



2012 Newcastle Regional Show

McGRATH ESTATE AGENTS MINI GARDEN COMPETITION FOR PRIMARY SCHOOLS



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DETAILS OF ENTRY

The MINI GARDEN Competition encourages children as a class or school to have fun in creating their own “Mini Garden” and be in the running to win fabulous prizes for their school. Judging is based on criteria such as design, creativity and originality- so let your imagination run wild!

Prizes:

Winning school in each category to receive a cash prize of \$75.00 and a commemorative plaque will be presented to the school, with the runner up receiving a \$25.00 cash prize. Winning School in each Section will receive a Hunter Valley Gardens Excursion for 30 students. Winning School in the Fragrant Garden Section will receive the special prize of a Compost Bin and the runner up a \$50 School Library package, donated by Newcastle City Council Waste Education Centre.

Special Prizes: Additional great prizes have been donated from the donors listed below and will be awarded at the time of Judging. All prizes will be able to be collected after the Show.

Conditions:

All Mini gardens are to be no larger than 600mm x 600mm in size. They can consist of any medium and they must have a solid base. Mini Gardens will be displayed in the Agriculture Marquee. Each group entering may only enter once. Exhibits will be watered as required and all care taken, but no responsibility will be accepted for any damage that may be caused to plants.

Delivery:

To the Agriculture Marquee at Newcastle Showground, on Thursday March 15th between 12pm and 5pm. Judging will take place on Friday 16th.

Collection:

Exhibits must be collected between the hours of 9 am – 12 noon on Monday 19th March from the Agriculture Marquee. Please note that we have no way to store these gardens after Monday 19th.

Entry forms should be mailed or faxed to the Show Office by **Monday 12th March 2012**, 5 pm.
Please take a copy of the entry form and attach it to your garden when you bring it in.

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Our thanks to the following donors for special prizes:

Hunter Valley Gardens: Bunnings Warehouse Kotara: Newcastle City Council Waste Education Centre: Newcastle Wildflower Nursery



The winning class in each section will receive an excursion to Hunter Valley Gardens.
Developed by four local teachers, the Hunter Valley Gardens Education Program encompasses 98 syllabus outcomes drawn from 6 different subject areas. It is based around a 60-acre display garden, with 12 distinctly different areas and provides an interesting, engaging and educational day out for both students and teachers. Email education@hvg.com.au for further information.

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Entry Form

School: _____

Class: _____

Contact Name: _____

Telephone No: _____

Theme: **Rainbow Garden**



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Contact Name: _____

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Theme: **Edible Garden**



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Theme: **Fragrant Garden**