**TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

The Naracoorte Lucindale Council invites residents to enter the *reNew Community Photo Competition* to celebrate the Naracoorte Library Redevelopment.

Winning entries will be printed and displayed for the inaugural exhibition at the new Wonambi Gallery, located in the Town Hall Foyer.

# THEME:

The overall theme of the competition is ‘renew’ to reflect the unique, exciting and redeveloped community space created in the town centre with the Naracoorte Library Redevelopment. It’s also a fun play on words as one of the many things you can do when you pop into the library is renew your borrowings! So, it’s time to get creative and give us your best shot which captures our theme. The possibilities are endless - new springtime leaves and flowers, Dad working on a new backyard project at home or your kids having a go at a new craft activity! Get snapping now!

# WHO CAN ENTER:

* The competition is open to photographers of all ages.
* Entrants need to reside in the Naracoorte Lucindale Council area.
* Council staff and Elected Members are not eligible to enter.

# ENTRY CATEGORIES (as at 1/1/2021):

* 18 years and over
* Under 18 years

# GUIDELINES:

* We are looking for striking and creative digital images that reflect the above theme.
* Where there are identifiable persons in the entries, the entrant is responsible for obtaining their consent, and must be able to provide evidence of such upon request.
* Entries depicting human nudity, the willful harassment of wildlife, damage to the environment by the photographer, or that put any individual or animal in danger will be deemed ineligible.
* Competition entries must be created in the period the competition is open from 1 September 2021 to 26 November 2021.
* Entries must be original works and must not have been submitted into any other competition.
* Each entrant can submit as many entries in their relevant age category as they choose, however each entry must be submitted separately.

# HOW TO ENTER:

* Photographs must be submitted as JPEG, JPG, or TIFF images at high-resolution (at least 300dpi) with the attached entry form.
* They must not contain any trademarks or copyright watermarks.
* Entries will be accepted up to **5pm on Friday 26 November 2021**.
* All entries should be emailed to council@nlc.sa.gov.au. Large files should be emailed to council@nlc.sa.gov.au via <https://wetransfer.com/>
* Entries will be acknowledged via email within 2 business days of being submitted.

# PRIZES:

The following prizes will be awarded in each age category:

* First prize: $500 voucher
* Second prize: $300 voucher
* Third prize: $200 voucher
* People’s Choice: $100 voucher
* Prize winners can choose to receive their voucher from a business of their choice located in the Council area
* Each winner will also receive a complimentary printed copy of their entry

# JUDGING PANEL:

* Entries will be assessed by a panel of judges consisting of Elected Members and staff of the Naracoorte Lucindale Council.

# WINNING ENTRIES:

* Images will be judged on relevance to the theme, as well as artistic and technical merit.
* The judging panel will shortlist the top 12 images (6 from each age category) from which the winners will be selected.
* Council will print and display shortlisted entries in the Wonambi Gallery (dates TBC).
* Winning entries will be announced at a date that coincides with the opening of the Naracoorte Library.
* Exhibited copies will remain the property of the Naracoorte Lucindale Council, with full credits given to the photographers.

# RIGHTS:

* By entering, entrants grant the Council permission to print and exhibit the entries at the Wonambi Gallery, reproduce the entries on Council websites or other digital media (including social media sites) and use the entries in material promoting the Council area.
* It is the entrant’s responsibility to maintain original copies of any entries submitted. No responsibility is accepted by Naracoorte Lucindale Council for late, lost or misdirected entries.

**ENTRY FORM**

**NAME:**

**ADDRESS:**

**PHONE:**

**EMAIL:**

**AGE CATEGORY:**

**TITLE OF YOUR ENTRY:**

**PLEASE PROVIDE SOME INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR ENTRY. HOW DOES IT RELATE TO THE THEME OF RENEW? (50 WORDS)**

Your entry in this competition means that you have read and understood the Terms and Conditions of Entry and accept the entry requirements.

**ENTRIES CLOSE 5pm 26 NOVEMBER 2021**

Return your entry by email to council@nlc.sa.gov.au. Large files should be emailed to council@nlc.sa.gov.au via<https://wetransfer.com/>. Call 8760 1100 for more information.