



LEIGH MONTAGNA

Talent Profile





The versatility Leigh Montagna displayed in his 287 AFL games for St Kilda is at the core of his work in the media today.



NATIONALITY

Australian

DATE OF BIRTH

11/2/83

TEAMS

St Kilda Football Club
Fox Sports
Triple M

CAPABILITIES

PR Campaign
Appearances
Guest Panellist
Ambassador
Social Media

INTERESTS

Leadership
Family
Business
Health & Nutrition
Lifestyle
Wellbeing

BIO

Selected in the much vaunted 2001 AFL Draft with pick 37 from the Northern Knights, Leigh Montagna established himself with his raking kick and line breaking running. A dual All-Australian, Montagna's standing and consistency is highlighted by the fact that he finished Top 4 in the Saints' Best and Fairest on nine occasions during a period where he was teammates with some of the club's all-time greats.

He now holds the distinction of being one of only a handful of former players to take on the challenge of calling games start after hanging up the boots. As either a play-by-play caller or special comments analyst, the man known more broadly as Joey has showed his acumen with Fox Footy on TV and with Triple M on radio since his retirement in 2017. His involvement in the game stretches from the opening round of AFLW right through until the Trade and Draft late in the year. With Fox, Montagna has also been a regular on Fox Sports News program AFL Tonight, providing his views and opinions on the game's big issues. At Triple M, his presence in studio away from footy sees him in the host chair every Saturday morning for Dead Set Legends, speaking to sport's big names and debating the big topics of the week. His presence across Melbourne radio's Home of Rock, Sport and Comedy includes a regular spot on The Rush Hour as a guest co-host and contributor, as well as holding down co-host duties on The Hot Breakfast during ratings breaks.



Whilst completing his media work, Montagna has maintained a connection to the league's inner sanctum with a pro-scouting role for Fremantle over the past two years. Leigh and wife Erin welcome son Noah in mid-2018. They live in bayside Melbourne.

SOCIAL MEDIA MARKERS

10K+

INSTAGRAM FOLLOWERS



CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- 2003 AFL Rising Star Nominee
- 2007 & 2009 3rd Best and Fairest
- 2008 & 2010 International Rules
- 2009 - 2010 All-Australian
- 2010 & 2012 2nd Best and Fairest
- 2012 Australian Football Life Member



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