



"GOTO" Youth Photography Competition

Emerald Photographic Club is celebrating its 35th Birthday in 2018. To help commemorate this event Emerald Photographic Club is hosting the Photographic Society of Queensland's Annual Conference from 5th to 7th May 2018. We have in place an outstanding line up of national and international award-winning presenters, who will also conduct workshops and share their extensive knowledge. As part of the event, various partners have sponsored the youth of the Central Highlands and are offering high school students the opportunity to receive an invitation to attend 'Gems of the Outback' PSQ Conference 2018.

Categories

One photograph from each of the following categories must be submitted:

My Local Gem

Repeating Patterns

Close Up

Abstract Motion Blur

Black and White Portrait

Conditions of Entry

- Entrants must be high school students within the Central Highlands Region.
- Your submissions must be:
 - taken and post processed by you
 - a JPEG (.jpg) file
 - no larger than 1MB
 - at least 960 pixels, and no more than 1200 pixels on each side
 - contain no identifying information such as watermarks or signatures
- All photographs must be titled following the below naming convention:
 - Photographer's Name_ Category_ Title of Image
(E.g. JSmith_Repeating Patterns_At the Beach)

How and Where to Enter

- Complete the attached entry form. A signature from your parent/guardian must be provided.
- Write 2-3 sentences telling us what you love the most about photography.
- All entries must be submitted via email to emeraldpsq2018@gmail.com no later than 5pm on 31st March 2018.
- Entries will be judged anonymously by a panel consisting of four Emerald Photographic Club Committee Members and one Youth Sponsorship Partner. All entrants will be notified of the results by the Friday 13th April 2018.
- All decisions are final and no correspondence will be entered into.

About Emerald Photographic Club

We meet at 7pm on the first Wednesday of each month at Emerald Arts Precinct behind the Town Library and conduct regular workshops, excursions and other photographic learning opportunities. Emerald Photographic Club has a diverse range of photography levels ranging from beginners to the more experienced; we love sharing information, teaching and learning so that everyone can take another step on their photographic journey. For further information about our club please contact us at emldphotclub@gmail.com or find us on Facebook.

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Entry Form

*Please take the time to complete all sections of this form to ensure your entry is accepted.
Ensure you and your parent/guardian have signed this form as a condition of entry.*

Date		
Entrant's Full Name		
Name of High School		
Year Level		Date of Birth
Address		
		Post code
Email Address		
Contact Number		
Artist's Statement: Why I Love Photography		
Image Name per Category	My Local Gem	
	Repeating Patterns	
	Close Up	
	Abstract Motion Blur	
	Black & White Portrait	
<p>I agree that Emerald Photographic Club Inc. and Gems of the Outback may use my name, likeness and/or photographic image for official purposes. I grant Emerald Photographic Club Inc. the right to use the photograph/s for its Gems of the Outback – PSQ Convention and in publications, which may include, but is not limited to posters, newsletters and newspapers, catalogues, video collages, etc. I understand and grant Emerald Photographic Club Inc. the right to crop and/or collage the image with others. Signing this form discharges Emerald Photographic Club Inc., its committee, members, and volunteers from any claims and demands arising out of, or in connection with the use of said image/s; including but not limited to, any and all claims for invasion of privacy, defamation, or financial compensation.</p>		
Entrant's Signature	Name of Parent/Guardian	Signature of Parent/Guardian