Terms and Conditions of Entry into Illawarra Newspapers Holdings Pty Ltd *Reader Photography* competition

Information on how to enter and prizes forms part of these Terms and Conditions. Participation in this competition is deemed acceptance of these Terms and Conditions. The promoter is ILLAWARRA NEWSPAPERS HOLDINGS PTY LTD ABN 95000075025 of level 4/77 Market St Wollongong NSW 2500, (Promoter). Authorised under NSW Permit Number LTPM/16/01165

1: Entry eligibility:

This is a game of skill.

Entry is open to residents of NSW only, excluding employees of Illawarra Newspapers Holdings Pty Ltd, Novotel and Big Vision Print and their immediate families.

The Promoter reserves the right to request proof of eligibility. In the event that an entrant cannot provide satisfactory proof, the Promoter may, in its absolute discretion, disqualify the entrant. Should an entrant's contact details change during the promotional period, it is the entrant's responsibility to notify the Promoter. A request to access or modify any information provided in an entry should be directed to Promoter.

2. Timing

The competition period is open from July 13, 8am and closes August 18, 3pm 2017 AESDT.

3. How to enter:

Entrants must complete the entry form online at illawarramercury.com.au and submit an image of between 1MB and 3MB in size to be eligible.

4. Prize Draw:

Entrants can submit a maximum of two entries per person.

Entry is open to professional and amateur photographers.

Winners will be selected by a panel of photographers and The Editor of *The Illawarra Mercury*. The judges decision will be final and no further correspondence will be entered into. The draw will take place at *The Illawarra Mercury* office: Level 4/ 77 Market St Wollongong NSW by an Illawarra Newspapers Holdings representative.

The Promoter is not responsible for late, lost or misdirected entries, or interrupted communications, unavailable network servers or other connections, failed telephone, mid-delivery or computer transmissions or other errors of any kind, whether human, mechanical or electronic. The Promoter assumes no responsibility for any error, defect, delay, theft or unauthorised access to or alteration of entries.

5. Prizes:

- 1 x Major prize: A suite for two people with breakfast included at Novotel Wollongong (subject to availability, excluding special event days eg NYE). Value \$629.
- 2 x Runners Up large professional print on canvas to the winners of the competition from Big Vision Print

All prizes are non-transferable, non-refundable and cannot be taken as cash unless otherwise stated.

6. Notification of winners

Winners will be notified by phone and/or email. All winners names and suburb will be published in *The Illawarra Mercury* on Friday, August 25th, 2017.

Any unclaimed prizes will be placed in a random draw to take place 12pm, Monday 27th, November 2017 at *The Illawarra Mercury office*: Level 4/ 77 Market St Wollongong NSW by an Illawarra Newspapers Holdings representative.

7. Publicity and promotion

All entrants agree to their name being published by *The Illawarra Mercury* both print and digital versions, including social media channels. Entry grants Fairfax Media permission to use any submitted images in print or online for editorial or promotional purposes directly related to the competition.

Entrants agree to participate in and co-operate as required with all reasonable media editorial requests relating to the prize, including but not limited to, being interviewed and photographed.

8. General

If this competition is not capable of running or being completed as planned for any reason, including because of infection by computer virus, bugs, tampering, unauthorised intervention, technical failures or any other causes beyond the control of the Promoter, the Promoter reserves the right in its sole discretion to cancel, terminate, recommence, modify or suspend the competition.

Except for any liability that cannot be excluded by law, the Promoter excludes all liability (including negligence), for any personal injury; or any loss or damage (including loss of opportunity); whether direct, indirect, special or consequential, arising in any way in connection with the competition.

All entrants will have their names clearly displayed next to all images of theirs within the competition and when shared on social media.

The competition is for the sole purpose of showcasing the Illawarra and to bring awareness to the region's photographers.

Images will not be used in any other way other than to promote the competition (being in print , online via The Mercury photo gallery and images may be shared on the Destination Wollongong Facebook page).

To enter an Illawarra Newspapers Holdings Pty Ltd Promotion or Competition you must accept our Conditions of Use (<u>www.fairfax.com.au/conditions.html</u>) and Privacy Policy (<u>http://www.fairfax.com.au/privacy.html</u>)

The Promoter may amend these terms and conditions from time to time at its discretion.

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