



15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> May 2025

# COTTAGE CRAFT

Theme – Farming in the Future

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THE COTTAGE CRAFT COMMITTEE OF THE GYMPIE DISTRICT SHOW SOCIETY EXTEND THEIR APPRECIATION TO THE FOLLOWING BUSINESS AND INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE GENEROUSLY SUPPORTED THE GYMPIE SHOW

Gympie Spinners Weavers and Crafters

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

TO AVOID MISUNDERSTANDING, COMPETITORS ARE REQUESTED TO READ THESE REGULATIONS CAREFULLY

### ENTRIES

1. \$1.00 unless otherwise specified
2. ONLINE & OFFICE ENTRIES CLOSE 4PM Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> MAY 2025
3. GST will apply if an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as a Business entity, the Exhibitor has an ABN, and the Exhibitor is REGISTERED for GST.  
Where GST applies, the Association will pay the prize money quoted in this Schedule plus 10% GST. The Gympie Show Society will issue a recipient created tax invoice for prize money paid.
4. Please provide your ABN and GST registration details on entry form if you are entering as a business entity.
5. **All entries to be emailed to: [entries@gympieshow.com.au](mailto:entries@gympieshow.com.au)**

### EXHIBIT DELIVERY AND COLLECTION

Please contact Sue Kelly 0417 648 535 before Friday 9th May to make arrangements.

### JUDGING

1. Judging takes place on Sunday 11th May.
2. At no time must the Judge be made aware of the name of the designator of the exhibitor. Under no circumstances must this information be given to the Judge or any information likely to influence his or her decision.
3. No Competitors to be present during Judging, only 3 Officials or Stewards.

### PRIZE MONEY COLLECTION

1. Prize Money will be paid by Sue Kelly to club members and direct debit to other entries.

### GENERAL

1. Under the Auspices of the Gympie Spinners Weavers and Crafters .
2. Exhibits to be hand spinning, weaving or handcrafted, and must be the work of the Exhibitor.
3. Exhibitor shall be responsible for cost of returning articles through post. Entries are accepted entirely at owner's risk.
4. Exhibits cannot be entered for, nor compete in, more than one class.
5. To assist the Stewards in arranging and displaying the exhibits, the Exhibitors ticket containing the name (not visible) and address of the owner must be securely attached to each piece of work (please use safety pins, do not use dressmaking pins)
6. Where a commercial yarn is used in the making of an article, please state on entry form, COMMERCIAL YARN
7. No competitor to be penalised for having more than one entry in any class. Limit of 2 entries per exhibitor per class i.e., a person with two articles in one class is eligible to win 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> in the class
8. ALL ITEMS MUST NOT HAVE BEEN PREVIOUSLY EXHIBITED AT A GYMPIE SHOW.
9. Exhibits must be left on display until Sunday 18th May 2025.  
NO 'FOR SALE' SIGNS to be placed on any article before or after Judging at any time during the show.
10. NOVICE is an exhibitor who has not won a first prize at the show in the Cottage Craft section and has less than 2 years' experience.

11. PLEASE NOTE: Exhibits must be clearly marked 'Cottage Craft' and kept separate from any Fancywork entries.  
 12. All care will be taken with exhibits, but no responsibility is taken by the Gympie District Show Society or the Gympie Spinners & Weavers Group.

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ENTRY FEE: \$1.00		1 <sup>st</sup> PRIZE \$5.00	2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize \$3.00	3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize \$2.00
CLASS	DETAILS			
5000	One Skein Raw Wool, white or coloured, at least 50gm or 100metres. ATTACH SAMPLE.			
5001	One Skein Raw Alpaca, white or coloured, at least 50gm or 100metres. ATTACH SAMPLE			
5002	One Skein of any Yarn Spun from sliver, at least 50gm or 100metres. ATTACH SAMPLE			
5003	One Skein of any Other Fibre, including blended or mix fibre Synthetic blenders allowed.50gm-or 100 metres ATTACH SAMPLE			
5004	One Skein of Plant Fibre, 50gm or 100metres. ATTACH SAMPLE			
5005	Two Skeins of Yarn, each Dyed with one or more natural vegetation, each 50gm or more. State mordant, yarn & dye used			
5006	Two skeins if Yarn, each Dyed with Commercial Dyes, each 50gm or more. State mordant, yarn & dyes used			
5007	Any Garment knitted with hand spun wool, 8ply or greater			
5008	Any Garment knitted with hand spun wool, under 8ply			
5009	Any Garment knitted with at least 50% hand spun alpaca. Can be plied with any other hands-on fibre			
5010	Any Garment knitted with any other hand spun fibre (wool, mohair, silk, cotton, etc.) Synthetic binders : allowed.			
5011	Any Shawl knitted with hand spun fibre. Synthetic binders allowed			
5012	Any article or garment Crocheted with hand spun wool. Synthetic binders allowed			
5013	Any article or garment Crocheted with any hand spun fibre. Synthetic binders allowed.			
5014	Any Woven article or garment, containing at least 50% hand spun fibre			
5015	NOVICE spinning. One Skein of fibre, raw or sliver. 50gm or more. ATTACH SAMPLE.			
5016	NOVICE Knitting, any article knitted with any hand spun fibre, raw or sliver. 50gm or more			
5017	NOVICE Crocheting, any article crocheted with any hand spun fibre, raw or sliver. 50gm or more			
5018	NOVICE Weaving, any woven article, must contain at least 50% hand spun			
5019	Any knitted felted article			
5020	Any Knitted FELTED article			
5021	Accessories using any hand spun fibre			

COTTAGE CRAFT GRAND CHAMPION \$20 – members only  
 COTTAGE CRAFT RESERVE CHAMPION \$10

## ONLINE ENTRIES NOW AVAILABLE

[www.showday.online](http://www.showday.online)

Enter quickly 24hrs a day

## HOW TO PLACE AN ENTRY ON SHOWDAY ONLINE

### REGISTER

1. When visiting Showday online for the first time you will need to create an account. Single click the **Register** button. Complete your details and then single click the green **Create New Account** button.
2. You will need to have the correct punctuation, address info etc, as this information is how all the shows you enter (via Showday.online) will identify you. An individual show cannot change this information once they have received your entry and you are responsible to keep this information up to date on Showday.online.
3. You will receive a welcome email from Showday.online. Follow the directions and setup your Showday.online login password. Then single click the green **Save** button. If you do not receive this email, please contact Showday.online via their **Contact** link.
4. YOU MUST DO THIS TO ACTIVATE YOUR ACCOUNT
5. Please do not create multiple accounts on Showday.online as each show will have information against accounts already created.

### LOG IN

1. When you are a 'returning user' you will login with your email address and password. If you have forgotten your password, please refer to the 'Reset your Password' option on the login screen.
2. Once logged in, if you need to update your contact details click on your name in the top right hand corner of the screen. Any email address changes will need to be made by Showday.online.
3. From the '**Home & Shows**' screen select the show you would like to enter from the list of shows open for entries. You will now be able to start placing entries.

For further instructions please follow this link:

[www.showday.online/howto](http://www.showday.online/howto)

