

## **Griffith Pioneer Park Museum Photography Competition**

Since 1971 the Museum's Action Day on Good Friday has been an event celebrated by thousands.

Many happy memories have been made and we hope to share your experiences of Action Day in 2024 with an exhibition of photographs.

To collect your images and acknowledge the creativity of our community, we're running a competition!

### **REWARDS**

- Your photos will be exhibited at venues managed by Griffith City Council
- There are awards for most popular entries in Open and Under-18 categories
- Photos will be showcased on Griffith Pioneer Park Museum official social media
- There will be cash prizes for the winner and runner-up in each category

### **HOW TO ENTER**

It's as easy as emailing up to five of your photos to [pioneerparkmuseum@griffith.nsw.gov.au](mailto:pioneerparkmuseum@griffith.nsw.gov.au) with the subject heading "Action Day Photography Competition".

Please ensure your files include your name and title for the entry, such as:  
"your-name-your-photo.jpg" or "john-smith-action-day-action.jpg" for example.

By sending your photo(s) you agree to the following:

### **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

The competition is open to anyone and free to enter.

The photos must be taken on Action Day at Griffith Pioneer Park Museum on Friday 29 March 2024 and can include people, activities, landscape, wildlife, displays and/or architecture within the Museum grounds. (While Griffith Pioneer Park Museum Action Day is a public event, we ask you to ensure that people shown in your image(s) are represented with sensitivity.)

Competition organisers reserve the right to disqualify any image that might be considered plagiarism or they suspect may have been captured illegally or enhanced and/or generated (i.e. "A.I.").

Entries must be submitted electronically before Monday 29 April 2024 and include the photographer's full name and title in the filename for each image.

All image(s) must be sent via email to [pioneerparkmuseum@griffith.nsw.gov.au](mailto:pioneerparkmuseum@griffith.nsw.gov.au) and please title your email – "Action Day Photography Competition"

Each participant can submit maximum of five photos:

- Images should be JPEG files and should be no smaller than 1MB and no larger than 10MB.
- Images should be no less than 300dpi, and at least 2000px on the longest edge.

The Entries must be original and the work of the entrant (or their child if submitted on behalf of a minor.)

Entrants under 18 years of age require the permission of a parent or guardian. By entering the contest, entrants under 18 years of age indicate that they have obtained the permission of a parent or guardian.

The entries will be uploaded by Griffith Pioneer Park Museum staff to the official social media (Facebook and Instagram) for people to assess and "like" as part of the shortlisting for an exhibition that will be held at Griffith Regional Theatre in June-July 2024.

Winners in the Open and Under-18 categories will be determined by voting at the exhibition.

After the judging concludes, the winners will be notified via email sent to their registered email addresses by mid-August 2024.

Entrants will not be notified of the receipt of their entries.

We will pay for exhibition costs but entrants will bear other costs incurred by entering the contest.

Entering the contest constitutes agreement to the terms and conditions stated in these Entry Guidelines.

We reserve the right of final judgment concerning items not expressly stated in these Entry Guidelines.

Entrants who do not consent to the organiser's decisions may withdraw from the contest. All costs associated with withdrawal from the contest are to be borne by the entrant.

Please note that the organiser may elect to suspend or postpone receipt of any or all entries if in its judgment the contest cannot be run smoothly, securely, or without affecting the fairness of the judging due to circumstances beyond its control.

Please note that when a winning work is used for exhibitions and the like stated below, due to circumstances concerning printing or otherwise, the tone or expressed meaning may not be strictly reproduced according to the winner's intent, or the work may be partially cropped for publicity purposes.

Please note that no response will be given to any inquiries, complaints, or objections regarding the judges' decisions of the contest.

Although entries are handled with the greatest possible care, the organizer will not bear responsibility for accidents, damage, loss, or other problems that occur during data transfer.

The organiser will not bear responsibility for damages or other harm suffered by entrants as a result of their participation in the contest.

Entrants agree to fully indemnify the organizer and bear all responsibility for any third-party complaints or objections concerning copyright or other intellectual-property-right infringement or damages arising from submitted works.

Entrants retain the copyright and other equivalent rights to their entries; the organiser retains the entry rights listed below:

The organiser reserves the right to publish entries with the credit for photographer to its official social networking service accounts throughout the submission period to publicize the contest. Such publication does not guarantee an award of any kind.

The organiser reserves the right to publish all entries with the credit titles onto websites related to the contest and official social networking service accounts after the first round of judging. Some entries might be cropped for publication.

The organiser will display the names of the winners and the titles of the winning entries on contest-related websites and official social networking service accounts, at exhibitions, and in other locations where the works are shown.

Entries that in the judgment of the organizer do not conform to these Entry Guidelines will be disqualified and entrants will not be notified in this event.