

# Quandialla Public School

"Together we provide opportunities to succeed"

#### **NEWSLETTER**

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# School Swimming & Water Safety Program



**Principal's Report** 

Students are enjoying their swimming lessons at the Quandialla Swimming Pool. Left to right: Tilly, Tayarnah, Adelaide and Scarlett.

#### **Swimming**

This week saw the start of swimming and we're lucky to have 3 great instructors to teach the students about water safety and improving their swimming skills. Please remember to label the children's clothes so we don't get mixed up.

#### **Presentation Day**

Our 2016 Presentation Day is a little bit up in the air at the moment but will definitely be held on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December. We have been informed that Quandialla will have no electricity on this day, so we are endeavouring to find a

generator for the Memorial Hall to go ahead with the Presentation Day. Further information will follow.

#### Dancing

Once again Mel Causer did some dancing and games with the students on Friday. We have really enjoyed having Mel here the past couple of weeks – I'm afraid we might lose her to the silos this week, thanks Mel.

#### **Responsible Pet Owners**

Last Friday we had Kelly and Dozer visit from Responsible Pet Ownership. Kelly spoke to the children about how to treat our dogs and how to act around dogs we don't know. Kelly brought, Dozer, her Pug along with her who was very cute and enjoyed all the attention.



Learning how to handle pets.



#### **Nativity Play**

The children have been practising a Nativity play with Mrs Parker. They will perform the play on December 1 – everyone is most welcome to come along to watch. This Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November some uni students will be visiting to entertain the children.

#### **Transition**

We are into our 5<sup>th</sup> week of transition, the new Kinders will be staying all day on Thursday. The transition students won't be attending swimming but will stay at school with Mrs Harvey and do some fun activities. There will be an information session on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December from 2pm.

Kate Johnson - Principal





School Assembly Thursday, 17<sup>th</sup> November, 2016

#### SCHOOL INFORMATION

#### Canteen operates each Wednesday.

| CANTEEN ROSTER – TERM 4 - 2016 |                |  |
|--------------------------------|----------------|--|
| 12 <sup>th</sup> October       | Anne Dixon     |  |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> October       | Tracy Penfold  |  |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> October       | Sarah Ryan     |  |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> November       | Catia Nowlan   |  |
| 9 <sup>th</sup> November       | Bronwyn Morley |  |
| 16 <sup>th</sup> November      | Tracy Penfold  |  |
| 23 <sup>rd</sup> November      | Sarah Ryan     |  |
| 30 <sup>th</sup> November      | Catia Nowlan   |  |
| 7 <sup>th</sup> December       | Anne Dixon     |  |
| 14 <sup>th</sup> December      | No Canteen     |  |
|                                |                |  |

| BELL TIMES          |                   |  |
|---------------------|-------------------|--|
| 9.00 am – 11.00 am  | Morning session   |  |
| 11.00 am – 11.25 am | RECESS            |  |
| 11.25 am – 1.00 pm  | Mid session       |  |
| 1.00 pm – 1.50 pm   | K – 6 LUNCH       |  |
| 1.50 pm – 3.10 pm   | Afternoon session |  |
| 3.10 pm             | SCHOOL FINISHES   |  |

### **COMMUNITY HEALTH**

Drop in Clinic – 9.00 am to 10.30 am or by appointment. All other services as usual.

Phone: 6347 1200

#### **DIARY DATES - TERM 4**

#### WEEK 7

Monday, Nov. 21st School Swimming & Water

**Safety Program commences** 

21/11/16 - 2/12/16

Wednesday, Nov. 23rd CANTEEN

Library Lessons

Thursday, Nov. 24th Kinder Transition

Friday, Nov. 25th Stephanie Alexander Kitchen

Garden program 12.00 - 1.00 pm

WEEK 8

Monday, Nov. 28th School Swimming & Water

Safety Program continues this week (28/11/2016 -

2/12/2016)

Wednesday, Nov. 30th CANTEEN

Library Lessons

Parent Meeting - 9.15am
Please note change of date.

(Now 7th December)

Thursday, Dec. 1st Kinder Transition -

Scripture Play - 12.00-1.00 pm

Friday, Dec. 2nd Stephanie Alexander Kitchen

Garden program 12.00 - 1.00 pm

Last day of Swimming Prog.

#### WEEK 9

Wednesday, Dec., 7th CANTEEN

Library Lessons
Kinder Orientation
Parent Meeting - 2.00 pm
(Please note change of date)

Friday, Dec. 9th Stephanie Alexander Kitchen

Garden program 12.00 - 1.00 pm

#### FREE HEARING TESTS FOR ADULTS

Are you a bit hard of hearing?? Louise Farmer from 'Hearing Australia' will be conducting FREE HEARING TESTS FOR ADULTS at the Quandialla Community Health Centre on

## Wednesday 30th November.

Appointments are only short so please think about your hearing health and take time out of your busy day to have a test.

Please phone Quandialla Community Health Centre on 63471200.

#### **JACKEROO RANCH**

# Horse Riding – Summer School Holiday Riding Camps Bingletree Station, Upper Turon Road, Upper Turon

These camps are for 'horse-mad' children aged from 6 to 16 years. Five to six hours per day are devoted to horse activities including a one hour lesson and three hours trail riding in the beautiful Turon Valley – with tuition still being given. As well, campers are taught grooming, saddling, haltering, catching a horse, safety aspects and many other facets of horsemanship.

Enquiries: Mrs Pattie Hudson – Phone: 63377173 (nights are best)

#### **RALPH RICHARDS**

## SEPTIC TANK CLEANING

For bookings or further information, please telephone: 0457821965 or 0477094193

# QUANDIALLA PUBLIC SCHOOL PERPETUAL TROPHIES

It would be greatly appreciated if all Perpetual Trophies for Quandialla Central/Public School could be returned as soon as possible.

Our School Presentation Ceremony will be held on, **Wednesday**, 14<sup>th</sup> **December**, 2016 at the Quandialla Memorial Hall.

Trophies may be left at the front office during school hours. Thank you