

Special celebration for Moree Show

FOND Moree Show memories will come flooding back with a very special 125th Moree Show anniversary celebration in the planning.

From the humble horse and cart to the rough and tumble demolition derby, the annual Moree Show has seen it all.

To celebrate the show's 125th anniversary a special committee has been formed to organise a night of fine dining, dancing and memorabilia for the community and anyone ever involved in the local show movement.

A 125-year anniversary celebratory evening will take place at the Max Function Centre Chandelier Ballroom on Saturday, September 12.

Committee member Joy Holmes said the evening, to be compered by well-known identity Murray Hartin, would be a wonderful opportunity for the community to reflect on and celebrate the local show movement.

"It doesn't matter how young or old you are, anyone who has ever had anything to do with the show is invited to attend, the evening of course is open to the whole community," Mrs Holmes said.

"Everyone has very fond memories from the show, which began in 1874, and I urge anyone with any memo-

abilia to get in contact as we will also have a great historic display."

She also urged past showgirls to step forward, with organisers hoping to get as many Moree Showgirl nominees and winners to the event.

As well as a historic exhibition the evening will also include local musical group 'Simple, Triple' with a live band planned for after dinner.

"There are numerous drawcards - dinner, dancing, Murray Hartin and a fantastic show exhibition so it's a very special one-off event," Mrs Holmes said.

"The wonderful thing about the show is that it is an event for the whole community, and we want this to be reflected in the anniversary dinner also."

After 125 years the local show was still one of the district's most popular events, this year named Moree's Community Event of the Year at the local Australia Day Awards.

For more information or to loan or donate memorabilia please call Georgie or Sarah on (02) 6752 5002.

For more information see www.moreeshow.com.au



Event organisers Sarah Crawford, Trudiene Haddad and Sam Von Drehnan view show memorabilia for September's 125th Moree Show Anniversary event.

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