

City of Kwinana *Vibrant Kwinana* Photograph Competition and Exhibition

Terms and Conditions

Entry into the City of Kwinana ('the City') *Vibrant Kwinana* ('the Competition') signifies acceptance of these Terms and Conditions.

Instructions on how to enter the Competition as well as information contained within promotional material form part of these Terms and Conditions.

1. Entries must be submitted by no later than 11:59pm on Wednesday 2 October 2024. No late entries will be accepted.
2. Entrants may submit a maximum of three entries in one of the following competition categories:
 - a. Adult - Open to entrants 25 years and older at the time of submitting entry - \$400.00 gift card prize
 - b. Youth - Open to entrants aged 13 to 25 years at the time of submitting entry - \$300.00 gift card prize
 - c. Children - Open to entrants aged under 13 years at the time of submitting entry - \$200.00 gift card prize
3. The City reserves the right to request confirmation of an entrant's age prior to awarding prizes.
4. The City reserves the right not to exhibit any entry depicting illegal activity or otherwise deemed unsuitable.
5. The City reserves the right to select an alternative winner or not award any prize in the event that a winner cannot be contacted or fails to collect their prize within 14 days.
6. The City reserves the right not to select a winning entry in any of the nomination categories in the event that entries in that category are deemed unsuitable, either due to the quality of entries received or any other reason determined by the judges.
7. Prizes are non-transferable and not redeemable for cash.
8. Each entry must be accompanied by an entry form, which is to be submitted via the City's website: <https://www.kwinana.wa.gov.au/>
9. Entry forms must include the entrant's age, full name, address, telephone number and email address. Incomplete entries will be deemed ineligible.
10. Entries must address the theme *Vibrant Kwinana*.
11. Entry photographs must be taken by the entrant within Kwinana, which includes the suburbs of Anketell, Bertram, Calista, Casuarina, Hope Valley, Kwinana Beach, Kwinana Town Centre, Leda, Mandogalup, Medina, Naval Base, Orelia, Parmelia, Postans, The Spectacles, Wandi and Wellard.
12. Entrants must have consent from any person or persons appearing in photographs submitted.
13. Editing of entries by image manipulation software is not permitted. However, entrants may crop, straighten or apply light filtering.
14. Entries must be provided in JPEG or PNG format and may be a maximum of 10MB in size.

15. Entries must be the entrant's own original work. AI-generated images will not be accepted.
16. Entries must not infringe upon the copyrights, trademarks, contract rights, or any other intellectual property rights of any third person or entity.
17. Entries in breach of these Terms and Conditions, that are unlawful or of objectionable content will not be accepted.
18. All entrants retain copyright of their submitted entries, however they give permission to the City to copy and reproduce submitted entries for promotional marketing and educational and research purposes without remuneration, royalties or any other payment. The author of the photograph will be appropriately credited wherever possible to do so.
19. The entrant agrees to have their photographic entries displayed in the City's 2024 photography exhibition as well as at exhibitions at any City locations at future dates. The author of the photograph will be appropriately credited wherever possible to do so.
20. All entries may be catalogued and made available for public viewing through the Kwinana Public Library catalogue. Entries may also be displayed on the City's websites, social media platforms, newsletters, calendars and other marketing and promotional material.
21. Entrants will be notified using contact details provided to collect all entries from the City within 2 weeks of the exhibition closing. Entries not collected within this timeframe may be disposed of at the City's discretion without notice or compensation to the entrant.
22. The City respects the confidentiality of entrant's personal information. Contact details will be securely retained by the City and may only be used for the purpose of contacting entrants regarding the competition.
23. Competition judges and their immediate relatives are ineligible to enter.
24. Employees of the City and their immediate relatives are eligible to enter the competition, however will be ineligible to receive any prize in the event of a winning entry.

A panel of judges will select the winning entry from each of the three categories. The decision of the judging panel is final and no correspondence shall be entered into with unsuccessful entrants.

The date and venue particulars of the award ceremony will be announced once the competition has closed.

The City reserves the right in its absolute discretion to cancel the exhibition or the awards presentation, or change the venue and/or date of the exhibition or the awards presentation. The City will not be liable for any claims, liabilities, suits, demands and causes of action both at law and in equity arising directly or indirectly arising from an entrant's participation in this Competition, including claims for personal injury or damage to property howsoever caused.

Please send any questions in relation to the above terms and conditions via email to Programs@kwinana.wa.gov.au