

The Open Section Conditions and Workshops (2 pages)

Designer Prize : \$1000 will go to the highest scoring design entry

Model Prize : \$100 will be awarded to the model of the highest scoring design entry.

Open Section is open to all ages

Entry Close Date : 5pm Saturday March 30th, two weeks before the event

Theme : No theme just knock us off our feet!

Open Section

This is the big one \$1000 for the designer - \$100 for the model and we want you to go wild and free with unleashed creativity and pizzazz.

We have a couple of simple rules for this section :

1. It must be awesome
2. We don't care how you make it or what it's made of – just no open flames or anything that would get us shut down, no nudity – just nothing that will endanger yourself or others.
3. If you are Primary School aged you must be accompanied by a parent or guardian who stays with you during your section but we would gently suggest this is more of a grown up section – but hey who are we to block out the next Michelangelo or Michelangelena

Judging Criteria for this section :

A maximum of ten points will be awarded for each criteria – the final score will be out of 50.

1. Artistic Vision – the story behind your creation
2. Creativity – the more creative the better your score
3. Materials Used – unconventional and unexpected is the way to go!. Remember this is the section where beauty and wow count most.
4. Overall appeal – How it all comes together and how well you have achieved your artistic vision.
5. Total Look – A final score taking into account all the elements of your entry and how you present them including the garment, styling and runway presentation.

We recommend sourcing a model for this section so that you can dress them on the day and fine tune – however you may model your own entry if you wish. Yes you still get the model cash prize if you model your own outfit.

Associated workshop (s) for this section :

Name of Workshop: Get help from a master

Presenter : Sarah Ashburner

Venue : Stirling Street Arts Centre | **Date : Saturday 9th March 2019**

Time : 9am – 12pm

Cost : \$10.00

Description : Sometimes you need a hand with your creations, you get stuck, it's not working out or you just need advice from someone who really understands design and construction. Sarah Ashburner knows pretty much everything about fashion and design – she headed the Fashion Dept @ Bunbury Regional Tafe and now has her own label Japonica

In this workshop we will have 12 private 15 minute sessions with Sarah to help you out with any problems – we understand this is a competition and you don't want to discuss your entries in public so you can have Sarah all to yourself. Bring in your sketches, the design itself and get the help you may need. Allotted times will be filled on a first booked first accommodated system – once a spot is gone it's gone. To book into this workshop you must contact Event Manager Nate Gardiner (again first come first served)

Name of Workshop : Design Approach with Kate Hannah

Presenter : Kate Hannah from P'JUNK

Venue : Stirling Street Arts Centre | **Date : Saturday 2nd March 2019**

Time : 9am – 12pm

Cost : \$10.00

Description : Get a rare insight into the design process of a young, successful, vibrant and working designer! Not only will Kate give you an insight into her process she will also advise you on how to breathe life into your ideas and inspirations. There will also be a chance to make your own Kate inspired accessory!

Name of Workshop: Runway Walking and Wearable Walking

Presenter : Nate Gardiner from FACES Bunbury Fashion Runway.

Venue : Stirling Street Arts Centre | **Date (s) : Over 17yrs Workshop : Thursday 28th March**

Primary and Secondary Age Workshop : Saturday 30th March 2019

Time (s) : 9am – 12pm

Cost : \$10.00

Description : Learn the basics of runway walking, holding your own on the runway and how to show Wearable Art confidently and expressively from Nate whom has trained many of Bunbury's most successful models and choreographed models for shows in Los Angeles, Sydney, Indonesia, Perth and all over The South West.

If you have sourced a model to tailor your creation to that fits with your artistic vision and they are a little nervous or inexperienced then this is the workshop for them !

Remember a small part of your Total Look score includes overall presentation on the runway ...

Please note workshops are not compulsory for entry – they are simply there to help you along the way.