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"Educating young people for active and responsible citizenship"

#### ~~ PRINCIPAL'S REPORT~~

#### Year 12 2020

Congratulations to Year 12 for their successful completion of thirteen years of schooling under the most challenging conditions this year. It was a week of celebrations with Higher School Certificate examinations wrapping up last Wednesday followed by the Year 12 Farewell Assembly being held in the MPC on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> November. This was the first occasion that Covid-19 guidelines allowed for groups of parents and carers to be onsite which was a real pleasure. Thank you to our technology classes for their supreme effort in catering for this special event with 200 plates of delicious morning tea being made and served by our talented young chefs.







Year 12 and staff also attended the Graduation Dinner on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November which was a really lovely evening. Students looked magnificent in their formal attire. While COVID restrictions changed the way in which the event proceeded, we were grateful that we could celebrate this occasion which looked uncertain earlier in the year. Hopefully parents and families were able to share in the event via our facebook livestream.

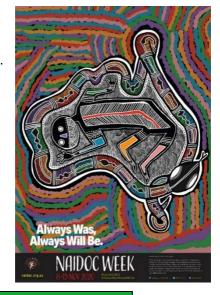
Thank you to all the staff involved in organising and running both events and best wishes to Year 12 for the next chapter. This group has especially demonstrated their strength and resilience and will no doubt go on to do great things.

#### **Compact Girls Program**

Our Compact girls Leap and Legends groups will have their great achievements honoured today, 16th November, with a Graduation Ceremony being held in the MPC and a morning tea following. The Compact program aims to empower our young ladies to develop self-awareness, resilience and strategies to build positive self-esteem and positive relationships. A huge thank you to Dana, Ruby and the Compact crew for their support of our school and for travelling from Wagga every week to work with our girls. Our participating students have been nothing less than stellar with their effort and commitment to this program and we are very proud of them.

#### **NAIDOC 2020 Celebrations**

This year's NAIDOC Week theme is *Always Was, Always Will Be. Always Was, Always Will Be* recognises that First Nations people have occupied and cared for this continent for over 65,000 years. Leeton High School will hold an assembly on Wednesday to mark this very special occasion featuring our fantastic Aboriginal dance group, the cooking of traditional foods, Aboriginal arts and crafts and Indigenous games and activities. We will also partake in a BBQ at lunch time.



#### Year 6 into 7 Transition Program

We are very excited to host our partner primary school's Year 6 students starting this Thursday. Students will experience a taste of high school life and meet a variety of teachers through a diverse line-up of lessons. Students will also spend some time working with their Year 7 Adviser Mr. Shane Crosbie. Welcome Year 7 2021!

An Orientation Day for all Year 6 students is planned for Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> December. If you have not already, *please return enrolment forms to your primary school or Leeton High School's front office as soon as possible* to assist with our planning for 2021. Please contact the school on 0269532122 with any questions you may have about our Transition Program or enrolling in high school.

School	Date	Time
<ul> <li>Leeton PS, Yanco PS and Wamoon PS</li> </ul>	Thursday 19/11/20	9:30am – 3pm
Parkview PS, Yanco PS and Wamoon PS	Friday 20/11/20	9:30am – 3pm
Parkview PS, Yanco PS and Wamoon PS	Thursday 26/11/20	9:30am – 3pm
<ul> <li>Leeton PS, Yanco PS and Wamoon PS</li> </ul>	Friday 27/11/20	9:30am – 3pm

#### **COVID Symptoms Update**

To keep, our community safe, students (and staff) are required to produce a negative COVID test result and display no symptoms before returning to school. COVID test results can be emailed to the school's email account <a href="mailto:leeton-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au">leeton-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au</a> or shown to the office staff. In keeping with current guidelines, students displaying flu like symptoms will be sent home.

Leeton High School recognises and values the importance of communication between home and school. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the school on 69532122. Keep yourself updated on the latest news and events at Leeton High School via the School Website <a href="http://www.leeton-h.schools.nsw.edu.au/">http://www.leeton-h.schools.nsw.edu.au/</a> or our Facebook page - <a href="https://www.facebook.com/LeetonHS">https://www.facebook.com/LeetonHS</a>

Mrs Meagan Crelley Principal

#### SCHOOL AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students on achieving awards:

**BRONZE AWARD:** Muhammad Azizul, Scarlet Morris (Year 7), Summer Fattore, Kyrish Rayos, Danica Riznic and Isabella Ross (Year 8), Petralaini Toia (Year 11).

SILVER AWARD: Isabella Ross (Year 8), Petralaini Toia (Year 11).

BEXECUTIVE AWARD: Braiden Lynch (Year 8) and Dominic Ramos (Year 9).

#### ~~ P&C NEWS~~

We are very pleased to advise that our next LHS P&C meeting will be held as a face-to-face meeting. The meeting will be held on Tuesday 24th November at 7.00 pm at the school library. We would really love to see some new faces join us this month!!

Also a reminder about the IGA docket promotion, please drop in all your receipts from the Golden Apple into the school office. This is an important part of our fundraising for the year, and an easy way that everyone can contribute.

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# **PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL**

The school is now accepting cash payments but eftpos or POP would be the preferred payments if possible.

Eftpos is available at the front office or POP payments can be made through our school website (leeton-h.schools.nsw.gov.au then go to the "Make a Payment" tab at the top of the page)

#### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

Wed  $18^{th}$  Nov – NAIDOC Celebrations Thurs  $19^{th}$  & Fri  $20^{th}$  - Year 6 Transition Tue  $24^{th}$  Nov – P&C Meeting – School Library Thurs  $26^{th}$  & Fri  $27^{th}$  – Year 6 Transition Thurs  $3^{rd}$  Dec – Year 6 Orientation Day Wed  $16^{th}$  Dec – Last day for Students

#### **START DATES 2021**

Wed 27<sup>th</sup> & Thurs 28<sup>th</sup> Jan – Pupil Free days Fri 29<sup>th</sup> Jan – Years 7, 11 & 12 start Mon 1<sup>st</sup> Feb – Years 8, 9 & 10 start

Year 12 final Assembly







Leeton High School Careers

With Mrs Goring & Mrs Palmer



### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

## **Work Experience**

A reminder to all students involved in work experience that your paperwork is due back this week. If you have yet to arrange an interview with your employer please come and see Mrs Palmer. No paperwork, no work experience.

# HSC: All My Own Work

During Year 10 Careers lessons over the next few weeks, students will be completing HSC: All My Own Work modules.

HSC: All My Own Work is a program designed to help HSC students follow the principles and practices of good scholarship. This includes understanding, valuing and using ethical practices when locating and using information as part of their HSC studies.

Students who have completed the program will also know about penalties for cheating and how to avoid malpractice when preparing their work for assessment.

**To be eligible for the HSC, students must complete HSC: All My Own Work** (or its equivalent) before they submit any work for Preliminary (Year 11) or HSC (Year 12) courses, unless they are only entered for Year 11 and Year 12 Life Skills courses.

https://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/hsc/hsc-all-my-own-work

If you require any further information regarding HSC: All My Own Work please do not hesitate to contact the school.

# JOB BULLETIN

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CAREERS CENTRAL LEETON HIGH SCHOOL

#### JOB VACANCIES AS AT 16/11/20

# APPRENTICE SERVICE TECHNICIAN (AGRICULTURAL MECHANIC)

GRIFFITH
Suit students in: 11/12
Personal Qualities you will need for this job: good communication skills, reliable & willing to learn.
Driver's licence preferable.

# TRAINEE PARTS INTERPRETER (SPARE PARTS) GRIFFITH

Suit students in: 11/12
Skills & Qualities you will need are: Excellent communication skills, motivated and interested in agricultural machinery.
Driver's licence preferable.

# APPRENTICE BRICKLAYER GRIFFITH

Suit students in: 10/11/12
Personal Qualities you will
need for this job: good
communication skills, willing
to learn, good level of fitness.
WORK EXPERIENCE
AVAILABLE IF YOU WANT
TO SEE IF YOU LIKE IT!



#### **ADMINISTRATION TRAINEES**

Griffith NSW location

We are seeking two motivated individuals to undertake a 12-month traineeship with our Customer Services team.

The successful applicants will: have a School Certificate or equivalent; have intermediate computer skills; have sound literary knowledge and skills; be well presented and have a willingness to learn. Formal training to achieve a Certificate III in Business Administration, or equivalent, will be provided and can be tailored for the successful applicant.

Applications should include a Murrumbidgee Irrigation application form and current resume, with a cover letter addressing ability to meet the following criteria. Ability to:

- follow defined Work Health and Safety policies and procedures
- communicate effectively in oral and written form
- · demonstrate attention to detail
- demonstrate IT aptitude and capability
- work in teams to achieve business objectives.

For general application information, please contact Karen Robertson (HR Officer) on 02 6962 0200. For specific position enquiries, contact Simon Rubner (Customer Enquiries Manager) on 02 6962 0200.

Applications close: Monday 23 November

For detailed information about the position, and/or to <u>APPLY ONLINE</u>, please visit:

www.mirrigation.com.au/company/careers www.countrychange.com.au/

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ANY OF THESE JOBS, SEE MRS GORING IN CAREERS CENTRAL.

