



Quandialla Central School

"Together we provide opportunities to succeed"

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Diary Dates – Term 3

July:

Wed.	23 rd July	Touch Football – Small Schools Knockout against Neville Public School at Cowra – 11.00 a.m.
Thursday	24 th July	Primary Debate –v- Parkes Public School at Quandialla Central School – 11.30 a.m. Musica Viva – ‘The Chambermaids’ - 1.30 p.m. in the School Assembly room.
Tuesday	29 th July	ICAS English Test
Wednesday	30 th July	Education Week Celebrations at Quandialla Central School – commencing at 1.00 p.m.

KINDERGARTEN GRADUATION

Aspire Visit to Quandialla Central School
Tuesday, 24th June, 2014



Left to right: Tyson Lahay, Monty Ryan and Summer Dixon.

Principal's Report:

This week began with School Photos on Monday, and what a lovely sight to see all our students fresh-faced and in uniform!

The Years 3456 students will be having a busy week with Touch Football at Cowra on Wednesday and the Debating Team is hosting a debate with Parkes Public on Thursday morning at 11.30 in the Assembly Hall.

On Thursday afternoon, starting sharply at 1.30, we will be hosting an internationally acclaimed music group called The Chambermaids (flute, clarinet, oboe, bassoon and French horn). This will be for all our students, including Bribbaree and Caragabal students. Parents are very welcome to attend as well. The P & C have kindly offered to pay for our students to attend. Since the end of last term, music lessons have been devoted to preparing the students for this concert. Further information is attached.

Some students have recently been completing their International Competitions and Assessments. These assessments are created by the University of NSW and cover areas such as Computer Skills, Science, Spelling, Writing, English and mathematics. Students receive a certificate and an analysis of their assessment results soon after competition.

On Thursday, Glenn Stewart, Director Public Schools NSW, Lachlan Network will be visiting the school to initiate our first consultative committee meeting. Members of the committee are David Dixon, Michelle Kessey and I. Glenn has indicated that he would be happy to speak with anyone individually after the meeting. Please let the office know if you would like to speak with him and they will try to arrange this.

The Preliminary Yearly Exams will be occurring in Weeks 9 and 10 of this term. This is something that our Year 11 students need to focus on and work towards. On Friday, I will be marking my Year 12 Music students Trial exams at Ungarie and at Lake Cargelligo. Their practical HSC will be all over by the time the Year 11 students start their Yearlies.

Contacting the school

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

Thank you,

Lisa Varjavandi
Relieving Principal

K-6 NEWS

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS FOR K-6

Parent teacher interviews for K-6 students were held last Wednesday afternoon 16th July. If you were not able to make an interview on Wednesday and would like to, please let the office know that you require an interview and we will contact you to organise one.

TOUCH FOOTBALL KNOCKOUT

Students in 3456 will be travelling to River Park, Holman Oval in Cowra for Round 1 of the Small Schools Touch Football Knockout on Wednesday 23rd July. We will be taking on Neville PS. Notes went out last week.

MUSICA VIVA

All primary students have been learning about the music of 'The Chambermaids' in preparation for their performance on Thursday 24th July at 1.30pm in the Assembly Room. The Quandialla P&C generously cover the cost of the concert for Quandialla students. Parents and community members are invited to attend this concert free of charge.

WESTERN CHALLENGE DEBATE

Round 2 of the debating competition is being on Thursday 24th July commencing 11.30 am. This debate will be held at Quandialla. Miss Howard has been working with the students to develop a case.

CWA PROJECTS

Years 3456 have been researching information about Botswana in class and will be ready to start work on their cardboard. They will be able to take their workbooks home for the weekend. This year we have worked together to gather information and make notes so I am hoping it will be easier for all. Parents could assist their children with layout of the project, including drawing a border, heading, mapping and drawing lines for writing on. Children may choose to type their information and cut it out and paste it on the cardboard. I will have pictures for children who do not have access to a computer.

HOMEWORK FOR YEARS 3-6

- Excel English and Mathematics
- Unit 14 (optional)
- Home Reading
- Spelling Words
- Students who have access to the internet can work on Mathletics and Reading Eggs
- Maths sheets on number
- Botswana project

Wendy Robinson – Assistant Principal

Education Week 2014

Lets Celebrate 60 years of Education!

We are going to have a 1950's celebration!

When: Wednesday, 30th July, 2014

Time: 1.00 p.m. Lunch & Activities
2.30 p.m. School Assembly

Where: Quandialla Central School

1950's

Dress up all day! - No uniform today.

Students wear: pink, white and black theme. Such as full skirts, white shirt, pink scarfs or bows, ponytails, short white socks, buckle shoes OR jeans, white shirt, skinny tie or bow tie, slick back hair (with Gel) or you could come as ELVIS! As long as it is pink or white or black.

Activities!

Have you ever tried dancing to songs of the 50's e.g. jitterbug, the twist, limbo or rock and roll?

Heard songs such as Rock Around the Clock, Tutti Frutti, Peggy Sue?

Have you ever had 1950's milkshakes or 1950's soda or hotdogs?



All Parents & Community Members invited to join the fun

CANTEEN NEWS & ROSTER

Term 3 – 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:

23 rd	July	-	Kim Broomby
30 th	July	-	Margaret Priestley
6 th	August	-	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

Education Week Celebration

Wednesday, 30th July, 2014

School Counsellor at Quandialla Central School

Wednesday, 13th August, 2014

&

Boorowa Touch & Netball Carnival 2014

Friday, 17th October, 2014



The Chambermaids

performing *Turning Worlds Around*

presented by Musica Viva In Schools

INFORMATION FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS

Musica Viva has been inspiring students throughout Australia for over thirty years. More than thirty groups from all genres of music tour to over 1000 schools each year. This year there will be a performance at your child's school by **The Chambermaids**

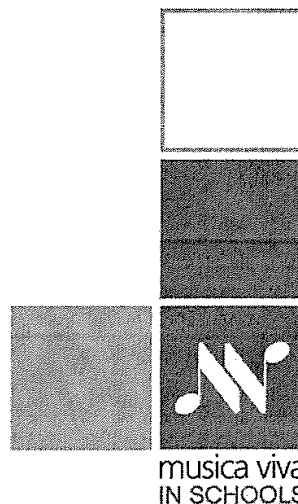
These five girls will quite literally blow you away. **The Chambermaids** are one of Australia's premiere chamber music groups and offer students the perfect introduction to the wind family. This is an uplifting and fun performance in which the girls play wind instruments both familiar and foreign including flute, clarinet, bassoon, French horn, and the noisy hosepipe horn. This bright and bubbly quintet perform a variety of engaging repertoire ranging from Disney's *Aladdin*, to a new Australian wind quintet by Elena Kats-Chernin, *Pirates of the Caribbean*, and Klezmer folk music. If your school music program needs a breath of fresh air, this is it.

This performance is part of your school's learning program and builds on preparatory work done in the classroom utilising the **The Chambermaids** resource kit. The kit's teaching resources are linked directly to the music curriculum as well as other curriculum areas especially literacy and numeracy.

We would be delighted if you could come to the performance. There is no charge for parents/guardians and community members.

For more information on Musica Viva concerts and related activities around Australia and internationally, visit musicaviva.com.au/education

Date 24.7.14
Time 1.30 PM
Place Q.C.S.



C.W.A. International Day Lunch

Thursday, 14th August, 2014

at

Quandialla Central School

'Botswana'

- Country of Study for 2014 -



Cost:
\$12.00
for
Lunch &
Coffee

Parents and Community Members are cordially invited to attend the 2014 C.W.A. International Day Luncheon at Quandialla Central School, commencing at 1.00 p.m.

Please R.S.V.P. by Monday, 11th August, 2014

COMMUNITY NEWS

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

St. Mark's services will be held on the first Sunday of the month at 5.00 pm or 6.00 pm daylight saving time.

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.

THE HENRY LAWSON HIGH SCHOOL SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING FUNDRAISER SEAFOOD

NIGHT: *Sponsored by The Henry Lawson High School P & C*

Saturday, 2nd August, 2014 - Grenfell Golf Club - 6.30 – 7.00 pm

Tickets: \$50.00 head

Book at THLHS office or Louisa's Locker. Tickets must be purchased by Monday, 28th July, 2014.

QUANDIALLA LIBRARY DEPOSIT STATION NEWS:

A new selection including twenty fiction titles, ten large print and ten nonfiction books were delivered last Wednesday (16th July). Again the emphasis is on variety. "Seven Deadly Sins: my pursuit of Lance Armstrong" by David Walsh is timely in view of the recent TV series about the disgraced cyclist. "On Father's Day" is a true-life crime book, always a popular genre. "Bill the Bastard" by Roland Perry celebrates perhaps Australia's most famous light horse. And there are new fictional mysteries by Ian Rankin, J. A. Jance, Jonathan Kellerman, Patricia Cornwell, Robert Galbraith and Vince Flynn.

Our records suggest a number of books are long overdue at Quandialla so I would ask everyone who has borrowed from the Deposit Station in the last two years to please check their book shelves for the following:

Fiction: "A Lonely Death" by Charles Todd, "The Panther" by Nelson de Mille, "Perfect Strangers" by Tasmina Perry, "The Hunger Games" by Suzanne Collins, "Tiny Sunbirds Far Way" by Christie Watson.

Large print: "A Mother's Hope" by Katie Flynn.

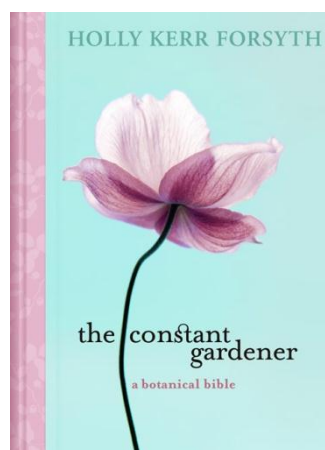
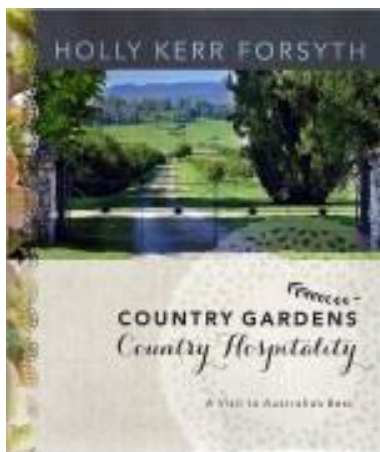
Nonfiction: "Australia's Most Amazing Places" and "The Official Guide to Ancestry.com".

Tall Poppies Garden Club

Invite you to
an evening with

Holly Kerr Forsyth

Renowned photographer and author of 11 books including
“The Constant Gardener” and most recently
“Country Gardens-Country Hospitality”



Quandialla Bowling Club Saturday August 23rd 6:30PM

Includes 3 course meal and presentation
No BYO

Tickets \$35.00 for sale at the venues below

Quandi Cafe and Pet Supplies
Quandialla Post Office
HozPots, Forbes
Gilberts, Young
Betts Gardens on Gallipoli, Temora
Thom, Dick & Harry's, West Wyalong

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