

#### **Invitation**

# **Young Woman Competition Development Day**

## Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2024

#### **Hosted by the Nowra Show Society**

The Nowra Show Society is pleased to invite participants to attend an annual personal development day for Sydney Royal AgShows NSW Young Woman Competition entrants as they prepare to enter their local and/or Zone Competition. The day will incorporate a 'farm visit' providing participants with an exciting, hands-on, agricultural experience in addition to sessions focusing on how to prepare for further stages of the Competition.

Show Societies are encouraged to send along young women who are thinking of entering the competition, whether this year or in the future years, or current entrants who are preparing for their local Competition or 2025 Zone Finals. It is also an excellent opportunity for any young woman who wishes to further their career prospects by gaining the self-confidence necessary to pursue their field of choice.

Date: Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2024

Meeting at: Nowra Showground Pavilion – 1 Junction Street, Nowra NSW 2541

**Time:** Registration from 8.45am

Participants are asked to meet at the Nowra Showground Pavilion ready for a 9.00am departure. Transport for the farm visit will be provided by Members of the Nowra Show Society. Please contact the Coordinator if you wish to make alternate travel arrangements.

Should participants not wish to attend the farm visit, please meet the group at the Nowra Showground Pavilion at 10.30am for Morning Tea.

#### Training:

Current Agricultural Practices & Challenges Social Etiquette

Public Speaking and Conversation Wardrobe, Hair & Make-up

Deportment and Grooming Interview Techniques

**Dress:** Smart Casual (Note: Enclosed shoes are recommended for the farm visits)

**Cost:** \$60.00 – Young Woman Entrants; \$27.50 - Coordinator (Accompanying a Young Woman Entrant)

Morning Tea, Lunch and Afternoon Tea along with applicable course notes are included.

For further information or to RSVP, please contact Jessica, Young Woman Competition Coordinator, Nowra Show Society

RSVP Wednesday 30th October 2024 E: showgirl@nowrashow.org.au P: 0418 961 783



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8.45am Registration – Nowra Showground Pavilion

9.00am Depart for Farm Visit

9.15am Farm Visit: Life on a Dairy Farm

Mr Tom & Mrs Kyleigh Cochrane Past President, Nowra Show Society

(10.15am: Travel to Nowra Showground)

10.30am MORNING TEA

11.00am Etiquette

Nowra Show Society, Social Committee

11.45am Public Speaking, Confidence and Conversation

Ms Ann Sudmalis

Former Member for Gilmore

12.30pm LUNCH

1.30pm Wardrobe – How to dress to impress

Interview Techniques

Ms Lauren Elkins 2009 Camden Showgirl;

3<sup>rd</sup> Place The Land Sydney Royal Showgirl Competition 2009

2.30pm The Total Package – Everything you need to know!

Ms Lisa Horner

2023 Nowra Show Young Woman

2023 State Finalist The Land Sydney Royal AgShows NSW Young Woman

3.15pm Conclusion & Certificate Presentation

NB: The above program may be subject to change at the discretion of the Nowra Show Society