

# Wattle Range Council Photographic Competition & Exhibition 2021



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The concept of the competition is: **CAPTURE WATTLE RANGE**  
**People, Places, Product & Performance**

We invite you to capture what Wattle Range means to you: with an emphasis on People, Places, and Product & Performance. Representing the diversity of our Region: From Coast to Border. through your photography, with images having been taken in the preceding two years.

## Category 1 Business and Industry

Major prize: \$250 cash

2nd prize: \$100 3rd prize: \$50

## Category 2 People and or Portrait

with an emphasis on people at work/play

Major prize: \$250 cash

2nd prize: \$100 3rd prize: \$50

## Category 3 Black and White

Major prize: \$250 cash

2nd prize: \$100 3rd prize: \$50

## Category 4 Sport and Leisure

Major prize: \$250 cash

2nd prize: \$100 3rd prize: \$50

## Category 5 Nature

Major prize: \$250 cash

2nd prize: \$100 3rd prize: \$50

## Category 6 Landscape

Major prize: \$250 cash

2nd prize: \$100 3rd prize: \$50

## Category 7 Panoramic

are not required to be 8 x 12 in size and should be mounted as the panoramic photographs will not be framed.

Major prize: \$250 cash

2nd prize: \$100 3rd prize: \$50

## Category 8 Lake McIntyre

Major prize: \$250 cash

2nd prize: \$100 3rd prize: \$50

This category is privately sponsored in partnership with Wattle Range Council

## Category 9 Drone Photography

Major prize: \$250 cash

2nd prize: \$100 3rd prize: \$50

## Category 10 Hurst Camera House Youth Awards

For photographers under the age of 18 and images may come from any of the other categories.

Major prize: \$250 cash

2nd prize: \$100 3rd prize: Voucher plus additional encouragement awards.

**MAYORAL AWARD:** Best Local Photographer (deemed to be an amateur by judges)



The Opening of the Exhibition will be held at  
The Millicent Gallery on  
Sunday October 31<sup>st</sup> 2021 at 2pm

## Category Prize Winners announced at the opening

Background: Prizewinners are featured in the 2022 calendar along with photographers represented in the exhibition. The library of photographs available to the

Wattle Range Council ensures that photography used for the

Wattle Range Website, marketing, and promotion is dynamic and relevant.

Photos L-R: Ramona Oppelaar Winner Lake McIntyre 2020, Bree Watson Winner Youth 2020, Melanie Halton Winner Sport and Leisure 2020, Phil de Koning Joint Winner Landscape 2020



## Conditions

1. **Entries close Saturday October 16<sup>th</sup> 2021. Photographs to be received at the Millicent Library, Ridge Terrace, Millicent unmounted, except panoramic. 87330903** and entry is free. Limited to a maximum of 10 entries per person
2. Late entries will not be accepted unless prior arrangement is made.
3. Wattle Range Council reserves the right to use the winning photographs for the purpose of marketing and promotion for a period of four years.
4. All photographs used for marketing and promotion will be acknowledged.
5. All entries must reflect the "People, Places, Product & Performance" across Wattle Range: and represent the diversity of the Region." PLEASE SEE BELOW FOR FURTHER CATEGORY INFORMATION
6. **All entries must be received unframed and be 8"x12" as they will be framed by the gallery with frames retained by gallery. Panoramic will be outside of these measurements and be mounted by photographer.**
7. Images must have been taken within the Wattle Range Council boundaries within the preceding two years.
8. All exhibits must be accompanied with a high-quality digital copy on USB that will be retained by the Council for their existing library (.jpg file format only) see 4
9. A release form is to be signed if there are people visible in your photograph(s).
10. Competition is open to amateur and professional photographers.
11. Judges decision is final
12. Images may be offered for sale at a recommended price of \$50 (precluding panoramic) and should be marked for sale on the entry form.

### CATEGORY INFORMATION:

**Below are examples of the type of images that may suit each category. They are not restrictive, and each section is open to interpretation by the photographer.**

#### **Category 1 Business and Industry:**

Images should depict people at work from within the Council area.

This may include:

- Farming, horticultural and cropping activities (Harvesting – farm machinery at work)
- Fishing – professional industry related images.
- Cattle and sheep – images of stock being worked, in saleyards, stock yards are encouraged
- Engineering – practical application of engineering or tradespeople at work.
- Manufacturing – building. Product being made or Tradespeople at work in construction.
- Viticulture – wine making, seasonal field work.
- Small business and retail activities.
- Transport and logistics including local product being moved.
- Timber Industry – timber felling, transport – processing or finished product with an emphasis on people at work within the industry.



**Category 2 People and or Portrait** with an emphasis on people at work or play. Images may depict known Wattle Range people/residents or people with a story to tell. This may include:

- Local people with a historical background
- Sportspeople
- People from business or industry
- Community leaders or founders.
- Images depicting multiculturalism will be encouraged.
- Aged and youth.

#### **Category 3 Black and White**

Black and white entries may be from any of the other categories.

#### **Category 4 Sport and Leisure**

Images should depict sport/leisure activities from within Wattle Range Council area. This may include but not limited to: Sporting events/ Leisure activities

- Well known sporting personalities at play.
- Events, Shows, Carnivals and Festivals
- Volunteers and volunteer groups at work and play.
- Community groups at work.
- Leisure activities e.g., boating, surfing, bushwalking, bike riding, food and wine dining.

#### **Category 5 Nature**

Nature photography should be of birds, animals or insects found in the Council area and may include Macro images.

#### **Category 6 Landscape**

The competition seeks dynamic landscape images that clearly depict locations within the Council area. Generic Sunrises and sunsets should have an identifiable Council location or point of interest in it. Seasonal images that depict the changes across the four seasons are also encouraged.

#### **Category 7 Panoramic**

Will not be framed by convenors and should be mounted/framed. Do not have to be 8x12

#### **Category 8 Lake McIntyre**

A category aimed at collecting a folio of photography depicting all aspects of Lake McIntyre

#### **Category 9 Drone Photography**

Capturing Wattle Range from another viewpoint.

#### **Category 10 Hurst Camera House Youth Awards**

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### **ENTRY FORM: To accompany entries**

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Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Category: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title, if any: \_\_\_\_\_

**I have read and accept the entry conditions**  
**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Contact: Millicent Public Library on 08 8733 0903**

**I agree to have my works sold at \$50 per photograph.**  
**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**I agree to have my works kept on file by WRC for as long as they are required. Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_

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