



# Wollondilly Shire Council Photography Competition

To celebrate Local Government Week 2009, Wollondilly Shire Council is holding a photography competition that is open to everyone. The competition is free to enter and photographs must be taken within the Wollondilly Shire Council Local Government Area. You can enter up to 3 photos, each photo must be printed at 20cm x 25cm (8"x10").

**Entries close 4pm Friday 31 July 2009.**

## Prizes will be available in three categories:

Overall Winner \$500      Mayor's Choice \$150      Junior Winner \$150      Staff & Families (no prize)

## What type of photograph can be entered?      It's up to you!

Anything about Wollondilly Shire that is special to you - it could be your favourite place, people enjoying their hobbies, a picnic in the park, celebrating a special occasion, riding a bike, a community event, sports or spectators, enjoying a special place, almost anything! There are lots of possibilities out there . . .

The photos must be taken within the last 12 months of the closing date. Make sure you provide a caption for your photograph and be sure to get permission if taking photos of other people or parents permission if submitting photos of persons under 18 years of age.

## Application Form

*Please print all details clearly*

Name ..... Telephone .....

Address .....

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Tick the Category you are entering:

Open (13 years +)        Junior (up to 12 years)        Staff & Families (no prize)   

How many photographs are you entering?

I have read, understood and agree to the conditions of entry for the Wollondilly Shire Council Photographic Competition and accept them as part of the competition. I am happy for Council to exhibit my photographs and reproduce them for use in Council publications, on it's website or in media campaigns, and understand Council will include my name to acknowledge my work, where possible.

Please ensure you have carefully read all instructions attached and have included your signature on this entry form.

Signature .....Date .....

### **If under 18 years of age this Entry Form must be signed by the entrant's parent or legal guardian:**

I am the parent/legal guardian of the entrant and I have read, understood and agree to the conditions of entry for Wollondilly Shire Council Photography Competition outlined below and accept them as part of the competition.

Signature of parent/legal guardian .....Date .....

Name of parent/legal guardian .....



### **How to enter**

Hand deliver your entry to Wollondilly Shire Council before 4pm Friday 31 July 2009

or send by post to:

Wollondilly Shire Council

PO Box 21 PICTON NSW 2571 by the closing date.

Winners will be announced in the Wollondilly editions of the local newspapers by the 11 August 2009.

### **For further information**

Call Communications Unit on 4677 8255 or email

robyne.ryan@wollondilly.nsw.gov.au

### **Conditions of Entry**

1. Entry is open to anyone.
2. Entry is free.
3. Winners will be judged by a panel according to creativity, originality and the story told.
4. There will only be one winner in each category.
5. Entries are limited to 3 per person.
6. Photographs must be taken from within, or related to Wollondilly Shire Local Government Area.
7. Individual official entry forms (downloaded, copy or original) must be completed, signed and attached to the back of all entries. If entering more than one image, individual entries must be numbered, ie 1 of 3, 2 of 3 etc.
8. Entrants must specify on their entry form which category they wish to be considered for.
9. Age to be taken at the last birthday.
10. Entries close 4pm Friday 31 July 2009.
11. Images must have been taken within the last 12 months of the closing date.
12. Images must be printed at 20cm x 25cm (8" x 10").
13. Entries must be the original work of the entrant. No third party may enter on behalf of an individual.
14. Do not enter private property to take photographs without the expressed permission of the owner. Images depicting people or of properties or memorabilia must have the subject's or owner's permission to be taken, entered, judged, displayed and published. The entrant must be able to produce evidence of such permission if required.
15. All reasonable care will be exercised in handling entries. Wollondilly Shire Council shall not be liable for any damage or loss arising. Insurance of entries is the responsibility of the entrant.
16. All entries not collected by 31 August 2009 will be considered the property of Wollondilly Shire Council and may be disposed of as seen fit.
17. The entrant retains the copyright of the image. Wollondilly Shire Council reserves the right for promotional/educational/exhibition purposes in Australia, and in all forms of media presentations.
18. Once judging is closed. The decision of the judges is final and no correspondence will be entered into.
19. Winners will be announced in the Wollondilly editions of the local newspapers by the 11 August 2009.
20. Winners in all categories will be notified by phone, letter or email, on or before 11 August 2009.
21. Wollondilly Shire Council reserves the right to refuse to display any entry deemed unsuitable.
22. Wollondilly Shire Council employees and their families may submit entries in the staff & families category but will not be eligible for any prizes.
23. Wollondilly Shire Council cannot be held liable for any legal liability resulting from the competition or exhibition.