



2011 STANLEY AWARDS

CATEGORIES AND SUBMISSION GUIDELINES



The Australian Cartoonists' Association is now calling for submissions for the 27th Stanley Awards.

Submissions are collated and published in the annual ACA Year Book, representing cartoons, comic strips, caricatures and illustrations published over the past year. The Stanley Awards will be held at The Mercure Hotel, Sydney on November 11, 2011. For details visit www.cartoonists.org.au.

STANLEY AWARD CATEGORIES

Comic Strip Artist

An artist whose published body of work is primarily a multi-panel sequential comic cartoon strip, adventure or illustrated comic strip.

Editorial/Political Cartoonist

An artist whose published body of work is political and/or social satire in cartoon form. It can be either single frame or comic strip.

Single Gag Cartoonist

An artist whose published body of work consists primarily of single frame landscape or portrait panel gags. A cartoonist cannot enter the same feature in either Comic Strip or Single Gag categories.

Caricaturist

An artist whose professional body of work is either published, commissioned or "live" caricatured likenesses.

Comic Book Artist

An artist whose published body of work consists primarily of sequential art drawn with the intention of conveying information and/or telling a story to the reader in the form of comic books (periodicals/'floppies'), graphic novels, adventure cartoon strips with serial content and zines (containing sequential art content). A cartoonist cannot enter the same feature in the Comic Strip category.

Illustrator

An artist whose published body of work is published humorous and general illustration for newspaper/magazine articles, books, advertising etc. Work deemed to be political, single-gag, caricature, or comic strip based will not be eligible for this category.

Media Graphic Artist

An artist whose published body of work consists of information graphics, graphic illustration, web graphics and animation or digitally manipulated images.

Full members can opt to submit their artwork for the Year Book and choose NOT to be a competitive entry. Any such entries will be marked accordingly and will not be considered eligible for the Stanley Awards. Instead that submission will be considered an acknowledgment and record of that artist's work.



CONDITIONS OF ENTRY – PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

- 1) You must be a full member of the Australian Cartoonists' Association and have your 2011/2012 financial year membership fees paid in full. Please note that all memberships expire on July 1. If you have not renewed your membership this year for 2011/2012 you cannot enter the Stanley Awards. Renewals for Full Membership can be submitted with your Stanleys entry. Email treasurer@cartoonists.org.au for membership renewal inquiries.
- 2) All work submitted must have been professionally published between July 1, 2010 and August 1, 2011 and be accompanied by proof of publication. Self-published entries are not acceptable (with the exception of Comic Book Artist with a minimum of 100 units produced for sale). Work on personal or non-commercial websites are not acceptable.
- 3) You may enter TWO categories. Work not included in its proper category will have the appropriate category assigned by the Year Book sub-committee.
- 4) All entries should be electronic submissions on correctly-sized pages. If you have difficulty in arranging scanning and emailing contact the ACA.
- 5) E-mail submissions are preferred. If you choose grayscale or colour it must be a 300 dpi TIFF file or JPEG. Submissions can also be on disk. They will be reproduced as grayscale in the Year Book and colour on the ACA website.
- 6) Please identify caricatures by adding the subject's name on your page. Please indicate if your submission contains work created in a "live" environment.
- 7) The Year Book sub-committee reserves the right to reject any entry it feels does not comply with the rules. The Year Book sub-committee reserves the right to reject entries that are substandard, plagiarised or copied.
- 8) By entering the Stanleys the artist gives permission for the ACA to publish his/her work to promote cartoonists and cartoons in ACA publications and on the ACA website. ACA will not publish for financial gain any artwork without the express permission of the artist/s concerned. Copyright will reside with the artist.
- 9) The closing date is **August 12, 2011**.

YEAR BOOK TEMPLATE

The format of the 2010 Year Book is A4. Submissions are allocated one half of a page. Your artwork must be arranged to fit between a maximum page width of **180mm** and a page depth of **110mm**.

Comic Book Artists, due to the nature of their work, are entitled to one full page **180mm x 250mm**.

WHEN EMAILING YOUR STANLEYS SUBMISSION

- 1) Please ensure you have supplied the correct details: name, telephone number, website and email. Do not put these details into your entry's display area.
- 2) Please send your Stanley submissions to stanleys@cartoonists.org.au.
- 3) Send your submissions SEPARATELY with the STANLEY CATEGORY followed by YOUR NAME in the subject line. It'll make sorting it out a bit easier ☺.

If you can't email your Stanleys submission your finished page on computer disk may be sent to: **ACA Stanleys PO Box 580, Elizabeth, South Australia 5112**

All enquiries to Peter Broelman: 08 8255 9939 or via the email address.