

WATER ALLOCATIONS

NSW Department of Planning, Industry & Environment as at 16 December 2019:

- Stock & Domestic 100%
- Towns 100%
- High Security 95%
- General Security 6%
- MI +1% to eligible customers.

STORAGES

20 December 2019:

- Burrinjuck 32%
- Blowering 42%

EASYWATER

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- Freecall 1800 822 450

Xmas/New Year office trading hours

Water ordering, supply and delivery will continue uninterrupted. For emergency supply and drainage faults, contact Griffith 6962 0262 or Leeton 6953 0146

Date	Griffith	Leeton
Mon 23 Dec	9am to 12pm	9am to 12pm
Tue 24 Dec	9am to 12pm	9am to 12pm
Wed 25 Dec	Closed	Closed
Thu 26 Dec	Closed	Closed
Fri 27 Dec	9am to 12pm	Closed
Mon 30 Dec	9am to 12pm	Closed
Tue 31 Dec	9am to 12pm	Closed
Wed 1 Jan 2020	Closed	Closed
Thu 2 Jan	9am to 12pm	Closed
Fri 3 Jan	9am to 12pm	Closed
Mon 6 Jan	Resume normal trading hours	

Turning on automation

We will soon be implementing the next stage of our outlet automation program, which will enable us to more consistently deliver you water when you want it, and significantly improve the efficiency of our delivery network.

A fully automated system provides automatic channel flow control, monitoring and management of our supply system, with solar powered channel control gates and water meters, integrated into a radio network and controlled by our Operations Control Centre.

Testing will be conducted on a selection of in-field outlets in early 2020, and implemented across the rest of the network from July 2020.



With not long left in 2019, I would like to thank you for working together with us over the past year to count every drop and deliver water as efficiently as possible in dry times.

In the coming 12 months we will continue to adapt to climatic challenges, with an unwavering focus on delivering every drop in the best possible way. We are heading into an extremely hot and dry Christmas/New Year period. Our water operations staff will be working through this period as usual to deliver water where it's needed.

I wish you all a happy and safe holiday period and look forward to a productive 2020.

Brett Jones, CEO



Vandalism and theft of MI infrastructure: we need your help to identify the culprits

Police have been notified about a series of recent thefts and vandalism incidents involving our infrastructure.

Solar panels and batteries are the current targets with several stolen across the MIA.

We are increasing our monitoring of sites across the region and have commenced the use of tracking equipment to help recover the items.

Please help us by reporting any unusual activity in and around irrigation infrastructure to:

- Police 1800 333 000 Crime Stoppers, and to
- MI (02) 6962 0200 (AH: 6962 0262 or 6953 0146)

Stay informed – update your contact info

Help us to keep you informed by ensuring your contact details are up to date.

To update your details, you can call us on (02) 6962 0200 or email info@mirrigration.com.au.

Stay safe: Heat stress can be deadly

With high temperatures forecast over the coming month the risk of heat stress needs to be taken seriously. Help protect yourself from summer heat by drinking plenty of water and taking frequent breaks. Signs and symptoms of heat illness include weakness, fatigue and dizziness,

and if you suspect someone has heat stress:

- Move the person out of the sun and into a shady or air-conditioned space
- Cool the person by covering them with damp cloths
- Spray them with cool water
- Direct air onto the person with a fan or newspaper
- Have the person drink cool water
- If symptoms do not improve quickly CALL 000.

INDUSTRY NEWS

WaterNSW Information session: drought and water availability

NSW Government and WaterNSW hosted an information session on drought and water availability in Griffith at the end of last month.

A summary of the feedback given is now available on the NSW Government website. The document includes the groups represented at each of the meetings, key drought-related information, a summary of issues raised and responses. You can download the document here: <https://www.industry.nsw.gov.au/water/allocations-availability/droughts-floods/drought-update/information-sessions>