MUTTABURRA SCULPTURE FESTIVAL & EXHIBITION

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SATURDAY 5 OCT 2019



\$11,000 IN PRIZE MONEY



MARKETS EXHIBITIONS



' MEET THE GARDENING GURU-TOM WYATT"



Muttaburra – Home of the Muttaburrasaurus. Muttaburra - Centre of Queensland.

Muttaburra – Meeting of the waters.



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SATURDAY 5 OCT 2019 –10AM AT FROGS HOLLOW BRIDGE ST

ENTRIES CLOSE 21 SEPTEMBER 2019



Milynda Rogers Winner 2014

Become a part of the Muttaburra Community while it is hosting an exciting and inspirational Sculpture by Acquisition Competition. The 4 Major Cash winning Sculptures are to be acquired by the Muttaburra Community and retained with the community.

PRIZE MONEY

WINNER \$5000 RUNNER UP \$3000

HIGHLY COMMENDED \$2000

PEOPLES CHOICE \$1000





Judging and the Official Function will be held in Muttaburra on 5th October, 2019, commencing at 10.00 am.

All Sculptures will be judged by Mrs. Leah Cameron and Mrs. Mylinda Rogers.

Sculptures winning the prize money are to be gifted by the artist and retained by the Muttaburra Community to be used to Streetscape and beautify the township of Muttaburra, the geographic centre of Queensland, Home of the Muttaburrasaurus and Place of the Meeting of the Waters. Other Sculptures can be gifted to the community or sold on the day.

Entries close on: 21 September, 2019.

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Our Judges

Milynda Rogers also known as Scrapmetalsheila.

"Why Scrapmetalsheila? Scrapmetal for what I work with and Sheila because I connect this name with the typical Aussie woman. Steel is tough and hard to bend but it is also able to adapt and be shaped into virtually anything, it is very versatile and easy to weld it into a sculpture, it ages slowly in dry climates. Aussie Sheilas are very similar in properties to steel. I have created many private commissions and public works. I love working with steel and wire and creating something that will last a lifetime. I am always working on a commission or some of my own work which I sell at different places or put on the Lake Dunn Sculpture Trail."

Leah Cameron.

Leah is from Quilpie where she has a business Quilpie Country Collections. A talented artist who learned the bones of painting through the Flying Art School, Leah Cameron is well known for her local landscapes but even more so for her beautiful interior and still-life portrayals and her attention to detail.



Ian Batt Runner up- 2014

Our Community

Muttaburra is a small community in the Local Government authority of Barcaldine Regional Council. It is situated 151 klm from Barcaldine and 124 klms from Longreach. It is geographically identified as the Centre of Queensland and also is Home of the Muttaburrasaurus Langdoni. The community's major asset is the network of water courses that venture from the north and west and meet below the community where they all form into the Thomson River. Hence, the name, which was an aboriginal word "Mootaburra "meaning Meeting of the Waters. There are 100 people in our community with approximately another 150 on properties in the surrounding district. Cattle and Sheep production are our major industries.



Rupert Ballinger 2014





Event Information

Judging and Official Function will be held on the lawns at "Frog Hollow" beside the Muttaburra Camping Grounds in Bridge Street, Muttaburra on Saturday 5 October, 2019. A light luncheon will be available afterwards at the Memorial Hall.

Accommodation

Muttaburra Motel Phone 0447 965273 CWA Phone 07 4658 7147

Exchange Hotel Phone 074658 7125 Bach on Bruford Phone 0457 302126

Muttaburra Camping Grounds 07 4658 7191

Freedom Park – book online <u>www.barcaldinerc.qld.gov.au</u>

While you are here.

- Drive around and see our existing Public Art.
- Spend some time and enjoy the communities' hospitality and rich history.
- Centre of Queensland Monument
- Muttaburrasaurus Interpretation Centre.
- Take time to visit and be hosted by our tour guides to:
- Dr. Arratta Museum the old Hospital
- Cassimatis Museum the old Shop
- Imagine you are part of the Great Shearers Strike while visiting the Union Camp and Hole.
- Relive what Muttaburra was like in the late 1800's by walking and reading our historical signage.
- Find an agate or two.
- Throw a line in and catch a yellowbelly.

Hugh Button Highly Commended 2014

On the day be there to meet......

Tom Wyatt is deservedly a household name around much of Queensland. He has been giving practical advice on gardening to millions of Queenslanders on ABC Radio for almost two decades and he has been instrumental in creating or developing city botanical gardens in Rockhampton. Emerald and elsewhere in Central Queensland. Tom's a walking encyclopaedia of gardening knowledge particularly when it comes to tropical and sub-tropical plants. So roll up your sleeves and learn from Gardening Guru Tom Wyatt how to create a garden, whether the sand of the beach garden or in clay soil, set hard as concrete, in the dry tropics. And never forget the first commandment; Thou shalt love thy compost heap! If it's an insect and it eats your plants, spray it till it's dead! If it's a cane toad, squash it! If it's 'unthrifty', put a compost bomb under it! Take no prisoners. This is a Tom Wyatt garden. Exotics or natives, fruit trees or palm trees, vegetables or hardy annuals, the Gardening Guru of the Tropics will tell you how to grow it and how to protect it from predatory insects and fungal diseases. Every question you've ever wanted to ask about soils, compost, fertiliser, organic feed, humus, mulching, spraying and pruning, Tom will assist you. So roll up your sleeves, get advice from the Tom, mix your sprays, barrel out your fertiliser and get your garden blooming.



Terms and Conditions for Exhibiting Artists.

- Muttaburra Sculpture Festival is a competition by Acquisition for the Cash prize winners, Winner, Runner up, Highly commended and People's Choice. These winning sculptures will be retained by the Muttaburra community and will be used to Streetscape and beautify the township of the Muttaburra.
- The Sculptures must be totally strong, safe to the public, have long term durability and suitable for Outdoors conditions.
- Sculptures need to be presented for judging at Muttaburra by Saturday 5 October, 2019 by 8.00 am at 'Frog Hollow' near the Muttaburra Camping Grounds in Bridge Street.
- There is a \$10.00 entry fee and this goes into a competitors draw to be won by one of the competitors only.
- Everyone is most welcome to enter with their choice of works and also to bring additional works to exhibit and sell should they wish to.
- Sculptors are most welcome to sell their works nominated for the festival on the day that are not prize winners.
- Artists may gift a sculpture to the Muttaburra Community, if they so wish to do.
- There will be machinery to lift any sculpture should it be required on Friday 4th October, 2019.
- Every care shall be exercised, but no responsibility for loss, damage or theft will be accepted by the organisers.
- Exhibitors must be responsible for the insurance of their work.
- Sculptures need to be presented for Judging at Muttaburra with preliminary mounting
 for placement by organisers after the event where they will be then permanently mounted should they be acquired.
- All sculptures will be fitted with a plaque with name of the entry and artist and year of competition after the event.
- All entrants to complete an entry form, with details and size of sculpture, name of entry and to provide a CV or short brief of the inspiration for the exhibit with the application.
- Agents acting on behalf of Artists must produce written authorisation to deliver works.
- Artists agree to their names and or images being used for promotional purposes.
- The awarding of major prizes will be at the discretion of the judges. No discussion will be entered into.
- The Winning Sculptures will be installed and maintained by the Barcaldine Regional Council and the Muttaburra Community. Artists will have a choice of placement of their works within the community and surrounds.
- Transportation of sculptures to Muttaburra and removal of packaging and associated material is the responsibility of the entrant.

All entries to be sent to:
Sculpture Festival
P.O. Box 23, Muttaburra. 4732.
Prior to 21 September, 2019.





Muttaburra Sculpture Festival Application Form for Artists 2019.

Name:			
Please list works for exhibition and sale below. One line for each item.			
Please also attach a short brief on the inspiration of the exhibit.			
Approx Size & Weight	Title / Name Of Sculpture	Description Of Sculpture	Value of Sculpture
I have read and acknowledge the terms and conditions for Exhibiting artists. Signed:			





Muttaburra Sculpture Festival

Identification Cards.

(These cards must be attached to each work upon delivery)

Surname
First Name
Title of Work
Gifting yes/no

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