Longreach Show Society Inc.

SECTION 29: MISS SHOWGIRL & RURAL AMBASSADOR

MISS SHOWGIRL

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The aim of the Miss Showgirl Awards is to broaden the knowledge and participation of our youth in the show movement. Entrants are provided with networking opportunities and the winner will hold their title for a year as well as being an ambassador for our show at the Central and North West sub-chamber judging.

The Showgirl Awards across Queensland is not only for rural women – it seeks the support from 129 Show Societies in both regional and metropolitan areas. 11 State Finalists are selected from hundreds of entrants across the state. They are first selected as their local Showgirl followed by their sub chamber finals to compete at the State Final held at the Brisbane Royal Show (EKKA).

The Longreach winners are selected for their knowledge, presentation, passion for their community and local show at an age appropriate level. The competition is no beauty contest, nor is it an 'intelligence' test: it is for young Queensland women to raise the profile of Queensland Shows as ambassadors. The awards provides an opportunity to excel in leadership, community involvement and build confidence.

Please note that only the Miss Showgirl goes onto further levels. The Junior Showgirl and Princess will have the opportunity to be heavily involved on show-day with the Miss Showgirl and Rural Ambassador, presenting ribbons/trophies in different sections, touring the show, participating in the Grand Parade and other events and competitions as well as invitations to other events throughout their year of rein.

CLASSES:

- 1. Miss Showgirl 18-28 years
- 2. Junior Showgirl 13-17 years
- 3. Show Princess 6–12 years

Ages inclusive as at 1st August 2018.

Conditions of Entry:

- 1. All Entrants must be available and attending the 2018 Longreach Show, the Judging Afternoon Tea 18th of May and the Sponsors Dinner that evening where winners will be announced.
- 2. Entrants must be unmarried and will be judged on presentation, community involvement and passion for the show movement.
- 3. Entrants may have their photo published in the local paper and other publicity for the show.
- 4. Entry form to be emailed to the coordinators no later than 7th May 2018.
- 5. Judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.