



## The Land Sydney Royal Showgirl Competition

# Merriwa Showgirl

In it's 58th year, the Showgirl Competition aims to find a young woman to act as an ambassador for the Merriwa Show and Merriwa Community.

The Competition encourages the participation and subsequent awareness of young rural women's contribution and involvement in both our local community and rural NSW as a whole. It is most important the Showgirls have a genuine interest in, and knowledge of, rural NSW.

Today, contestants continue to be young rural women with purpose and ambition. The Competition plays a significant role in the overall development of rural youth. The contestants meet other young women from the district and gain great insights and personal development through this very rare experience.

Merriwa has had great success in recent years - Our **2018 Showgirl Sarah White**, competed in the finals at The Sydney Royal Easter Show - *our second ever finalist through to Sydney*.

**The competition is run bi-annually and is open to young women aged 18 to 24 years.**

Please consider taking part in this empowering movement

For further enquiries contact **Maisie Morrow, Showgirl Coordinator - 0458 208 129**



Merriwa Show Showgirl entrants Sonya Ferguson, Colleen Stewart, Noeleen Russell, Kerrie Rolfe, Maria McRae, Michaela Jurd, Beth Wurcker and the winner Robyn Doyle.

(The photograph appeared in *The Land* newspaper in 1978)