

COWRA RURAL ACHIEVER

SENIOR 20 to 27 years

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Please read through the following instructions carefully to ensure your application form is submitted correctly.

- Before submitting this application, please ensure you have completed all the required applicant details and questionnaire answers.
- Please do not include resumes. Only application forms will be considered in the judging process.
- Applicants must be between the ages of 20 and 27 years of age (inclusive) as at 1st January 2012.
- Applicants must work or reside within a 60km radius of Cowra.
- Applications will close on Monday 29th August 2011.
- Completed applications may be mailed to:

The Secretary
Cowra Show Society Inc
PO Box
COWRA NSW 2794

The Cowra Show Society Inc in conjunction with the Cowra springtime show will be conducting a RURAL ACHIEVER COMPETITION which will be run along the lines of the Rural Achievers Award at the Sydney Royal Show.

Entrants to the Cowra Rural Achiever Award will be eligible to enter the RAS competition.

Entrants may be male or female and must be aged between 20 and 27 years of age (inclusive) as at the 1st of January 2012.

If you are a young person living within 60kms of Cowra and are actively involved in the local community or Show we would like to hear from you.

Applicants come from a wide variety of fields which may include on farm positions, agricultural industries, rural supply businesses, and community support workers.

Applicants will be knowledgeable about current rural issues pertaining to their local area, NSW and Australia and have a strong affiliation towards Agriculture and their community.

Applications for the Cowra Rural Achiever Competition close on Monday 29th August 2011.

Judging will take place at the Cowra Show

These awards are to encourage and reward Cowra's youth for their interest and involvement in the community, in Cowra Show and the Show movement in general.

20 to 27 years (as at 1 May 2012) - \$200 prize money
(Additional \$100 traveling expenses to state final interview)

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APPLICANTS DETAILS & ENTRY FORM

Please fill in your details in the section below (all fields must be completed):

FIRST NAME: _____

LAST NAME: _____

EMAIL: _____

POSTAL ADDRESS: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ MOBILE PHONE: _____

AGE: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____

Please provide short answers to each of the below areas of interest

Community Involvement

(including any involvement you may have had in your community organisation or local show

Rural Interests

Personal Achievements

Personal Achievements

**Educational Details
(including Tafe)**

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**Employment History and
Associated Responsibilities**

Hobbies & Interests

Ambitions/Aspirations

**Describe your vision for
Rural Australia in ten
years time**

**What do you consider to be
the characteristics of an
effective leader?**

**How could you
improve your community?**

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