

Section U: Young Judges Competitions

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**Wednesday 25 MARCH Training Day at Gilgandra High School
Friday 27 MARCH – Competition Gilgandra Showground
Commencing 9.30am**

The Young Judges Competitions aim to educate and encourage future Judges in a range of industries. Competitors are judged on how well they judge the exhibits, whereas most other Competitions at the Show judge the actual exhibit.

Prizes and Ribbons

**Merino prizes donated by Weealla Merinos & Poll Merinos
Meat Breeds trophies donated by Collina Partnership**

Seniors: 15 years and under 24 years. First and second prizewinners are eligible to compete at Zone and State Finals.

Juniors: Under 15 years are not eligible at Zone or State Finals.

Competitors must be over the age of 15, on the 1st of May of the year of the State Final at the Sydney Royal Easter Show.

To be eligible to compete for group finals, competitors must live and or work in the district for three months or be enrolled at a Secondary or Tertiary institution in the area.

No competitor can represent more than one Show Society in any one group final and no more than one group in a State Final.

One group of four animals is judged by competitors. Animals must be identified by the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4.

Competitors will be allowed 12 minutes to judge the four animals and to complete the visual judging card.

The winner of the competition is marked out of a maximum of 300 points:

- 100 for handling,
- 100 for best and worst features,
- 100 for placing.