

# APRA

## SOUTH AUSTRALIAN



# SONG OF THE YEAR

## 2009

### Entry Guidelines:

1. The APRA South Australian Country Song of the Year is open to all songwriters resident in South Australia.
2. There are 2 sections – **Traditional** (bush, ballads, folk) and **Modern** (commercial, contemporary). Songs submitted may be any style of country music within these 2 sections.
3. All entries must be original country music compositions and submitted on CD, accompanied by three (3) typed or clearly printed copies of the lyrics for each song. Please ensure that these lyrics recorded are identical to those on the printed copies supplied.
4. All songs submitted must not be published or released commercially at the time of entry.
5. Entries must be no longer than 4 minutes duration and any songwriter may submit a maximum of two songs per section. If you wish to submit 2 original songs in one section, these may be on the same audio/cd, but if you wish to enter both sections, please submit songs on separate cds.
6. Do not put your name on lyric sheets or cds. Please identify with the original song titles only. SACCM officials will then number these before submission to the judges.
7. The entry fee of \$10 per song must accompany all entries.
8. Entries close on 31st. October 2009 and must be sent to the Secretary SA Council for Country Music.
9. Prizes – there are three cash prizes & trophies. Two will be awarded to the songs judged to be the best in both the traditional and modern sections, & one overall for "Song of the Year". Certificates will be presented to the top 3 songs in each section. The judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entered in to.
10. Any deviation from the above guidelines may result in disqualification.

**The awards will be presented on stage at the prestigious "South Australian Showcase 2009" to be held at the STARPLEX Theatre Gawler on Saturday 28th. November 2009.**

APRA SOUTH AUSTRALIA  
COUNTRY SONG OF THE YEAR  
AWARDS 2009



# Entry Form

Song Title	Section
1	Traditional
2	Traditional
3	Modern
4	Modern

Name(s) of songwriter(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Entry fee of \$10 per song enclosed – Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I/we agree to abide by the entry guidelines for the "APRA South Australian Country Song of the Year Awards". I/we give the SA Council for Country Music inc. the permission to use the/se song(s) as necessary during the duration of this competition. SACCM acknowledges that the copyright of the song always remains the property of the songwriter(s).

Signature 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature 2: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**(Form must be signed by parent or guardian if under 18yrs of age.)**

**Return to:**  
**The Secretary,** PO Box 31  
**SACCM** Plympton  
SA 5038

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