

# CITY OF PARRAMATTA EISTEDDFOD SOCIETY INC.

## PHOTOGRAPHY RULES

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The Committee of this Eisteddfod recognises that parents and carers enjoy photographing **their child** in the various performances. It is for this reason that it has been decided to **allow restricted photographing (not recording) under the following conditions:**

An 'X' will mark a spot on the floor behind the Adjudicator's table and a chair placed on that mark. The chair cannot be moved from this spot. The parent/carer sits on this chair and photographs **their child's** performance. **Recording is strictly prohibited unless permission has been obtained from the copyright holder of the piece being performed that such recording is permissible. The Eisteddfod and its Committee are not responsible for this as it is the teacher and/or parent/carer who must check the copyright status of the piece.**

***It needs to be clearly understood that no photography will be permitted in the body of the hall by any others. Your co-operation in this matter is expected and appreciated.***

Obviously this needs to be done as smoothly as possible so it is essential that you know when it is your child's turn, be ready to take up the position on the chair when the previous competitor has finished and is leaving the stage. As the Adjudicator will be completing the report, it should be done as quietly as possible. **There is to be no movement in the hall once the next child has commenced his/her performance.**

One parent/carer ONLY to take photographs of group performances, who can then share with the parent/carer of other participants. ***No group photograph can be shared, nor appear on social media without the photographer having first obtained permission from the parents/carers of the other children in those photographs. This is a serious responsibility, as there are some children who have very real legal and safety issues which could put a child at risk if an image is shared or made public online.***

**Should these Rules not be followed in their entirety, by everybody, the privilege of performance photography may be removed.**