



Saturday 19 April 2008 – 4pm until late

Emerald Multicultural Photographic Competition

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Entry form

One entry form per photograph required (max three entries per photographer)

Photos submitted for this competition WILL NOT BE RETURNED by post. Please send copies, not originals. Entries can be collected after 10pm at the festival and after the event at CHDC (during office working hours) in the Wally MacKenzie Building in showgrounds.

The Emerald Multicultural Festival Photographic competition seeks to capture the cultural diversity of the Central Highlands through images. The 2008 theme for the Photographic competition is **“Celebrating Cultural Diversity”** and photographs submitted should reflect this theme in the message conveyed to the viewer.

Emerald Multicultural Photographic competition entries are encouraged to portray;

- The cultural diversity of the Central Highlands region,
- Local places and surrounds in which people live, work and/ or play
- Everyday relationships, lifestyles and activities in which our community embraces multiculturalism.
- Photos taken at the 2007 Emerald Multicultural Festival

Name:		DOB:
School: (if entering the school student category)		
Address: Post code:	
Phone/s: (.....)	Mobile:	
Fax: (.....)	E-mail:	
Title of Entry:		
Indicate which category you are entering your photograph in: <input type="checkbox"/> Professional: First prize: \$100 <input type="checkbox"/> Novice: First prize: \$100 <input type="checkbox"/> Primary and Secondary School student: First prize: \$50 each <p style="text-align: center;"><u>CLOSING DATE: Monday 14 April 2008</u></p>		

Please return to: Event coordinator - Emerald Multicultural Festival Ph: 4982 4386 Fax: 4982 4068 Email: redward@chdc.com.au
 C/- Central Highland Development Corporation (CHDC)
 PO Box 1425 EMERALD QLD 4720

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Category.....
 Steward's Entry No.....
 Exhibitor's Name.....
 Exhibit Title.....
 Prize Awarded.....

Conditions

1. **All Entries with Entry Forms** completed and attached must be delivered to **CHDC, Wally McKenzie House, Emerald Showgrounds no later than Monday 14 April, 2008** or mailed to The Coordinator, Emerald Multicultural Festival, PO Box 1425 Emerald QLD 4720, in time to reach the Coordinator by that date.
2. Although due care will be taken, the Emerald Multicultural Festival committee will not be held responsible in any way for any exhibits before, during and after the event - ***so please send copies, not originals. Please note: Photos submitted for this competition WILL NOT BE RETURNED by post it is the responsibility of the entrant to collect their photographs from the event after 10pm or CHDC the following week.***
3. **All photographs** must be mounted on cardboard for showing. Include your name and contact details on the **back of the mounting**, stating which side up if necessary. A completed official photographic ENTRY LABEL will be attached to the display board at the **BOTTOM RIGHT HAND CORNER** of each entry submitted. Maximum size – print not to exceed 12" x 8". No framed photos. Cardboard backing (or mattes) must be at least 2cm larger than the photograph. A piece of Velcro (hook) in each corner of mounting will be adhered as exhibits are to be placed on carpeted display boards.
4. All exhibits must be the work of the exhibitor.
5. Entries will be accepted from residents from the following shires: Emerald, Bauhinia, Duaranga, Peak Downs, Belyando and Jericho Shires. And after March election: Central Highland's Regional Council
6. Photographs must be taken at a Queensland location.
7. Any exhibit that has been previously displayed at an Emerald Multicultural Festival will not be eligible for entry.
8. **School student category** restricted to primary and secondary school-age children living in the eligible Shires.
9. **Professional category** – A professional competitor is any competitor who has received four (4) or more acceptances in National or International Exhibitions, or has received four (4) or more First prizes in the novice section of the Emerald Multicultural Festival photographic competition.
10. **Novice category** – any competitor that does not meet criteria for the professional category.
11. All exhibits must be submitted attached to a signed entry form.
12. Number of entries per individual must not exceed three (3). Each entry must be a different photograph and be submitted with a separate and complete entry form.
13. Exhibits may be either Colour or Black and White, including monotone and sepia.
14. Digital images may be entered into all categories.
15. No distinction is to be made between digital and traditional photographic images. Computer or darkroom enhancement of the image (e.g. remove red eye, lighten print) may be entered in any category however any image that has been manipulated will not be accepted. The definition of manipulation is where the content of the image has been reconstructed (e.g. combining images, removing unwanted objects etc).
16. Images may be printed at home. A high standard of quality will be expected.
17. Exhibits and prizes **can be collected** from the Information desk at the event after 10:00pm on Saturday 19 April 2008 or CHDC in the Wally MacKenzie Building during office hours the week after the event. Copyright remains with the photographer.

I, (insert name), hereby submit the attached photograph for the Emerald Multicultural photographic competition and give permission for my entry to be publicly displayed at the Emerald Multicultural Festival 2008 at Pioneer Park, Emerald Racecourse. I declare that this entry is in accordance with the Conditions of Entry as listed above, and have gained consent from any persons depicted in my photograph for their image to be publicly displayed and that their privacy has not been infringed. I recognise that the Judge's decision will be final.

Name of Exhibitor: (please print)

Signature.....Date. / /

Name of Guardian (if under 18 years): (please print)

Signature.....Date. / /

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