Leeton High School Year 12 and Year 10 students completed their state wide examinations last week. Year 12 students have had 4 weeks of Higher School Certificate examinations with the final exam Design and Technology completed on Friday 11 November. Year 12 students must now wait until mid December to receive their results.

Year 10 students sat the School Certificate examinations on Monday and Tuesday last week; this was followed by the completion of an online Computer Skills test. These tests in conjunction with ongoing school based assessment makes up their School Certificate grade. Students, parents and caregivers are reminded that ongoing assessment and class work is monitored regularly so that teachers are able to check if students are meeting course requirements and outcomes.

School Certificate results come out on Friday 9 December and students will receive these at a formal assembly on this day. Classes for Year 10 continue as normal until this time! Parents and caregivers are advised that the formal assembly on 9 December is the only school function for Year 10 students.

Junior examinations continue this week for all students in Years 7, 8 and 9. Examinations are staggered throughout the time to allow students to organise their revision. Marking will follow then end of year reports will be distributed mid December.

Leeton High School will host the annual Proud and Deadly Awards for our local area on Wednesday 23 November. The Proud and Deadly Awards are designed celebrate the success of local Indigenous students. They are run in partnership with local and regional AECG. Details of awards will be in our next newsletter.

Next week 26 students travel to Sydney to perform in the 2011 Public Schools Spectacular. Leeton High School choir and dance ensemble have been selected to perform in this magnificent event. Students depart Tuesday; have rehearsals on Wednesday and Thursday. Performances occur on Friday and Saturday and finally we see students and staff return to Leeton on Sunday. Congratulations to the students and we wish them well!

Staff are busy organising Rewards Day for students who are on Gold and Silver in the school’s welfare system on 5 December. This year Rewards Day will be at the Roxy theatre in the morning and Lake Talbot in the afternoon.

Finally I would like to invite all parents and caregivers to our annual Presentation evening which will be held on Thursday 8 December, commencing at 7.30pm. This is an excellent evening showcasing the achievements of our students during 2011.

Greg Horton, Principal

---DEPUTY PRINCIPAL'S REPORT---

As we approach the end of the year all students are reminded that our discipline policy will continue to be enforced. For example, students who verbally abuse staff or are involved in a fight will be suspended.

It is very disappointing that some students feel the need to solve problems with violence. It is no longer socially acceptable and will not be tolerated in our school.

On a brighter note, the following students are to be congratulated on earning awards.

Silver Diploma – Shaun Muller (Year 7) and Geordie White (Year 8)

Gold Diploma – David Nicholls, Bailey Wallace, Tamika Bell (Year 7), Brianna Celi, Anna Wang, Corey Graham (Year 8), Sally Boardman (Year 9) and Lauren Valenta (Year 11).

Executive Awards: Billie Lee Millar, Grace Holt, Coen Lourigan, Daniel Riznic (Year 7), Rebecca Greatz, Jordan Mortimer (Year 8), Quentin Alchin-Smith, Alice Middleton, Julian Mandaglio, Anthony Trifogli, Allishia Gavel, Mathew Davies and Hayden Golz (Year 10).

Scott White, Deputy Principal
The next P&C meeting will be on the 22nd November in the school library at 7.30pm. All are welcome.

**GOLDEN APPLE DOCKETS**

The Golden Apple docket promotion is running again this year. Please drop off all your dockets to the Front Office to support this great fundraiser.

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**DATES TO REMEMBER**

14th Nov -18th Nov – Junior Exams continue  
22nd Nov – P&C Meeting 7.30 Library  
Thur 8th Dec – Presentation Night  
Fri 9th Dec – Year 10 Presentation Assembly  
Fri 16th Dec – Last Day for Students  
Fri 27th Jan 2012 – Pupil Free Day, Staff return  
Mon 30th Jan 2012 – Years 7, 11 and 12 return  
Tues 31st Jan 2012 – Years 8, 9 and 10 return

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Cummins South Pacific and Leeton Shire Council would like to invite all Parents to the first

**INDUSTRY CONNECTION DAY**

Linking Industry, Schools and Parents

Topics to be discussed include:
- What careers are available within the industry?
- What is the minimum requirement for entry into the industry?
- What opportunities are there for progression?
- What non-academic positions are available?

**Date:** Tuesday 6th December  
**Time:** 10.00am to 12.00pm  
**Place:** The Historic Hydro, 58-66 Chelmsford Place, Leeton  
**RSVP:** Tuesday 29th November to sarah@getset.org.au

Morning tea will be provided from 10am