

Buster Ryan Memorial TAFE Scholarship 2024

Applicant personal details

FULL NAME

EMAIL ADDRESS

PHONE NUMBER

POSTAL ADDRESS

TOWN

POSTCODE

TAFE NSW LEARNER NUMBER

RELATIONSHIP TO LEETON SHIRE LGA *

* Please give us details of when you are normally in Leeton, and whether that is for study or work, or where you reside. These details will be verified by your TAFE teacher on our behalf.

The Buster Ryan Memorial TAFE Scholarship has been named in honour of Buster Ryan, a much loved and highly respected member of the Leeton community, who passed away in a workplace accident in 2020.

The purpose of the scholarship is to promote safe work practices among young workers and new entrants to vocational careers.

The Rotary Club of Leeton has partnered with Killoran Agriculture to offer a scholarship of \$2500 each to two TAFE NSW students studying a vocational course in 2024.

Eligibility Criteria

To be considered for the Buster Ryan Memorial TAFE Scholarship you must meet all of the following criteria:

- Currently either live, work, or study in Leeton Shire Local Government Area (LGA).
- Be a current TAFE NSW student studying at Certificate III level or above.
- Ensure all parts of this scholarship application form are complete, and submit it via via email to: leetonrotary@gmail.com.



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Details of employment and study

COMPANY NAME

EMPLOYER OR DESIGNATE'S FULL NAME

COMPANY'S POSTAL ADDRESS

EMPLOYER OR DESIGNATE'S POSITION

TOWN

POSTCODE

EMPLOYER OR DESIGNATE'S EMAIL ADDRESS

COMPANY'S ABN

EMPLOYER OR DESIGNATE'S PHONE NUMBER

TAFE NSW COURSE UNDERTAKEN IN 2024

COURSE NAME

COURSE CODE

APPLICANT'S POSITION AT COMPANY

WHAT YEAR OF THE COURSE IS THIS FOR YOU?

Employer statement

Describe in 200 words or less one or more instances of this applicant contributing to the improvement of health and safety at the work site where they are employed by you, and why you endorse this student's application.

Student statement

Outline in 200 words or less what you have learnt about the importance of Work Health and Safety while studying your current course at TAFE NSW, and working for your current employer.

Applicant confirmation

By signing below I confirm the truth and accuracy of my statement, and of the personal details I have provided on this application form.

SIGN HERE DATE

Employer endorsement

By signing below I endorse the statement of the applicant, who is in my employ, and confirm the truth and accuracy of my statement.

SIGN HERE DATE

TAFE NSW endorsement

By signing below I confirm the accuracy of the personal and employment details the applicant has provided on this form.

SIGN HERE DATE



Who was Buster Ryan?

Mr Buster Ryan was a Leeton Shire local, described as a man of integrity, who loved his family and friends and was always willing to pitch in to help the Shire he loved.

Mr Ryan was a former Citizen of the Year, known for his long-running involvement with the Yanco Lions Club, he was heavily involved with hay runs and a supporter and member of many other community groups and charities.

On the 13th of October 2020, Buster passed away in a workplace accident while working for the Killoran Ag company.

In honour of the contribution Buster made to the Leeton community, and to support the promotion of safe work practices among young workers and new entrants to vocational careers, the Killoran Ag company has partnered with the Rotary Club of Leeton to put in place the Buster Ryan Memorial TAFE Scholarship.

Who can apply for the scholarship and how?

The scholarship is open to any TAFE student currently studying, working, or residing in Leeton Shire LGA at Certificate III level or above.

Two prizes of \$2500 and will be awarded in 2024, 2025, and 2026, with a total of \$15,000 to be disbursed in the life of the scholarship.

A panel comprised of representatives from the Leeton community, TAFE NSW, Killoran Ag, and the Rotary Club of Leeton will meet after the scholarship application deadline (Sunday 15th September 2024), and choose two winners from different student cohorts.

To apply for the scholarship, you must meet all the requirements listed on the front page of this form.

For more information about the conditions of the scholarship and to download a digital copy of this application form, please follow the below link to the Rotary Club of Leeton website.



Pictured: Mr Buster Ryan during one of the many hay runs he volunteered to drive for, delivering much-needed feed to farmers impacted by the drought.



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