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Leaders in safety

How can you elevate the safety culture in your business? National Safe Work Month provides resources on good work design and discusses how positive safety leadership can boost business productivity and performance. For more information, click [here](#).

Annual General Meeting

Murray Irrigation's 2018 Annual General Meeting (AGM) will be held at the Deniliquin RSL Club from 7.00pm on Thursday 22 November. Registrations open from 6.00pm. The company's Annual Report and accompanying AGM documents have been mailed to shareholders. To access electronic versions of these documents, click [here](#).

AGM voting

To be eligible to vote at the AGM, all invoices (including any interest amounts owing) up to the end of 2017/18 (excluding the current September quarter invoice) must be paid by no later than 7.00pm on Monday 19 November 2018. If paying by direct deposit or BPay, please allow sufficient time for funds to clear. For more information or assistance, contact Customer Support on 1300 138 265.

Minister Littleproud visit

The Federal Minister for Agriculture and Water Resources David Littleproud will get to see first-hand the strategic importance and national significance of the Mulwala Canal when he tours the region this week. Minister Littleproud will start his journey at the Mulwala Canal Offtake on Thursday morning, before visiting The Drop hydroelectric power station near Berrigan and the recently upgraded Finley Town Supply regulator.

Murray Irrigation CEO Michael Renehan and Chairman Phil Snowden will join Minister Littleproud on part of the tour, along with key technical staff. A focus of the tour will be the benefits of PIOP. For further details, click [here](#).

Allocation announcement Thursday

DoI-Water's next general security allocation announcement will be this Thursday 1 November. Subscribe directly with the department [here](#).

Irrigation intentions survey

Thank you to those customers who responded to Murray Irrigation's recent 'intentions' survey. Customers representing more than 560 landholdings responded and indicated their summer watering intentions (including stock and domestic customers).

The feedback, which is still being collated, will help the company plan future channel flows and project any peak demand constraints. More information will be shared with customers in coming weeks.

September quarter invoices

Invoices for the September 2018 quarter have been issued and delivered to customers via their nominated delivery method. These invoices are due by 5.00pm Friday 30 November 2018. Customers will note the new-look invoice, which provides features such as a remittance for payment and balance brought forward.

For details relating to the Government's *Drought Relief Package*, see the cover letter attached to your invoice. For further information contact Customer Support on 1300 138 265.

Irrigated wheat trial walk tomorrow

Southern Growers is hosting a National Variety Trials (NVT) wheat trial walk this week. The walk will be held at the Plattfuss family farm on Pyles Road, Blighty from 3pm tomorrow (Wednesday 31 October). The day will include two guest speakers, with a BBQ lunch and refreshments supplied. For more information, or to RSVP, contact Stephanie Chappell on 0417 444 750 or email southerngrowersinc@gmail.com.

Denimein Landholders' AGM

Denimein Landholders' Association is holding its Annual General Meeting at the Pretty Pine Recreation Reserve from 6pm on Thursday 8 November. For details, contact Josh Small on 0427 889 367.

Customer Support next week

Murray Irrigation Customer Support staff will continue to service customers during the company's annual staff holiday next week. Although the main offices will be closed on Tuesday 6 November, phone services, water deliveries and the Water Exchange will operate as normal. To contact Customer Support, call 1300 138 265. *Talking Water* will be distributed on Wednesday 7 November.

Announced allocation

Class C General Security 0 %
Water resource distribution 5 %
(issued against Delivery Entitlements)

Water availability and deliveries

(30/10/18)
YTD deliveries..... 157 GL
Weekly deliveries 14,312 ML
Weekly crop usage..... winter crops (26%)
On-farm balance 127 GL
WE in customer accounts..... 831 WE
Vol. % remaining 15%

Channel flows today

Wakool Offtake..... 174 ML
Mulwala Offtake 2,599 ML
Billabong Escape..... 250 ML
Edward River Escape..... 850 ML
Perricoota Escape 90 ML
Wakool River Escape 120 ML

Water trade data

Net trade week 2,870 ML
Net trade YTD 64,114 ML

Water exchange data

(23/10/18 – 29/10/18)
Internal listings (No. & ML).....16; 984ML
External listings (No. & ML).....0; -356ML
Int. purchases (No. & ML).... 49; 3,015ML
External purchases (No. & ML).....0; 0ML

Water for sale (29/10/18).....2,031ML
Weighted average sale price.....\$388.12
Price range\$398 - \$900
Buy offer range.....\$360 - \$300

Rainfall and evaporation

23/10/18 – 29/10/18 Rain Evap
Finley 0.0mm 50.4mm
Tullakool..... 0.0mm 49.5mm

Storages

8.30am today (mdba.gov.au)
Dartmouth.....3,111 GL.....81 %
Hume.....1,433 GL.....48 %
Lake Victoria.....447 GL.....66 %
Menindee Lakes129 GL.....8 %
Total Storage.....5,120 GL.....55 %

Rivers

8.30am today (mdba.gov.au)
Murray @ Doctors Point 18,684 ML/d
Murray d/s Yarra. Weir 14,983 ML/d
Goulburn @ McCoy's Bridge....2,356 ML/d
M'Bidgee d/s Balranald..... 989 ML/d
Darling @ Burtundy.....17 ML/d
Flow to SA..... 9,407 ML/d
Murray to the sea 3 gates open

This information is provided for general reference purposes only. Murray Irrigation takes best endeavours to ensure accuracy. It is collated at 8.00am Tuesdays and is subject to change.