



# LAWSON'S LATEST

27 September, 2024 | Term 3, Week 10  
THE HENRY LAWSON HIGH SCHOOL

## Year 9 Weddin Mountain Challenge

Year 9 recently embarked on a memorable camping trip to Ben Hall's Cave. The group set off on Monday, excited and ready for adventure. Upon arrival, they spent the day setting up camp and participating in walks and orienteering exercises, testing their navigation and teamwork skills. That evening, students enjoyed BBQ burgers for dinner around the campfire, sharing stories and bonding as a group.

The following morning, the challenge truly began as they set off on a demanding hike over the mountain. The hike took several hours, pushing everyone to their limits, but the students showed resilience and determination throughout. By the time they returned to school, they were tired but proud of their achievement.

The trip was not only a great bonding experience but also an opportunity for the students to demonstrate their growing maturity and sense of responsibility. They returned with memories that will last a lifetime, having proven to themselves and their teachers that they are well on their way to becoming responsible young adults.



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## Eugowra Show

On Saturday 21st of September, six students from THLHS travelled to Eugowra Show to compete in junior judging and parading of our school rams. We all had a great day competing in zone cattle judging final which attracted around 70 competitors. Ella made it through to the oral presentations being one of only two competitors who placed the heifers in same order as the overjudge. The students were very attentive while listening to a quick “how to judge fleece” talk, with Jack, Bridie and Ella, all making it through to the final oral presentations. Ella placed first and Bridie placed third. Keira made it into the finals for grain judging and Georgia, Ella and Bridie made it to the finals for fruit and vegetable judging with Ella bringing home first place. The new category of poultry judging, provided the students with another opportunity, Tom made it through to the finals and Georgia, taking after her brother, had a win in first place. At the end of the day, we competed in the meat sheep judging with Tom making it through to the finals and Georgia placing third. On behalf of the show team, we would like to say a big thank you to Mrs Mitton and Nigel Taylor for taking us on the day and being there when we needed a helping hand. We wouldn't have been able to do it without you. We would also like to thank anyone else that has made it possible for us to go and that has been coming down to the yards in their lunchtimes and helping us prepare the rams.



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## Year 12 Graduation

Last Friday, we celebrated the incredible journey of our Year 12 students as they graduated! We wish them all the best in their future endeavors and lots of luck with their upcoming HSC exams.



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## Year 12 Graduation



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## Year 12 Last Week



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## School Expectation Draw

Congratulations to the five students who received a \$5 canteen voucher in the weekly draw.

Reward tickets are issued to students in recognition of meeting our whole school expectations of **Prepared**, **Improving**, **Respectful**, **Positive** and **Responsible**.

The Whole School Expectations are designed to support student understanding and engage positive and respectful relationships, while contributing points to their house.



### Week 9

Prepared- Jaymie Ferguson, Prepared - Lila-Maree Pearson (week 8), Responsible - Robert Murphy Respectful - Hamish Baker, Positive - Annabella Taylor, Improving - Dylan Moore



### Week 10

Improving- Harmony Hua, Prepared- Riley Bowerman, Positive- Xanthe Johnson, Respectful- Cooper Dun, Responsible- Emma Mitchell Mellon

## Week 10 Major Draw

With the term past the halfway mark, we held our major draw for the school expectation reward program.

Congratulations to our winners:

Positive - Ryan McPherson

Responsible - Braeden Leibick

Respectful - Hugh Nowlan

Improving - Harmony Schneider

Prepared - Dylan Forde

Thank you to our local sponsors of this reward program: Mawhoods IGA, Unwind in Grenfell, Grenfell Local Store and Mick's Local Bakery.



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## Petal and Plants Tafe

For the past five weeks, students in Year 9 and 10 have been attending a Youth Engagement Strategy (YES) course at the Young TAFE, exploring the world of Petals & Plants: Dive into Floristry, Horticulture, and Retail Adventures! The program has provided a taste of various fields, whether students are interested in greening their thumbs, creating stunning floral arrangements, mastering the art of retail, or even kickstarting their own business. The focus has been on equipping students with essential information to help them find their pathway and thrive in these exciting industries! What an awesome opportunity!



## SLR Golf

This term Sports, Lifestyle and Recreation students have been investigating individual games applications with a focus on developing their skills in golf. On Monday were treated to an excursion to Grenfell Country Club to play 9 holes.



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## School Calendar Term 3 2024

	Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
September	7 A	Year 8 into 9 Subject Evening 2	3	4	5	6
September	8 B	9	10	11	R U OK? Day 12	13
September	9 A	16	17	18	19	20
September	10 B	23	24	25	26	END OF TERM 27





Reminders

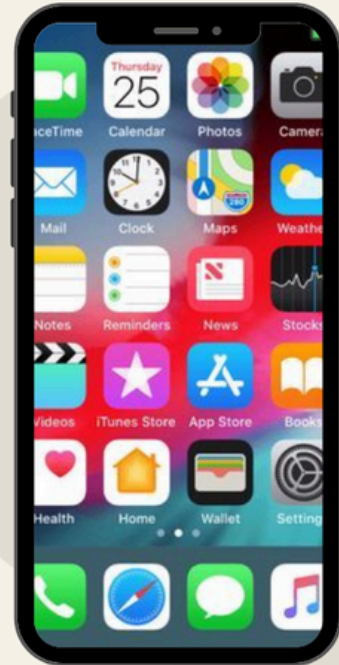
# Update Your Email

From Day 1 Term 4, students will no longer be able to use their school email address (@education.nsw.gov.au) to access social media, gaming, instant messaging and similar platforms. This means they will also not be able to retrieve password-recovery emails and the like from these platforms.

## List of restricted social networking platforms

Platforms that will be restricted include:

- social networking, such as Facebook, Instagram, TikTok and X
- instant messaging, such as Facebook Messenger, Snapchat, WeChat and Telegram.
- online gaming.



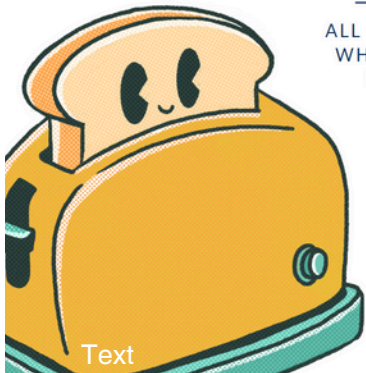
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## BREAKFAST CLUB

OUR BREAKFAST CLUB IS OPEN EACH MORNING IN THE FOOD TECHNOLOGY ROOM FROM **8.30AM TO 9AM.**

ALL STAFF AND STUDENTS OF THLHS ARE WELCOME, WHETHER YOU RAN OUT OF TIME FOR BREAKFAST, HAD A LONG JOURNEY OR ARE JUST FEELING PECKISH.

HOT CHOCOLATES AVAILABLE ON MONDAY MORNING. EACH MORNING WE HAVE BREAKFAST MILKS, CEREALS, TOAST AND FRESH FRUIT.



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### ENROLLING NOW FOR 2025

SCHOOL TOURS WITH THE PRINCIPAL ARE AVAILABLE BY APPOINTMENT

PHONE  
02 6343 1390

THE HENRY LAWSON HIGH SCHOOL  
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Our Website  
<https://henrylawso-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/>

## Careers News

### Kickstart Future Employment with Exciting Local Traineeship Opportunities!

Hi Parents,

All students are looking at the best options to launch into the real world. Forbes Council has got some fantastic traineeship opportunities that will help them make a smooth transition from school to paid work and learning a success! 🎓🌟

With over 12 hands-on traineeships on offer, these experiences will not only build their expertise and career, but also their confidence and ability to open endless doors in the future — all while having fun, earning a good wage, and learning on the go. 🚀

These traineeships are across construction, agriculture (saleyards), business, surveying, building and structure, civils, and horticulture.

For more information, the brochure and FAQs please go to Forbes Council website, or click here: [2025 Traineeships - Join our team! | Forbes Shire Council \(nsw.gov.au\)](https://www.forbes.nsw.gov.au/2025-Traineeships-Join-our-team!)

Tertiary qualifications within each traineeship are 100% subsidised by Council and vary from Cert III through to Advanced Diploma/University level requirements. Hear more at our information evenings coming up – more information to follow.

These traineeships are all ages – so if you or someone you know, is up for a career move into local government please pass this information on.

Don't let them miss out on the opportunity! Discover how they can step up, stand out, and start their career here in Forbes today.

Best regards,

Kelly Tildsley

Kelly Tildsley | Senior Human Resources Officer

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## Traineeship Programs 2025

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## Voluntary School Contributions

Dear Parent or Caregiver

The partnership between students, parents and carers, staff and the community is key to making a successful school.

The Henry Lawson High School is committed to providing educational advantage with diverse opportunities for every student. It is important that every student has equity and opportunity and can achieve the best possible outcomes with no barriers.

Your family Statement of Account for 2024 is attached. The voluntary school contribution for 2024 is \$60.00 per student.

A family discount of 20% applies for each additional student in the same family.

**In 2024 accounts will not be issued for subject contributions.**

In 2024 all voluntary contributions will be used to cover the remaining cost of teaching and learning resources.

Decisions on voluntary school contributions are made by the principal, following consultation with the school community through our P&C Association and our School Finance Committee. You can read the full school contributions policy on our website at <https://henrylawso-h.schools.nsw.gov.au>.

You may pay your voluntary school contributions by cash or cheque or through our Sentral Parent Portal App.

A family assistance fund is also available for other educational costs such as excursions, extra-curricular activities, school supplies and uniforms. Families experiencing financial hardship can access this by making an appointment with the principal. Confidentiality relating to all matters is assured.

I look forward to continuing our partnership in support of student learning.

Yours faithfully

  
Aaron Flagg  
Principal

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# FREE SCREEN PRINTING WORKSHOP



**YOUTH EVENT**

2 OCTOBER 2024  
1pm - 4pm  
TAYLOR PARK  
SNACKS PROVIDED

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL 02 6343 2059

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# TIE DYE WORKSHOP

**GET CREATIVE WITH COLOUR!**  
**JOIN US FOR A FREE TIE-DYE WORKSHOP AND  
CREATE YOUR OWN UNIQUE SHIRT OR BAG**

**2 OCTOBER 2024  
FROM 10AM - 12:30PM  
TAYLOR PARK**

**REFRESHMENTS INCLUDED  
BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL  
02 6343 2059**

**FREE YOUTH EVENT**

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# LEGO CLUB

**FRIDAY 4 OCTOBER**  
**2.00pm - 3.30pm**  
**THEME - SPACE**

**Brenfell Public Library**

*Design, build and unleash your creativity with LEGO. Write a story to go with your creation and have it displayed in the library.*

Parental Supervision required for children aged 12 years and under.



## Community News and Events



### Conron Cap Comp

To enter, post a photo of you or a mate wearing a Conron Store trucker cap to your Instagram story, tag @theconronstore and use #conroncapcomp24.

The winner will receive an Ariat gear bag with a mystery prize inside.

Terms and conditions apply, see our post on Instagram for all the details.

The competition ends 11:59PM AEDT 1st December, 2024. Good luck!

**Are you ready to meet your new best friend?**

Network 10 is seeking families and individuals from all different backgrounds who would like to adopt a rescue dog! We work hand-in-hand with the Animal Welfare League NSW to match you with the best dog for your family.

**THE DOG HOUSE**  
**APPLY NOW**  
at [10play.com.au/casting](https://10play.com.au/casting)

**10** play



### RURAL MINDS - YOUTH: MENTAL HEALTH WORKSHOPS

#### WORKSHOP #1:

- THURSDAY 10TH OCTOBER 2024
- FEMALE SCHOOL STUDENTS (12 - 15 YEARS OLD)
- GRENFELL COMMUNITY HUB
- 9AM TO 4PM

**BOTH WORKSHOPS  
FREE OF CHARGE!**

REGISTER NOW



#### WORKSHOP #2:

- FRIDAY 11TH OCTOBER 2024
- MALE SCHOOL STUDENTS (12 - 15 YEARS OLD)
- GRENFELL COMMUNITY HUB
- 9AM TO 4PM

**Contact:**

Chelsea Harveyson

**Number:**

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*Rural Minds Youth is an opportunity for young people growing up, living and working in rural and remote Australia to chat about a whole lot of stuff that affects them!*



## COUNTRY EDUCATION FOUNDATION OF GRENFELL

### Spring Ball

**SATURDAY 12 OCTOBER  
2024**

**6:30 pm**

**TICKETS AVAILABLE AT  
GRENFELL BOWLING CLUB**

**\$50 PER TICKET**

**TABLES OF 6 OR 12**

**GRAZING BOXES PROVIDED ON TABLES**

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