



Quandialla Central School

"Together we provide opportunities to succeed"

Newsletter Tuesday, 24th June, 2014 (Week A No. 20)

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Robin Dowsett

**Parents and
Citizens
Association:**

President:
David Dixon

Secretary:
Leanne Penfold

Treasurer:
Catia Nowlan

Diary Dates – Term 2 & 3

June:

Wed.	25th June	<u>Please note change of date:</u> Quandialla Central School P.&C. Meeting – 7.30 p.m. at the Bland Hotel, Quandialla.
Thursday	26 th June	Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden – Cooking lessons.
Friday	27 th June	School Assembly – 2.30 p.m. / Last day of Term 2.

School Holidays: 28th June – 13th July, 2014

July:

Monday	14 th July	Staff Development Day – Pupil Free Day
Tuesday	15th July	All students return to school today.
Wed.	16 th July	K-6, Parent/Teacher Interviews (starting at 3.30 pm.)



K/1/2 students take great pride in recycling items from Quandialla Central.

I would like to take this opportunity to encourage all school and community members to take advantage of the Quandialla Recycling Depot. Mrs. Dixon's K/1/2 class have been taking the initiative and collecting recycling refuse from the school classrooms and offices each week to take to the Depot, while also learning about the importance of recycling. Next term another group of students will step up to continue this initiative.

This Friday afternoon at 2.30 is our final Whole School Assembly for the term. We invite all parents and community members to attend.

My best wishes for a safe and enjoyable two week holiday. Teachers return on Monday 14th July, while students all return on Tuesday 15th July.

Contacting the school

Please contact the school for further information. I am always available to meet with parents/ guardians.

Thank you,
Lisa Varjavandi
Relieving Principal

Australian War Memorial Soundscape Project



Quandialla Central School students were very privileged to be part of the Centenary Commemorations of World War 1.

Mrs Robinson, Zachary, William, Sarah, Angus and Jarrod, are pictured with Brooke Daniels at the ABC Central West studio in Orange.

It's been 96 years since the guns fell silent on the battlefields of World War One. Over 60,000 Australian troops were killed in the conflict, with 2014 marking 100 years since the war began. As part of commemorations for the centenary, the Australian War Memorial in Canberra is launching a 'soundscape' project, to feature in its Roll of Honour area. Primary schools from across Australia were invited to take part, with students going to their local ABC Radio station to record the names and ages of the Australia troops that died. – Extract from a ABC article titled *'Next Generation lend their voices to WW1 Centenary Commemorations'*, written by Robert Virtue.



K-6 NEWS

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING REWARD

Students enjoyed a movie afternoon and a hotdog and popper for lunch last Friday as a whole school PBL reward. Students in K-6 had the choice of watching *Frozen* or *Free Birds* while the Years 8 and 9 students watched *Marley and Me*. Popcorn topped off a great afternoon.

TOUCH FOOTBALL KNOCKOUT

Students in 3/4/5/6 have been practising their touch football skills at every opportunity in preparation for the Small Schools Knockout Round 1 game against Neville PS to be held in Cowra early in Term 3. We have been very fortunate to have the benefit of Mr Max Hofman and Mr Brett Causer in the school and coaching the students.

LACHLAN DISTRICT PSSA ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Haylee Bridger, Sarah Penfold, Hayden Bridger and Angus Kelly have all qualified for the Lachlan District PSSA Carnival in Parkes on the 1st August. These four students will compete in the PP6 relay for Quandialla. Permission notes went home today.

AUSTRALIAN WAR MEMORIAL SOUNDSCAPE PROJECT

Years 5 and 6 were offered the opportunity to part the Roll of Honor Soundscape Project. This involved travelling to ABC Central West radio station to record the names of Australian soldiers killed in the war. These recordings are going to read out in the First World War Cloister for the duration of the Centenary of the First World War. There are 62,000 names on this roll so we may have to wait around for a few hours to hear ourselves. See article from the ABC Central – type in the following wording into Google: *Next generation lend their voices to WW1 Centenary Commemorations*.

PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS – WEDNESDAY, 16TH JULY, 2014:

Kindergarten to Year 6, Parent/Teacher interviews will be held next term on Wednesday, 16th July, 2014. Please contact the front office to make your appointment.

HOMEWORK FOR YEARS 3-6

- * Excel English and Mathematics Unit 13
- * Home Reading

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:

25th 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.

Parents Please Note: **New Calendar Dates:**

K-6, Parent/Teacher Interviews **Wednesday, 16th July, 2014**

Please contact the front office to make your appointment
Telephone: 6347 1207 during school hours.



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Don't Forget:
School Photos
Monday, 21st July, 2014

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

Quandialla Central School Class Photos will be taken on
Monday, 21st July, 2014

Photo envelopes will be sent home Week 1, Term 3.
Prices will be as follows:

A Pack \$40.00



1-8x10"
20x25cm



2-6x8"
15x20cm



4-6x4"
10x15cm



4x
Wallets



6x
ID's



1 A4 Composite
Group



FREE
High Res CD
(Individual Only)

Qty Total \$

B Pack \$32.00



1-6x8"
15x20cm



3-6x4"
10x15cm



4x
Wallets



4x
ID's



1 A4 Composite
Group

Qty Total \$

C Pack \$27.00



1-6x8"
15x20cm



3-6x4"
10x15cm



1 A4 Composite
Group

Qty Total \$

D Pack \$22.00



1-6x8"
15x20cm



3-6x4"
10x15cm



4x
Wallets

Qty Total \$

E Pack \$20.00



1 A4 Composite
Group

Qty Total \$

J - Gift Pack \$15.00 -

available only when you purchase pack A,B,C,D or E



- 1 Calendar
- 2 10x15" Bordered Prints
- 3 20x5cm Bookmarks

Qty Total \$

Total Enclosed:
Cash Or Cheque
(No change given)

\$

You can pay via credit card
or paypal Online

School Photos will be taken by
Cliff Dykes Photography, Cowra.

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.

Next Service will be held on:

SUNDAY, 6TH JULY, 2014

Please Note:

Meeting & Afternoon Tea – 4.00 p.m.

A special Meeting and Afternoon Tea will be held at 4.00 p.m. (prior to the Church Service at 5.00 p.m.) Discussions will be held on repairs and maintenance for the Anglican Church.

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 2nd Sunday of the month

Liturgy 10:00 am 4th Sunday of the month

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

WOMEN'S HEALTH CLINIC – TUESDAY, 1ST JULY, 2014, QUANDIALLA HEALTH CENTRE:

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

Please telephone 6347 1200 to arrange your appointment.

CLAIMING THE DATE: TALL POPPIES GARDEN CLUB FUNCTION:

SATURDAY, 23RD AUGUST, 2014

Tall Poppies Garden Club are hosting an evening with Holly Kerr Forsyth at the Quandialla Bowling Club on Saturday, 23rd August, 2014, commencing at 6.30 p.m. All most welcome.

Further information at a later date.

QUANDIALLA DISTRICT SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE – ANNUAL PRESENTATION EVENING, SATURDAY, 12TH JULY, 2014:

The Annual Presentation of Quandialla District Scholarships will be held at the Quandialla Bowling Club on Saturday evening, 12th July, 2014, commencing at 8.00 p.m.

Please note: This evening will be combined with the Quandialla Centenary's Wine and Cheese Tasting evening and local Art Exhibition.

All Most Welcome. Please come along and support our local students.

N. Gault – Hon. Secretary

QUANDIALLA LIBRARY DEPOSIT STATION NEWS:

There's nothing like curling up on a gloomy winter's afternoon with a good book and the latest selection at the Deposit Station should be varied enough to match everyone's tastes. A little romance? – try "My Husband Next Door" or "The Bridal Swap". A little guns and gusto? – consider such authors as Michael Connelly, Michael Robotham, Nelson DeMille, and C.J. Box. Something historical? – "The Secret Fate of May Watson" or "The Last Runaway". Or something a little more 'meaty'? – James Joyce's "Dubliners" or Khaled Hosseini's "A Thousand Splendid Suns". And if nonfiction is more to your taste there are books on Internet use, philosophy, vintage cars, insects, backyard poultry raising, stonework, cooking soups and stews, and travelling in Afghanistan.

Highlight, though, is probably "I Am Malala", the autobiography of the courageous Pakistani schoolgirl shot by the Taliban for daring to promote education for girls.

Library Week in Grenfell was a very busy time with a puppet show, author visit and a very successful puppet-making afternoon. The librarian then relaxed (?) by touring Israel for ten days ...

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 Entries close 5.00 pm Monday, 30th June, 2014.

For more information please contact: Riverina Local land Services – phone: 02 6932 3253
Email: media.riverina@lls.nsw.gov.au

HOLIDAY CAMPS - BORAMBOLA:

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:

Adventure Snow Combo	7 th to 11 th July, 2014	9-12 years
Multi Sports Crazy	7 th to 11 th July, 2014	10-13 years

Coming Soon:

Multi Sports Crazy	29 th Sept.to 3 rd Oct.2014	10-13 years
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Sport and Recreation supports community wellbeing. We also offer accommodation and facilities to suit every budget:

Phone 13 13 02 – Office of Communities Sport & Recreation

www.dsr.nsw.gov.au/kidscamps

THE QUANDI CAFÉ – HOT TAKEAWAY FOODS, COFFEE & GROCERIES: NEW TRADING HOURS as of 23rd June, 2014:

Monday – Saturday	9.00 am – 2.00 pm. and 3.00 pm – 6.00 pm
Sunday	9.00 am – 2.00 pm

Text Message to 0437765532 for orders. (No Calls)
or Fax (02) 6347 1219.



KIDS' WINTER CAMPS 2014

Learning and fun outdoors!

Looking for a fun and healthy school holiday activity that won't break the bank? Get your kids off the couch and unhooked from the iPad with a Sport and Recreation Centre holiday program.

Sport and Recreation Centres are government-run facilities. These overnight and day adventures are offered in great Australian bush and coastline locations for kids aged 5 to 16.

See your child blossom

Our programs use challenging, adventurous activities to help kids develop independence, self-esteem and social skills.

Under the supervision of friendly and qualified staff, conquering these age-appropriate challenges can help kids develop confidence as they master new skills and make new friends.

Our affordable school holiday packages include all activities, accommodation, nutritious meals and 24-hour supervision. Supervised transport is also available to and from most camps.

Sport and Recreation Centres: getting kids active outdoors for over 60 years.

Active learning for life...



You are invited to a

Wine and Cheese Tasting Evening And Local Art Exhibition

Hosted by the Quandialla Centenary Committee

Saturday 12th July 2014

7:00pm

Quandialla Bowling Club

Showcasing works from local artists as well as food and wine from:

Lockwood Vineyard

Grove Estate Wines

Pitstone Olives

Hunter Belle Cheese

(Recently made famous by Jason and Annie from My Kitchen Rules)

*The evening will also include presentations of the
2014 Quandialla District Scholarships*

Entry: \$15

**Includes wine and cheese tasting and other savoury delights
Tea, coffee and homemade chocolates**

**Lucky door and Raffle
Normal bar facilities available**

All proceeds from this function will go towards the costs of the Centenary Celebrations



Australian Government Mobile Service Centre



Serving Regional Australia

Visit the Mobile Service Centre to find out about Australian Government payments and services for rural families, older Australians, students, job seekers, people with disability, carers, farmers and self-employed people.

**Opposite Grenfell Library, Cnr Main &
Forbes Streets**

GRENFELL

Friday 27 June 2014

10:30 am to 2:30 pm

For more information, go to **humanservices.gov.au** and search for Mobile Service Centre or call **132 316**.



Australian Government
Department of Human Services

humanservices.gov.au

MINUTES OF THE QUANDIALLA P & C GENERAL MEETING
HELD AT THE BLAND HOTEL ON THE 5TH JUNE, 2014
OPENED AT 7.52PM

Present : David Dixon, Tracy Penfold, Wendy Robinson, and Leanne Penfold.

Apologies : Kim, Broomby, Sarah Ryan, Lisa Varjavandi, Kasey Cattle,
Catia Nowlan and Anne Dixon.
Moved apologies be accepted Leanne Penfold,
Seconded Tracy Penfold.

Minute : Moved by Leanne Penfold that the minutes of the previous meeting
that have been circulated be accepted. Seconded David Dixon.

Business Arising :

- Air Conditioner for the Canteen - Nothing has happened still,
David Dixon to investigate and see Jamieson Refrigeration to
possibly install one.
- Centenary lunch to be discussed at next meeting when hopefully more members will
attend.
- K Smith unavailable for last Assembly, we will look into this.
- Send Glenn Stewart an invitation to address the whole school community as to where
the school is up to, hopefully this will stop speculation and rumours as to what is
happening with the school. We also need to ask him why Wendy Robinson's job in
still on review.

Principal's Report : There is no report as Lisa Varjavandi was called away on family
business.

Treasurer's Report :

Opening Bank Statement Balance as of 01.03.14	5,013.41
Closing Bank Statement Balance as of 30.04.14	5,234.41

Moved Tracy Penfold, Seconded David Dixon

Canteen Treasurer's Report :

Opening Balance	2,629.14
Closing balance	3,096.84

\$1,000 to be handed to the P & C Committee

Moved David Dixon, Seconded Tracy Penfold

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Correspondence : Moved by Leanne Penfold that correspondence be dealt with as read.
Seconded David Dixon.

1. New hats – a price to be obtained from YES Embroidery with the emblem before anything is done.
2. Seating and Furniture brochure - Tabled
3. Royal Far West Donation - Handed to Catia Nowland, this is done once a year.
4. Fundraising Directory - Tabled
5. Letter from ATO - Leanne Penfold to look into.

General Business : Wendy Robinson requested that we purchase a new tent. She is to get prices.

Bland Sports scheduled for 05.09.14 back up date 12.09.14
Bridgette Penfold has offered assistance, a letter is to go to her school.

Musica a Viva this year is to be paid by the P & C as previously
Voted upon.

Touch Football is to be held before 27.06.14..

Eisteddfod 18.06.14

Eavins Project – Work and leadership skills, four primary students to attend

There being no further business the meeting closed at 9.18pm. Next Meeting 25th July, 2014

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Leanne M Penfold Secretary