



Project Update

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The Blayney Show

This year's 146th annual Blayney Agricultural Show was a great success.

Around 3,000 people from all over NSW attended. Credit goes to the 80 volunteer stewards and helpers, the Rotary volunteers on the gate and the 18 Blayney High students who worked in the kitchen and on the BBQ.

Rosemary Reid, Secretary of the Blayney Agricultural and Pastoral Association said, 'The official opening by 96 year old Hilton Davis was a highlight. He was so humbled to be invited to do the honour this year.'

Another highlight was the Dog High Jump, which attracted lots of dogs of all sizes. It increases in popularity every year.

This year's show fielded 150 horses and riders, 220 show dogs and 145 photographs in the photographic section. People came from all over

NSW to be part of the classic cars and utes section. The vegetable section showcased a great selection of homegrown goodness, with the longest zucchini and giant pumpkins being star attractions.

The first Blayney Show, in 1878, was held on what is now Heritage Park. Today, the show has its own grounds and features around 20 competitions ranging from arts and crafts, show dogs, woodchop, sheep and wool, horses, goats, poultry, flowers, vegetables, classic cars and more. It continues to be a fun filled day, encouraging the community to connect with, and learn, about agricultural, pastoral and horticultural food and fibre production.

Rosemary would like to say a special thank you to Blayney High School students who helped with the set up on the Thursday and Friday before the show. Blayney Council presented a wonderful showground and also helped out with a tourism grant. Finally the Committee thanks the major sponsors and the businesses of Blayney, who always support their local Show.

**Regards
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Clockwise from top left: Shayley Allez with her prize winning dog Wayley; Childrens Decorative Creature Competition entries; Annie Hill, Dairy Goat Competition judge with Homemade Products Competition entries; Louise Hobby, Regis Resources, admires entries in the Wool, Vegetable and Farm Produce Competitions.



THANK YOU!
**The Australian Red Cross
LIFEBLOOD team had a
great collection day in
Blayney on 6th March. They
send a big thank you to the
28 donors and 4 new donors
who generously donated
blood on the day.**