

**St. Arnaud Agricultural Society Inc.**

Reg No. AOO44X ABN 28 835 822 189

# **144th Annual Show**

**- 2024 Schedule -**

Saturday & Sunday

**October 5th & 6th**

Lord Nelson Park, (Charlton Road)



[www.starnaudshow.com](http://www.starnaudshow.com)

**\$60 Family Ticket - to be purchased prior to Show weekend**

- Admission to the showground for self, one adult, family up to 16 years.
- Exhibit at reduced rates as shown except where otherwise stated.
- Free entertainment (Saturday only). 9am to 4pm.

**\$20 Single Membership - to be purchased prior to Show weekend**

**\$12 Children 5 to 16 - to be purchased prior to Show weekend**

### **Admission Fees on the Day**

- **Family Ticket - \$75**
- **Adults - \$25**
- **Children 5 to 16 - \$15 (Free Entertainment / Rides)**
- **Under 5 - Free**

**SUPPORT YOUR SHOW - *Become a Member and/or Exhibitor***

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*The St. Arnaud Agricultural Society Inc.  
wishes to express it's sincere appreciation to the businesses  
and individuals who have supported the show with donations,  
trophies/prizes and allocation of time.*

*It is through the generosity of sponsorship, volunteers as  
stewards and helpers that we can continue to provide  
this important community event.*

Thank You

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**Your Show!**

Showcasing local produce, talents and skills of  
**Your Community**

# TINY TOT & AMBASSADORS

STEWARDS: Alison Darby & Jenny Greenaway

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J. Supple, Greenaway Family, St. Arnaud Pharmacy, Sonya's Hair Design  
D McKay, St. Arnaud Agricultural Society Inc.*

Judging to take place in the Sporting Club Function Room

Entry on the day - taken after **1:00pm** at Function Room.

Judging to commence at **1.30pm**.

- 1 Master Tiny Tot - 2 yrs to Preschool**
- 2 Miss Tiny Tot - 2 yrs to Preschool**
- Show Ambassadors (boy or girl)**
- 3 Junior Primary - Show Ambassador - Prep to Grade 2.**
- 4 Senior Primary - Show Ambassador - Grade 3 to Grade 6.**
- 5 Junior Secondary - Show Ambassador - Year 7 to 15 years.**

## **Victorian Agric. Soc. Ltd. JUNIOR SHOW AMBASSADOR WARD**

Entrants (male or female) to be aged between 16 and 20 years inclusive  
at the time of the St. Arnaud Show

## **Victorian Agric. Soc. Ltd. SHOW AMBASSADOR WARD**

Entrants (male or female) to be aged over 20 and under 30 years

*For application for either award contact Annette Driscoll (5497 6230) for details and  
entry forms. Entries close: 16th September, 2022. Presented at St. Arnaud Show.*

### AIMS:

- To highlight the talent, creativity and ingenuity of young rural Victorians & in doing so encourage entrants to be role models across local communities
- To encourage & reward enthusiastic, skilful & industrious young people living or having an involvement in rural environments.
- To assist all entrants through their participation to develop strong communication & leadership qualities & to directly assist the winner through the support of a bursary.

*Ambassador's first community role will be to represent the St. Arnaud Racing Club  
as official Cup Day Ambassador on Saturday October 21st, 2023.*

Ambassadors to represent our Society at regional finals within the  
Wimmera Agricultural Show Association held early February, 2024.

Winner to represent Zone at State Level later in the year.

### **Rural Ambassador State Final Prizemoney:**

Winner: \$3000.00 Prizemoney (includes travel to represent Victoria at the Nationals  
Finals) & VAS State Final Trophy / Runner Up: \$1500.00 Prizemoney

### **Junior Ambassador State Final Prizemoney:**

Winner: \$500.00 Prizemoney & VAS State Final Trophy

Runner Up: \$250.00 Prizemoney

Finalist: Each Group winner receives a travel allowance towards  
the cost of attending the State Final

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# RURAL AMBASSADOR AWARD

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## Rules & Regulations - Rural Ambassador Award

- Open to ambassadors aged between 20 and 30 years as of the 1st May 2025 and the finalist must reside in Victoria.
- Each Show can run a Rural Ambassador Show qualifier and the winner at Show Level then represents the Show at the Group Final.
- An ambassador having won at their local Show Level is not eligible to enter any other Show or represent another group.
- A maximum of 12 finalists will be eligible for the State Final with preference to all Group Final winners and each runner up of each group will be considered. If numbers exceed 12 finalist's interviews will be held at the information day to determine the remaining State Finalists.
- The State Final is held at the Melbourne Royal Show and each finalist is judged based on the criteria below.
- Each Finalist will need to supply a resume with a cover letter and a draft/copy of speech for the State Final, which will be given to the judges of the State Final.
- Each Finalist will be interviewed by a panel of three judges and the State Finalist will need to present at speech at the presentation luncheon. The winner will be announced at the presentation luncheon.

## Judging Criteria

- **Local Show Involvement (25 Points)** – Entrants must demonstrate an active involvement and a desire to be involved in the future and improvement of their Local Show Society.
- **Community Involvement (20 Points)** - Entrants must demonstrate an active involvement and a desire to be involved in the future and improvement of their Local Community.
- **General and Rural Knowledge (20 Points)** – Entrants must demonstrate a broad general knowledge and an awareness of Local/National Community issues. Entrant must also have an understanding of current affairs relating to rural life and industry.
- **Personality & Communication Skills (20 Points)** – Personality Traits consistent with both the awards and the entrant's ambitions and goals will be assessed (e.g. enthusiasm, creativity, confidence, leadership). Also, entrants are expected to demonstrate effective communication skills – written, oral and interpersonal.
- **Ambitions/Goals/Interests (15 Points)** - Each Entrants ambitions and goals will be assessed on their integrity and relevance to the award. Entrants must demonstrate steps towards achieving their goal.
- **Style, Grooming & Presentation (10 Points)** – Entrants presentation will be assessed according to the suitability of their attire and conduct in a range of contexts.
- **Conduct (10 Points)** – How the entrant behaves and demonstrates appropriate behaviour in each setting eg. being polite, well dressed and soft spoken.
- **Public Presentation (3-minute speech) (20 Points)** – Entrants public presentation will be assessed according to the quality of the content, delivery and the extent to which it addresses the set topic.

## State Final Prizemoney

- **Winner:** \$3000.00 Prizemoney (includes travel to represent Victoria at the Nationals Finals) & VAS State Final Trophy
- **Runner Up:** \$1500.00 Prizemoney

# JUNIOR SHOW AMBASSADOR AWARD

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## **Rules & Regulations - Junior Show Ambassador**

- Open to ambassadors aged between 16 and 19 years on the day of their Local Show.
- Each Show can run a Junior Show Ambassador Show qualifier and the winner at Show Level then represents the Show at the Group Final.
- An ambassador having won at their Local Show Level is not eligible to enter any other Show or represent another group.
- The winner of the Group Final then represents the Group at the State Final, which is held at the annual VAS Convention.
- Each Finalist will be judged based on the criteria below.
- At the State Final the Finalists will need to provide a cover letter and resume that will be given to the judges.
- Each Finalist will be interviewed by a panel of three judges and the winner will be announced at the Convention Dinner.

## **Judging Criteria**

- Local Show Involvement (15 Points) – Entrants must demonstrate an active involvement and a desire to be involved in the future and improvement of their Local Show Society.
- Community Involvement (10 Points) - Entrants must demonstrate an active involvement and a desire to be involved in the future and improvement of their Local Community.
- General and Rural Knowledge (15 Points) – Entrants must demonstrate a broad general knowledge and an awareness of Local/National Community issues. Entrant must also have an understanding of current affairs relating to rural life and industry.
- Personality and Confidence (10 Points) – Personality Traits consistent with both the awards and the entrant’s ambitions and goals will be assessed (e.g. enthusiasm, creativity, confidence, leadership).
- Ambitions/Goals (20 Points) - Each Entrant’s ambitions and goals will be assessed on their integrity and relevance to the awards. Entrants must demonstrate steps towards achieving their goal.
- Communication Skills (20 Points) – Entrants are expected to demonstrate effective communication skills – written, oral and interpersonal.
- Presentation and Grooming (10 Points) – Entrant’s presentation will be assessed according to the suitability of their attire and conduct in a range of contexts.

## **State Final Prizemoney**

- Winner: \$500.00 Prizemoney & VAS State Final Trophy
- Runner Up: \$250.00 Prizemoney
- Finalist: Each Group winner receives a travel allowance towards the cost of attending the State Final

In partnership with



# NORTH WEST AG CROP COMPETITION

## CROP VARIETIES

First Prize - \$70

Second Prize - \$30

- Wheat
- Barley
- Canola
- Faba Beans

## PARTNERING WITH FARMERS TO MAKE THE RIGHT DECISIONS

### Our Services

Providing an extensive local and regional distribution with an agronomy network delivering clients the latest products and knowledge with local people. Locally owned and operated, North West Ag carries a full range of products so you can get what you need, when you need it. With 14 branches across the network, we aim to partner with farmers to make the right decisions for their business.

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# St Arnaud Show Fleece Competition

**Entry fee \$5.00**

Judging will be on  
Friday, 4th October 2024

**All fleeces to be delivered to Nutrien Ag Solution St. Arnaud  
before CLOSE of business on Wednesday 2nd October**

All exhibits to be grown by the exhibitor

**Section 1 – Superfine Merino Fleece**  
Commercial Ewe or Wether

**Section 2 – Fine Merino Fleece**  
Commercial Ewe or Wether

**Section 3 – Medium Merino**  
Commercial Ewe or Wether

**Section 4 – Strong Merino**  
Commercial Ewe or Wether

**Section 5 – Merino Performance 6-8mth Shearing**  
Commercial Ewe or Wether



## Prizes in all sections

**Champion Commercial**  
**Reserved Champion Commercial**

### **Major Awards:**

- \* Grand Champion Commercial Fleece in Show
- \* Most Valuable Fleece in Show
- \* Most Successful Commercial Exhibitor

**Nutrien**  
**Ag Solutions\***  
St Arnaud

**Sponsored by Nutrien Ag Solution St. Arnaud**

# M - GARDEN & POULTRY PRODUCE

CHIEF STEWARD: Mrs Bev Rourke

STEWARD: K. Medlyn, M. Medlyn.

**No Entry Fee.**

*First & Second Prize Cards will be awarded.*

*All exhibits must have been grown by amateurs.*

*All entries must have been grown by exhibitors.*

*More than one entry per class is allowed, however, only one entry per class per person will be counted in aggregate.*

*Exhibit cards must be attached securely to each exhibit.*

*Eggs to be displayed in egg cartons.*

*Where possible all leafy vegetables to be displayed in small containers of water to help avoid wilting.*

## Poultry Produce

- M1 One dozen Hen eggs, White.
- M2 One dozen Hen eggs, Brown.
- M3 One dozen Hen eggs, Tinted.
- M4 One dozen Hen eggs, Coloured.
- M5 One dozen Bantam eggs.
- M6 One dozen Duck eggs.

**Sash and voucher for two pullets for best eggs in show** (Classes M1 To M6 inclusive)  
**Prize donated by Ballarat Chooks**

## Citrus Fruit

- M7 Six Oranges with stem and some foliage attached.
- M8 Six Lemons with stem and some foliage attached.
- M9 Six Mandarins with stem and some foliage attached.
- M10 Six Citrus fruit not specified in schedule with stem and some foliage attached.
- M11 Six Citrus - mixed with stem and some foliage attached.

**Sash and \$15 Voucher for Best Citrus Exhibit** (Classes M7 to M11 inclusive)  
**Prize Donated by Greentime Nursery St. Arnaud**

## Vegetables

- M12 One bunch of Carrots.
- M13 One Lettuce.
- M14 One Cabbage.
- M15 One Cauliflower.
- M16 One Broccoli.
- M17 Six Stalks of Silverbeet any variety.
- M18 Six Stalks of Rhubarb, with heel and part leaf.
- M19 One Pumpkin.
- M20 One bunch of Onions.
- M21 One bunch of Beetroot.
- M22 Ten pods of Broad Beans on a disposable plate.
- M23 Ten pods of Peas on a disposable plate.
- M24 Three Leeks.
- M25 Six stalks of Kale
- M26 Six Radish
- M27 Any vegetable not specified in schedule.
- M28 Basket of Vegetables, grown by exhibitor.

**Sash and \$15 voucher for Best Vegetable Exhibit** (Classes M12 to M28 Inclusive)  
**Prize Donated by Greentime Nursery St. Arnaud**



## Herbs

- M29** One bunch of Parsley in water.  
**M30** One bunch of Mint in water.  
**M31** One bunch of one other variety of herbs in water, named.  
**M32** Collection of Herbs bunched in water, named list attached to exhibit.  
**M33** Single variety of Herb growing in a pot, not exceeding 30cm diameter, named.  
**M34** Mixed Herbs growing in a pot not exceeding 30cm diameter, named.

**Sash and \$15 Voucher for Best Herb Exhibit** (classes M29 to M34 inclusive)  
**Prize Donated by Greentime Nursery St Arnaud**

## Edible Flowers

- M35** One bunch of one variety of Edible Flowers.  
**M36** One bunch of mixed Edible Flowers.

## Australian Bush Tucker

- M37** One variety of Australian Bush Tucker, named.  
**M38** Collection of Australian Bush Tucker, named.

### AGGREGATE (Classes M1 to M38 Inclusive)

**First - Sash and \$25 Voucher donated by North Central Farm Trees**  
**Second - Car Wash Voucher donated by Apex Service Station**  
First - 3 points, Second - 2 points.

## Children's Section

All entries must be grown by a child 14 years and under except classes M43 and M44 where pumpkins may be purchased. Eggs must be from immediate family's backyard poultry  
First \$5 Second \$2.

- M39** Largest hen egg. (display in small basket or similar).  
***1st One bag of layer pellets - Donated by St Arnaud Petstock Country***  
**M40** Any vegetable.  
**M41** Any vegetable growing in a pot not exceeding 30cm diameter.  
**M42** Strawberry's growing in a pot.  
**M43** One bunch of Herbs.  
**M44** Best dressed or decorated pumpkin. 7 Years and under.  
**M45** Best dressed or decorated pumpkin. 8 years to 14 years inclusive.

**Sash for Best Childs Exhibit** (Classes M39 to M45)  
**Prize Donated by Wayne & Bev Rourke**

## Wheelbarrow Gardens

Recycled, discarded old garden wheelbarrows to be used.  
Wheelbarrows maybe painted and or decorated.  
Aids permitted (e.g. small trellis, small stakes).  
Plants must be growing in potting mix/compost in wheelbarrow.  
Plants must not be growing in pots or containers.  
Herbs are not permitted.

- M46** Vegetable garden growing in a wheelbarrow.  
**First Sash**  
**M47** Flower garden growing in a wheelbarrow.  
**First Sash**  
**M48** Cacti and or Succulent garden growing in a wheelbarrow.  
**First Sash**

# N - PRESERVES & HOMEMADES

CHIEF STEWARD: Mrs. Sharon Douglas

STEWARDS: K. Douglas; G. Douglas, J. Gloster.

Competitors must attach entry card to exhibit.

Entries cannot be removed before 5.30pm, Saturday 5th October 2024.

All entries not collected by 6.30pm Saturday become the property of the Society.

**FREE ENTRY** – No prize money unless stated. Children sections 1st - \$5, 2nd - \$2

Judges can move decorated cakes from one class to another at their own discretion.

Jams and pickles, named and dated – **No wax, covered with CLEAR FILM / NO LIDS.**

Exhibitors should take care to see that cakes are not marked by cake stands.

Cakes to be exhibited on DISPOSABLE PLATES, exhibitor's exhibit number card must be attached to the plate with correct exhibit on the plate.

Cakes must not be cut. More than one entry allowed per class.

## **ALL preserves to be labelled and dated.**

**NOTE:** Entries will be on display for 1 day. Please have this in mind - re keeping qualities.

Only one entry per class per person will be counted in aggregate. Exhibitors are requested to take all entries to stewards for checking and advise any withdrawn entries. Judge's decision is final.

## **Novice Section - Class 1 & 2**

N1 Chocolate cake, iced.

N2 Four Muffins - any variety

## **The Blokes Kitchen Corner - MEN ONLY SECTION**

N3 Four Muffins - any variety

N4 One bottle Tomato Sauce

N5 Boiled Fruit Cake

N6 Any baked item not in Sections N3 - N5

**AGGREGATE Prize - Classes N3 - N6  
Voucher donated by St. Arnaud Car Wash**

## **OPEN SECTION**

N7 One jar jelly.

N8 One jar marmalade.

N9 One jar jam - any variety

N10 One jar pickles - any variety

N11 One bottle tomato sauce - Ezy Sauce or Sausetta allowed.

N12 One jar homemade salad dressing

N13 One jar preserved fruit.

N14 Four everyday articles from the pantry shelf.

N15 One jar of relish.

**AGGREGATE Prize - Class N7 - N15  
Gift Donated by Kara CWA**

- N16 Four Scones - Plain round cutter, made the day before judging.
- N17 Four Savoury Scones - Plain round cutter, made the day before judging.
- N18 Any Microwave Cake.
- N19 Packet Cake, iced.
- N20 Four Muffins - any variety - may contain chocolate chips
- N21 Four yo-yos biscuits joined with white icing.
- N22 Four pieces of uncooked slice. One variety 3cm x 7cm
- N23 Four pieces of cooked slice. One variety 3cm x 7cm
- N24 Biscuits. 2 distinct varieties, 3 of each.
- N25 Plain sponge, sandwich, un-iced and unfilled.
- N26 Chocolate sponge, sandwich, un-iced, unfilled.
- N27 Four Anzac Biscuits.
- N28 Decorated anniversary or novelty cake (1st - \$20, 2nd - \$10) *Donated by Joan Supple.*
- N29 Banana Cake.
- N30 Orange cake, un-iced not sandwich, loaf tin.
- N31 Tea cake.
- N32 Chocolate cake, with butter, un-iced.
- N33 Carrot cake, no icing.
- N34 Steamed Plum Pudding, basin approximately 1 litre.
- N35 Rich Fruit Cake (1st - \$20, 2nd - \$10) *Mrs. Marie & Alan Hendy Memorial : Donated by Mr. GD. Hendy*
- N36 Boiled Fruit Cake.
- N37 White Bread.
- N38 Wholemeal bread, no premix
- N39 Bread baked in machine - white loaf.
- N40 Bread baked in a machine - spicy fruit loaf.
- N41 Afternoon tea tray for one.
- N42 Picnic lunch for two - Maximum space per entry **30cm x 40cm.**

**Best Exhibit - Classes N16 - N42  
\$20 - Donated by Sandra McIntyre.**

#### WIMMERA AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES ASSOCIATION (WASA) - REGULATIONS

1. A person having won at a local Show will compete at a Wimmera Group final in November
2. A person having won at Show level, is not eligible for entry at any other show until after the Group judging when, if not the winning entry, can compete again
3. Each article entered must be the bona fide work of the exhibitor
4. If for any reason a winner is unable to compete at Group Final, then 2<sup>nd</sup> place-getter is eligible to compete
5. W.A.S.A. entrants must reside in the boundaries of the Wimmera Group
6. Winners at W.A.S.A. Group Final receive \$20 cash
7. Items, except Cookery Exhibits which are entered in the Wimmera final judging must be exactly the same as won at local Show

- N43 Bottle of Tomato Sauce (min 300ml), jar Mustard Pickles (min 250ml/1 Cup), jar Relish (min 250ml/1 Cup).** (W.A.S.A.) Group level prize \$20
- N44 One jar Jam, one jar Jelly (both min 250ml/1 Cup).** (W.A.S.A) Group level prize \$20
- N45 Four Sweet muffins**, not iced or decorated, no packet mixes, own recipe (papers to be removed). (W.A.S.A.) Group level prize \$20
- N46 Decorated Plaque Based Centre Piece** no larger than 30cm at widest point. (W.A.S.A.) Group level prize \$20.
- N47 Boiled Plum Pudding** – in a cloth, cloth removed, own recipe. (W.A.S.A.) Group level prize \$20
- N48 Steamed Plum Pudding** – own recipe. (W.A.S.A.) Group level prize \$20
- N49 Loaf of White Bread** – made in a bread making machine - Bread Rolls WASA.
- N50 4 ANZAC Biscuits**
- N51 Orange Cake** - own recipe. Loaf tin, Iced.

**The KINDRED Trophy (Perpetual) Grand Aggregate over Classes N7 - N51**  
 In Memory of Mrs. S. S. Kindred, Lyn and Joan (29/1/64) and Mr. Harold B. Coates (31/3/98)  
 and Mrs. Belle Coates (28/3/2010)

**Gift donated by Mrs. Karen Douglas in memory of Mrs. Molly Jackson**

## **VICTORIAN AGRICULTURAL SHOWS LIMITED (VAS Ltd.) REGULATIONS COMPETITIONS CONDUCTED BY V.A.S. LTD INC**

1. A person can represent only one Society or Group for V.A.S.L.
2. An article having won at Show level will compete at Group Final, winner will then compete at next Royal Melbourne Show
3. An article having won Group Final cannot compete further until after the Royal Melbourne Show
4. An article, having won at the Royal Melbourne Show in any class is no longer eligible to compete in the competition
5. Each article entered must be the bona fide work of the exhibitor
6. If for any reason a winner is unable to compete at Group or State Final level, then 2<sup>nd</sup> place-getter is eligible to compete
7. Items, except Cookery exhibits, must be the same as won at local Show or Group
8. A person will not be permitted to win at more than one Show within the State in any one Show year. Persons not adhering to this rule will be required to forfeit/refund prize-money.
9. An article, having won first at a Show, cannot be shown at any other State Show that year. All work to have been completed within the last 12 months

### **Pavilion Entries:**

**Entries forms to Joan Supple prior to show, to receive your ticket to attach to your work, to save time when dropping of your work.**

Accepting entries from Tuesday, 1st Oct. to Wednesday 11am to 5pm,  
 Thursday 3rd Oct. 10am to 7pm. (Cut Flowers Only): Friday 4th Oct. 10am to 10.45am.

### **Collection of Pavilion Entries:**

**Entries can be collected between 5.30pm to 6.30pm, Saturday.**

All entries not collected by 6.30pm Saturday, become the property of the Society.

***Prizes available Saturday, 5th October, 2024, at the Pavilion***

## N52 VAS Carrot Cake Competition *Open to carrot cake enthusiasts everywhere*

( Open to all), (W.A.S.A.) Group Level Prize \$20.

VAS level \$250 for the winner and a trophy, \$100 for 2<sup>nd</sup> and \$50 for 3<sup>rd</sup>.

### Competitors to only use the recipe below.

The new recipe as recommended by Geoff from Rocky Lamattina's that the Good Foods Australia award winning recipe is the recipe used for the State Carrot Cake competition.

**PLEASE NOTE:** The glaze has been removed from this recipe.

Every entry to this class at show level must use this recipe.

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### VAS Carrot Cake:

Ingredients:

- 375g Plain Flour
- 2 tsp Baking Powder
- 1 ½ tsp bicarb soda
- 2 tsp ground cinnamon
- ½ tsp ground nutmeg
- ½ tsp allspice
- Pinch of salt
- 345 g castor sugar
- 350 ml vegetable oil
- 4 eggs
- 3 medium carrots, grated (350 grams)
- 220 g tin crushed pineapple, drained
- 180 g pecan nuts crushed

### Method:

1. Preheat the oven to 180C (160C fan), Grease a 23cm (9") round cake tin and line with baking paper.
2. Sift the dry ingredients together into a bowl. In a separate bowl, beat the eggs and oil, then add to the dry ingredients. Mix well then add the carrots, crushed pineapple and pecans. Mix to form a smooth batter and pour into the cake tin.
3. Bake for approximately 90 - 100 minutes.
4. Remove from the oven and allow to cool for 10 minutes in the tin on a wire rack. Upend and allow to cool on the wire rack.

## N53 VAS Junior Boiled Fruit Cake - *Junior must be under 18 years of day of show.*

(W.A.S.A.) (V.A.S. Ltd). W.A.S.A.) Group level prize \$20

### Boiled Fruit Cake:

Ingredients:

- 375g Mixed Fruit
- 1/2 cup Sherry
- 3/4 cup Brown Sugar
- 2 eggs lightly beaten
- 1 teaspoon Mixed Spice
- 2 tablespoons Marmalade
- 1/2 cup Water
- 1 cup Self Raising Flour
- 125g Butter
- 1 cup Plain Flour
- 1/2 teaspoon Bicarbonate of Soda
- 1/4 teaspoon Salt.

### Method:

Place the mixed fruit, sugar, spice, water and butter in a large saucepan and bring to the boil. Simmer gently for 3 minutes, then removed from stove, add bicarb soda and allow to cool. Add the Sherry, eggs and marmalade, mixing well. Fold in the sifted dry ingredients, then place in a greased and lined 20cm **ROUND** tin. Bake in a moderately slow oven for 1.5 hours, or until cooked when tested.

### HOT TIP FOR COMPETITORS:

- A well-kept competition cake making secret: lay a tea towel. Over the cake rack before turning the cake out to prevent the imprint of the cake rake appearing on your competition cake.

**N54 VAS Rich Fruit Cake** - (Senior / Open). Recipe (W.A.S.A.) (V.A.S. Ltd).  
 (W.A.S.A.) Group level prize \$20. VAS Prize - **First: \$200.00** Prizemoney & VAS  
 State Final Trophy **Second: \$100.00** Prizemoney **Third: \$50.00** Prizemoney

### Rich Fruit Cake:

Ingredients:

- 250g Sultanas
- 250g Chopped Raisins
- 250g Currants
- 125g Chopped Mixed Peel
- 90g Chopped Red Glace Cherries
- 90g Chopped Blanched Almonds
- 1/3 cup Sherry or Brandy
- 250g Plain Flour
- 60g Self Raising Flour
- 1/4 teaspoon Grated Nutmeg
- 1/2 teaspoon Ground Ginger
- 1/2 teaspoon Ground Cloves
- 250g Butter
- 250g Soft Brown Sugar
- 1/2 teaspoon Lemon Essence or finely grated lemon rind
- 1/2 teaspoon Almond Essence
- 1/2 teaspoon Vanilla Essence
- 4 large eggs

### Method:

Cut the fruit & almonds into 3-4 pieces and mix together all the fruits and nuts and sprinkle with the sherry or brandy. Cover and leave for at least 1 hour, but preferably overnight.

Sift together the flours and spices. Cream together the butter and sugar with the essences. Add the eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition, and then alternately add the fruit and flour mixtures. Mix thoroughly. The mixture should be stiff enough to support a wooden spoon.

Place the mixture into a prepared tin **20 cm square, straight sided, square cornered tin** and bake in a slow oven for approximately 3½ - 4 hours. Allow the cake to cool in the tin.

**N55 VAS Ltd Junior Carrot & Sultana Muffins** (Juniors under 18 on the day of local show). Made by exhibitor. Use round paper Muffin Cases Classic White (size - 35mm high x 90mm wide x 50mm base). Four (4) muffins per plate. (W.A.S.A.) Group Level Prize \$20. VAS level \$250 for the winner and trophy, \$100 for 2<sup>nd</sup> and \$50 for 3<sup>rd</sup>.

### 4 Carrot and Date Muffins:

Ingredients:

- 2 1/2 cups Self-raising flour
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 1 Cup brown sugar (firmly packed)
- 1/3 cup chopped in ½ Sultanas
- 1 cup coarsely grated carrot
- 1 tablespoon orange marmalade
- 1 Cup canola oil
- 2 eggs, lightly beaten
- 3/4 cup orange juice
- 1 Cup reduced fat milk

### Method:

1. Heat oven to 190oC (moderately hot).
2. **Line a 12 hold muffin pan with round paper muffin cases** - Classic white muffin cases size (35mm Height x 90mm Wide x 50mm Base).
3. Sift dry ingredients into a large bowl, stir in dates and carrots. Then add the combined marmalade, oil, eggs, juice and milk. Mix until just combined.
4. Spoon mixture evenly into muffin paper cases in muffin pan.
5. Cook for 20 minutes. To test muffins are cooked insert cake skewer. If it comes out clean the muffins are ready.
6. Stand muffins in pan for 5 minutes before removing to cool.
7. Show entries. Four (4) muffins per plate.

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N56

## CHAMPION COOK OF THE DISTRICT

Miss Georgia Douglas Trophy  
(Within radius of 80kms)

1st - \$15.00, 2nd - \$10.00, 3rd - \$5.00

Points awarded as follows: 1st - 3 points; 2nd - 2 points.

Aggregate of 7 points or more to be awarded Champion Cook of District

To be won three times not necessarily in succession.

Winner then donates next prize.

Choose 3 or more from the following list

- N56 a. Four Yo - Yo's biscuits joined with white icing.
- N56 b. Four Buttercake Lamingtons, 5cm cubes.
- N56 c. Ginger, Carrot or Mud Cake.
- N56 d. Four Scones, made day before judging.
- N56 e. Plain Sponge Sandwich, unfilled and un-iced or Chocolate Sponge.

### Children's Section - 1st Prize \$5.00, 2nd prize \$2.00 - all categories

#### Cookery for CHILDREN - Preschool and Primary School

**NOTE:** This should be the work of the competitor with minimal adult help.

- N57 Preschool - Three decorated Marie Biscuits on paper plate (topping must be edible).
- N58 Preschool - Edible necklace. - Length no longer than 50cm.
- N59 Prep - Edible necklace. - Length no longer than 50cm.
- N60 Prep - Three decorated Marie Biscuits on paper plate (topping must be edible).
- N61 Grade 1 & 2 - Edible necklace. - Length no longer than 50cm.
- N62 Grade 1 & 2 - Three decorated Marie Biscuits on paper plate. (topping must be edible).
- N63 Grade 3 & 4 - Three decorated Marie Biscuits on paper plate. (topping must be edible).
- N64 Grade 5 & 6 - Three decorated Marie Biscuits on paper plate. (topping must be edible).
- N65 Four decorated patty cakes, in paper (packet mix allowed).
- N66 Plate of Four plain scones.
- N67 Orange Packet Cake, un-iced, loaf tin.
- N68 Four Plain Pikelets. S.R. Flour.
- N69 Chocolate Packet Cake, round tin, un-iced.
- N70 4 Muffins any variety.

**Best Exhibit - Classes N57 - N70**  
**\$15.00 Donated by Joan Supple**

#### Cookery for CHILDREN - Under 16 years of age at October 1st this year.

**AGGREGATE:** 1st - 3 points; 2nd - 2 points.

- N71 Plate of Four Plain Scones.
- N72 Ginger Cake, un-iced.
- N73 Chocolate Cake, un-iced.
- N74 Plain Sponge, un-iced and unfilled.
- N75 Orange Cake, un-iced, loaf tin.
- N76 Four decorated patty cakes, in paper (packet mix NOT allowed).
- N77 Four pieces of cooked slice. 3cm x 4cm.
- N78 Four Fruit Muffins.
- N79 Pizza - any variety.
- N80 Banana Cake.

**AGGREGATE Prize - Classes N71 - N80**  
**\$15.00 Donated by Gerald & Cheryl McIntyre.**

# O - PLANTS & FLOWERS

FREE ENTRY

Prize Vouchers awarded as listed

CHIEF STEWARD: Miss Brenda Proctor

STEWARDS: Mrs D. Saxon-Campbell, Mrs. M. Proctor, Mrs. N Pearse,

**Cut Flowers and Garden Sections 1 - 17 to be grown by exhibitor**

**ROSETTE and VOUCHER FOR CHAMPION BLOOM/S**

**Best Exhibit (Chosen from 1 - 10) voucher donated by Brenda Proctor**

**Cut Flower Aggregate Prize Sections 1 - 10**

**1st & 2nd prizes donated by Marg and John Proctor**

**Best Exhibit (chosen from 11 - 17)**

**Prize donated by Nola & Graeme Pearse**

**Garden Aggregate Prize Sections 11 - 17**

**1st Prize donated by Bev and Len Reid**

**2nd Prize donated by Val and Clive Hancock**

**IMPORTANT - Please Read Schedule Carefully**

All Aggregate prizes, First 3 points, 2nd 2 points.

**CUT FLOWER ENTRIES ONLY**, will be taken until **10am Friday**, no late entries

*EXHIBIT CARDS need to be attached firmly to exhibits.*

## **CUT FLOWERS (*To be grown by exhibitor*)**

- O1** Three stems of one variety. Staged separately.
- O2** Three stems of different variety. Staged separately.
- O3** Any one Bloom.
- O4** One cut of flowering shrub / tree / creeper other than NATIVE - Height limit 50cm.
- O5** One cut of AUSTRALIAN Flora. Height limit of 60cm.
- O6** Three stems of Geraniums / Staged separately.
- O7** Multiple blooms on one stem. No Orchids or Bearded Iris.
- O8** Three pansies on a saucer.
- O9** One Orchid Flower.
- O10** One stem of Bearded Iris.

## **GARDEN SECTION**

- O11** Collection of Mixed Daisies.
- O12** Container of Ranunculi.
- O13** Cottage Garden Collection, in one container.
- O14** Pot Plant in Bloom. - Pot not to exceed 30cm in diameter.  
**EXHIBIT to be not more than 55cm in height.**
- O15** Fernery or Indoor Pot Plant, foliage. - Pot not to exceed 30cm in diameter.  
**EXHIBIT to be not more than 55cm in height.**
- O16** Collection of Natives, staged separately.- Maximum of six stems. Height limit 50cm
- O17** Container of Cacti and / or succulents. Height limit 30cm.



## DECORATIVE

*Entries must be in with Joan by 5.30pm on Thursday 3rd October.*

*Entries are to be in place by 10.15am Friday morning. **NO LATE Entries.***

ST. ARNAUD AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY INC.  
ROSETTE FOR CHAMPION EXHIBIT

**Best Exhibit Prize (Classes 18 - 31)**

**\$25 Voucher donated by North Central Trees.**

**Decorative Aggregate Prize, Sections 18 - 31**

**1st Voucher donated by North Central Trees,**

**2nd Prize donated by Val and Clive Hancock.**

**Special Prizes -1st & 2nd price,**

**1st \$10, 2nd \$5 - Vouchers donated by St. Arnaud Allsorts for Class 19.**

- O18 Flower Art - "My Choice" W.A.S.A.**  
Arrangement to comprise artificial and/or dried materials.  
Accessories allowed (W.A.S.A.) Group level prize \$20
- O19 Modern Arrangement using 5 or less flowers and foliage.**
- O20 Making the Most of What You Have.**
- O21 Mantle Arrangement. Foliage and accessories allowed.**
- O22 Arrangement created with wood.**
- O23 Showing off one flower with foliage.**
- O24 Arrangement to compliment a plate.**
- O25 Arrangement using two colours. Foliage colour not included.**
- O26 Pretty Posy. Accessories allowed.**
- O27 Old Fashioned flowers in an old fashioned container.**
- O28 Bowl of floating flowers and leaves (accessories allowed).**
- O29 Arrangement of Geraniums and / or Pelargonium or mixed with some foliage.**
- O30 Arrangement Incorporating an ornament.**
- O31 Arrangement incorporating one or more candles.**

## CHILDREN'S SECTION 14 AND UNDER

### PLEASE READ SCHEDULE CAREFULLY

**Prize & Sash for the most outstanding exhibit in children's section (classes 32 - 37)**  
**Donated by Len & Bev Reid**

**Classes 032 - 036 prize money. 1st \$3, 2nd \$2**

- O32 Vegetable and / or Fruit Person or Creature - using horticultural material.**  
Accessories allowed. Entries to be on a stable base no longer than 34cm
- O33 A Posy for Grandma - (posy must be tied).**
- O34 Floral Arrangement in a Coffee Mug.**
- O35 Pot Plant, Flower, Vegetable or Succulent**  
Grown by child in a pot (pot up to 150mm).

## 8 YEARS AND UNDER

- O36 Vegetable and / or Fruit Person - using horticultural material.**  
Accessories allowed. Entries to be on a stable base no longer than 34cm.
- O37 Vegetable and / or Fruit Creature - using horticultural material.**  
Accessories allowed. Entries to be on a stable base no longer than 34cm



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**SATURDAY 5TH  
& SUNDAY 6TH  
OCTOBER 2024**

## PAVILION ENTRIES

Mrs. Joan Supple - Pavilion Secretary

Ph: (03) 5491 2220 (Bus)

Ph: (03) 5495 1415 (Phone / Fax) after hours  
20 Charlton Rd., St. Arnaud 3478

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

The Pavilion Secretary will be at the Pavilion Monday to Thursday prior to the Show to register your entries (Times below).

### SAVE TIME, AVOID QUEUES & DELAYS

*post or Fax your entry form/s to the Pavilion Secretary  
prior to 1st October, 2024*

On registration of your entry you will receive your "Exhibitor Card"  
please attach the "Exhibitor Card" to your entry

Registered Entries can be delivered to the Pavilion on  
Tuesday, 1st Oct. to Wednesday 11am to 5pm, Thursday 3rd Oct. 10am to 7pm.  
(Cut Flowers Only): Friday 4th Oct. 10am to 10.45am.

Judging commences at 10:45am SHARP on Friday, October 4th, 2024

## NO LATE PAVILION ENTRIES WILL BE TAKEN

**No Pavilion EXHIBITS will be accepted after 10.45am Friday, 4th October 2024.  
Prizes available from 5.30pm to 6.30pm, 5th October, 2024, at the Pavilion**

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### WARNING UNDER THE FAIR TRADING ACT 1999

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# P - PHOTOGRAPHY

CHIEF STEWARD: Barry Wiseman

STEWARDS: Mahalia Segrave, Joanne Wiseman, Diane Martin & Josh Segrave,

ENTRY: Free (Prizes Junior Section **Only**. Unless sponsored.)

**Entries cannot be removed before 5:30pm, Saturday Show Day.**

## **PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:**

- ◆ *Images from all types of cameras are acceptable (Film / Digital)*
- ◆ *Must not have taken a prize in this section before.*
- ◆ *Prints no larger in size than 450mm x 350mm (18' x 14')*
- ◆ *Mount should be no larger than 50mm (2") around the print*
- ◆ *Points deducted for Incorrect Mounting*
- ◆ *Please place name on back of images*

## **P1 THEME FOR 2023/24**

**‘ARCHITECTURE (BRIDGE, BUILDING OR STRUCTURE IN AUSTRALIA)’**

**VAS Ltd Senior Photography**

1. Unframed.
2. Print no larger than 20cm by 30cm.
3. Must be mounted on thick card (mount no larger than 3cm).
4. Each exhibit entered must be the bona fide work of the exhibitor.
5. Professionals are not eligible, which is defined as someone that works professionally or derives the greater percentage of their income in that craft, art form or technique.
6. All work is to have been completed in the last twelve (12) months prior to its entry at a local Show.
7. The competition follows the three levels of competition: Show Level, Group Level and State Level.
8. An exhibit having won at a Show will compete at the 2024 Group Final. The winning exhibit at the Group Final will then compete in the State Final at the 2024 Melbourne Royal Show.
9. An exhibitor having won at Show Level is not eligible to enter the VAS Photography competition at any other Show until after the Group Final judging.
10. An exhibitor is only eligible to represent one Group in the State Final.
11. If for any reason a winner is unable to compete at Group or State Final Level, then the second place getter is eligible to compete.
12. An exhibit having won at State Final is no longer eligible to compete in the competition.
13. If an exhibitor is found to have won more than one Group Final the exhibitor must forfeit/ refund all prizes and will be disqualified from exhibiting for 12 months.

**State Final Prizes: First Prize: \$70.00 Prizemoney & VAS State Final Trophy**

**Second Prize: \$20.00 Prizemoney Third Prize: \$10.00 Prizemoney**

## P1A **THEME FOR 2023/24**

### **‘ARCHITECTURE (BRIDGE, BUILDING OR STRUCTURE IN AUSTRALIA)’ VAS Ltd Junior Photography**

1. Exhibitors to be aged under 18 years on the day of their Local Show.
2. Unframed.
3. Print no larger than 20cm by 30cm.
4. Must be mounted on thick card (mount no larger than 3cm).
5. Professionals are not eligible, which is defined as someone that works professionally or derives the greater percentage of their income in that craft, art form or technique.
6. Each exhibit entered must be the bona fide work of the exhibitor.
7. All work is to have been completed in the last twelve (12) months prior to its entry at a local Show.
8. The competition follows the three levels of competition: Show Level, Group Level and State Level.
9. An exhibit having won at a Show will compete at the 2024 Group Final. The winning exhibit at the Group Final will then compete in the State Final at the 2024 Melbourne Royal Show.
10. An exhibitor having won at Show Level is not eligible to enter the VAS Junior Photography competition at any other Show until after the Group Final judging.
11. An exhibitor is only eligible to represent one Group in the State Final.
12. If for any reason a winner is unable to compete at Group or State Final Level, then the second place getter is eligible to compete.
13. An exhibit having won at State Final is no longer eligible to compete in the competition.
14. If an exhibitor is found to have won more than one Group Final the exhibitor must forfeit/refund all prizes and will be disqualified from exhibiting for 12 months.

**State Final Prizes: First Prize:** \$30.00 Prizemoney & VAS State Final Trophy  
**Second Prize:** \$15.00 Prizemoney **Third Prize:** \$10.00 Prizemoney

## **Black and White or Sepia**

P2 **Any Subject - Open**

P3 **Architecture** - A picture that focuses on man made structures

## **Colour Prints**

P4 **Landscape, Waterscape or Skyscape** - A picture of natural scenery. It may include people or man-made structures provided they do not dominate the picture.

P5 **Portrait** - A study of one person (child, adult) can be from head and shoulders to full length. It may include parts of setting, which tells more about the subject.  
**Sponsored by Leoni McGillvray First Prize:** \$15.00 **Second Prize:** \$5.00

P6 **All creatures, great and small**

P7 **Sports and Recreation** - Anything from action to relaxation

P8 **Any Subject: Open**

P9 **Australian Native Wildlife** - Must be taken within 60km of St. Arnaud.  
**Sponsored by Landcare Victoria First Prize** \$20.00 **Second Prize:** \$5.00

P10 **Rural Study** – Anything rural based, such as a farm scene or study of machinery.

P11 **Macro Photography**- Close-up image usually of small subjects and living organisms like insects. This process results in the size of the image taken being larger than the subject itself.

- P12 Flower or Floral Study-** May be a single stem or an arrangement of vased flowers or a garden display.
- P13 Sunrise or Sunset**
- P14 Australian Native Wildflowers.** Must be taken within 60km of St. Arnaud.  
**Sponsored by Landcare Victoria First Prize: \$20.00 Second Prize \$5.00**

**Exhibitors 18 and Under (1st \$5, 2nd \$2)**

- P15 All Creatures Great and Small-**
- P16 Any Subject-**
- P17 Portrait-** A study of one person (child, adult) maybe from head and shoulders to full length. It may include parts of setting, which tells more about the subject.
- P18 Australian Native Wildflowers.** Must be taken within 60km of St. Arnaud.  
**Sponsored by Landcare Victoria First Prize: \$20.00 Second Prize \$5.00**
- P19 Australian Native Wildlife -** Must be taken within 60km of St. Arnaud.  
**Sponsored by Landcare Victoria First Prize \$20.00 Second Prize: \$5.00**

**Exhibitors up to and of Primary School age (1st \$5, 2nd \$2)**

- P20 Any Subject -.**
- P21 All Creatures Great and Small -** Pet or wildlife
- P22 Selfie/portrait study of one person**

**Best Exhibit - Car Wash Voucher donated by St. Arnaud Car Wash  
Aggregates \$20 each section [open, primary and under 18]**

## R - JUVENILE SECTION

Names MUST be on the back of Entries.

NO ENTRY FEE. *Prizes in all classes: 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$2.00*

All work MUST be completed in the last 12 MONTHS.

All drawings and paintings to have competitors name on back.

Earrings to be taped to back of card.

Entries cannot be removed before 5.30pm, Saturday 1st October, 2022.

CHIEF STEWARD: D. McIntyre.

STEWARDS: M Wells, S Sutton, A. McIntyre, S. McIntyre, V. Perry.

### **Kinder & Playgroup / Aggregate Prize - Donated by Joan Supple**

- R1 Drawing Up to A3 Size.
- R2 Decorated Container.
- R3 Collage up to A3 size. **Collage to fully cover page & can be of mixed medium.**
- R4 Painting up to A3 size.
- R5 Article from Recycled Materials.
- R6 Article of Craft not entered in schedule - No Lego.
- R7 Lego displayed on Lego square up to 30cm, own design (Blu-tack allowed).
- R8 Hand drawn tractor poster up to A4.

**Best Exhibit - Kinder & Playgroup  
\$5.00 Voucher**

### **Primary - Prep / Aggregate Prize - Donated by Vanessa Perry**

- R9 Drawing up to A3 Size.
- R10 Decorated Container.
- R11 Painting up to A3 size.
- R12 Collage up to A3 size. **Collage to fully cover page & can be of mixed medium.**
- R13 Article from Recycled Material.
- R14 Article of Craft not entered in schedule - No Lego.
- R15 Lego displayed on Lego square up to 30cm, own design (Blu-tack allowed).
- R16 Addressed Envelope.
- R17 Hand drawn tractor poster up to A4.

**Best Exhibit - Primary - Prep  
\$5.00 Voucher**

### **Primary - Grade 1 & Grade 2 / Aggregate Prize - Donated by Vanessa Perry**

- R18 Drawing up to A3 Size.
- R19 Decorated Container.
- R20 Collage up to A3 size. **Collage to fully cover page & can be of mixed medium.**
- R21 Painting up to A3 size.
- R22 Article from Recycled Material.
- R23 Article of Craft not entered in schedule - No Lego.
- R24 Lego displayed on Lego square up to 30cm, own design (Blu-tack allowed).
- R25 Addressed Envelope.
- R26 Poster to advertise St. Arnaud Show, any medium, up to A3 size.
- R27 Hand drawn tractor poster up to A4.



**Best Exhibit - Primary - Grade 1 & Grade 2**  
**\$5.00 Voucher**

**Grade 3 & Grade 4 / Aggregate Prize - Donated by Vanessa Perry**

- R28 Collage up to A3 size. **Collage to fully cover page & can be of mixed medium.**
- R29 Drawing up to A3 size.
- R30 Sketching up to A3 size.
- R31 Painting up to A3 size.
- R32 Hand drawn tractor poster up to A4.
- R33 Article from Recycled Material.
- R34 Addressed Envelope, handwritten.
- R35 Addressed Envelope, computer generated.
- R36 Poster to advertise St. Arnaud Show, any medium, up to A3 size.
- R37 Poster to advertise St. Arnaud Show, computer generated, up to A3 size.
- R38 Article of Craft not entered in schedule - No Lego.
- R39 Lego displayed on Lego square, up to 30cm, own design (Blu-tack allowed).
- R40 Article of Woodwork.
- R41 Decorated Article.
- R42 Pair of handmade earrings and mounted.

**Best Exhibit - Grade 3 & Grade 4**  
**\$5.00 Voucher**

**Grade 5 & Grade 6 / Aggregate Prize - Donated by Vanessa Perry**

- R43 **Primary School Students 12 years and under**  
**Most outstanding Exhibit entry from Primary School Student** will be entered in the WASA Competition for **Unspecified Article of Craft by a Primary School Student.** (W.A.S.A.) Group level prize \$20.
- R44 Sketching up to A3 size.
- R45 Drawing up to A3 size.
- R46 Painting up to A3 size.
- R47 Threads and/or Textiles.
- R48 Collage up to A3 size. **Collage to fully cover page & can be of mixed medium.**
- R49 Addressed Envelope - handwritten.
- R50 Addressed Envelope - computer generated.
- R51 Poster to advertise St. Arnaud Show, computer generated.
- R52 Poster to advertise St. Arnaud Show, hand drawn.
- R53 Decorated article.
- R54 Article of Patchwork, any method.
- R55 Article of Craft not entered in schedule - No Lego.
- R56 Lego displayed on Lego square, up to 30cm, own design.
- R57 Article of Woodwork.
- R58 Article from Recycled Material.
- R59 Pair of homemade earrings and mounted.
- R60 Hand drawn tractor poster up to A4.

**Best Exhibit - Grade 5 & Grade 6**  
**\$5.00 Voucher**

## Intermediate (Yrs 7, 8 & 9)

**Aggregate Prize** *donated by St. Arnaud Home Timber & Hardware (\$15 Voucher).*

### R61 **Junior Handcrafts and Hobbies**

**Most outstanding Exhibit entry from Secondary School Student** will be entered in the WASA Competition for **Unspecified Article of Craft by a Secondary School Student.** (W.A.S.A.) Group level prize \$20. i.e. sections 62 to 84.

R62 Example of Woodwork.

R63 Pottery.

R64 Ceramics.

R65 Painting - Watercolour.

R66 Painting - Acrylic.

R67 Painting - Canvas. - Painting must not exceed A3 in size.

R68 Sketching - up to A3 size.

R69 Piece of Crayon Work - up to A3 in size.

R70 Drawing up to A3 size.

R71 Threads and/or textiles including canvas work.

R72 Hand knitted article (\$15 voucher donated by **Hen Picked Crafts**).

R73 Metal work.

R74 Article of Patchwork, any method (\$20 voucher donated by **Hen Picked Crafts**).

R75 Any machine sewn article / clothing.

R76 Article of Craft, not entered in the schedule - No Lego.

R77 Article from Recycled Material.

R78 Pair of handmade earrings and mounted.

R79 Printing, any medium.

R80 Article of Visual Graphics - hand drawn.

R81 Article of Visual Graphics - computer generated.

R82 Lego displayed on Lego square up to 30cm, own design.

R83 Article of Crochet.(\$15 voucher donated by **Hen Picked Crafts**).

R84 Recycled, may include resources (bark, etc.).

**Best Exhibit - Intermediate (Yrs 7, 8 & 9)  
Prize - Donated by St. Arnaud Tyre Service.**

**Senior (Yrs 10, 11 & 12 & Up to 18 Yrs of age** (as at 1st Oct 2024)  
**Aggregate Prize** *donated by Lyal Eales Store*

- R85** Example of Wood work.
- R86** Pottery - any method.
- R87** Ceramics.
- R88** Sketching - up to A3 size.
- R89** Painting - Watercolour
- R90** Painting - Acrylic
- R91** Painting - Canvas - not exceeding A3 size.
- R92** Drawing up to A3 size.
- R93** Piece of Crayon Work - up to A3 size.
- R94** Threads and/or Textiles including canvas work.
- R95** Hand knitted article. (\$15 voucher donated by **Hen Picked Crafts**).
- R96** Metalwork.
- R97** Article of Patchwork, any method (\$20 voucher donated by **Hen Picked Crafts**).
- R98** Any Machine sewn article / clothing.
- R99** Article of Craft, not entered in schedule - No Lego.
- R100** Article from Recycled Material.
- R101** Pair of Handmade Earrings and mounted.
- R102** Printing, any medium.
- R103** Article of Visual Graphics - hand drawn.
- R104** Article of Visual Graphics - computer generated.
- R105** Article of Crochet (\$15 voucher donated by **Hen Picked Crafts**).
- R106** Recycled, may include resources (bark, etc.).

**Best Exhibit - Senior (Yrs 10, 11 & 12)**  
**Car Wash Voucher** *donated by St. Arnaud Car Wash*

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# S - MISCELLANEOUS FANCY WORK

**CHIEF STEWARD: (Contact Joan Supple: 5491 2220, A.H: 5495 1415).**

STEWARDS: C. Goode. L. Summers, M. Kearnan, B. Reid, J. Coates.

## **PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING:**

**These rules must be strictly adhered to:**

- \* Framed entries - please fasten ticket firmly on a length of thread.
- \* Entry Card **MUST** be sewn to exhibits.
- \* Class 14 is ineligible for Best Exhibit of Section S.
- \* No fancywork to be exhibited that has won a prize at the St. Arnaud Show.
- \* All work to be completed within the last two years, except in W.A.S.A. or VAS competitions.
- \* **Exhibits to be bona-fide work of the exhibitor except Class 14.**
- \* Fancywork must not be washed or dry-cleaned.
- \* Fancywork to be mounted for display purposes.
- \* Artwork must be framed or have means of hanging.
- \* **Garments must not have been worn.**
- \* Article can only be entered in one class.
- \* Article or garment refers to one item only, unless otherwise specified.
- \* Yarn labels must be attached where specified.
- \* An article from one person's work may be eligible for best exhibit of Section S.
- \* The Society will not hold itself responsible for the safe custody of exhibits, but every care will be taken of same during the day of judging, and day of Show.
- \* **W.A.S.A and V.A.S. Ltd Sections - General Regulations as per page 30, 31 and 32.**

**Entries cannot be removed before 5.30pm, Saturday 5th October, 2024.**

**Best Exhibit:** Classes S1 - S13, Classes S14 - S23, Classes S24 - S49,

Classes S50 - S56 and Classes S57 - S74

**AGGREGATE Prize** - Classes S1 - S75

**\$15 Voucher donated by St. Arnaud Home Hardware, St. Arnaud**

First Prize - 3points; Second Prize - 2 points.

**Ribbon for Best Exhibit in Section S & a \$100 Prize donated by the Jean & Dick Bray.**

## **Embroidery**

**S1** Cross Stich (not on Gingham).

**S2** **V.A.S. Ltd One Cross Stich Competition - Article of Cross Stich, any type**

**1.** Up to 60cms on all sides including frame minimal embellishments allowed. **2.** Each exhibit entered must be the bona fide work of the exhibitor. **3. Professionals are not eligible**, which is defined as someone that works professionally or derives the greater percentage of their income in that craft, art form or technique. **4.** All work is to have been completed in the last twelve (12) months prior to its entry at a local Show. **5.** The competition follows the three levels of competition: Show Level, Group Level and State Level. **6.** An exhibit having won at a Show will compete at the 2025 Group Final. The winning exhibit at the Group Final will then compete in the State Final at the 2025 Royal Melbourne Show. **7.** An exhibitor having won at Show Level is not eligible to enter the VAS Cross Stich competition at any other Show until after the Group Final judging. **8.** An exhibitor is only eligible to represent one Group in the State Final. **9.** If for any reason a winner is unable to compete at Group or State Final Level, then the second place getter is eligible to compete. **10.** An exhibit having won at State Final is no longer eligible to compete in the competition. **11.** If an exhibitor is found to have won more than one Group Final the exhibitor must forfeit/refund all prizes and will be disqualified from exhibiting for 12 months.

**State Final Prizes: First Prize:** \$300.00 Spotlight Voucher & VAS State Final Trophy.

**Second Prize:** \$150.00 Spotlight Voucher. **Third Prize:** \$50.00 Spotlight Voucher

**S3** Ribbon Embroidery.

**S4** Framed Embroidery.

- S5 Creative Work.
- S6 Machine Embroidery.
- S7 Embroidered Baby's Blanket.
- S8 Article of Candle wicking.
- S9 Article of Smocking.
- S10 Any other Type of Embroidery (any medium).
- S11 V.A.S. Ltd Article of Hand Embroidery, any type, **excluding cross stitch**. W.A.S.A. Group Prize \$20, **State Final Prize. First Prize** \$300 Spotlight voucher plus V.A.S. Ltd plaque, **Second** \$150 Spotlight Voucher, **Third** \$50 Spotlight Voucher.

### Canvas Work

- S12 Tapestry.
- S13 Long Stich.



**Best Exhibit - Class S1 - S13.  
\$20 - Donated by Bond Family.**

### Patchwork & Quilting

**Please Note:** All quilts to have a hanging sleeve or tabs sewn on for hanging. Sleeve or tabs will not be judged.

- S14 Patchwork Quilt - 2 person quilt, pieced by entrant and quilted by another and is ineligible for Best Exhibit of Section S.
- S15 Patchwork Quilt - Wall hanging, hanging less than 400cms in perimeter.
- S16 Patchwork Quilt - quilted using a domestic machine.
- S17 Patchwork Quilt - quilted using a long arm machine.
- S18 Patchwork Quilt - hand and / or domestic machine quilted.
- S19 Quilt suitable for a Baby or Toddler.
- S20 Patchwork article incorporating Appliqué.
- S21 Patchwork Table runner.
- S22 Any other article of Patchwork.
- S23 **VAS LTD Patchwork Competition**



**1. THE EXHIBIT IS TO BE NO LARGER THAN 90CM x 125CM.** 2. Machine/hand pieced and quilted by exhibitor only. 3. Minimal Embellishments. Small amount only, not to overpower patchwork. 4. Each exhibit entered must be the bona fide work of the exhibitor. 5. Professionals are not eligible, which is defined as someone that works professionally or derives the greater percentage of their income in that craft, art form or technique. 6. All work is to have been completed in the last twelve (12) months prior to its entry at a local Show. 7. The competition follows the three levels of competition: Show Level, Group Level and State Level. 8. An exhibit having won at a Show will compete at the 2025 Group Final. The winning exhibit at the Group Final will then compete in the State Final at the 2025 Melbourne Royal Show. 9. An exhibitor having won at Show Level is not eligible to enter the VAS Patchwork competition at any other Show until after the Group Final judging. 10. An exhibitor is only eligible to represent one Group in the State Final. 11. If for any reason a winner is unable to compete at Group or State Final Level, then the second placegetter is eligible to compete. 12. An exhibit having won at State Final is no longer eligible to compete in the competition. 13. If an exhibitor is found to have won more than one Group Final the exhibitor must forfeit/refund all prizes and will be disqualified from exhibiting for 12 months.

**State Final Prizes: First Prize:** \$300 Spotlight voucher & VAS State Final Trophy,  
**Second Prize:** \$150 Spotlight voucher, **Third Prize:** \$50 Spotlight voucher.

**Best Exhibit - Class S14- S23  
\$15 voucher - Donated by Hen Picked Crafts**

## Miscellaneous

- S24 Coat Hanger, any material.
- S25 Article suitable for Adult Christmas Gift.
- S26 Article suitable for Child's Christmas Gift.
- S27 Cushion cover, any shape/size - include covered insert.
- S28 Picture, any medium.
- S29 Sketch - Black and White.
- S30 Page of Scrapbooking.
- S31 Article incorporating Appliqué - not quilts.
- S32 Christmas Decoration.
- S33 Stitchery.
- S34 Handmade Card.
- S35 Handmade Jewellery - Must be mounted.
- S36 Fabric Bag.
- S37 Household Item - e.g. Door Stop, Book End.
- S38 Pincushion, novelty or traditional.
- S39 Article made from Homemade Felt.
- S40 Teddy Bear.
- S41 Soft Toy.
- S42 Dressed Doll.
- S43 Tea Cosy, any medium.
- S44 Article of Origami.
- S45 Creative Threads and Textiles.
- S46 Macramé
- S47 Article of Craft made by a person with disabilities.
- S48 Article of Craft by person over 65 years.
- S49 Article of Craft work not entered in schedule (one item only).



**Best Exhibit - Class S24 - S49**  
**\$25 - Donated by B.T. & M.A. Coates**

## **SHOW DATES FOR 2024/2025**

**- *Wimmera Agricultural Show Ass.***

<b>Horsham:</b>	<b>September 26th &amp; 27th</b>
<b>Murtoa:</b>	<b>October 4th</b>
<b>Goroke:</b>	<b>October 5th</b>
<b>Warracknabeal:</b>	<b>October 10th</b>
<b>Donald:</b>	<b>October 11th &amp; 12th</b>
<b>Nhill:</b>	<b>October 17th</b>
<b>Dimboola:</b>	<b>October 19th</b>
<b>Charlton:</b>	<b>October 19th</b>
<b>Jeparit:</b>	<b>October 20th</b>
<b>Stawell:</b>	<b>October 26th</b>
<b>Ararat:</b>	<b>October 27th</b>

*Wimmera Machinery Field Days 4th, 5th & 6th March 2025*  
*Melbourne Royal Show: TBD, 2025*

## Sewing

- S50 Adult Casual Outfit.
- S51 Garment in Stretch Fabric, two pieces allowed.
- S52 Child's garment, two pieces allowed.
- S53 Adult Blouse.
- S54 Machine Sewn Apron.
- S55 Article of Sewing not specified in schedule, two pieces allowed.
- S56 **“Spotlight State Sewing Competition”.**

## SPOTLIGHT

**1. Tote Bag up to 30cm width x 40cm height maximum**, gusset depth up to 20cm, using approximately 50% recycled components. 2. Machine sewn & may be hand finished, embellishments allowed. 3. Knitted/Crocheted items not acceptable. 4. Each exhibit entered must be the bona fide work of the exhibitor. 5. Professionals are not eligible, which is defined as someone that works professionally or derives the greater percentage of their income in that craft, art form or technique. 6. All work is to have been completed in the last twelve (12) months prior to its entry at a local Show. 7. The competition follows the three levels of competition: Show Level, Group Level and State Level. 8. An exhibit having won at a Show will compete at the 2025 Group Final. The winning exhibit at the Group Final will then compete in the State Final at the 2025 Melbourne Royal Show. 9. An exhibitor having won at Show Level is not eligible to enter the VAS Sewing Competition at any other Show until after the Group Final judging. 10. An exhibitor is only eligible to represent one Group in the State Final. 11. If for any reason a winner is unable to compete at Group or State Final Level, then the second placegetter is eligible to compete. 12. An exhibit having won at State Final is no longer eligible to compete in the competition. 13. If an exhibitor is found to have won more than one Group Final the exhibitor must forfeit/refund all prizes and will be disqualified from exhibiting for 12 months.

**State Final Prizes: First Prize:** \$300.00 Spotlight Voucher & VAS State Final Trophy,  
**Second Prize:** \$150.00 Spotlight Voucher, **Third Prize:** \$50.00 Spotlight Voucher

**Best Exhibit - Class S50 - S56  
\$10 - Donated by Sandra McIntyre**



**Knitting & Crochet - Please note: Yarn labels must be attached where specified**

- S57 Crochet Cotton Doily.
- S58 **W.A.S.A.** Crochet article made in crochet cotton.
- S59 Knitted Rug, any yarn, crochet finish allowed.
- S60 Crochet Rug, any yarn.
- S61 Child's Garment, any yarn.
- S62 Adult Knitted Jumper or Cardigan, any yarn.
- S63 Baby Shawl.
- S64 Baby Layette - 2 or more pieces.
- S65 Any article not specified - knitted.
- S66 Any article not specified - crochet.
- S67 Headwear—knitted or crochet or combination of both.
- S68 Scarf - knitted or crochet or combination of both.
- S69 Crochet article by person over 65 years.
- S70 Knitted article by person over 65 years.
- S71 **W.A.S.A. Hand Knitted Blanket** - Yarn label must be attached.  
Not more than 1 metre on any side. Group level prize \$20

**S72 V.A.S. A Hand Knitted Blanket**

**SPOTLIGHT**

1. A HAND KNITTED BLANKET NOT MORE THAN 1 METRE ON ANY ONE SIDE 2. Knitted in one piece, minimum of 5 different patterns. 3. Each exhibit must be made from pure wool/wool blend of any ply. 4. Exhibitor to attach label from wool used. 5. Each exhibit entered must be the bona fide work of the exhibitor. 6. Professionals are not eligible, which is defined as someone that works professionally or derives the greater percentage of their income in that craft, art form or technique. 7. All work is to have been completed in the last twelve (12) months prior to its entry at a local Show. 8. The competition follows the three levels of competition: Show Level, Group Level and State Level. 9. An exhibit having won at a Show will compete at the 2025 Group Final. The winning exhibit at the Group Final will then compete in the State Final at the 2025 Melbourne Royal Show. 10. An exhibitor having won at Show Level is not eligible to enter the VAS Knitting competition at any other Show until after the Group Final judging. 11. An exhibitor is only eligible to represent one Group in the State Final. 12. If for any reason a winner is unable to compete at Group or State Final Level, then the second place getter is eligible to compete. 13. An exhibit having won at State Final is no longer eligible to compete in the competition. 14. If an exhibitor is found to have won more than one Group Final the exhibitor must forfeit/refund all prizes and will be disqualified from exhibiting for 12 months.

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**Second Prize:** \$150.00 Spotlight Voucher **Third Prize:** \$50.00 Spotlight Voucher





S73

**W.A.S.A. Crochet/hand knitted article** - any ply yarn (note Feathers, Jazz etc are not plied yarns. Yarn label to be attached. Group level prize \$20

S74

**V.A.S. Ltd One Crochet 3D Item**

**SPOTLIGHT**

1. No larger than 50cms on any one side made from pure wool/wool blend of any ply.
2. Exhibitor to attach label from wool used or receipt from the woolen mill.
3. Each exhibit entered must be the bona fide work of the exhibitor.
4. **Professionals are not eligible**, which is defined as someone that works professionally or derives the greater percentage of their income in that craft, art form or technique.
5. All work is to have been completed in the last twelve (12) months prior to its entry at a local Show.
6. The competition follows the three levels of competition: Show Level, Group Level and State Level.
7. An exhibit having won at a Show will compete at the 2024 Group Final. The winning exhibit at the Group Final will then compete in the State Final at the 2025 Royal Melbourne Show.
8. An exhibitor having won at Show Level is not eligible to enter the VAS Crochet competition at any other Show until after the Group Final judging.
9. An exhibitor is only eligible to represent one Group in the State Final.
10. If for any reason a winner is unable to compete at Group or State Final Level, then the second place getter is eligible to compete.
11. An exhibit having won at State Final is no longer eligible to compete in the competition.
12. If an exhibitor is found to have won more than one Group Final the exhibitor must forfeit/refund all prizes and will be disqualified from exhibiting for 12 months.

**State Final Prizes: First Prize:** \$300.00 Spotlight Voucher & VAS State Final Trophy

**Second Prize:** \$150.00 Spotlight Voucher **Third Prize:** \$50.00 Spotlight Voucher

**Best Exhibit - Class S57 - S74 / \$10 - Donated in memory of Mrs. Janet Wingfield**



### One Person's Work

S75

**Variety of four distinct articles** - Example: sewing, knitting, cooking, etc. to be completed by exhibitor within the last twelve months prior to St. Arnaud Show day, to be entirely the work of the Exhibitor. Entries in other sections of Show not to form part of the exhibit.

**Statutory Declaration**, that work is exhibitor's own work, completed within prescribed period and listing the four articles, **MUST** be furnished with the entry.

**1st - \$20.00 - Donated by Mrs Dawn McKay.**

**2nd - \$15.00 - Donated by Jenny Brown.**

**VICTORIAN AGRICULTURAL SHOWS LIMITED  
COMPETITIONS CONDUCTED BY V.A.S. LTD INC REGULATIONS**

- 1. State level.**
- 2. A person will not be permitted to win at more than one Show within the State In any one Show year. Persons not adhering to this rule will be required to forfeit/refund prize money.**
- 3. An article having won at the Show will compete at a group final, the winning article will then compete at the next Royal Melbourne Show.**
- 4. An article having won a State Final is no longer eligible to compete in the competition.**
- 5. Each article entered must be bona fide work of the exhibitor.**
- 6. If for any reason a winner is unable to compete at Group or State level then a second placegetter is eligible to compete.**
- 7. Items in section S11, S23, S56, S72 and S74 must be the same as won at local show and group.**
- 8. All work to have been completed within the last twelve (12) months.**

**GENERAL REGULATIONS**

1. All general entries must be made in writing and lodged with the Secretary, St. Arnaud, all sections have closing times stated, please adhere to these. All entries will be finally closed for this exhibition as stated.
2. At the time of entry, the Class and Section in which it is intended to exhibit must be stated and signed by or for the exhibitor. A ticket for each exhibit will be given by the secretary at the time of entry, which must accompany the exhibit when placed and no entry will be received without such ticket.
3. Everything exhibited for a prize, except livestock, vehicles, machinery and implements must be produced or manufactured in Australia. All exhibits must be the bona-fide property of, and in the possession of, the exhibitor, and all farm and dairy produce must be grown or made by the exhibitor, and of last season's crop.
4. Entries will not be restricted in any Section (excepting Sections M and O) and if any exhibitor is awarded a second prize in addition to a first, with the same exhibit, such prizes will be paid (except where otherwise stated).
5. Exhibitors can compete with the same entry in as many Sections as they may choose, but on winning a first prize cannot compete again, except in special or champion prizes, and where otherwise specified in the Schedule.
6. Exhibits which cannot be shown in any competing Class may be exhibited as extras.
7. The Society invites the exhibition of articles other than those for which prizes are offered, and the judges may recommend prizes to those thought worthy, the said recommendation to be considered at the next monthly meeting of the Committee.
8. No prize can be awarded for extra exhibits if the prize list contains a Class or Section in which the same can compete.
9. Should any exhibit, having gained a prize, be disqualified, the next on the list does not necessarily obtain the same prize. The Committee, with or without the advice of the judges, shall decide the question.
10. The judges may award a second or third prize instead of a first prize, or may withhold a prize altogether where there is only one exhibit, or where the exhibits are not considered worthy.
11. The Committee may withhold any prize when statements have been erroneously or fraudulently made regarding any exhibit, and exhibitors guilty of false entries or statements may be debarred from again exhibiting and, if members, will be liable to expulsion.
12. In the judging ring, stewards are requested to keep aloof from the judges while they are engaged in adjudication and to make no remarks whatsoever to them on the merits of the exhibits or any of the exhibits.

13. The Committee shall have the power at any time to disqualify any exhibits for any reason which shall appear to the Committee to warrant such disqualification, whether a protest or complaint be lodged or not.
14. Any dispute as to the interpretation of these regulations shall be determined by the Committee, whose decision shall be final and conclusive.
15. If, in the opinion of the stewards, the conduct of any exhibitor or any other person shall be such as to demand such a course, they shall have the power to forfeit any or all prizes such exhibitors may have won and may further cause such person or exhibitor and exhibit or exhibits to be removed from the Showgrounds.
16. Any person refusing to attach a prize card on any exhibit to which the prize is awarded, and to keep the same on during the hours of exhibition, will, on proof thereof to the Committee, be disqualified from receiving all prizes awarded to the said person during the Show.
17. Any prize or prizes awarded by the Society at any of its exhibitions, and left unclaimed for a period of six months, may be forfeited and cancelled by the Committee of management.
18. All implements, machinery and other articles which will not be injured thereby, must be delivered in the yards between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and six o'clock in the afternoon of the day preceding the exhibition. Exhibits in all other Classes at 9:30am, if not otherwise stated.
19. Each exhibitor must place his exhibits in the proper Class where directed, with the ticket received from the Secretary, stating the Class, Section and Number in which his exhibit has been entered.
20. All horses, when being judged, are to be led, ridden or driven as directed by the judges.
21. The Committee reserves to itself the right of refusing to admit into the yard any animal which there is reason to suspect is either diseased or dangerous.
22. The Committee shall also have power to require that statutory declaration be made concerning any animal, or article, which it has reason to suppose is being exhibited contrary to the rules connected with the exhibition.
23. The decision of the judges shall be final with regard to all prizes offered, except in cases where protests are duly lodged with the secretary, as directed hereunder.
24. Any person insulting, or interfering with the judges during the Show will be subject to removal from the yards and the prizes (if any) awarded to him, forfeited.
25. No appeal against the decision of the judges will be entertained unless the same be made in writing, and lodged with the secretary before noon on the day following the Show, and a deposit of \$2 be made, which shall be forfeited if the Committee considers the appeal to be frivolous. Any exhibitor attempting to mislead the judges or stewards in any Class or Section, or competing in any Section, where he is not eligible according to the rules governing such Section, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding \$10, and disqualification. This will be strictly enforced.
26. In the event of any protest being received, the same will be considered immediately by the Stewards or, if this is not possible, by the Committee at the next Committee meeting.
27. No judge shall be an exhibitor in the department in which he is judge.
28. The Society will not hold itself responsible for the safe custody of exhibits, but every care will be taken of same during day of Show and following day.
29. Exhibitors are requested to have some person in charge of their exhibit, as no owner of the same will be allowed to be present during the adjudication by the judges (except where otherwise stated).
30. No persons, except members (and non-members upon payment of stated charge of admission) and those actually in charge of stock, implements or machinery and from whom an authority must be obtained, will be permitted to remain in the yards during the adjudication under any pretence whatever. The persons in charge must on no account leave their respective lots, or address the judges, unless authorized by the stewards of the exhibition.
31. Intending competitors are particularly requested to observe the time fixed for closing of the entries at this office, and also the hour fixed for receiving the exhibits on the morning of the Show, as these rules will be strictly enforced; and also, that no entry will be received unless accompanied by the entrance fee, or from a member whose subscription is paid for the current year.
32. Entry fees in all Sections are stated at the beginning of each Section details.

33. Chief Steward and stewards in pavilion are eligible to enter, but are expressly excluded from speaking to the judges during judging.
34. Any infringement of these rules will disqualify exhibitors from taking any prizes awarded to them.
35. In case of disputes as to the same, these shall be determined by the Committee of this Society, W.A.S.A. or V.A.S. Ltd.
36. The St. Arnaud Agricultural Society will not be responsible for any injury or loss incurred by an entrant or competitors. Any person participating in any activity related to the Show does so at his or her own risk.
37. In case of equal first, the first and second prize money will be combined and then divided equally between the equal first place getters. No second is given if there is equal first. If equal second, that prize money is shared. Where a ribbon or sash is involved, an extra one will be acquired and forwarded to the person concerned.
38. Hats and safety helmets.  
Wearing a ASA approved helmet is compulsory for everyone competing on, working in or schooling or riding for any other reason a horse at a Show or in any area considered to be for whatever reason a part of the showground.  
All riders must wear protective headgear, which includes a retaining harness secured to the shell at more than two points. Such headwear must be worn with the chinstrap properly adjusted and fastened when in the arena or ring, the practice area collecting rings or anywhere else within a showgrounds.  
It is compulsory that all riders wear protective headwear conforming to the current Australian Standard or an equivalent standard and that the headwear be secured by a retention harness.
39. Animal Abuse.  
Any alleged acts of animal abuse are reportable during the event to the organized body, supported by at least two other witnesses, of after the event to V.A.S. Ltd in writing. Two separate letters must be received in writing by V.A.S. Ltd from unrelated members or different families within fourteen (14) days of the date of the event, giving rise to the incident.

NOTE:

Abuse can be defined as intentionally acting in a way that may cause pain or unnecessary discomfort to an animal. As examples, an act of abuse can be any of the following.

- To whip or beat an animal excessively.
- To subject an animal to any kind of electric shock device.
- To use spurs, or to jab an animal in the mouth with a bit or any other instrument, excessively or persistently.
- To remount, or attempt to remount, an obviously exhausted, lame or injured animal.
- To “Rap” a horse anywhere in or outside the grounds of the event.
- To hyper sensitize any part of the animal.
- To leave an animal without adequate food, drink or exercise.

41. No person who is in arrears with regard to entry fee, subscriptions, or any other Show charge is eligible to compete at any Show held by or affiliated with V.A.S. Ltd. Proof of payment will be required before any restriction will be lifted.

The St. Arnaud Agricultural Society Inc. is committed to providing a safe, healthy and environmentally acceptable Showground for all stakeholders.

We shall, so far as is practicable endeavor to comply with all statutory and Common Law requirements. All competitors and exhibitors have a “Duty of Care” to avoid exposing themselves or other people to unsafe situations that could lead to injury.

# SAFETY REGULATIONS FOR EXHIBITORS

**DUTY OF CARE** - all competitors have a “Duty of Care” to avoid exposing themselves or other people to situations that lead to injury. This “Duty of Care” extends to the prevention of damaged property

**DIRECTION OF ST. ARNAUD AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY INC** - Competitors must comply with any reasonable request of St. Arnaud Agricultural Society Inc. Representatives.

**EMERGENCY INFORMATION** - Emergency Information and maps showing Emergency Assembly Points are located in various buildings.

**FIRST AID** - During the St. Arnaud Show, First Aid is provided by qualified volunteers

## **ST. ARNAUD AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY INC. EMERGENCY FACILITIES**

Fire Fighting and other emergency equipment must not be removed or used for any other purpose. Missing or unserviceable equipment should be reported to Administration immediately.

**HAZARD & INCIDENT REPORTING** Competitors must notify the Area/Pavilion Supervisor or Administration immediately of any hazards detected or incidents. Hazards or incidents is any situation that could result or has resulted in

- (a) the injury, illness or death of any person or animal
- (b) The damage, destruction or loss of property

**WASTE DISPOSAL** - All waste, including liquids, must be disposed of responsibly. Storm rains must not be used for the disposal of waste.

**HOUSEKEEPING** - All areas must be kept clean and tidy with clearly defined and available access and exit routes at all times. Build up of combustible waste must be avoided.

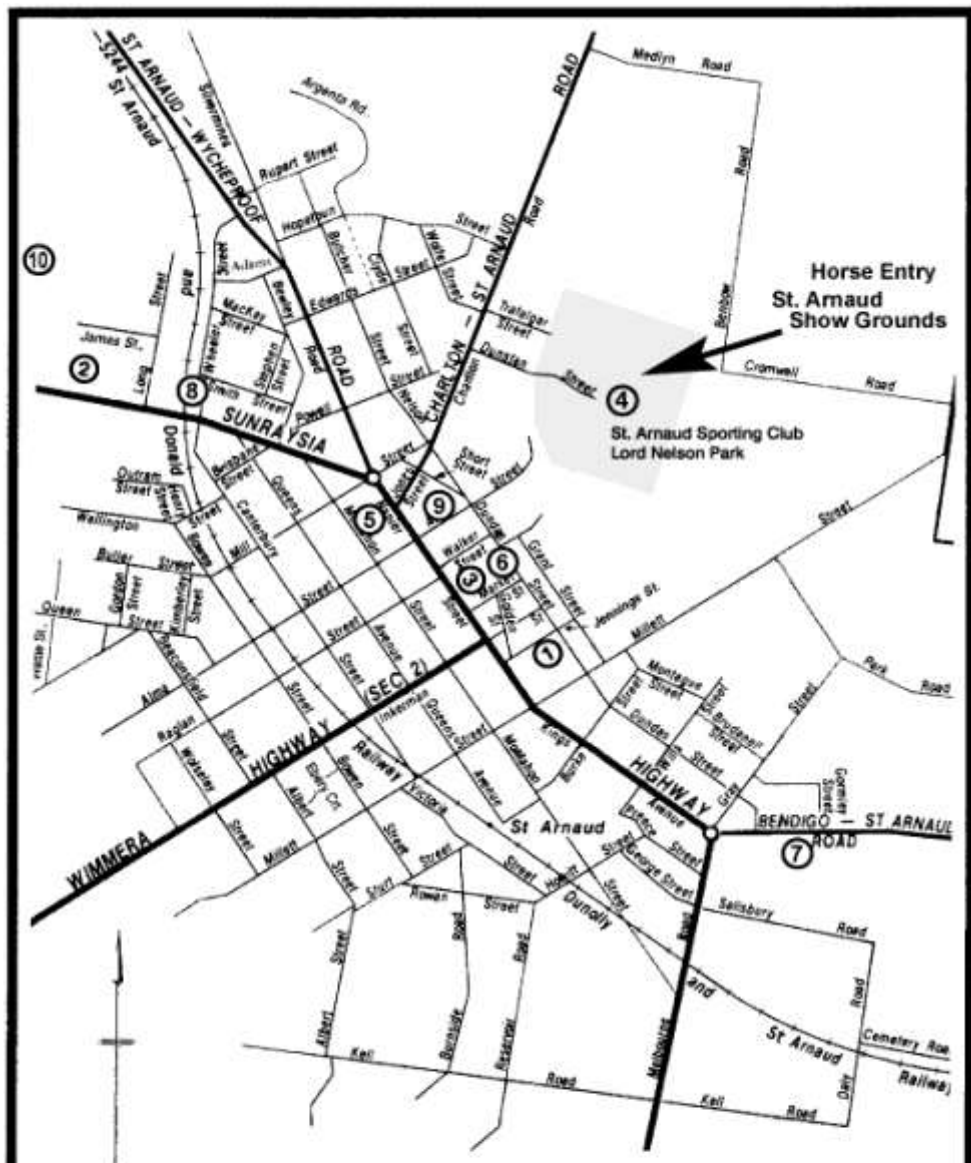
**SLIPS, TRIPS AND FALLS** - Care must be taken to minimise trip hazards and obstacles that people may walk into. Avoid laying unprotected cables or pipes on or above paths, walk ways or roads

**MEDIA COMMENTS** - Media comments about matters involving St. Arnaud Agricultural Society Inc. or the Showgrounds is coordinated by the Administrator.

**SMOKING** - Smoking is not permitted inside buildings, within 10 metres of a building entrance, around combustibles, during public performances or while handling hazardous materials.

## **ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT**

- (a) Competitors should supply their own “Safety Switch” (RCD) for installation at each power outlet they use.
- (b) Extension cords must be earthed and all electrical appliances must be earthed or double insulated. Appliances must be in sound working order.
- (c) The use of double adapters is strictly prohibited. Power boards must be fitted with current overload protection.
- (d) Radiant electric or gas heaters are prohibited.
- (e) Light sockets must not be used for any other purpose other than for lighting.
- (f) No naked flame permitted
- (g) All exhibitor electrical items (including leads) must have current safety compliance tags.



# TOWN OF ST. ARNAUD

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|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Police Station                   | 6. Ambulance Station |
| 2. Hospital                         | 7. Vet               |
| 3. Northern Grampians Shire Offices | 8. S.E.S.            |
| 4. Lord Nelson Park                 | 9. Fire Station      |
| 5. Doctors                          | 10. Helicopter Pad   |

## LIST OF BANNED ITEMS 2022 - 2024

The Victorian Showmen's Guild and Victorian Agricultural Shows Ltd have agreed that the following items are banned at Agricultural Shows. It is our view and aim to protect and attract families to the Local Shows.

- Explicit and Hardcore T-Shirts
- Explicit DVD's and Videos
- Fake Cigarettes
- Fuel Type Fire Lighters (Zippo)
- Iridescent Hair Spray
- Trumpets
- Knives (including Pen Knives) – excluding appropriately packaged kitchenware sets
- Metal and Wooden Martial Art Nunchakus
- Laser Pen Lights and / or Laser Toys
- Playing Cards (Nude or Lewd)
- Pressure Pack Fart Gas
- Pressure Pack Snow
- Pressure Pack Silly String
- Drug Related Goods (including Cocaine Kits, Bongs, etc.)
- Stink Bombs
- Water Pistols longer than 150mm
- Water Bombs

Toy Guns are acceptable however the following are NOT allowed:

- Guns that are designed to Project any form of Object or Projectile
- Pellet Guns
- Ball Bearing Guns
- Replica Guns (Bullet Type)
- Pop Downs (Throw Downs)
- 8 Shot Caps (caps only banned)
- Strip Caps (caps only banned)
- Roll Caps (caps only banned)
- Fireworks or Crackers

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