

YOUNG WOMAN OF THE YEAR

Chief Steward: Jemma Pokoney

Entries to: secretary@cowrashow.com

Entries Open: Monday 2nd September 2024

Entries Close: Tuesday 1st October 2024

Conditions of Entry:

- Entrants must be females aged from 18 years to 24 years, as of 1st May 2025.
- Entrants must be willing and available to represent Cowra Show Society at the Zone Finals (held Saturday 8th March 2025, in Dubbo), and if successful, attend the 2025 Sydney Royal Easter Show to represent Zone 6.

The winner will receive: a selection of prizes and gifts from local Cowra businesses, along with expenses paid for Zone Final requirements.

About the Young Woman of the Year Competition:

The purpose of the competition is to identify ambassadors to promote the Cowra Show & Cowra Show Society to their community, and across NSW. The program is designed to develop regional young women, to benefit the individual, the local show society, and their communities. Interview, presenting, and networking skills are all strengthened. This can create new life opportunities for participants. The 2024 Cowra Young Woman of the Year's role involves many official and informal duties locally. It is expected that the winner of the Cowra Showgirl competition will go on to represent Cowra at the zone competition, and if selected, compete at the Sydney Royal Easter Show for the opportunity to be selected as a spokeswoman for rural NSW for 2025.

The Cowra Young Woman of the Year competition is an integral part of the Cowra Spring Show. Entrants get the opportunity to attend a deportment and beauty information day as well as attending a special luncheon with judges and official stewards. All entrants attend the Cocktail Party held at the Showground Pavilion on Saturday 12th October, where they are officially introduced to the public. On Saturday 19th October all entrants are present during the day for award sashing and to attend all facets of the show. The winner is then expected to attend community and show related functions while they are the current Cowra Young Woman of the Year.

Sponsors: Bloom Flower Studio, Bushmans Boots & All, Cowra Ski Club, The Shared Table, Oak on Kendal

Cowra Young Woman of the Year Entry Form

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

Name: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

Mobile: _____

DOB: _____

Community Involvement

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

Rural Interests

Personal Achievements

Employment Details and Associated Responsibilities

Hobbies & Interests

Ambitions/Aspirations

Describe your vision for Rural Australia in five years' time.

How could you improve your community?

If you were the winner of the 2021 Cowra Showgirl competition, how would you stay involved in the Cowra Show? What would you like to see introduced or changed at the Cowra Show?

If you require more space for any of the questions, please attach plain A4 paper with corresponding questions to this entry form.