

## COMING UP @ YOUR LIBRARY



### LEGO CLUB

Thursdays  
3.30-4.30pm



### Cuddle up & Read

For Bubs & their carers on the 3rd Thursday of the month at  
10.30am FREE

### Storytime, 10.30am FREE

Every Wednesday & Saturday. Join us for stories, songs and art & craft.

## For Everyone!



### Leeton Library Knitters

meet every Tuesday  
& Thursday at  
10.30am for coffee,  
company and  
knitting.  
FREE.

### Brain Games

Every Wednesday 2-3pm. FREE

Keep your mind fit & healthy. Join us in a friendly atmosphere to challenge and limber the brain.

### 1st Friday Book Group

Meets 1st  
Friday of the month at  
10.30am



Book Group



September 2018



Because of your support, the NSW Government announced its intention to provide a \$60 million funding boost for public libraries. There's no doubt about it, this is a huge win. You've helped ensure

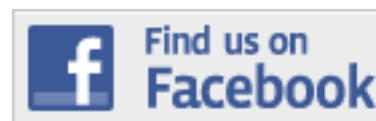
our public libraries can continue to deliver the services our communities need.

### HOWEVER, there's a catch...

While this investment is a good first step, we need sustainable funding for our libraries.

We still need to see the funding details, and we'll be seeking urgent meetings with the NSW Government to clarify those details. What's clear so far is that yesterday's announcement doesn't provide our libraries with the ongoing funding we need.

**So, the campaign to Renew our Libraries is not over yet!**



Become a Facebook fan by following the link from our library homepage.

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### Opening hours

Monday	10am-5pm
Tuesday	10am-5pm
Wednesday	10am-5pm
Thursday	10am-7pm
Friday	10am-5pm
Saturday	9am-12noon



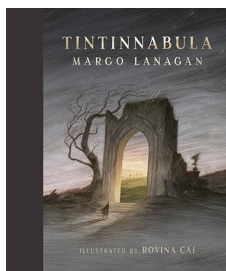
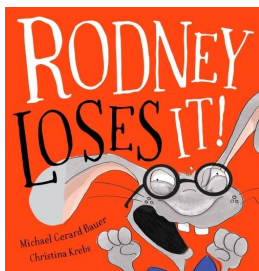
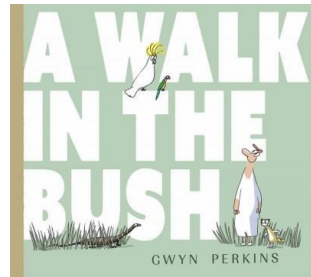
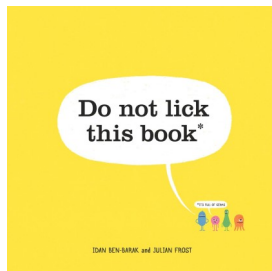
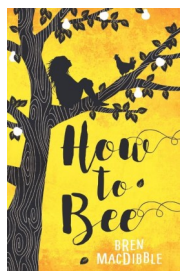
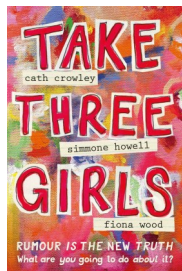
## CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK @ LEETON LIBRARY

### ***Find Your Treasure***

Leeton Library will be celebrating Children's Book Week in style between the 10th and 15th September. Expect the library to be a little different to normal. There will be crazy adventures involving lots of children from Leeton schools and preschools. There will be a lot of costumes, fun and laughter....and that's just the library staff.

In addition we will be hosting author Jack Heath, who will perform to Leeton's Primary Children at the Roxy Theatre.

And the winning books are.....



## ***LOCAL & FAMILY HISTORY HELP***

From our website...<https://www.leetonlibrary.com.au/history>

### Local History Room

The Local history room has a collection of various material for all those interested in Leeton & its history. Materials include;

- Published and non-published materials relating to Leeton & surrounding areas.
- School magazines from local schools
- Indexes to births, deaths & marriages published in the local paper *The Irrigator*
- Memorial inscriptions from Leeton and Whitton Cemeteries
- Photographs
- Ephemera
- Funeral booklets (recent & limited only)
- Genealogy collection

### Library Family History

Library staff have developed some brochures to assist you with your family history research. These can be downloaded from our website or obtained at the library. Brochures include;

- 10 steps for writing your family history
- Shipping records on the net
- Defence Records at the National Archives
- Locating Australian Wills
- Storing old documents & photos
- Cemeteries & Obituaries on-line
- Historic BDM Australia—on-line
- Researching Convicts



### Ancestry

Ancestry.com is available to patrons of Leeton Shire Library. The world's largest family history website offers census, birth, death, shipping records and more. Available within the library only.

### Useful links

- Leeton Family and Local History Society
- Trove
- Australian War Memorial
- National Archives of Australia

