



THE 29TH ROTARY

AWARDS

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2016 CARTOON OF THE YEAR - *Chris Roy Taylor*

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GENERAL INFORMATION

The Rotary Cartoon Awards is an initiative of the Rotary Club of Coffs Harbour City Inc., (the Rotary Club). The competition commenced in 1989 and is run by the Bunker Cartoon Gallery Inc., a not-for-profit, registered charity established by The Rotary Club in 1995. Sponsorship of the Awards by Coffs Harbour Rotary Clubs and other valuable community sponsors enables the Awards to continue into its 29th year and beyond.

The aim of the Awards is to promote cartooning, cartoon artists, Australia's only cartoon gallery, The Bunker Cartoon Gallery, and to further establish the City of Coffs Harbour as the 'Cartoon Capital of Australia'.

The competition attracts entries from the leading Australian cartoon, comic strip and caricature artists. Cash prizes and trophies are awarded in six categories and one category winning work will receive the prestigious Rotary 'Cartoon of the Year' Award.

Entrants into Awards agree to donate all works entered into the Coffs Cartoon Collection for exhibition at the Bunker Cartoon Gallery or other venues throughout Australia. Entrants retain copyright and grant permission to the Rotary Club of Coffs Harbour City and the Bunker Cartoon Gallery Inc. for their works to be exhibited, copied, reproduced onto promotional items, and for copies to be offered for sale at the Bunker Cartoon Gallery at any time in the future.

The 29th Rotary Cartoon Awards is conducted in association with the Australia Cartoonists' Association.

All entrants, friends and family are cordially invited to attend the award presentation evening at The Bunker Cartoon Gallery, Coffs Harbour on Saturday 12th August 2017.



CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES – 4pm SUNDAY 2 JULY 2017

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AWARDS & PRIZE MONEY

(OPEN ONLY TO RESIDENTS OF AUSTRALIA OVER 18 YEARS OF AGE)

Best Cartoon - Political Theme	1st Place: \$1000	Merit: \$500
Best Cartoon - Open Theme	1st Place: \$1000	Merit: \$500
Best Cartoon - Sports Theme	1st Place: \$1000	Merit: \$500
Best Cartoon – Special Theme: ‘A Pain in the ANZUS’	1st Place: \$1000	Merit: \$500
Best Caricature of a well-known person	1st Place: \$1000	Merit: \$500
Best Comic Strip	1st Place: \$1000	Merit: \$500

One cartoon will be selected from the winning entries in all categories as the **ROTARY 2017 ‘CARTOON OF THE YEAR’**

This prize, which includes the category prize, is a total of \$3,000.

The winner will be presented with a special Rotary 2017 ‘Cartoon of the Year’ Trophy.

RULES & ENTRY CONDITIONS: PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

1. The 29th Rotary Cartoon Awards is ONLY open to residents of Australia over the age of 18 years.
2. There is a **LIMIT OF THREE ENTRIES** per category and entries may be either previously published or unpublished.
3. Entries must not have been previously entered in the Rotary Cartoon Awards.
4. Entrants are asked to title their own works and to specify in which category or categories the work is entered.
5. Entries submitted must not be framed or on canvas as they will be hung in the Bunker’s own frames.
6. Entries may either be sent via post, digitally via WETRANSFER.COM, or hand-delivered to the Bunker Cartoon Gallery, Coffs Harbour. Entries must be sent prior to the closing date and late entries may not be accepted. To facilitate processing by our Volunteers, **EARLY ENTRIES** are greatly appreciated. **CLOSE OFF DATE FOR ENTRIES: 4pm Sunday 2 JULY 2017.**
HARDCOPY ENTRIES: All entries submitted in hardcopy by post or delivered must be originals, either in colour or black & white. Entries must be clearly labelled with the entrant’s name, address, telephone number and email address. This information must be written in pencil in the top left-hand corner on the reverse of the work, beneath the title of the work. A completed entry form should accompany works. If submitting multiple entries only one entry form is required to cover all works.
DIGITAL ENTRIES: All entries must be sent via WETRANSFER.COM in 300dpi, JPEG format, and may be either A4 (210mm x 197mm) or A3 (420mm x 297mm) in either colour or black and white. Entrants are asked to specify the size for printing. Entries should be sent accompanying a completed entry form. If submitting multiple entries only one entry form is required to cover all works. Use info@rotarycartoonawards.com.au as the destination email.
7. Entrants retain copyright of their entered works and grant The Bunker Cartoon Gallery Inc. permission to exhibit and reproduce the works in a catalogue or similar, onto cards or in an electronic format, and may be copied or used at the Rotary Club’s discretion, any time in the future, including copies offered for sale through the Bunker Cartoon Gallery in Australia.
8. The organisers will appoint suitable judges. Judges will not be eligible to enter the competition. The decision of the judges will be final and no correspondence will be entered into.
9. **Winners of the 2017 Awards will be announced on 12th August, 2017 at the Awards Presentation evening at the Bunker Cartoon Gallery. All entrants, friends and family are cordially invited to attend the Awards Presentation evening event. Finalists will be advised prior to the event.**
10. Entry to the Awards will be taken as an agreement to accept these rules and entry conditions. (Issue Date: 20 March, 2017)

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PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY USING BLOCK LETTERS

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Postcode: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

CATEGORIES - Please mark number of entries in each category (3 max. in each)

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| _____ Cartoon with a Political Theme | _____ Cartoon with an Open Theme |
| _____ Cartoon with a Sports Theme | _____ Caricature of a Well-known Person |
| _____ Comic Strip | _____ Cartoon with a Special Theme: 'Pain in the ANZUS' |

DIGITAL ENTRIES - Please specify size of entry: A4 A3

DIGITAL ENTRIES WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED VIA WETRANSFER.COM

*Please ensure you include a scanned copy of the completed entry form with your entries.
Use info@rotarycartoonawards.com.au as the destination email address for WETRANSFER.COM
You will be sent confirmation that your entry has been received and downloaded.*

HARD COPY ENTRIES - Please send all original hard copy artwork to:
The 29th Rotary Cartoon Awards, Bunker Cartoon Gallery,
PO Box 1483, Coffs Harbour NSW 2450

I have read and fully understand the Rules and Entry Conditions of the 29th Rotary Cartoon Awards, and agree to abide by these rules. I confirm that all entries I have submitted are my own ORIGINAL work(s) and have not been previously submitted in past Rotary Cartoon Awards.

Signed _____ Dated _____

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