

BA3370	127	Kerry Faulkner	A family of spectators in the stands of the rodeo waiting for the competition to begin. There's no shade and the day is hot (mid 30s), windy and dusty. This is the first Mogumber Rodeo run at this site and the first run by the Mogumber Outback Club volunteers.	December 2022
BA3370	128	Kerry Faulkner	To get to the competition marshalling yard competitors (and photographers) have to climb over the cattle run where the man is standing pointing. That's the marshalling area in the background.	December 2022
BA3370	129	Kerry Faulkner	This is the main competition arena where officials are recording competitors results. Note the starting horn in the open bag.	December 2022

BA3370	130	Kerry Faulkner	The volunteers are preparing the cattle for the calf roping competitions. You can see the woman in the chair on top opens the shoot to release the calf using the rope.	December 2022
BA3370	131	Kerry Faulkner	The calf is released and the competitor – the women here, takes off very fast to catch the calf as quickly as possible. Barrel racing, bull rides, rope and tie are among events all sponsored by mostly local companies. It's interesting to see Melissa Price MP among sponsors.	December 2022
BA3370	132	Kerry Faulkner	Steer roping competitors in action. This man has been helping the competitor previously get her stirrups right and his presence here in the run indicates she may be a novice in the event.	December 2022
BA3370	133	Kerry Faulkner	Competitors gather at the start of the roping competition.	December 2022

BA3370	134	Kerry Faulkner	This women's roping competition is one of the earlier events in the program. The day is split into two competitions – the first at 1 p.m. and the second at 7 p.m.	December 2022
BA3370	135	Kerry Faulkner	This is the bull riding marshalling yard where competitors are getting ready to mount the bulls. It's also where they recover from their rides, often with torn jeans and injuries.	December 2022
BA3370	136	Kerry Faulkner	Many of the younger competitors use protective gear like the helmet for the bull ride which can be incredibly dangerous.	December 2022
BA3370	137	Kerry Faulkner	This young woman rider and her helpers try to settle the bull before the gate is opened and the bull ride begins.	December 2022

BA3370	138	Kerry Faulkner	The same young woman is thrown by the bull after a short ride – you can see the clown ready to distract the animals so she can scramble to safety.	December 2022
BA3370	139	Kerry Faulkner	A rider gets ready for his ride in the marshalling area.	December 2022
BA3370	140	Kerry Faulkner	Some of the riders in the junior division are young children helped by their fathers as you can see here. There's a mix of nervousness and excitement in the marshalling area.	December 2022
BA3370	141	Kerry Faulkner	I think this is admirable multi-taking as a mum with a baby in the pram walks her horse to the competition arena. It's a hot day (mid 30s), windy and incredibly dusty. You can see the horse floats in the background.	December 2022

BA3370	142	Kerry Faulkner	This group was gathered chatting and eating in the area for food vans and stalls selling things like hats. They struck a pose when I appeared with my camera.	December 2022
BA3370	143	Kerry Faulkner	Rodeo fans are always happy to have their pictures taken. This man is with his friend in the fenced off bar area smoking.	December 2022