



# Quandialla Central School

*"Together we provide opportunities to succeed"*

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## Diary Dates – Term 2

### June:

Wed.	11 <sup>th</sup> June	Lachlan District Cross Country – Area Trials at Wellington (Primary) Step Up – Year 11 Aspire Program 11 <sup>th</sup> – 13 <sup>th</sup> June.
Thursday	12 <sup>th</sup> June	Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden – Cooking Lessons
Wed.	18 <sup>th</sup> June	Forbes Eisteddfod
Tuesday	24 <sup>th</sup> June	Aspire Workshop K-11

## Enviro Champions Leadership Program 2014



Left to right: Zachary, William, Sarah and Angus enjoyed learning about leadership qualities and team building at the Lake Cowal Conservation Centre on Friday, 6<sup>th</sup> June.

Still lovely weather for the beginning of the snow season! This has been a busy term, with three weeks still to go. School Reports will be out by the end of this term and we hope that parents/ carers find them to be a valuable way of providing you with relevant and important information regarding your child's learning and areas for development.

Our Primary students have been involved in a range of extra curricular activities, while the Secondary students have also been offered this week in Sydney.

Our PBL lesson for last week was on the topic of "Speaking Politely" and I would like to reinforce that this is not just about using polite language at all times, but also in our use of tone of voice and attitude to each other. We expect students to respond to requests with a positive comment and respectful manner.

Have a great week,

Lisa Varjavandi  
Relieving Principal



Tahlia



Maryanne



Theresa

**Hospitality Lessons**  
at  
**Quandialla Central School**  
- Thursday, 5<sup>th</sup> June, 2014 -

# K-6 NEWS

## THE HENRY LAWSON RECITATION DAY

Congratulations to all the K-6 students who participated in the Recitation Day in Grenfell last Thursday. Anne and I were very proud of their performances and their behaviour on the day. Even though it was a long day the students enjoyed watching the students from the other schools.

Award winners:

### Kindergarten:

Summer Dixon - Highly Commenced  
Monty Ryan - Highly Commended

### Year 1:

Hugh Nowlan - Commended

### Year 2:

Reuben Ryan - Commended

### Year 5:

William Dixon - Highly Commended  
Angus Kelly - Commended

## MULTICULTURAL PERSPECTIVES PUBLIC SPEAKING COMPETITION

Congratulations to Sarah Penfold for her efforts in participating in the very competitive Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking Competition at Bletchington PS last Thursday June 5<sup>th</sup>. By all accounts Sarah spoke very well. The impromptu topic for her group was 'Growing Older'.

## ENVIRO CHAMPIONS LEADERSHIP PROGRAM 2014

On Friday 6<sup>th</sup> June I took a team of four students to an environmental leadership day at the Lake Cowal Conservation Centre. The day was led by Paul Greenwood and Darren Watt from the Riverina Environmental Education Centre and Sally Russell from the Lake Cowal Conservation Centre. We had a fun- filled day learning about leadership qualities and did a number of team building activities with four other teams of students from different schools. The afternoon was spent planning an environmental project for our school. The team will have the rest of this term and next term to work on their project. The team is required to do a presentation on their project at Coolamon on the 22<sup>nd</sup> October.

The Enviro Champions Leadership program aims to develop students into strong and resilient young people who are inspired and excited to use the leadership opportunity they have been given to make a positive difference on environmental issues affecting them and their school community. The students will also devise an environmental project to run within their school. This project will allow students to use and develop leadership skills with the guidance of supportive teachers/parents.



## WESTERN AREA PSSA CROSS COUNTRY

We wish Hayden and Haylee good luck in their races at the Western Area Cross Country in Wellington on Wednesday.

Brendan and Natasha are competing in the Combined High School races on the same day.

## PREMIERS SPORTING CHALLENGE

Students are filling in their Premiers Sporting Challenge Logs each week at school. Every 20 minutes of activity allows the Years 3-6 students to tick a box. Any burst of activity for K/1/2 counts. Years 3-6 have been training for a very important Touch football game against Neville PS coming up before the end of term, so they have had a number of additional sessions of PE which is adding to their activity tally. Ask your children how they are going with the Challenge.

## AUSTRALIAN WAR MEMORIAL SOUNDSCAPE PROJECT

Our Year 5 and 6 students have been accepted for the Australian War Memorial Soundscape Project. This is a very exciting opportunity that involves our students travelling to Orange to the local ABC radio station to record us as we read the names of 50 diggers from the Hall of Remembrance. Permission notes will be out as soon as our recording time is confirmed.

## HOMEWORK FOR YEARS 3-6

\* Excel English and Mathematics Unit 12

\* Home Reading



Reuben Ryan

- Henry Lawson Festival -

*Recitation Day*

Thursday, 5<sup>th</sup> June, 2014



Summer Dixon

## **CANTEEN NEWS & ROSTER**

### **Term 2 – 2014**

Our School Canteen is open on Wednesday

Time of Arrival is 10.00 a.m.

President: David Dixon – 6347 1271 / Secretary: Leanne Penfold – 6347 2119

Treasurer: Anne Dixon – 6347 1271

#### **Roster:**

11 <sup>th</sup>	June	-	Kim Broomby
18 <sup>th</sup>	June	-	Tracy Penfold
25 <sup>th</sup>	June	-	Leanne Penfold

#### **Please Note:**

If your name is not on the roster and you would like to have a turn on canteen, please contact Leanne Penfold and we will put you on the roster either with somebody this term or next.

Please remember to bring lettuce and tomatoes. Buns and ham are purchased from the Quandialla Café.

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### **Parents Please Note:**

### **New Calendar Dates:**

### **Bland Sports Carnival Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> September, 2014**

(Back up date: Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> September, 2014)

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## **COMMUNITY NEWS**

### **ST. MARK'S ANGLICAN CHURCH NOTICE – PLEASE NOTE CHANGE IN SERVICE TIMES:**

From July, St. Mark's services will be held on the first Sunday of the month (not the fourth) at 5.00 pm or 6.00 pm daylight saving time.

The service for June will be held on 22<sup>nd</sup> June at 5.00 pm. Changes will then commence in July, with the next service being held on Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> July, commencing at 5.00 pm.

All Most Welcome.

### **EXERCISE CLASSES:**

Exercise Classes - 9.00 - 10.00 am Friday's at the Quandialla Memorial Hall.

\$7 / class, please bring water bottle, comfy clothing, and appropriate shoes.

Enquiries please phone: Kim 63472152.

### **ST. BRIGID'S CATHOLIC CHURCH SERVICES – 2014:**

Mass 10:00 am 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month

Liturgy 10:00 am 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month

**Please note: Church Services have resumed at St Brigid's Catholic Church.**

### **WOMEN'S HEALTH CLINIC – TUESDAY, 1<sup>ST</sup> JULY, 2014, QUANDIALLA HEALTH CENTRE:**

A Women's Health Clinic will be held on Tuesday, 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2014, at the Quandialla Health Centre.

Please telephone 6347 1200 to arrange your appointment.

### **FOCUS ON RIVERINA – 2014 PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION:**

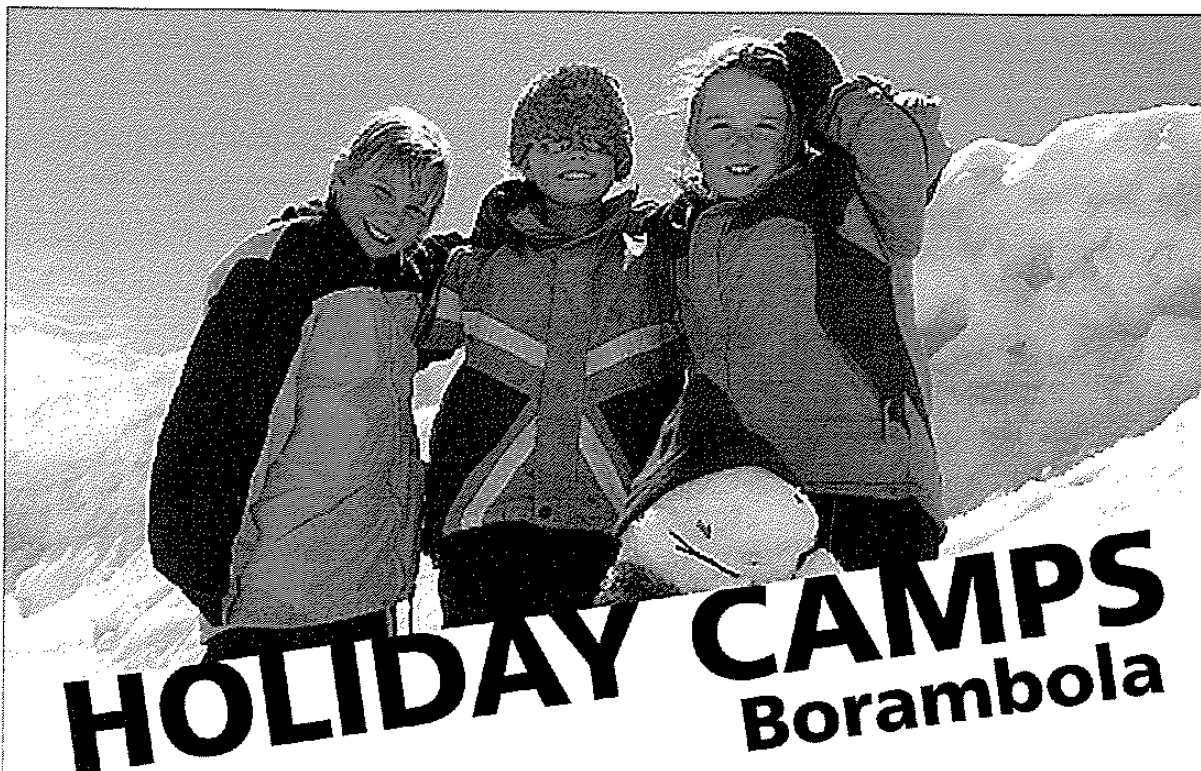
Theme: Our people, our places. The Riverina region is a place of great beauty; the people and places are diverse, making the region unique, Riverina Local Land Services invites you to submit images that include, but are not limited to, wildlife, flora, landscapes, wetlands and rivers, sustainable farming and grazing practices and community.

Categories: Primary Student, Secondary Student, Open Amateur, Open Professional and People's Choice Award.

How to enter: Entries are to be submitted online at [www.riverina.lls.nsw.gov.au](http://www.riverina.lls.nsw.gov.au) Entries close 5.00 pm Monday, 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2014.

For more information please contact: Riverina Local land Services – phone: 02 6932 3253

Email: [media.riverina@lls.nsw.gov.au](mailto:media.riverina@lls.nsw.gov.au)



Our Kids' Camps at Borambola Sport and Recreation Centre are designed and delivered by qualified instructors and focus on giving kids a taste of valuable life skills. Through a range of fun and exciting activities, kids are encouraged to grow and develop socially, make new friends and try new things

#### Winter Kids' Camps

<b>Adventure Snow Combo</b>	7 <sup>th</sup> to 11 <sup>th</sup> July, 2014	9 – 12 years
<b>Multi Sports Crazy</b>	7 <sup>th</sup> to 11 <sup>th</sup> July, 2014	10 – 13 years

#### Coming soon!!!

<b>Multi Sports Crazy</b>	29 <sup>th</sup> Sept to 3 <sup>rd</sup> Oct, 2014	10 – 13 years
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