

Calling all budding artists and Graphic/Manga/Cartooning authors!

Celebrate Comic Book Month for all of July with Cairns libraries and create a 4 – 12 panel comic-strip.

Entrants are encouraged to demonstrate their creative flair for art and storytelling through their own themes and characters for the chance to win some awesome prizes!

How do I enter?

- 1. Plan for your comic strip:
 - Plot/storyline
 - Panels & layout
 - Use of language
 - Overall presentation and impact
- 2. Create your comic strip and attach this page to your submission with all details completed.
- 3. **Submit** your entry at any Cairns Libraries branch or email it to: <u>cairnslibraries@cairns.qld.gov</u>.
- 4. See terms & conditions over the page.

Entrant's Details	
Name	
DOB	
Parent/Guardian's name	
Contact no.	
Email	
Title of Comic Strip	

CAIRNS LIBRARIES 2022 COMIC STRIP COMPETITION TERMS & CONDITIONS

Prize: 2 x gift vouchers from assorted stores (e.g. Smiggles, QBD, Zing Pop Culture, YOMG or Boost Juice) to the value of \$50 per winner. **Prizes value:** \$25 per gift voucher (14 vouchers to give away at a total of \$400).

Conditions of entry:

- 1. <u>Closing date</u> for all submissions is **Sunday**, **24 July 2022**
- 2. <u>Age divisions</u>:
 - a. Under 5 yrs
 - b. 5 8 yrs
 - c. 9 12 yrs
 - d. 13 18 yrs
- 3. <u>Submissions</u> must be 4 12 panels in length, and the original work of the submitting author/illustrator.
- 4. <u>Computer generated images</u> are acceptable as long as they are your own original work (no clip art).
- 5. <u>Cairns Library's entry form</u> must be attached to your submission and completed in full.
- 6. <u>Local amateur authors/illustrators</u> are permitted to enter in this competition only.
- 7. <u>Comic strip content rating</u>: All content is to be rated PG-13 or below, meaning:
 - There is to be no reference to drug or alcohol use
 - No reference to extreme or persistent violence
 - No imagery containing nudity, or swear words in text

Judging:

- Judging will occur after closing date with winners announced on Friday 29 July. Winners will be contacted in the days following via email and to arrange the pickup of prizes.
- 2. Entries will be displayed online via Cairns Library's website listed under the winner's first name only.

Visit our website for more information regarding Cairns Libraries' <u>terms &</u> <u>conditions for this competition</u>.

