



# Competition Brief: CLOSE UP Wednesday 15 August 2018

## THEME

The theme for this competition is **CLOSE UP**.

## JUDGE

Internal judging.

## DEFINITION

There is no real definition of Close-up photography however, *"it is generally understood to mean any photo that shows the subject closer and in more detail than we're used to seeing in everyday life."* Macro photography is about creating an image of *"small items larger than life size."* Close-up can also include macro photography (<1:1 ratio) and can be defined as *"taking at close range"* – therefore the theme of this competition is getting as close as possible to your selected subject.

## BACKGROUND INFO

Take a look at these websites for more information:

- Getting started on close up  
<https://digital-photography-school.com/getting-started-guide-to-macro-or-close-up-photography/>
- Close up and macro photography  
<https://expertphotography.com/difference-between-macro-micro-and-close-up-photography/>
- Macro photography for beginners  
<https://digital-photography-school.com/macro-photography-for-beginners-part-1/>
- Everything you need to know about macro  
<https://photographylife.com/macro-photography-tutorial>
- Tips for close-up  
<https://www.outdoorphotographer.com/tips-techniques/photo-tip-of-week/10-quick-tips-for-better-close-ups/>

## CATEGORIES

There are 2 categories in our A and B Grade competitions. You may enter up to 8 images with a maximum of 4 per category. The categories are:

1. Prints (colour or monochrome) - Minimum image size 6" x 4"
2. Digital (colour or monochrome) - projected (no restriction on size)

## REQUIREMENTS

Photographs should meet the Club's criteria or will not be accepted. Requirements, including the correct naming of Projected images, are at <http://www.hawkesburycameraclub.com.au/>

Note - an image may be entered into one Open Competition and one Set Subject Competition.

## WHEN & WHERE

To be held on Wednesday 15 August 2018 at 7.30pm at Richmond Club, Francis Street, Richmond

## ENQUIRIES

Contact the Competition Manager [competitionmanager@hawkesburycameraclub.com.au](mailto:competitionmanager@hawkesburycameraclub.com.au)