



Tweed River Agricultural Society Ltd

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Hi everyone,

The count down has started, it's now just over 3 months until the 2025 Murwillumbah Show. The arena entertainment is booked, the bands are booked and we are finalising all of the sub-committees.

Don't forget to encourage your friends and family to join as members for free entry, free parking and a birds-eye view from the Members Bar. The cost this year is still only \$25, but membership applications must be received by the end of September to allow entry to the Show in November.

The Murwillumbah Showground Market, which has come back under management by TRAS, have been fantastic. First we had the free BBQ, then the Pet Show and a free jumping castle for the kids - goodness knows what will be happening this month. The Showground is a community space for everyone and we would love to see you there. The next market is Sunday 27 July from 8am until 1pm.

We are having a working bee in August, so if any one feels like coming along and lending a hand we would love to see you. There will be a variety of jobs to do but we will be primarily pulling out the internal yards at the sheep pavilion.

Thats it from me, see you at the markets.

Cheers,

Meredith Dennis OAM
President
Tweed River Agricultural Society Ltd



Thanks to our loyal sponsors Work 'N' Country Gear for continuing their support for our Show in 2025

WORKING BEE

SATURDAY AUGUST 16TH
SHOWGROUND

8AM | MEET AT THE OLD SHEEP PENS

Demolish the old sheep pens



What's on at the Showground...

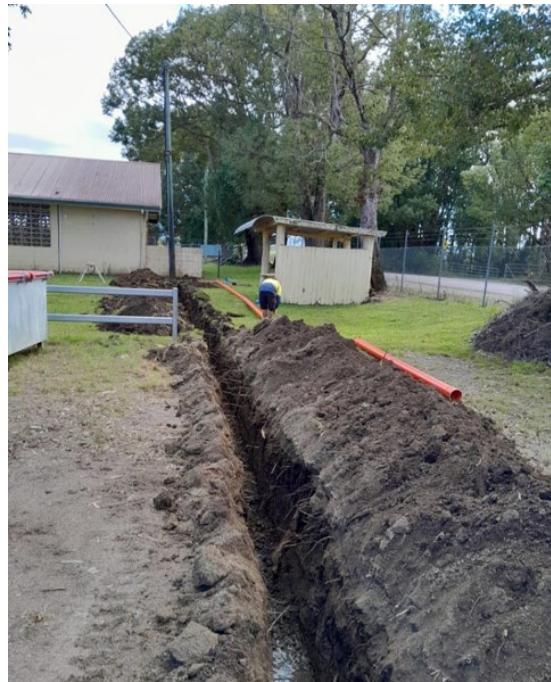
Date	Event	Organiser/Contact
Sunday 27 July	Monthly Showground Market	Stallholders contact Jade 0427 725 507 email: secretary@murwillumbahshow.com
Tuesday 29 July	Murwillumbah Show Horse committee meeting	Presidents room at grounds, 6.30pm Rachel Trevaskis 0427 618036
Sunday 3 August	TVEG - Members Competition	Keighley Leeson 0428 536 868 keighleymax@hotmail.com
Fri 8-Sun 10 August	Ashton Circus	https://ashtonentertainment.com.au/book-tickets/?venue=Murwillumbah%20Showground
Saturday 16 August	TRAS Working Bee	Contact Belinda Grace 0439 382 373
Sunday 17 August	Murwillumbah Sporting Car Club	Jodie Campbell 0407 120 113 mscc2484@gmail.com
Saturday 23 August	Zone 15 Pony Club Jamboree	Paula Anthony 0413 733 294 cobakibob@bigpond.com
Saturday 23 August	Young Woman of the Year information session 10.00am Presidents room at grounds	Contact TRAS secretary to enquire/RSVP Jade 0427 725 507 email: secretary@murwillumbahshow.com
28 Sep-5 Oct	Girl Guides Australian Jamboree	https://www.2025jamboree.com.au/contact

Grounds report

The Directors are excited to announce that the Tweed River Agricultural Society has made a significant financial contribution toward the latest upgrade to the Showground power supply infrastructure.

The Murwillumbah Showground Land Managers have engaged contractors to install several new power poles and outlets along the eastern side of the ground and one on the western side where power has been unavailable near the grandstands. This will provide many more outlets for Trade Space sites at the annual Show.

It is very satisfying to see that funds raised by holding our Show can be utilised for maintaining and improving our fabulous grounds for the benefit of TRAS and the rest of the community.



Young Woman of the Year competition

Each year NSW Agricultural Shows host the Young Woman of the Year Program and invite young women aged between 18 and 25, who are interested in their rural communities, to participate. The program plays a significant role in the development of rural women and their communities, and is a wonderful opportunity for participants to develop valuable skills for the future, including networking and interviewing. The Young Woman of the Year program can create new life opportunities for participants as they build their understanding of the issues facing rural NSW and become confident ambassadors for their local communities.

The Murwillumbah Show will be hosting a Young Woman of the Year program for 2025 and invite interested young woman who are passionate about our beautiful Tweed Valley and its diverse agricultural industries to register to participate. It is a wonderful opportunity to connect with new friends and learn how to make a positive difference to your life and your community.

After some information and networking activities, one young woman will be selected to represent our local area at the Zone finals and from there, one young woman will represent the Far North Coast Zone at the Sydney Royal Easter Show in 2026, with accommodation, meals and travel expenses paid. The young woman selected at the Sydney Royal, as the ambassador for NSW in 2026 receives prize money of \$7,500 and the opportunity to represent NSW Agricultural Shows and her local area at functions throughout the year.

There are so many great opportunities ahead for those who choose to join in. Take the step now and register or find out more information by contacting secretary@murwillumbahshow.com



For more information
scan the QR code or go to
www.rasnsw.com.au/young-woman



SYDNEY ROYAL AGSHOWS
NSW YOUNG WOMAN



Royal Agricultural Society of NSW

**Are you actively involved with your local community or Show?
Or do you know someone who is?**

The Sydney Royal AgShows NSW Young Woman Competition is a State wide program run by the Royal Agricultural Society of NSW (RAS). The program identifies female ambassadors to promote the Sydney Royal Easter Show, and the Agricultural Show movement across NSW.

If you're female and aged between 18 - 26 and a permanent resident of Australia, contact your local Show society for the opportunity of a lifetime.

What are the benefits?

The Sydney Royal AgShows NSW Young Woman competition offers the:

- opportunity for personal and professional development
- chance to make great contacts and network with industry leaders
- develop life skills and be recognised for your hard work.

The sixteen finalists also receive the opportunity to represent your NSW zone for seven days at the Sydney Royal Easter Show with accommodation, meals and travel expenses paid.

Also on offer are prize monies awarded to the State finalists:

- Winner: \$7,500
- First Runner Up: \$3,500



The winner acts as an ambassador for NSW during her year and represents the RAS, AgShows NSW and her local Show society at functions during the year.

Monthly Showground Markets

The Murwillumbah Showground markets are held on the **4th Sunday** of each month.

TRAS holds the licence for the Market and has recently recommenced management duties.

The market has relocated to the Farmers Market end of the Showground, with vehicle entry and exit via gates 5 and 6 and parking available on site.

The next market will be on Sunday 27 July from 8am until 1pm. There will be a coffee van, food vendors, bric-a-brac, collectables, artisan stalls and much, much more.

TRAS will also be catering with bacon and eggs and other delicious food from the Branding Rail, come along and join us to support our stallholders and be a part of this community activity.

To find out more or book a site if you are interested in having a stall please contact Jade our secretary 0427 725 507 or email secretary@murwillumbahshow.com



June Market Pet Show

There was a great turn out of people with their pets for the June market Pet Show.

Thanks to Jorja McLeod for organising a great event and for her business Pets with Pawsonality for sponsoring the prizes.



MEETING NOTICE
MURWILLUMBAH SHOW
HORSE EVENTS

Would you like to be involved with the Horse events this year?
Come to a meeting, please call or text if you would like to find out more.

6:30PM TUESDAY 29 JULY 2025
PRESIDENTS ROOM, SHOWGROUND
ENTRY VIA GATE 7

Contact Rachel Trevaskis for more information
0427 618 036



TRADE SPACE REMINDER
Secure your site now!

2025 Murwillumbah Show
31 Oct & 1 Nov 2025

BOOK TRADE SPACE NOW!

0427 725 507
tradespace@murwillumbahshow.com
www.murwillumbahshow.com.au

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SINCE 1890

Can you help with any of these things at the Show?

- Donate a prize for our raffle?
- Assist run the kids free scavenger hunt
- Help do a shift at the canteen
- Do a 2hr shift in the bar (RSA needed)
- Bake cakes/slices for canteen
- Help run a tug-o-war competition

Contact our secretary to enquire and we will let you know what is involved.

Jade 0427 725 507 or email secretary@murwillumbahshow.com

Recent events at the Showgrounds

It has been great to see so many community events at the grounds now that the wet weather has eased.

The Tweed Valley Fun Day, World Environment Day, a Pony Club camp, gymkhana and a hack show have all been held in the last two weeks alone!

TWEED RIVER AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

Commercial Fat Cattle Show 2025

GRASS FED 3 CLASSES

GRAIN FED 13 CLASSES

1st November 2025

Showcasing Quality Beef Cattle of the Tweed

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