for entry.
- Stretched Canvases with internal frames will be accepted provided the staples are at the back.
- All entries must have been completed within the last two (2) years.
- Any work which has won a prize at any previous show is not eligible for entry.
- Any entry received soiled, damaged, with wet paint or otherwise unfit for display will not be exhibited.
- Exhibitor cards will be emailed to the email address you supply to Showday online after you have finalised your application, unless arranged with the Steward. All exhibits must be delivered to the James Lawrence Pavilion on Friday 6th (8am – 5pm) or Saturday 7th (10am – 4pm).
- Exhibits will not be accepted without entry fees.
- Entry Fees – Refer to next page
- Exhibits will not be available for collection by exhibitor prior to Saturday, 14 June 2025.
- Exhibits can be collected from the Stewards in the James Lawrence Pavilion on Saturday, 14th June 8.00am – 12.00pm or Monday 16th – Wednesday 18th 8am – 4pm.
- The stub of the Exhibitor Card must be retained and presented for easy identification.
- All prizes will be paid via cash payment **by staff** during the exhibit collection times stated in the schedule. Any prize money not collected by this date will be forfeited and put towards the next year's Show.
 - Note: Prize money will not be handed out without the winners card being presented to the Show staff.
- No Responsibility will be taken for any exhibits left at the Showgrounds more than 24 hours after the end of the Show.
- Management will not be held responsible for the cost of returning Fine Art entries.
- Management and its agents reserve the right to disqualify any entry which in their opinion fails to meet the entry criteria. They also reserve the right to move any entry to its correct class.
- The Judge's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.
- All care will be taken, but no responsibility will be accepted for any loss or damage to any exhibit by the management or their agents.

FINE ARTS - OPEN

Entry Fee: \$5.00

Prize: 1st \$50.00 | Proudly supported by PNE Art & Framing, 2nd \$20.00, 3rd Prize Card

Requirements for Open Classes

- Must be original work
- Any Medium/Media
- Must be ready to hang
- Must be recent work (last 2 years)
- Exhibits must not exceed 70cm x 90cm in size

Class 3300 Landscape

Class 3301 Seascape

Class 3302 Flora and Fauna

Class 3303 Any Other Subject

Class 3304 Drawing / Sketching – Any Subject

Class 3305 Portrait / Figure

MOST OUTSTANDING ENTRY

Rosette

To be chosen from classes 3300 - 3305

FINE ARTS – DISABILITY

Entry Fee: \$5.00

Prize: 1st \$50.00 | Proudly supported by PNE Art & Framing, 2nd \$20.00, 3rd Prize Card

Requirements for Open Classes

- Open Age
- Can be assisted
- Must be original work
- Any Medium/Media
- Must be ready to hang
- Must be recent work (last 2 years)
- Exhibits must not exceed 70cm x 90cm in size

Class 3306 Any Medium / Subject

MOST OUTSTANDING ENTRY

Rosette

FINE ARTS - JUNIOR

Entry Fee: \$5.00

Prize: 1st \$10.00 | Proudly supported by PNE Art & Framing, 2nd \$5.00, 3rd Prize Card

Requirements for Junior Classes

- Painting/Drawing.
- Any subject/Any medium
- Must be original work and unaided
- Must be no bigger than A3
- Must be recent work (last 2 years)
- Must be ready to hang

Class 3307 Under 8 years

Class 3308 8 years & under 10 years

Class 3309 10 years & under 12 years

Class 3310 12 years & under 15 years

Class 3311 15 years & under 18 years

MOST OUTSTANDING ENTRY

Rosette

To be chosen from Classes 3307 - 3311

EXHIBITOR CARDS

Once your entries have been confirmed, you will receive an exhibitor card that looks like the below.

- Attach the exhibitor card onto your exhibit, ensure to remove your name.
- Keep a copy that has your name. This is what you need to bring to collect your exhibit. It is at the discretion of the Section Steward if the item is returned without ID or the below exhibitor card.

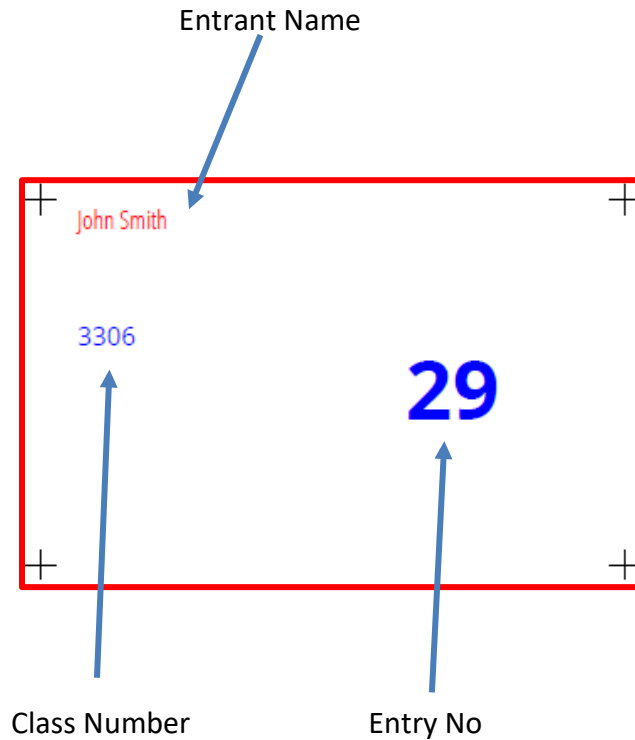


EXHIBIT DELIVERY MAP

Please park on New Exhibition road and enter the James Lawrence pavilion using the external door.

Do NOT drive inside the Showgrounds Precinct. This includes collection.

