



# LEETON HIGH SCHOOL

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## PRINCIPAL REPORT

### ***FIRST Lego League Challenge Murrumbidgee Final***

Congratulations to the Leeton High School team that competed in the FIRST Lego League Challenge Murrumbidgee Final recently. Our students were awarded the Peer Award which was voted upon by the participating teams for outstanding demonstration of the competitions core values. We were also awarded overall Champions and progress to the National Finals in Sydney on 12<sup>th</sup> December. A special mention goes to Year 12 student Nicholas Mannall for attending as a volunteer referee. Well done students, you were amazing ambassadors for our school.



### ***Schools Spectacular Update – Remarkable!***

Our Schools Spectacular Choir students have arrived at West HQ for rehearsals for the big show on 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> November. Students have immensely enjoyed the experience so far and we can't wait to view the event from Qudos Bank Arena.

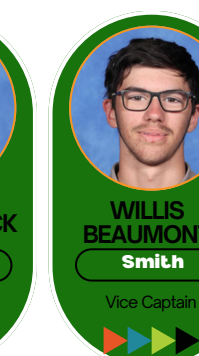
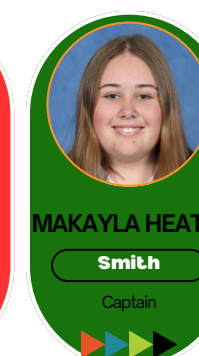
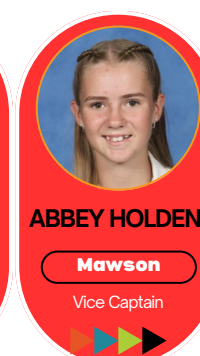
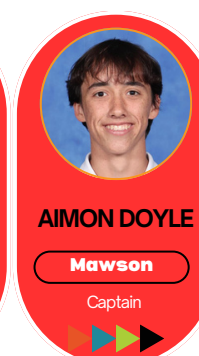
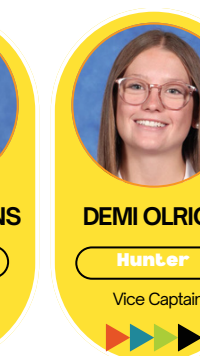
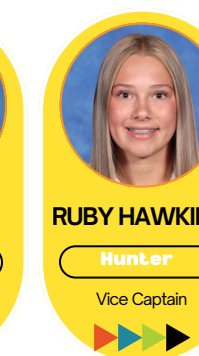
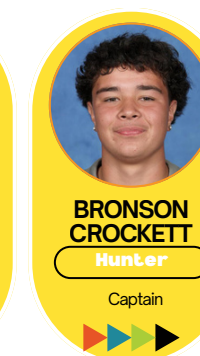
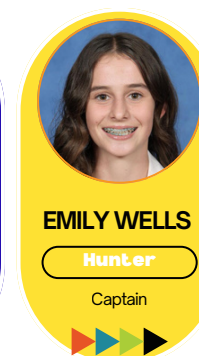
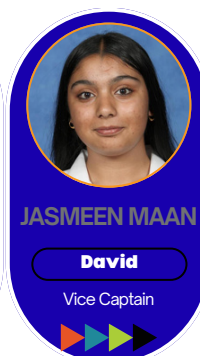
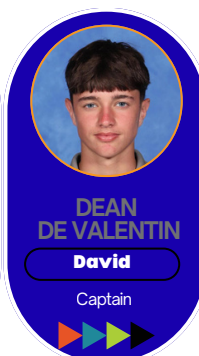
Well done everyone and we look forward to hearing more about this fantastic experience.





## House Captains

After a gruelling nomination process, we can reveal the outcome of the House Captain voting for 2026. We have some excellent leaders in our school community!



Congratulations to all those who nominated and to the new position holders for their commitment to contributing to Leeton High School as leaders.

## Year 6 into 7 Transition Program

Last Monday and Tuesday was spent hosting Year 6 students from across all our primary school partners. It was a wonderful experience meeting our newest students and getting to know them a little more before they return for our Orientation Day on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> December.

Thank you to our Year 9 Peer Support representatives who did a wonderful job of showing students around our school and helping them with the day's activities.

We look forward to seeing year 7 2026 on Monday! Please contact the school if you require further information around enrolling your child at Leeton High School. Online enrolments can be submitted via our School Website: <https://leeton-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/>



## ***Simpson Prize Competition***

Three of our Year 9 students, Nazanin Baba Ali, Kaia Hore, and Logan Doig, have proudly submitted individual essays for the prestigious Simpson Prize competition, which encourages students to explore the experiences of Australians during World War One or World War Two. This national competition recognises excellence in historical research and writing. We congratulate our entrants on their hard work and dedication and wish them the very best of luck as their essays are judged at the state and national level.

## ***MADD Matinee and Evening Performances***

Save the Date! This year's highly anticipated MADD showcase will be held on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December with a matinee and evening performance. This event showcases, in a more casual way, the amazing talents of our Music, Art, Dance and Drama students and staff. More information about tickets to come.



## ***Sista Speak Update***

Our Sista Speak girls group recently embraced a powerful connection to country through a natural portrait shoot at Fivebough Wetlands, proudly wearing their hand-woven headdresses. This experience fostered confidence and self-esteem, celebrating their culture and identity. The group really enjoyed the experience, and we look forward to building on the successes of this program into next year.



## ***Years 7-10 Interest Electives 18<sup>th</sup> December***

To finish the year on an enjoyable note, students in Year 7-10 will participate in an interest elective of their choosing on the morning of 18<sup>th</sup> December. These electives are all about learning in a relaxed, hands-on way to explore activities of genuine interest — sport, art, cooking, photography, robotics, gaming, music, building and more!

Every activity is run by a teacher who's chosen something they're passionate about, so expect good energy and a great time.

Students have been asked to nominate three interest electives (they will participate in one) to determine which electives will run for the day. There is no cost for this event.



## Guest Speak Years 9-11 – Jeff Amatto 8<sup>th</sup> December 2025

Students across Years 9-11 have the opportunity to attend a talk by Jeff Amatto from 9.15am-11.00am on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December at Leeton High School. Jeff is a proud Wiradjuri man and father, who grew up in Wellington, NSW, and now lives on Darkinjung Country. Jeff shares his inspiring journey overcoming addiction and improving mental health. He has travelled extensively across Australia, working with communities to help people address addiction, promote cultural education, and support families. Jeff's talk will offer valuable insights based on his real-life experiences and highlight the importance of connection, culture, and community in promoting positive change.

Thank you to the Leeton & District Local Aboriginal Land Council for facilitating Jeff's visit to our school.

More information on Jeff's story can be found here:

[More Cultural Rehabs, Less Jails founder Jeffrey Am... | National Indigenous Times](#)

[About 5 — More Rehabs Less Jails](#)

This event has been sent in School Bytes for parent/carer information. Please contact the school on 69532122 if you do not wish your child to attend.

### Presentation Day Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December

Students receiving awards at this year's Presentation Day will have an invitation sent home this week. Congratulations to all award winners for their wonderful achievements and for contributing positively to our school and community! We look forward to honouring their achievements, alongside family members, at this special event.



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## School Award Recipients

### Bronze Awards

Lachlan Williams  
Noah Davcevski  
Malcolm Lamprey  
Kaelan Patelesio  
Benjamin Smith  
Aden Taylor-Brown  
Grace Goman  
Phoebe Doig

### Silver Award

Jack Miller  
Malcolm Lamprey  
Kaelan Patelesio  
Benjamin Smith  
Aden Taylor-Brown

### Gold Award

Jack Miller  
Benjamin Smith

### Executive Award

Gemah-Jo Krause	Zarah Reid
Madison Young	Ella Hurst
Kaleb O'Grady	Yuxun Jiang
Ezekiel Rosenberg	Jett Laycock
Reilly Rombola	Mackenzie Shute



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**WEDNESDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER**

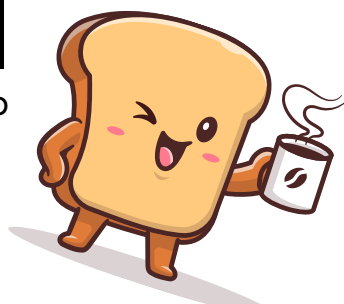
**6PM @ MPC**

**TICKETS AT THE DOOR**

**\$10 ADULTS  
\$5 CONCESSION**

## Breakfast Club

Our FREE Breakfast Club is operational from 8.30am Tuesday to Friday thanks to our volunteer students, teachers, and our Student Support Officer Jannette. We appreciate the donations from Golden Apple, Foodbank, Rapid Relief Team and Sunrice. All students are encouraged to grab some toast and hot Milo to fuel a productive day of learning.



## Leeton High School Canteen – The Hungry Hut

Just a reminder – with the introduction of YONDR pouches students will not be able to access PayWave on their mobile phones. Our canteen has an online ordering facility which can be accessed here <https://leeton-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/about-our-school/what-we-offer/canteen.html> or alternately students can bring their key card (not kept with their phones) or cash to school for purchasing at the canteen.

**Leeton High School values the importance of communication between home and school. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the school on 69532122. Stay in touch with events and information via our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/LeetonHS> and the school website <http://www.leeton-h.schools.nsw.edu.au/>**

Principal

  
Meagan Crelley



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## Casual Farm Hands

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Griffith, Wagga Wagga & Riverina NSW

- Be a part of one of Australia's most well-established horticulture companies
- Assist us with our seasonal work
- An affordable, country lifestyle

We are seeking farm hands to work on a casual basis at our Riverina orchards.



## Trainee Business Administrator

My Plan Connect!

We're hiring a Trainee Business Administrator ~ Located in Leeton.

Perfect for school-leavers who want to work in the disability industry — but not as a direct support worker. If organising, planning, and helping behind the scenes is your jam, we want you! ✨ No experience needed ✨ Paid traineeship ✨ Supportive, fun team ✨ Real career pathways

Email your resume and cover letter directly to [jodie@myplanconnect.com.au](mailto:jodie@myplanconnect.com.au)



## Career Opportunities

### HWSE Trainee

- Safety, Health and Environment - Leeton Office  
Permanent Full Time

### Casual Operators - Leeton

## Apprentice Civil Construction and Plant Operations

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Plant Operations

Murrumbidgee Irrigation

Griffith, Wagga Wagga & Riverina NSW



- Proactive and inclusive work culture with a focus on safety
- Attractive remuneration + access to salary packaging.
- A nine-day fortnight and the opportunity to secure additional annual leave.

Join our team as an Apprentice Civil Construction and Plant Operations

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## Traineeship Program at Goodstart Early Learning



- Receive Fee Free Training – Goodstart will cover all related RTO enrolment and training fees
- Earn great pay and experience while working in our centres
- Have the opportunity for permanent employment when you complete your study

## Junior Medical Imaging Administrator



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## Farm Hands

### FARM HANDS

GO.FARM Australia Pty Ltd

GO.FARM

Immediate start

Griffith, Wagga Wagga & Riverina NSW  
\$28 - \$32 p.h

GO.FARM is looking to fill multiple Farm Hand roles across our almond orchards located in Griffith, NSW.

## Seasonal Workers Required - Griffith Rombola Family Farms





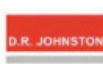
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## Packers & Labourers

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Plant/Site: JBS Riverina Plant

Req Id: 15202

Date Posted: 22 Nov 2025

### About the Role

The JBS Riverina Plant is currently recruiting several Packers & General Labourers to join our Processing team in a full-time capacity. This is a great opportunity to enter into a career at an entry level with no experience necessary. As a Packer or General Labourer, you will be eager to train and work in various areas of our processing plant. This is a fast-paced physical role with a strong focus on safety and quality.

## General Hand - Kooba

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Australian Food & Fibre

Griffith, Wagga Wagga & Riverina NSW



- Engaged mentorship | Merit based career progression | Hands-on, dynamic role
- Above award wages | Additional Perks and Benefits | Full-Time Position
- Leading agricultural organisation | Team-Oriented | Supportive Environment

AFF is seeking an enthusiastic and proactive General Hand to join our team at Kooba - Bringagee Farm.





# GROW OUR OWN

learn, work + live locally

DEVELOPING, MENTORING +  
RETAINING RIVERINA SKILLS

## HEY!

Are you looking to explore local employment opportunities?

An Apprenticeship?

Make some cash during a gap year?

Or, maybe keen to explore the world of agriculture, health, manufacturing or science in our region?

Allow us to connect you directly with the HR Department of some of our biggest local employers!

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# Scholarships



## YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHOLARSHIPS

Applications for the 2026 scholarships program are now open and will close at 5:00pm ,13 February 2026 for

New and Returning high school students and 5:00pm, 6 March 2026 for Returning tertiary students. Visit our website [nsw.gov.au/homes-nsw/scholarships](https://nsw.gov.au/homes-nsw/scholarships) for more program information. If you have any questions, contact the Scholarships team on (02) 8753 8673 or email [education@homes.nsw.gov.au](mailto:education@homes.nsw.gov.au)

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