

Sydney Royal Fine Food Show Sydney Rock Oyster and Prawn

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Thank you from the President



Thank you for entering this Sydney Royal Competition and congratulations to all of this year's Sydney Royal medal winners.

Entries continued to be strong this year, highlighting the importance of our competitions amongst producers. Acknowledging excellence and encouraging innovation is at the heart of our charter, and in turn, supports a sustainable and successful future for all involved in each agricultural step of our food and wine industries.

Our Sydney Royal competitions are amongst the most prestigious in the country, raising the benchmark in product superiority across a range of diverse classes.

The reward for such excellence is a Sydney Royal medal, a significant achievement and one that is acknowledged by your industry peers and consumers alike. The ability to go to market with Sydney Royal artwork on the packaging elevates your product and signifies the exceptional quality recognised by our judges.

The standards set at our competitions are renowned across Australia, endorsing the impartiality, rigorous standards and absolute professionalism of our esteemed judging panels.

I would like to extend my gratitude to our judges, stewards and dedicated committees. I would also like to give thanks to all associated sponsors who support the ongoing development of our Sydney Royal competitions each year.

I look forward to seeing the passion and devotion of our winning producers result in commercial success, and I encourage them to take advantage of all associated benefits of their win.

I hope all entrants have enjoyed their experience and are inspired to join in the tradition of entering every year. It is one way in which producers can play a crucial role in the viable future of our agricultural industries.

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How to Read the Results Catalogue Class number & description Judges general comments for Class 4 - Sample Class the whole Class JUDGES COMMENTS: Outstanding product entered. There has been significant improvement of entries over the past few years. Exhibitors who didn't receive medals Point score should take care when presenting their product. Medal G 21 Company A, Sample Product (Produced by Producer 1) 90.67 G 20 Company B, Sample Product (Produced by Producer 2) 90.00 s 22 Company C, Sample Product (Produced by Producer 3) 88.67 в 19 Company D, Sample Product (Produced by Producer 4) 76.25

LEGEND

- G Gold
- S Silver
- B Bronze

Medal Awards

Medal Awards for all Competitions are determined by the Judges on the following scale of points:

Gold - Exhibits gaining 90.0 points and over;

Silver - Exhibits gaining 82.0 but less than 90.0 points;

Bronze - Exhibits gaining 74.0 but less than 82.0 points.

Gold Coast Tiger Prawns and Tathra Oysters steal the Show at Sydney Royal judging

15 April 2019

Gold Coast Marine Aquaculture and Tathra Oysters have dominated the Sydney Royal Aquaculture competition at its first-ever public judging at the Sydney Royal Easter Show on Friday 12.

Established in 2001, the Sydney Royal Aquaculture Competition judges the best of the best in Australian aquaculture. This year however the competition devoted a focus towards the growth of Australian Prawns and Oysters to build strength in the industry.

Chair of Judges, John Susman says the competition aims to support industry growth,

"Sydney Royal is the benchmark of quality for farmed prawns and Sydney Rock Oysters in Australia, and the competition aims to support the continued growth of the industry through its judging process," Mr Susman said,

"With only a 5% variance between judges, this year's judging has been one of the strongest field we have seen in many years".

Gold Coast Marine Aquaculture is one of the largest Black Tiger Prawn farming companies in Australia and continues to be the benchmark of quality for farmed prawns and have continued their reign by taking home, *Champion Prawn and the Champion Aquaculture Product Perpetual Trophy.*

Meanwhile Tathra Oysters has starred in the Sydney Rock Oysters section of the Sydney Royal Fine Food Show, winning *Champion Sydney Rock Oyster*. Tathra Oysters has been a consistent winner at the Sydney Royal Fine Food Show, winning several champions over the last 18 years, as well as the inaugural President's Medal in 2006.

In another new addition to the competition, it is the first year the judging has been held live at the Sydney Royal Easter Show, allowing patrons to glimpse into the judging process for Sydney Rock Oyster and Australian grown prawn classes.

All results for the Sydney Royal Fine Food Show – Sydney Rock Oyster & Prawn Shows can be found <u>here</u>.

For further information or to enter please visit the Sydney Royal website.

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SPECIAL AWARDS

AQUACULTURE COMPETITION

CHAMPION AQUACULTURE PRODUCT (Classes 1 to 22) The Champion Aquaculture Product Perpetual Trophy, donated by Noel Herbst OAM.

> GOLD COAST MARINE AQUACULTURE Produced by Gold Coast Tiger Prawns Class No. 1 / Cat No. 5 Gold Coast Tiger Prawns 10/15

CHAMPION PRAWN EXHIBIT (Class 1) The Champion Prawn Exhibit Perpetual Trophy donated by Graham J Crouch.

> GOLD COAST MARINE AQUACULTURE Produced by Gold Coast Tiger Prawns Class No. 1 / Cat No. 5 Gold Coast Tiger Prawns 10/15

CHAMPION SYDNEY ROCK OYSTER (Class 2) Prize (Annual Trophy) supported by the NSW Food Authority.

> TATHRA OYSTERS Produced by Tathra Oysters Class No. 2 / Cat No. 52 Nelson Lake - Jewel Grade

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2019 AQUACULTURE COMPETITION

PRAWNS

Class 1 - Prawns, Cooked. Any Species.

JUDGES COMMENTS: Overall, Exhibits were of a very high standard. The three Gold medals were of an exceptional standard, showing beautiful visual characteristics combined with delicious taste and texture. Growers should be congratulated on their attention to detail. These prawns confirm that Australian farmers continue to maintain and improve farming practices in order to produce product of the highest quality.

- G 5 Gold Coast Marine Aquaculture, *Gold Coast Tiger Prawns 10/15* (Produced by Gold Coast Tiger Prawns) 94.88
- G 9 Gold Coast Marine Aquaculture, *Gold Coast Tiger Prawns U10 - Woongoolba* (Produced by Gold Coast Tiger Prawns) **92.12**
- S 2 Gold Coast Marine Aquaculture, Gold Coast Tiger Prawns 16/20 (Produced by Gold Coast Tiger Prawns) 89.50
- S 8 Seafarms, *Crystal Bay Tiger Prawns* 10/15 (Produced by Seafarms) 85.75
- S 11 Gold Coast Marine Aquaculture, Gold Coast Tiger Prawns U10 - Mossman (Produced by Gold Coast Tiger Prawns) 85.25
- B 4 Seafarms, Crystal Bay Tiger Prawns 16/20 (Produced by Seafarms) 81.75
- B 6 Pacific Reef Fisheries, *Pacific Reef Tigers 10/15* (Produced by Pacific Reef Fisheries) 77.88
- B 10 Pacific Reef Fisheries, *Pacific Reef Tigers U10* (Produced by Pacific Reef Fisheries) **77.75**
- B 1 Seafarms, *Crystal Bay Tiger Prawns 21/30* (Produced by Seafarms) **77.50**
- B 7 Gold Coast Marine Aquaculture, Gold Coast Tiger Prawns 10/15 (Produced by Gold Coast Tiger Prawns) 76.88
 - 3 Pacific Reef Fisheries, *Pacific Reef Tigers* 16/20 (Produced by Pacific Reef Fisheries) **72.12**

OYSTERS

Class 2 - Sydney Rock Oysters

JUDGES COMMENTS: Overall, an excellent presentation of Exhibits, with great care to select uniform oysters that were deeply cupped. Weather appears to have impacted many Exhibits with a slight loss of condition in many. The Gold winners were stunning flavour bombs of exceptional quality.

G	52	Tathra Oysters, Nelson Lake Jewel Grade
		(Produced by Tathra Oysters) 94.67
G	59	Tathra Oysters, Nelson Lake Supreme Grade
		(Produced by Tathra Oysters) 94.33
G	40	Tathra Oysters, Nelson Lake Bistro Grade
		(Produced by Tathra Oysters) 94.08
G	28	Australia's Oyster Coast, Appellation Shoalhaven -
		Distro (Draduand by Australia's Oveter Coast) 01 17

- Bistro (Produced by Australia's Oyster Coast) 91.12
 S 18 Kingfisher Oysters Pty Ltd, Sydney Rock Oyster -Bottle (Produced by Kingfisher Oysters Pty Ltd) 89.25
- S 20 Wonboyn Rock Oysters (K & C Henry), Kel And Caroline Henry - Wonboyn Rock Oysters - Bottle (Produced by K & C Henry Wonboyn Rock Oysters) 89.00

- S 26 Wonboyn Rock Oysters (K & C Henry), Kel And Caroline Henry - Wonboyn Rock Oysters - Bistro (Produced by K & C Henry Wonboyn Rock Oysters) 88.50
 - 29 Kingfisher Oysters Pty Ltd, Sydney Rock Oyster -Bistro (Produced by Kingfisher Oysters Pty Ltd) 87.25
- S 25 Macleay River Farm Oysters, *Macleay River* Sydney Rock Oysters - Bistro (Produced by Macleay River Farm Oysters) 85.75
- S 47 Kingfisher Oysters Pty Ltd, Sydney Rock Oyster -Plate (Produced by Kingfisher Oysters Pty Ltd) 84.83
 - 57 Tathra Oysters, *Nelson Lake Premium Grade* (Produced by Tathra Oysters) **84.67**
 - Superior Oysters, Superior Oysters Bottle (Produced by Superior Oysters - Darren Death)
 84.38
 - 60 Wapengo Rocks Wild Organic Oysters, *Wapengo Rocks Premium Grade* (Produced by Wapengo Rocks Wild Organic Oysters) **84.33**
- S 30 Big Bay Oysters, *Big Bay Oysters Bistro* (Produced by Graham & Jennifer Labone) 83.88
 - 32 Wapengo Rocks Wild Organic Oysters, *Wapengo Rocks Bistro Grade* (Produced by Wapengo Rocks Wild Organic Oysters) **83.88**
 - 58 Hazelgrove Oysters, Hazelgrove Oysters Large (Produced by Hazelgrove Oysters) 83.50
 - 49 Stirling Oysters, *Stirling Oysters Plate* (Produced by Stirling Oysters) **83.17**
 - 43 Sapphire Oysters, *Sapphire Pearls Large Bistro* (Produced by Sapphire Oysters) **82.12**
 - 21 Sapphire Oysters, *Sapphire Gems Small Bistro* (Produced by Sapphire Oysters) **81.75**
 - 22 Mimosa Rock Oyster Company, Sydney Rock Oyster - Bistro (Produced by Mimosa Rock Oyster) 81.12
 - 50 Tuross Inlet Oysters, *Tuross Inlet Oysters Plate* (Produced by Tuross Inlet Oysters) **80.00**
- B 27 T & J Graham Oysters Macleay River, *Sydney Rock* Oysters - Bistro (Produced by T & J Graham Oysters Macleay River) **79.88**
- B 41 McAsh Oysters, *Maggie's Oysters* (Produced by McAsh Oysters Pty Ltd) 79.88
- B 39 Hazelgrove Oysters, *Hazelgrove Oysters Medium* (Produced by Hazelgrove Oysters) **79.38**
- B 53 Doyle's Oysters, Doyle's Oysters Plate (Produced by Doyle's Oysters) 79.33
 - 12 Wapengo Rocks Wild Organic Oysters, *Wapengo Rocks Petite Grade* (Produced by Wapengo Rocks Wild Organic Oysters) **78.88**
- B 45 Mills Oysters, *Mills Oysters Plate* (Produced by Mills Oysters) 78.88
 B 17 Hazelgrove Oysters, *Hazelgrove Oysters Small*
 - 17 Hazelgrove Oysters, *Hazelgrove Oysters Small* (Produced by Hazelgrove Oysters) **78.50**
 - 34 Doyle's Oysters, Doyle's Oysters Bistro (Produced by Doyle's Oysters) 78.50
 - 33 Australia's Oyster Coast, Appellation Wallis Lake -Bistro (Produced by Australia's Oyster Coast) 78.38
- B 54 Clyde River Oysters, *Sydney Rock Oysters Plate* (Produced by Clyde River Oysters) **78.33**
 - 31 Australia's Oyster Coast, *Appellation Merimbula* -*Bistro* (Produced by Australia's Oyster Coast) **78.25**
 - 38 McAsh Oysters, *Ewan McAsh Signature Oysters* (Produced by McAsh Oysters Pty Ltd) **78.25**
 - 56 Broadwater Oysters Pty Ltd, Broadwater Oysters Wild Caught - Large (Produced by Broadwater Oysters Pty Ltd) 76.67

- B 48 Wonboyn Rock Oysters (K & C Henry), Kel And Caroline Henry - Wonboyn Rock Oysters - Plate (Produced by K & C Henry Wonboyn Rock Oysters) 76.17
- B 37 Broadwater Oysters Pty Ltd, Broadwater Oysters Wild Caught - Medium (Produced by Broadwater Oysters Pty Ltd) 74.50

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- Merimbula Gourmet Oysters, Sydney Rock Oysters
 Bottle (Produced by Merimbula Gourmet Oysters)
 74.00
 - 23 Merimbula Gourmet Oysters, Sydney Rock Oysters
 Bistro (Produced by Merimbula Gourmet Oysters)
 72.38
 - 51 Kingtide Oysters, *Sydney Rock Oysters Plate* (Produced by Kingtide Oysters) **72.00**
 - Merimbula Gourmet Oysters, Sydney Rock Oysters
 Cocktail (Produced by Merimbula Gourmet Oysters) 70.50
 - 14 Gill's Oysters, Sydney Rock Oysters Cocktail (Produced by Gill's Oysters) 69.12
 - 55 Merimbula Gourmet Oysters, Sydney Rock Oysters
 Plate (Produced by Merimbula Gourmet Oysters)
 55.83



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- Clyde River Oysters, Surfbeach NSW
- Doyle's Oysters, Batemans Bay NSW

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