



Quandialla Central School

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Diary Dates – Term 3

July:

Wednesday	30 th July	Education Week Celebrations at Quandialla Central School – commencing at 1.00 p.m.
Friday	1 st Aug.	Lachlan District PSSA Athletics at Parkes (District Trials)
Mon./Frid.	11 th -15 th	LAP Trial HSC Exams
Tuesday	12 th Aug.	ICAS Mathematics Test
Thursday	14 th Aug.	CWA International Day Lunch – 1.00 p.m. at QCS



Quandialla Central School students and staff enjoyed the recent visit by Musica Viva.

Students enjoyed participating in the performance.

Left to right: Emily Amey, Ellie Kessey-Francis and Dana Yerbury.

Principal's Report – Week 3

This week is Education Week and we will be celebrating 60 years of 'Education Weeks' on Wednesday 30th July. Sixty years ago takes us back to the 1950's and we are planning a little nostalgia trip back to this era. Lunch, activities and an Education Week Assembly are planned starting at 1.00. Further details follow in this newsletter.

Last Thursday was a busy day which included the Primary Debating Team winning their debate against Parkes Public School in the morning. I'm sure Mrs Robinson will give further details in her report, but I would like to thank Ms. Natalie Howard for her assistance with the debating team. The Musica Viva performance group – Chambermaids - visited our school in the afternoon and it was inspiring to hear such a professional music group performing in our assembly room. The audience included Bribbaree and Caragabal students and their teachers and showed their appreciation for the musicians.

On Thursday we also hosted a visit by Mr Glenn Stewart to attend a committee meeting that included David Dixon, Michelle Kessey, Kym Orman and I. The meeting was primarily about looking at the best ways to cater for current secondary enrolments and the fact that the school would most probably be reclassified as a PP6 Primary School in 2015.

On the same day we also received a visit from the Head Teacher Access, Mrs. Melissa Rees, and the Year 11 Maths Coordinating Teacher, Mrs Rachel Waller – both from Condobolin HS. The Year 11 students that were at school on this day, as well as our secondary staff, benefitted from this visit.

Contacting the school

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

Thank you,

Lisa Varjavandi
Relieving Principal



5 facts about kiwifruit

1. Another name for them is Chinese Gooseberry
2. They come in green and gold varieties
3. Their brown skins are edible, however they can be tough so some people prefer to scoop out the flesh
4. They are a good source of Vitamin C
5. They are a perfect snack for Crunch&Sip*!

K-6 NEWS

LACHLAN DISTRICT PSSA ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Haylee, Sarah, Hayden and Angus are representing our School as members of the Forbes Small Schools Team at the District Athletics Carnival in Parkes on Friday 1st August. We wish them all the best in the competition.

TOUCH FOOTBALL KNOCKOUT

Last week 3456 took on Neville PS in Round 1 of the Small Schools Touch Football Knockout. Unfortunately we lost 1-6. However, the students played extremely well and spent most of the game on the attack. The Neville students were very strong on defense and had some very fast runners. I would like to thank Mr Hofman and Mr Causer for all the training they did with the class. We will get another chance to play at the Boorowa Touch and Netball Carnival on Friday, 17th October, 2014.

WESTERN CHALLENGE DEBATE

Round 2 of the debating competition was held on Thursday 24th July. The topic was 'Primary students should have a facebook page'. Angus, William, Sarah and Zach did a great job as the affirmative. The adjudicators took twenty minutes to make a decision as to the winners. While the Parkes team spoke well they argued in parallel and Quandialla was declared the winner due to their excellent rebuttal. The next debate is against Eugowra in a few weeks.

CWA PROJECTS

This week students have time in class to work on their Botswana projects. Years 3456 have researched information about Botswana in class and are now ready to start work on their cardboard. They will be able to take their workbooks home each night. 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.

WHATS HAPPENING IN 3456?

Our focus for the first few weeks has been the study of Botswana for the CWA but we are also studying Chinese Influences on Australia in HSIE. We are currently looking at mapping including China's position in Asia and locating major features in China. This week in Maths we are studying Patterns and Algebra and Mass.

BLAND SPORTS 2014 – Date for your diaries

The Bland Sports is coming up on Friday September 5th. This involves all of K-6. As we are hosting Caragabal and Bribbaree Schools we require lots of parent helpers for this day so please keep the date free as there will be lots of jobs.

HOMEWORK FOR YEARS 3-6

- Excel English and Mathematics Unit 15 (optional)
- Home Reading
- Spelling Words
- Students who have access to the internet can work on Mathletics and Reading Eggs
- Maths sheets on position
- Botswana project

Wendy Robinson
Assistant Principal



Working hard
in the 3/4/5/6
class room.



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 (Assembly Room)
2.30 p.m. School Assembly (Cola)

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:

30 th	July	-	Margaret Priestley
6 th	August	-	Leanne Penfold
13 th	August	-	Jodi Atkins

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.

C.W.A. International Day Lunch



Thursday, 14th August, 2014
at
Quandialla Central School

‘Botswana’

- Country of Study for 2014 -



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 SERVICES:

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

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.

MASSAGE THERAPIST COMING TO QUANDIALLA:

Angela Armstrong, Massage Therapist will be practising in Quandialla on Monday, 18th and Tuesday, 19th August, 2014. 1 Hour = \$50.00, ½ Hour = \$35.00.

Angela has been practising in Orange for over 16 years. **Health fund rebates are available.**

Book early to avoid disappointment. ATMS accredited: 7799

Contact Angela on 0421 170 743 or Ruth Penfold on 6347 2130.

OPEN MIC NIGHT 2014 - GRENFELL JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE OPEN MIC NIGHT IS BACK!!

SATURDAY, 9TH AUGUST at the Grenfell Country Club. Time: 5.30 p.m. for 6.00 p.m. start

Cost: \$15.00 per adult / \$8.00 per child (12 years and under).

Reserved seating available \$100.00 per table, 9 seats per table. (Additional to ticket purchase – limited, first in first served).

Tickets on sale now until 8th August, 2014 at: C.J. Anderson & Co. and Louisa's Locker.

Ticket price includes a Hot Meal and a Gravy Roll.

So round up your family and friends for a fantastic night of music, song, food and a whole lot of fun!

All artists enter a draw for cash and prizes. All proceeds raised will go towards the major upgrades of Lawson Oval.

Enquires please contact: Rita Mawhinney – 0409 538 430 or Trevor Mawhinney – 0413 444 595.

**TALL POPPIES GARDEN CLUB MEETING and WORKING BEE:
SATURDAY, 9TH AUGUST, 2014, commencing at 9.00 a.m. at Blamey Park, Quandialla.**

Meeting Agenda:

- * Holly Kerr Forsyth evening (Saturday, 23rd August, 2014)
- * Open Gardens
- * Working Bees

Working Bee:

A working bee will be held after the above meeting, to prepare and plant garden beds around the entrance signs to Quandialla.

If you can assist with any of the following items, it would be greatly appreciated:

- * Compost / Manure
- * Edging material for gardens: e.g. Rocks, Sleepers, Bricks etc.

Please also bring your own gloves and garden tools. A follow-up working bee will be held on Saturday, 16th July.

If the weather is inclement the Meeting and Working Bee will be postponed until, Saturday, 16th July, 2014.

For further information, please telephone Sarah Curry on 6347 2159.

All Most Welcome.

BRIBBAREE SHOW SOCIETY INC. – 88TH ANNUAL SHOW, SATURDAY, 4TH OCTOBER, 2014:

JUNIOR SHOW PAVILION PROGRAM – Craft, Cooking, Photography and a selection of Fun

Sections: For all ages up to and including Year 12. Every exhibitor will receive a gift.

Entries may be made through the following School's (Bribbaree, Quandialla, Caragabal and Maimuru) by **12 noon Friday, 19th September, 2014** (last day of Term 3), or delivered to the Bribbaree Showground Junior Pavilion by **12 noon on Friday, 3rd October, 2014**. All cooking entries are to be delivered to the Bribbaree Showground Junior Pavilion by **12 noon Friday, 3rd October, 2014**.

For further information please contact: The Secretary, Bribbaree Show Society on (02) 6383 2256.

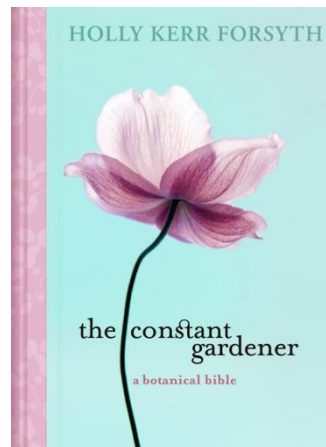
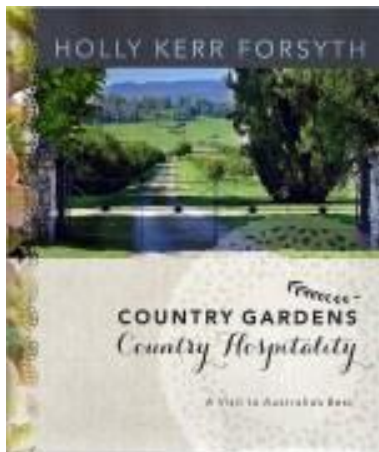
Please Note: Quandialla Central School has a copy of the 'Junior Pavilion' Program, for any interested exhibitors to view, during school hours.

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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QUANDIALLA P & C GENERAL MEETING
HELD AT THE BLAND HOTEL ON THE 25TH JUNE, 2014
OPENED AT 7.40PM

- Present** : David Dixon, Tracy Penfold, Wendy Robinson, David Robinson, Catia Nowlan, Kasey Cattle, Michelle Kessey, Sarah Ryan and Leanne Penfold.
- Apologies** : Kim, Broomby, Trevor Ryan, Shaun Nowlan and Anne Dixon.
Moved apologies be accepted Leanne Penfold,
Seconded Kasey Cattle.
- Minute** : Moved by Leanne Penfold that the minutes of the previous meeting that have been circulated be accepted. Seconded Tracey Penfold.
- Business Arising** :
- Air Conditioner for the Canteen - Hobson's are still coming.
- Centenary lunch – Catering 300 plates as this stage at \$6 per plate. Drinks will also be sold.
P & C will also sell drinks at the Bush Dance the night before.
- K Smith unavailable for last Assembly, we will look into this.
- Glenn Stewart has visited the School and would like to form a sub committee to view the Secondary Department at the School. Primary section is safe and will not be touched. Leanne Penfold
Nominates David Dixon to be the parent representative. Catia Nowlan
Seconded . David accepted. All in favour. Leanne Penfold also nominates Michelle Kessey to be on the committee as a parent of a year 11 Student who would be directly affected from any decisions made. Seconded Catia Nowlan.
All in favour.
The committee thanks David and Michelle on their part.
- A new tent for the School will be discussed next meeting.
- Touch football is now on 23rd July, 2014 to be played at Cowra.
- QCS was withdrawn from the Eisteddfod as they weren't prepared.
- Enviro Champions task – Four students will be co-ordinating to build a Chook House with the help of the other students and staff. They will in future incubate eggs. They have obtained a grant of \$3500 from the School to Work Project to help with funding.
- Hats – Discussion will be rolled over to next meeting.
- Principal's Report** : No Report - Kim Orman will begin at the School in term 3.
- Treasurer's Report** : Nil
- Canteen Treasurer's**: Nil

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

1. A letter from Anne Dixon requesting a donation of \$600 for new books. Leanne Penfold moved that the P & C donate \$600, Seconded Sarah Ryan. All in favour.

General Business : Pie drive will be done next term.

Pressure Cooker to be raffled and drawn at Bland Sports.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.40pm. Next Meeting 7th August, 2014

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Leanne M Penfold Secretary

P & C Lamington & Pie Drive

The P & C Annual Lamington & Pie Drive is on again. Please order on the below form and submit it to either Leanne Penfold (6347 2119) or to the front office of the School. **Please include payment with your order by 3pm, 6th August, 2014. Collection date will be Friday 20th August, 2014.** All Pies will be packed individually in boxes.

Name _____.

Contact Number _____.

<u>Family Pies</u>	<u>Price per Pie</u>	<u>Number of Pies</u>	<u>Total Cost</u>
Plain Meat	\$10.95		
Chicken	\$14.95		
Mushroom	\$14.95		
Curried Chicken	\$14.95		
Potato Top Mince	\$14.95		
Potato & Cheese Top Mince	\$14.95		
Bacon & Cheese	\$14.95		
Curry	\$14.95		
Lamb & Rosemary	\$14.95		
Pepper Steak	\$14.95		
Chilli Chicken	\$14.95		
<u>Box of four Small Pies</u>			
Plain Meat	\$14.00		
Any Flavour Pies	\$16.00		
<u>Sweet Family Pies</u>			
Caramel	\$11.50		
Apple	\$10.50		
Cherry	\$15.00		
<u>Box of four Small Pies</u>			
Caramel	\$16.00		
Apple	\$16.00		
Cherry	\$18.00		
<u>Lamingtons</u>			
Per Dozen	\$12.00		
Party Lamingtons	\$7.95		

Thank you for your order