

SECTION 16 - PHOTOGRAPHY

ENTRIES CLOSE: Tuesday, 5th May 2026 at 10am

Entry forms must be submitted for each exhibitor to reflect Section, Class and Photo Title:

ENTRY FEES:

Junior Section. \$3 entry fee per entry

Open Section – Colour \$4 entry fee per entry

Open Section – Monochrome / Duo-tone \$4 entry fee per entry

SUBMISSION OF ENTRIES:

If the following dates / times do not suit, please make alternative arrangements with the Chief Steward.

- Roma Show Office

41 Arthur Street, Roma, 28th- 30th April and 1st May 10am-2pm

- Roma Showgrounds – Bassett Park

Secretary's Office, Monday 4th May 2026 8am-2pm

- Roma Showgrounds – Bassett Park

Main Pavilion, Monday 4th May 2026 2pm-4pm and Tuesday 5th May 2026 8am to 10am

PRIZE MONEY:

Junior Section

- First Prize \$20.00

- Second Prize \$10.00

- Third Prize \$5.00

Open Section – Colour + Monochrome / Duo-tone Sections

- First Prize \$30.00

- Second Prize \$20.00

- Third Prize \$10.00

RULES & REGULATIONS:

In addition to the Roma Show Society Rules & Regulations listed at the front of the main schedule, the following will apply to this section.

1. All entries must have been photographed by the exhibitor.
2. Any person may enter the Open section.
3. The Steward or Judge may re-categorise an entry if it is necessary.

4. A maximum of five entries per exhibitor in each class.
5. **All entries are to be clearly marked with name, address, phone number and class on the back of each entry**
6. Please include any additional information on the back of the entry to include mode of photography such as 'camera & type', 'type of lens', 'phone', 'drone'.
7. **Entries do not need to be mounted on card this year, they will be displayed with velcro dots** – all care will be taken but the Roma Show Society does not take responsibility for any damages
8. **All images must be a minimum of 6x4 (inches) and a maximum of 5x7 inches** for all classes.
9. No titles/captions under photos please
10. No same image may be entered into more than one class.
11. An entry form must be completed by each entrant.
12. Instructions for return, plus postage if needed, must be included with entries.
13. Entries from previous Roma Show Photography competitions are excluded.
14. If the judge decides that none of the entries are worthy, then no prize will be awarded.
15. The judge's decision on place awards is final.
16. All entries can be collected from the pavilion on Show Day Saturday 9th May from 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm or Sunday 10th May from 09:00 – 11:00 am. If unable to collect, suitable arrangements must be made with the chief steward.
17. All prize money is to be collected from the Main office between 4pm and 6pm on Saturday 9th May. After this time, any unclaimed prize money will be dealt with in accordance with legislative requirements. At all times, it is the sole responsibility of the winner to collect his or her prize.
18. Competitors Declaration - All competitors and exhibitors have read and understand the Rules and Regulations and agree to be bound in all respects by these Rules and Regulations. Competitors and exhibitors also consent and agree that the Roma Show Society has the right to take or use photographs of him or her (and/or your property) and use the photos in any and all marketing and media worldwide, including online, now and in the future. All entrants compete at their own risk. No claim in any form shall be made by the entrant, their families, friends and/or representative against the Roma Show Society or person/s associated with the holding of the competition/exhibit.
19. The champion photo in both Junior and Open classes will be enlarged by the Roma Show Society for display during the show.

******* PLEASE NOTE: Schedules are subject to change at any time and without notice**

JUNIOR SECTION - UNDER 15 YEARS

Min size photo: 6"x4"

Max size photo:5"x7"

Class 1601 Junior - People &/or Animals

May include individuals or groups.

Class 1602 Junior - Holiday / Travel

Class 1603 Junior - Australiana

Class 1604 Junior - A Slice of Life

Class 1605 Junior - Any Other Subject

Champion Junior Photography - U15 - \$50

Champion is based on combined points awarded for photos in all categories. An article will be placed in 'Maranoa Today' & showcased in Roma Show Society Gallery. Prints will be displayed for 3 months in a public setting / gallery.

Print will be displayed at 2026 Roma Show

OPEN SECTION - COLOUR

Min size photo: 6"x4"

Max size photo:5"x7"

Class 1606 People & Animals

People interacting with an animal

Class 1607 Head Shot / Portrait

Class 1608 Holiday / Travel

Class 1609 Action Shot

Class 1610 Street Photography

Class 1611 Landscape

Class 1612 Australiana

Class 1613 Mystery

OPEN SECTION - MONOCHROME / DUO-TONE

Min size photo: 6"x4"

Max size photo:5"x7"

Class 1614 People & Animals

People interacting with an animal/s

Class 1615 Head Shot / Portrait

Class 1616 Holiday / Travel

Class 1617 Action Shot

Class 1618 Street Photography

Class 1619 Landscape

Class 1620 Australiana

Class 1621 Mystery

Photography Grand Champion - \$100

Grand Champion is selected from all class winners. An article will be placed in 'Maranoa Today' & showcased in Roma Show Society Gallery. Prints will be displayed for 3 months in a public setting / gallery.

Print will be displayed at 2026 Roma Show

Photography - Joint Show Award - \$50

Selected from entries that have been submitted in both the Wallumbilla Show and Roma Show.

Champion Open Print - Colour - \$50

Champion is based on combined points awarded for photos in all Open Colour categories.

An article will be placed in 'Maranoa Today' & showcased in Roma Show Society Gallery. Prints will be displayed for 3 months in a public setting / gallery.

Print will be displayed at 2026 Roma Show

Champion Open Print - Monochrome / Duo-tone - \$50

Champion is based on combined points awarded for photos in all Open Monochrome categories. An article will be placed in 'Maranoa Today' & showcased in Roma Show Society Gallery. Prints will be displayed for 3 months in a public setting / gallery.

Print will be displayed at 2026 Roma Show

People's Choice Vote - \$50



TRACC
Tackling Regional Adversity
through Connected Communities

Submit entries to you local Show! >

Just a South West Farmer Photography Showcase

The Just a South West Farmer Photography Showcase invites youth and adult photographers to capture authentic moments that reflect life in rural communities.

Your photo might capture:

- Daily life and work on farms and stations
- Generations involved in agriculture
- The beauty and challenges of rural living

The showcase will feature within the **photography section of participating local agricultural shows** and will be judged through a **People's Choice vote**.

- April Dirranbandi Show
- May Wallumbilla Show, St George Show, Roma Show, Mitchell Show, Charleville Show
- August Cunnamulla Show
- September Quilpie Show

Winning and highly commended images will be featured in the **2027 TRACC Mental Health Awareness Calendar**.

The Regional Winner will be announced during the Queensland Mental Health Week Just a Farmer Community Screening Roadshow.

Entry Sections

Adult (18+)

Youth (Under 18)

Prize Money (per section)

- 🥇 1st Prize \$500
- 🥈 2nd Prize \$300
- 🥉 3rd Prize \$200

Entry Requirements

- Open to residents within the **South West Hospital and Health Service district**
- Open to amateur and professional photographers
- Maximum **three entries per person**
- Entries may be submitted to **one eligible agricultural show**
- Photos must be **original and taken after 1 January 2024**
- **One printed copy required (maximum A4)** for display at the local show
- Images will be **displayed anonymously** for People's Choice voting
- No branding or watermarks permitted
- High-resolution digital files may be requested from selected entrants
- If identifiable people appear in your photograph, permission must be obtained prior to entry.
- Selected images may be used in the **2027 TRACC Mental Health Awareness Calendar** and for related project promotion.

Capture the everyday lives and spirit of rural South West Queensland



Photograph: Katrina Ayers

MORE INFORMATION?

✉ Email tracc_swhhs@health.qld.gov.au

☎ Call: 0429 328 335

🌐 Or scan the QR Code

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Supported by \$1,000 TRACC sponsorship per section.
Submit all entries to your local Show.



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— Just South West a Farmer Ag Show Photography Showcase

Celebrating Rural Life & Promoting Mental Wellbeing

The Just a South West Farmer Photography Showcase invites youth and adult entrants to capture the everyday lives, resilience, and spirit of rural South West Queensland. The showcase strengthens community connection while encouraging conversations around mental health and wellbeing.

Photos will be exhibited at participating 2026 South West Queensland Agricultural Shows, with People's Choice winners progressing to regional judging and featuring in the 2027 TRACC Mental Health Awareness Calendar. Other highly commended photographs may also be selected for this purpose. Regional winner to be announced during Mental Health Month- October 2026. Please note there is no prize money attached to the regional winner.

The South West TRACC team are working towards arranging photography workshops to support community members to participate.

Sections

- Adult (18+)
- Youth (Under 18)

TRACC Sponsorship of \$1000.00 per section. Prize Money 1st \$500, 2nd \$300, 3rd \$200

Theme — Just a South West Farmer

Judging & Awards

- People's Choice Award (per show): Voted by the public at each participating ag show. Visitors vote for their favourite entry in both Adult and Youth categories.
- Calendar Selection: Winning and/or notable entries will feature in the 2027 Just a South West Farmer Mental Health Awareness Calendar TRACC clinicians will attend participating shows to facilitate the People's Choice voting process, engage with community members, and provide relaxed, informal conversations about mental health, referral options, and available supports.

Entry Information

Entrants are required to capture authentic moments that reflect the theme: Just a South West Farmer, for example:

- Daily work on farms and stations
- Generations in agriculture
- The beauty and challenges of rural life
- Community, connection, and resilience

Additional information for entrants:

- Open to all residents of South West Queensland Hospital and Health Service District. The showcase is open to amateur and professional photographers.
- Maximum of three entries per person
- Entrants may submit to one eligible agricultural show

- Images must be original work, taken on or after 1 January 2024
 - Where images are of people permission must be obtained to enter the photograph. By entering you confirm that you have obtained permission.
 - Entrants to supply one (1) printed copy of their photograph (max size A4) for display at the local show (black-and-white accepted)
- Entrants agree that, upon submission SWHHS may use, publish, reproduce or adapt their images for the 2027 TRACC Mental Health Awareness Calendar and for any related promotional or educational materials supporting this project.
 - Photographs to be displayed without the entrant's name (numbers only to facilitate the voting process). Images with branding or water mark not accepted.
 - Entry fees determined and retained by each show committee. Submission process to be determined by individual show committee.
 - Prize will be given to show societies for distribution to winning entrants
 - For images suitable/ selected for publication in the 2027 TRACC Mental Health Awareness Calendar, entrants agree that, upon request, they will supply a highresolution electronic copy of their photograph (minimum 300 DPI at final print size of 2400 × 3300 pixels) to tracc_swhhs@health.qld.gov.au.
- Where a photograph includes identifiable people, a signed consent form will also be required (to be provided by TRACC team).

TRACC - JUST A SOUTH WEST FARMER

Entry Information

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 - Generations in agriculture
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Class 1622 ADULT - 18+

Judging & Awards

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Class 1623 JUNIOR - UNDER 18

Judging & Awards

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