



164th MAITLAND SHOW 2026

“My Show – Making Memories”

13 - 14 - 15 February 2026



WOODWORK SCHEDULE



“Our Show – Making Memories”

Zero Tolerance to Abuse

Aggressive behaviour and any form of verbal or physical abuse towards any person including staff, members, volunteers, competitors or guests will not be tolerated on the Maitland Showground at any time

Anyone engaging in inappropriate behaviour at the Maitland Showground will be asked to change their behaviour, issued a formal warning, removed from the grounds or barred from entering the grounds in the future.



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General Information:

Entry Forms:

- Online entries via Maitland Showground webpage.
<https://maitlandshowground.com.au/msevents/maitland-show/competitions/>

Online entries close on Sunday 1st February 2026.

Please complete your entry and payment online.

- Or deliver your entry form by close Monday 2nd February , 2026 - 2pm
To Maitland Showground Office
50 Blomfield Street, Maitland 2320.
Office hours 9am to 2pm
Phone: 02 49335052
Payment: Cash or Eftpos only.

Entry Fees \$2.00 per Entry for Students / Juniors and Open
No refunds are available.
No new entries will be accepted on the day.
No late entries will be accepted.

Delivery Times **Saturday 7th February, 2026, between 11am-2pm**

Delivery Location **Thomas Morgan Pavilion, Maitland Showground**

Collection Times All work must be collected on **15th February, 2026 between 4.30pm-6pm**. Any entries not collected during the above times will be taken home by the Steward.

Chief Steward Bob Turner Mobile: 0428 682 034 Enquires: bobturner@ieee.org



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Prizes

All Prize Money will be paid by Direct Deposit after the show. Winners will be contacted by email with a secure payment link to enter banking details for prize payment.

Prize Money	1st prize \$10.00
	2nd prize \$5.00
Ribbons	Best overall Open Section
	Best Junior Section
For classes	8509 WW9
	8510 WW10
	8511 WW11
	8512 WW12

Exhibitors Notes/Rules

Conditions of Entry for Exhibitors

1. Please Note that great care will be taken with all work entered; no responsibility shall be accepted by the Association or Committee for loss or damage to an entry.
2. The Pavilions housing the competitive exhibitors will be closed to the public during judging.
3. The Judges' decisions in all sections are final.
4. No correspondence will be entered into. Prizes in the open sections may not be awarded where the entry is not up to standard. Judges will be considering: Skill, Finish, Difficulty, Design, Utility, Wow Factor and Material (most to least importance) and may exercise discretion to re-classify the category of entry.
5. No more than three entries in each class per exhibitor. Each entry can only be entered in one class.
6. All exhibits to be made within the last 18 months and not to have been exhibited at a previous Maitland Show, and to be primarily work of the entrant.
7. Junior and Youth entrants are allowed to use adult assistance for hazardous activities.
8. Judges and MWG committee may issue additional special prizes on judging day (e.g. tied first prize, class project, or exceptional work when compared to entrant's peers and/or not strictly meeting category requirements) or re-allocate entries to more appropriate sections
9. Show theme **My show – Making Memories** Sections 1-10 require wood as some part. Sections 11-12 may used any material (integration of a wooden element would be highly regarded.)

We thank our sponsor for supporting the Woodwork Section at Maitland Show

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WOODWORK – OPEN Section

- 8501 WW1 - Any turned wooden item turned on a faceplate or chuck.
- 8502 WW2 - Any wooden platter or bowl (not necessarily turned)
- 8503 WW3 - Any wooden item turned between centres/spindle.
- 8504 WW4 - Any wooden box not turned.
- 8505 WW5 - Any wooden toy or puzzle.
- 8506 WW6 - Any miniature items, a set of two or more (e.g. dolls house furniture, figures, animals)
- 8507 WW7 - Pens hand turned (max of 2 pens per entry). Pens not in boxes.
- 8508 WW8 - Any wooden item-not turned. e.g., scroll saw, marquetry, intarsia, carved item engraving, pyrography etc.

WOODWORKING BEST OVERALL

WOODWORK - JUNIORS Section

- 8509 WW9 - Best piece of woodwork by a student 12 years of age & under
- 8510 WW10 - Best piece of woodwork by a student 13 – 18 years

WOODWORKING BEST JUNIOR

WOODWORK - MY SHOW – MAKING MEMORIES Section

- 8511 WW11 – Picture Frame or similar memento, by Junior 12yrs and under
- 8512 WW12 – Picture Frame or similar memento, Open Section



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