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PHOTOGRAPHY

2025 COMPETITION SCHEDULE

THE ROCKY SHOW

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PHOTOGRAPHY SCHEDULE

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

PHOTOGRAPHY COMMITTEE

Rockhampton Photography Club
Rocky Show Committee
Email: info@rockyphotoclub.org.au

Competition Entries Close

Monday 26th May 2025

Entry Fees

Open and Public: \$2.00 per entry
School: \$1.00 per entry

There will be a \$1 administration fee.

Exhibit Delivery

Rockhampton Showgrounds Administration office

Monday 26th May to Friday 30th May 12pm.

NOTE: Stewards will be collecting all delivered prints from the Administration Office after 12noon to collate for judging.

No late entries will be accepted.

Exhibit Collection

To be collected from the McCamley Hall at showgrounds.

Saturday, 14th June 25 8.00am – 10.00am

Uncollected prints will be taken to the Administration Office after 10:00am.

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

Judging

All judging will occur at the Rockhampton Photography Club clubroom on the 1st floor of the Walter Reid Cultural Centre starting at 7pm. All entrants are welcome to attend.

Thursday 5th June

Public, High School & Primary

Friday 6th June

Open and champions

Rockhampton Agricultural Show Contact Information

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

Name: Advance Rockhampton, Rockhampton Agricultural

Phone: (07) 4936 8800

Email: show@rrc.qld.gov.au

Postal Address: PO Box 1860, ROCKHAMPTON QLD 4700

Rocky Show Website: www.rockyshow.com.au

Online Nominations: <https://www.rockyshow.com.au/Competitions>

Rocky Show Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/RockyAgShow/

PROUDLY SUPPORTED BY

The Rockhampton Agricultural Show and Photography Committee wishes to thank all the competition supporters who have contributed towards prizes. Without the generosity of the businesses and individuals, the Photography Section of the show would not be possible.



Camera House Rockhampton are again proud sponsors of the Photography Section

Entrants of 2025 Rockhampton Agricultural Show are invited to the below offer from Camera House:

- *2 FREE prints not exceeding 8" x 12" per entrant, for Open & Public entrants in the 2025 Rockhampton Agricultural Show.*
- *4 FREE 7" x 5" prints per High School entrant in the 2025 Rockhampton Agricultural Show.*
- *4 FREE 6" x 4" prints per Primary School entrant in the 2025 Rockhampton Agricultural Show.*

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

Rockhampton Regional Council deals with your 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 photography section to register. Fill out your entries as per Showday Online instructions and pay for your entries. Remember, maximum of 4 entries per person for each class.

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 Friday 30th May 2025

Step 2 Get your exhibits ready

Make sure to follow the guidelines in this schedule to ensure your prints are ready with the exhibitor cards filled out and attached to the back of the print. If your print **does not** meet the guidelines, you will be notified and the print **will be disqualified** from the section. Mounting your print to card/core board is optional and not a necessity for display.

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 prints

Prints must be delivered in packaging (no loose entries) to the Rockhampton Showgrounds Administration office between Monday 26th May and **12 Noon** Friday 30th May 2025

Please include the following details clearly on your packaging:

Your Name e.g., "John Smith"

Photography Section

Number of prints inside package e.g., "8 prints enclosed"

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.rockyshow.com.au/Get-Involved/Volunteer>



Rockhampton Photography Club

The Rockhampton Show Photography Competition is run by volunteer members of the Rockhampton Photography Club.

The Rockhampton Photography Club is where like-minded people can come together and enjoy their passion for photography within a friendly community.

Some Rockhampton Photography Club activities are:

- Monthly photo competitions with both printed and projected images, each month with a different subject.
- Beginner photography courses
- Photoshop and Lightroom workshops
- Club outings and presentations for specific photography types like astrophotography, light painting, bird photography and more.

If you would like more information or if you want to join the club, contact us through the information below.

Website: <https://www.rockyphotoclub.org.au/>

Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/rockyphotoclub>

Email: info@rockyphotoclub.org.au

REGULATIONS

ENTRY SUBMISSION & PRESENTATION GUIDELINES

READ THESE CAREFULLY BEFORE ENTERING

- Every print must be the original work of the entrant.
- Watermarks, dates or names are not permitted on prints
- Any print entered at any previous Rockhampton Agricultural Show is not permitted to be entered again.
- **Maximum of 4 entries per class per person.**
- Repeat submission of a print into multiple sections is not permitted.
- A print will be moved to a more suitable Class/Section instead of disqualification where possible.
- Entries must be printed on photographic quality paper and may be printed either by a commercial photo lab or from home. Prints on standard document printing paper will not be accepted.
- Complete the exhibitor cards on page 12 and adhere these to the back of each print right way up. Any unmarked prints will be disqualified.
- The title of the print on the information card **MUST** be the same as on the entry form.
- Any print damaged or otherwise unfit for display will be disqualified at the discretion of the stewards.
- Any print with title or name on the front of it will be disqualified.
- Prints do not need to be mounted on card or coreboard, if you choose to, the size of the backing and photo total must not exceed the section's specification (each section has different sizes, please check before entering a print).
- **DO NOT use sticky tape or double-sided tape, the best adhesive is a strong glue or using self-adhesive coreboard. If using a glue, ensure it is completely dried before packaging prints to avoid damage.**
- **Prints with Velcro/string/clips or other mounting materials will not be accepted, to prevent damage to other prints.**
- **Prints in frames or on canvas will not be accepted.**
- If there is insufficient space to display all prints preference will be given to prize-winning entries, then at the discretion of the stewards.
- Prints deemed unsuitable for public viewing will not be displayed.
- The entrant will be notified of any disqualification or change of section/class for any of their Prints.
- No late entries accepted.
- Failure to adhere to the guidelines will result in disqualification.

PRINT COLLECTION

- **Any entries not collected on the designated day will be discarded unless other arrangements have been made.**
- Entrants wanting return by post are required to include prepaid postage.
- **Prize vouchers (except Peoples' Choice Awards) can be collected from Camera House in the Stocklands Shopping Centre after the show. Please take your winners cards with you for identification of prize**
- ALL CARE WILL BE TAKEN, BUT NO RESPONSIBILITY WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR LOSS OR DAMAGE TO ANY EXHIBIT DURING TRANSIT.

The Rockhampton Agricultural Show or Rockhampton Photography Club will not be responsible for any accident that may be caused through or by an exhibitor, and it shall be a condition of entry that each exhibitor shall hold Rockhampton

Agricultural Show or RPC harmless and indemnified against any legal proceedings arising from any such accident.

OPEN SECTION: This section is open to all photographers, including members of any Photography or Camera Club, and professional photographers*. High School and Primary School age who **are** members of a Photography or Camera Club may also enter photos in the Open Section.

PUBLIC SECTION: This section is for people who are NOT members of any Photography or Camera Club and/or who are NOT professional photographers High School and Primary School who **are not** members of a Photography or Camera Club may also enter photos into the Public Section.

High School SECTION: This section is for students in high school (or of high school age but have left school) and who are not camera club members.

Primary School SECTION: This section is for students in primary school and who are not camera club members.

**A professional photographer is deemed as someone who advertises and sells their services and/or images to derive a living or maintain meaningful supplemental income. **

Open Section

Entries in this class are limited to a maximum size of 8"x12" including mount/ matte.

- Class 4001** Scapes (Land, Sea, City, Sky)
- Class 4002** Animals (including wild or zoo animals, birds, farm animals, pets)
- Class 4003** Plants (including trees, plants, flowers, either natural or cultivated. Note: Fungi are not plants.)
- Class 4004** People (Colour or Mono, one or more people)
- Class 4005** Architectural (whole buildings, or parts of buildings)
- Class 4006** Macro (small things, for example insects, mushrooms, jewellery, parts of flowers, etc)
- Class 4007** Creative (ICM, Abstract, Spot Colour, Composite images; should be obviously post-processed)
- Class 4008** Any Other Subject (Any photo that doesn't fit into any of the categories 4001 to 4007)

Public Section

Entries in this class are limited to a maximum size of 8"x12" including mount/ matte.

- Class 4009** Scapes (Land, Sea, City, Sky)
- Class 4010** Animals (including wild or zoo animals, birds, farm animals, pets)
- Class 4011** Plants (including trees, plants, flowers, either natural or cultivated. Note: Fungi are not plants.)
- Class 4012** People (Colour or Mono, one or more people)
- Class 4013** Architectural (whole buildings, or parts of buildings)
- Class 4014** Macro (small things, for example insects, mushrooms, jewellery, parts of flowers, etc)
- Class 4015** Any Other Subject (Any photo that doesn't fit into any of the categories 4009 to 4014)

High School Section

Entries in this class are limited to a maximum size of 7"x5" including mount/ matte.

- Class 4016** Scapes (Land, Sea, City, Sky)
- Class 4017** Animal (including wild or zoo animals, farm animals, pets, insects and spiders)
- Class 4018** Plants (including trees, plants, flowers, fungi – either natural or cultivated)
- Class 4019** People (Colour or Mono, one or more people)
- Class 4020** Phone Photography: The photo must be taken and processed entirely with a phone camera
- Class 4021** Any Other Subject (Any photo that doesn't fit into any of the categories 4016 to 4020)

Primary School Section

Entries in this class are limited to a maximum size of 4"x6" including mount / matte.

- Class 4022** Animals (including wild or zoo animals, farm animals, pets, insects and spiders)
- Class 4023** People (Colour or Mono, one or more people)
- Class 4024** Phone Photography: The photo must be taken and processed entirely with a phone camera
- Class 4025** Any Other Subject (Any photo that doesn't fit into any of the categories 4022 to 4024)

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EXHIBIT DELIVERY MAP

Please park on either Exhibition or New Exhibition road and walk into the Showgrounds to the administration office via Gate 1.
Do NOT drive inside the Showgrounds Precinct. This includes collection.



Showground Administration Office –
Photography Exhibit Drop Off