

Newborn

PHOTOGRAPHY

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YOUR STUDIO

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YOUR BUSINESS PHOTOGRAPHY



Hello...

Let me express a warm welcome to you and your family. My photography takes a natural approach to capturing the beauty and innocence of your newborn. They certainly won't stay little for long and that is why it is my true passion to capture the first moments of your baby's life for you and your family to treasure for many years to come.

I began my journey in Photography in 2014 and have been photographing newborns ever since. I absolutely love what I do! I pride myself on ensuring your photo shoot will be a relaxing experience and your baby will feel safe and comfortable, leaving me to capture their precious first days.

It is an honour and a joy to meet so many families and I look forward to working with yours in the future.
Yours,

Ruth





☆ .. and welcome. ☆



WHY HIRE A
PROFESSIONAL?





experience

When you hire me as your professional photographer you are guaranteeing a level expertise that will ensure your priceless newborn moments are captured for eternity, the first time, without worry.

My past portfolio of beautiful images has not only been achieved with a beautiful collection of curated props and quality camera equipment, but also through the hundreds of hours of experience I have in photographing newborns.

service

I pride myself on giving my clients a very individual experience. As we move through the process together, I will listen to your needs and ensure that you get the photographs you want and that will be treasured for generations. I am always here to answer your questions and hear your suggestions.

safety

I will be handling your baby less than two weeks after birth and therefore I insist that safety and comfort is paramount during the shoot. I do not engage in any poses that may be uncomfortable for your baby and will only use poses that have been perfected in the safest way.

WHY HIRE ME?

I have been trained through courses and workshops, and I have spent many hours perfecting and refining my skills over years.

When I first began Ruth Damico Photography I would have never dreamed the images I create would mean so much to so many of my clients.

When a mother lets me know how delighted she is that they have documented those precious first few weeks of their babies life....it is truly magical.





LIFESTYLE OR POSED?

choosing the right session for you

Ruth Damico Photography offers two kinds of sessions for documenting this precious time. Choose between a lifestyle portrait session or a posed session.

LIFESTYLE SESSIONS

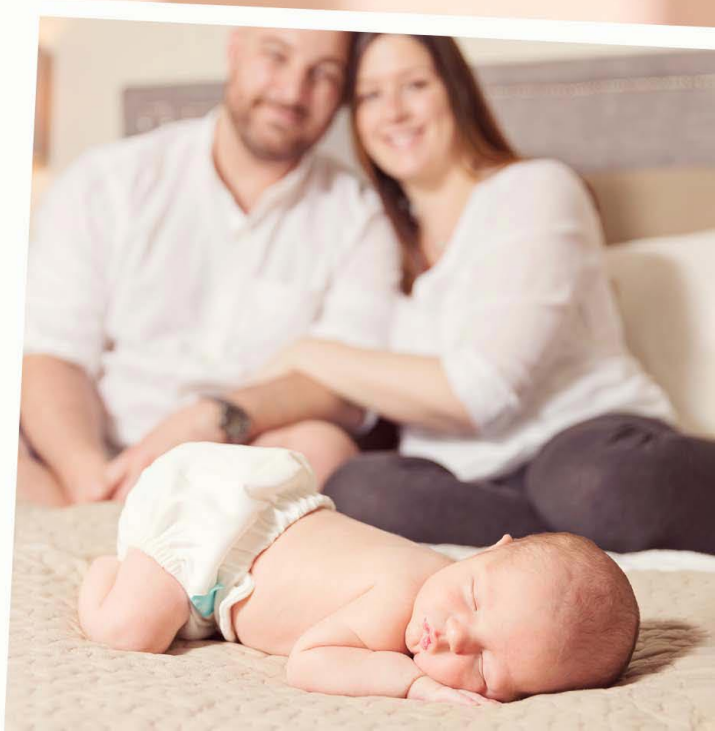
baby and family

Lifestyle sessions are typically very unposed and focus on the relationship between family members and the new addition to the family.

I love to focus on the beautiful relationship between parents, siblings and even pets to capture you all just as you are as a family.

Lifestyle sessions are located at your home, in a comfortable room with great natural light, whether that be your family room, nursery or master bedroom.

- 1-2hrs duration
- natural and unposed
- with family at home





POSED SESSIONS

sweet child of mine

Posed sessions are the perfect choice when you want the focus to be more on that sweet little baby of yours. The whole session will be about them and making them comfortable. The session usually takes about 2-4 hours with a lot of that time taken up with nursing, settling and soothing them into a deep sleep. I use a very warm room in which to photograph the baby to make sure they are super sleepy and comfortable.

I have a large variety of props, wraps, outfits, hats/headbands and blankets to choose from to get the most adorable results.

- 2-4hrs duration
- props used
- mostly baby alone and a few with the family (if wanted)





WHAT TO EXPECT

before

It is best to book in your newborn session whilst you are still pregnant as newborn sessions should be done in the first 14 days of life. Babies are so squishy, sleepy and co-operative at this age that it allows for better posing. When your bundle of joy arrives let me know straight away and I can schedule the exact date and time of the session with you.

We will chat together beforehand to discuss which type of session is right for you and your family. I like to run through your ideas and wishes and we can discuss any props you may like to include.



during


On the day of the session, you will arrive at the studio or I will arrive at your home. It is best if you feed your baby just after I/you arrive and I allow plenty of time for this. This will ensure baby is super sleepy and contented when we begin the session.

We follow your baby's lead during the session and stop if baby needs soothing, changing or feeding. Oh! and please expect that your little newborn will make a few little messes during the session. It's totally normal, please don't worry, it happens every time!

If you would like any photos with siblings I will do them first as older children can get bored if waiting around. I then we can spend the remainder of the session just on your beautiful newborn.

tip

to guarantee your session please book 2 months in advance of your due date.





after

A few weeks after your session your photos will be ready for viewing via a personal online proof gallery. You will also receive a link to download a commemorative slideshow of the session set to music.

After you have viewed the photos in the proof gallery you will be able to purchase individual high resolution digital photos or a flash drive of all the photos in the proof gallery.

Clients can also schedule a personal ordering session where we can go through all your wonderful photos and you can see first hand the beautiful birth announcements, print products, albums and wall canvas options available.

peek!

be sure to look out for early sneak peek images from your session on my Instagram page.



PREP TIPS & PLANNING

some little extras you may need for your newborn session.

Below is a list of some essentials that will need to be on hand during the session. We may not need all of the items but I have learnt it is best to be prepared.



THE ESSENTIALS LIST

- a pacifier (optional)
- baby wipes
- a few extra diapers
- bring loose clothes for baby
- formula or breast milk
- anything you think will soothe baby

tips

relax & have fun!
your baby will
sense your
mood

If you are nursing,
avoid anything spicy
(for 24-48 hours prio to
the session) that might
upset the babies
tummy the day
of the session

Try and keep baby
awake for a couple
of hours before the
session. This will help
keep the baby nice and
sleepy during
the session

Dress your baby
in loose, easy to
remove clothes. A
simple sleeper is best.
Avoid "onesies" or
anything else that
must be pulled over
babies head

Keep your home
warm for a few
hours before and
during an in-home
session

