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Perfect pet photo competition for Paws in the Park

As the region prepares to celebrate man's best friend with the Paws in the Park event next month, residents have the chance to win up to \$250 for their pets.

Camden's Bicentennial Park will be filled with pooches for the biggest pet event of the year on Sunday May 6, but in the leadup, residents can also enter the Perfect Pet Photography Competition and be in the running to win PETstock gift vouchers.

Dozens of entries had already been submitted to Camden Council for the online competition, which will run until May 4.

To enter, residents are invited to visit Camden Council's Facebook page and submit a photo of their pet. The three most popular photos will be crowned the winners, but there will be plenty of opportunities for pets to compete for other titles on the day.

Mayor Lara Symkowiak says more than 50 stallholders had signed up for the event, which will also include canine competitions, discounted microchipping and pet registration, free vet health checks and obedience and agility demonstrations.

"Pets are an integral part of both the family and the community, and we hope this event will bring people together to celebrate that," Cr Symkowiak said.

Pets can score prizes for best trick, scruffiest dog, best NRL supporter, cutest face and tallest dog on the day, but there will also be plenty of photo opportunities and a 3km walk for pooches and their owners to enjoy.

Paws in the Park will run from 9am to 1pm at Camden Bicentennial Equestrian Park (entry via Cawdor Road, Camden) on Sunday 6 May.

For more information visit: www.camden.nsw.gov.au.

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