



# **BRAND GUIDELINES**

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# *Brand Essence*

## **Brand Belief**

We believe we can help eliminate the threat of skin cancer through information and prevention. We believe that we can more powerfully change the world for the better when our efforts are combined with those of like-minded companies.

## **Differentiation**

We are the industry leader for sun-protective hats, recognized for our pro-active designs, authenticity and transparency. Our B Corp status represents our commitment to using business to reflect our values. We respect our employees and are active members in our local community.

## **Brand Promise**

We promise to craft high-quality, fashionable and functional hats that make you look and feel great, while providing maximum sun protection.

## **Brand Character**

We are inspirational, passionate, optimistic, stylish and ready for adventure.

# Preferred Logos

## Without "Boulder ~ Colorado"

The oval logo will be used for any printed item that has the address written out anywhere on the piece. Examples: catalog, website, promotional brochures and postcards.

## With "Boulder ~ Colorado"

The oval logo with the type below it will be used for any application where the full address does not appear. For example, print, web ads or posters.

The preferred logo can be used on white, Wallaroo periwinkle blue or over a background photograph. When used over a background, it should have a white outline around the outside.

Each element and their relationships to one another are fixed and must never be altered.



**PREFERRED LOGO - NO CITY**



**BOULDER ~ COLORADO**

**PREFERRED LOGO - WITH CITY**

# Alternate Logos

## One Color

The one color logo is to be used minimally when the production process does not allow for multiple colors.



ONE-COLOR LOGO

## Type Only - Horizontal

The type only logo should be used ONLY when available vertical space is limited.

WALLAROO HAT COMPANY

TYPE ONLY - HORIZONTAL

## Type Only - Vertical

The type only logo should be used ONLY when available space is very narrow.

All of these logos may be printed or reversed out in Wallaroo periwinkle blue or black. Each element and their relationships to one another are fixed and must never be altered.

WALLAROO  
HAT COMPANY

TYPE ONLY - VERTICAL

## Correct



## Incorrect



*Correct*



WALLAROO HAT COMPANY

*Incorrect*



WALLAROO HAT CO



WALLAROO  
HAT COMPANY



WALLAROO  
HAT COMPANY

# Copywriting Guidelines

## Body Copy

When writing product descriptions or paragraph copy, these are words and phrases that are encouraged and define the brand.

sun protection  
sun-protective  
UPF 50+  
Skin Cancer Foundation  
recommended by the Skin Cancer Foundation  
wide-brimmed  
packable  
shade  
crushable  
classic  
effective  
stylish protection

care  
travel-friendly  
effective UV protectant  
fun  
sophisticated  
unique  
adventure  
commitment  
smart  
functional  
colorful  
fashion-forward

## Headlines

When writing titles or headlines, these are words and phrases that are encouraged and define the brand.

It's a sunny life. Wear your hat.®  
Sunsational  
Protect yourself  
You're covered  
Wallaroo's got you covered.

We've got you covered.  
Protect your skin.  
Seriously stylish sun protection.  
Life is meant to be lived.  
Travel-friendly



# Graphic Elements

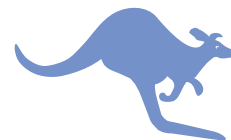
**It's a sunny life. Wear your hat.®**

This logo is to be used whenever possible at the footer of web pages and the bottom of documents or letters. It should never be used next to the Wallaroo oval logo but should be placed in an opposite position. This is a registered trademark and should always have a ® in the upper right corner.

## Background Pattern

This pattern is to be used with a periwinkle blue gradient background and should be a subtle background element. The placement must be done with care to avoid tangents or odd shapes.

*It's a sunny life. Wear your hat.®*



# *Graphic Elements*

## UPF Sun Logos

These logos are to be used to identify those hats that qualify for UPF 30+ and UPF 50+ sun protection. Do not use them when picturing a hat that does not qualify.



# Typography

## Body Font

For body copy, use the Avenir Next font family and set the type to sentence case. When using this typeface for headlines and subheads, be sure to use appropriate size and weight to distinguish information hierarchy.

Aa

AaBbCc123456789  
AVENIR NEXT REGULAR

AaBbCc123456789  
AVENIR NEXT DEMI BOLD

AaBbCc123456789  
AVENIR NEXT BOLD

# Typography

## Title Font

For headlines, use Slimbach Bold Italic and set the type to sentence case.

*Aa*

*AaBbCc123456789*  
ITC SLIMBACH BOLD ITALIC

## Web Fonts

Avenir Next and Slimbach Bold Italic should be uploaded to the web for usage on the website. For default fonts when these are not compatible with a browser or computer, substitute Georgia Bold Italic for headers and Arial for text.

*Aa*

*AaBbCc123456789*  
GEORGIA

AaBbCc123456789  
ARIAL

# Colors

## Color Palette

The Wallaroo Hat color palette is soft and distinctive. Each color should always be used as a solid flat color. A gradient of periwinkle blue to white is only acceptable when used with the graphic background element. Tints are not acceptable. If a four-color process equivalent is needed for uncoated stock, use the builds listed on this page.

**PRIMARY:  
WALLAROO BLUE**

**PMS 7452C  
C56 M37 Y0 K0  
R116 G146 B203  
HEX 7492CB**

**PMS 7401C  
C0 M2 Y13 K0  
R255 G247 B223  
HEX FFF7DF**

**PMS 1215C  
C0 M7 Y52 K0  
R255 G232 B1424  
HEX FFE890**

**ACCENT COLOR**

**PMS 715C  
C0 M46 Y85 K0  
R246 G146 B64  
HEX F69240**

**PMS 5787C  
C11 M0 Y36 K14  
R200 G208 B161  
HEX C8D0A1**

**PMS 5777C  
C15 M0 Y47 K18  
R185 G197 B137  
HEX B9C589**

# *Photography*

## **Lifestyle**

Photography should be inspirational and natural. People should always feel real and immediate, never staged. Ideally, they will be shown in the act of moving or authentic action.

## **Hat Only**

Still life photographs of the hat should capture the warmth of sunshine and nature. They should be in a setting where a hat would normally be worn. When photographed in a studio, the light should be even and the hat should be turned to a 3/4 angle, showing the front, back and side clearly.

## **Styling & Props**

Props should be kept to a minimum so the focus is on the hat. Clothing should be casual, yet sophisticated and fashionable. Jewelry and shoes should be interesting and casual. Everything should complement, not outstage, the hat.

## **Light**

Bright or diffused sunlight is ideal. Hat shadows can be tricky – use reflectors to lighten up shadows on the face.

## **Settings**

A variety of scenic, simple settings and backgrounds is ideal. Avoid busy, cluttered areas so the hat stands out clearly from the background. Sharp focus on the foreground with a softly focused background is preferred. A distinctive element – such as a wall mural – may be used if it complements the hat in color and/or style.





LIFESTYLE PHOTOGRAPHY – DISTINCTIVE BACKGROUND





**LIFESTYLE PHOTOGRAPHY – NATURAL SETTING**





**PRODUCT PHOTOGRAPHY – NATURAL SETTING**



**PRODUCT PHOTOGRAPHY – STUDIO**



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