

Whittlesea Show – Saturday 3rd & Sunday 4th November 2018

2018 Show Theme

This year our theme reflects on "100 Years Since the end of WWI". There will be various classes in each section depicting this as well as colourful displays throughout our Pavilions.

Heritage

Each year a dedicated team of volunteers spend 11 months maintaining the current collection of Heritage equipment.

This year we have added a special display which is on loan to the section for a number of years, it consists of a single cylinder Blackstone engine and compressor and was used for the refrigeration at Apteds Orchards in Arthurs Creek. Lego for little and big kids. Simon and Nat Jacobs have been displaying Lego in our section for several years.

Their display delights children and gives them the opportunity to learn about machinery.

Animal Nursery

This year in the Animal Nursery be sure to check out the new baby animals including a donkey with its foal, Shetland mare and foal, lambs, goats and chickens. There will even be limited access to bottle feed select animals, as well as a more mod-ernised and updated layout of the nursery.

Photography

The Whittlesea Photography Club Inc. is once again proud to be a part of the Whittlesea Agricultural Show for 2018.

As usual we will have an amazing display of photography in the Show competition section. Located in the Men's Shed near the main entrance. The show caters for all levels of Photographic skills and works from Primary School aged children through to some of our most talented local photographers in the Masters section. In the competition Shed this year we are also celebrating 100 years since WW1 in Photography.

Poultry

The Poultry Pavilion will have feathers flying with a bevy of birds on display and competing in the Poultry Show including rare birds. Be sure to

step inside, pat a chook and get some helpful information on Poultry Breeds and their care.

Boer Goats a goer at 2018 Whittlesea Show

Boer Goat Australia (BGA) is excited to team up with the Whittlesea Agricultural Society in organising BGA's inaugural Boer Goat Show to be held on Saturday 3rd November, as a part of the 2018 Whittlesea Show.

Farm & Garden

Enjoy the colourful display and be inspired by the home grown garden produce. Get hands on with a variety of grass seeds and specimens. This year patrons will have the opportunity to look inside a bee hive.

Homecrafts

The Homecrafts Pavilion will be filled with splashes of red – poppies of all sorts will adorn this area in recognition of our theme “100 years since the end of WWI”.

A few new competitions to consider, Lego for all ages but must be own designs (no kits), Craft Beer and Jar of Chilli are just a few that stand out. The Homecrafts Pavilion is a vibrant hub for everything creative, with more than 4000 incredible exhibits on display, submitted by talented artists, crafters and home cooks all vying for a blue ribbon.. Immerse yourself in the thousands of colours, textures and patterns in the labyrinth of dazzling exhibits on display by our wonderful exhibitors.

The decorated cakes are sure to impress along with woodwork, millinery, the intricate crochet work, sewing, handcrafts, confectionary, preserves, the breadth and diversity of the displays provides endless opportunities to be inspired.

CWA Theme

For those getting started on their exhibits for the 2018 Whittlesea Show please note that the CWA Theme is **AROUND THE WORLD**.

Tradespace

Tradespace applications are now available on our website under Trade Space. Don't forget to include your Public Liability Insurance when applying.

Programs

The 2018 Show program of classes and competitions will be available from 1st September. Those who entered last year will automatically be

sent a hard copy of the program or you can also find it on our website www.whittleseashow.org.au under Programs.

Pick-ups and Drop Offs

Traffic Management has changed slightly so please ensure that you check your relevant section for drop off and pick up times and instructions. No vehicles will be admitted to the Showgrounds until after 5:30pm. Please ensure that you bring along your exhibit stub for ground entry and pick up of your items.

Attractions

Eronis Circus will be returning once again – this is a FREE circus with about 4 performances per day. More information regarding our Attractions will be available in the 2018 October edition and also on our website.

Facebook

Make sure you LIKE our Facebook page – Whittlesea Show where you will be updated on closing dates, entertainment and other exciting things happening at the 2018 Whittlesea Show.

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