

Parade Entry Form

Organisation name	<input type="text"/>
Contact person	<input type="text"/>
Address	<input type="text"/>
	Suburb <input type="text"/> State <input type="text"/> P/code <input type="text"/>
Contact number	<input type="text"/>
Email	<input type="text"/>
Type of entry	<input type="checkbox"/> Car club / motorcycle club – Number of vehicles <input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Independent vehicle – Type of vehicle <input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Float <input type="checkbox"/> Walkers – Number of walkers <input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Ute/pickup with trailer (e.g. pulling organisation or team members) <input type="checkbox"/> Semi (includes flatbeds for school teams and other large groups) <input type="checkbox"/> Other – Give details <input type="text"/>
Description of entry	<p><i>Please give a brief description of entry including estimated length.</i></p> <input type="text"/>
Liability insurance/waiver	<p>Please indicate whether you have liability insurance by ticking the relevant box below.</p> <input type="checkbox"/> I/we have liability insurance that covers us during the parade. <input type="checkbox"/> I/we are entering the parade at my/our own risk.
Declaration	<p>I have read and understood the Conditions of Entry.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> </div>
What to do now	<p>Email your completed form to enquiries@festivalofthefleeces.com.au.</p> <p><i>Entries must be received by Friday 26th May 2023.</i></p>

Welcome

The Merriwa Festival of the Fleeces Committee would like to invite you to participate in the Festival of the Fleeces to be held on the long weekend in June 2023.

Merriwa's annual Festival of the Fleeces is celebrating 31 years of festivals since it commenced in 1990. Each year this event generates much needed funds for the Westpac Rescue Helicopter and the Merriwa and District Volunteer Rescue Squads.

The Festival is an event that the whole community can become involved in and enjoy.

Conditions of Entry

- All participants enter the parade at their own risk.
- The Merriwa Festival of the Fleeces committee and Upper Hunter Shire Council do not accept responsibility for injuries sustained by participants during the parade or any damages to property.
- Children must be supervised by appropriate number of responsible adults.
- Any vehicle(s) must meet the legal requirements for a registered vehicle.
- The Merriwa Festival of the Fleeces committee has the right to refuse entries.
- Children under 12 must have a responsible supervisor during the parade.
- Whilst riding, helmets should be worn at all times. Please adhere to this requirement otherwise exclusion from the parade may be enforced.
- It is highly recommended that riding helmets to be worn by horse riders at all times whilst participating in the parade.
- A maximum of 6 entries will be accepted from the one agency/ club/ service.
- No alcohol is to be consumed or displayed by any parade participant.
- No promotional material or items of any kind can be thrown from parade entries during the course of the parade without express consent from the Festival of the Fleeces committee.
- All entries MUST have their number displayed at all times whilst in the parade.
- The traffic controllers (VRA) have the final judgement for safety on the day and all directions issued by VRA traffic controllers must be carried out.

When and Where?

- All entries (except school groups) will marshal at the Merriwa Showground at 11:15am.
- School groups will join the parade at Bow Street. Line up at 11:45 on the river side of Bow Street.
- All entries will follow the set route and return to the showground (walkers are permitted to complete the parade at Apex park).
- Entry to the Merriwa Showground for the parade is via the Dutton Street entrance (a local map will be provided with your permit once your application has been accepted).