

IDLE CHATTER Mark II

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This newsletter is an initiative of the Quandialla Progress Association

Sponsored by John & Jan Curry

WHO SAID THERE IS NOTHING TO DO IN QUANDIALLA?

What's left of October –

Every Friday Evening: Friday Night Jackpot Draws – Hotel & Club

Saturday 29th: Quandialla Swim Centre will be opening for the Summer Season

Saturday 29th: Flood Buster Talent & Variety Show

Saturday 29th: Melbourne Cup Calcutta Draw at the Bland Hotel

Sunday 30th: St Brigid's Catholic Church Service at 8am

Monday 31st: Melbourne Cup Calcutta Auction at the Bland Hotel

November –

Every Friday Evening: Friday Night Jackpot Draws – Hotel & Club

Tuesday 1st: Hospital Auxiliary Melbourne Cup Luncheon

Wednesday 2nd: Dr Waili visit to Quandialla

Sunday 6th: St Marks Anglican Church Service at 6pm

Wednesday 16th: Dr Waili visit to Quandialla

Wednesday 30th: Dr Waili visit to Quandialla

Wednesday 30th: Quandialla Hall & Progress General Meeting at 7.30pm

December –

Every Friday Evening: Friday Night Jackpot Draws – Hotel & Club

Sunday 4th: St Marks Anglican Church Service at 6pm

Sunday 11th: Quandialla Bowling Club Seniors Christmas Party

Monday 12th: CWA Christmas Party

Wednesday 14th: Dr Waili visit to Quandialla

Sunday 18th: Quandialla Bowling Club Children's Christmas Tree &
Community Christmas Party

If you add work and personal commitments, school activities, other organisation commitments, or the other 100 goings on in Quandialla that I don't know about.

It Certainly = lots to keep you busy!!!!!!

*Now that I have mentioned how busy we all are –
would it be very rude of me to say “Only 8 weeks till Christmas!”*

Now that’s my cue to let you know

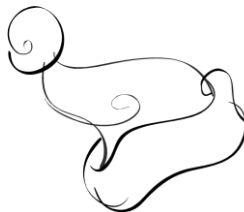
POST OFFICE CHRISTMAS MAILBOX & TOWN SCENE COMPETITION

Will be held again this year.....

John & Sue

Would like to invite you to join in and display those great ideas by turning your mailbox or front lawn into a Christmas Themed Display.

Judging will take place in the week prior to the Community Christmas Party in December where the winners will be announced.



QUANDIALLA FRIDAY NIGHT JACKPOTS:

The Bland Hotel Joker Draw will be \$280 this Friday, plus you have the chance to win 2 meat trays, 1 bistro voucher.

The Quandialla Bowling Club Members Draw will jackpot to \$1650 this Friday night. Plus, the End of Month meat draws & the Birthday Draw

Good Luck Everyone!!!!

QUANDIALLA MELBOURNE CUP CALCUTTA

Tickets: \$2 each

Haven’t got your tickets YET?????

You can still buy tickets right up until the Calcutta Draw which will be held at the Bland Hotel on Saturday 29th.

ST BRIGID’S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass will be held at Quandialla on Sunday 30th October at 8am

ST MARKS ANGLICAN CHURCH service will be held on Sun 6th November at 6pm.

ALL WELCOME

Dr Waili visits to Quandialla: see front page article.

DON'T FORGET.....

The Quandialla Progress is Co-ordinating
THE FLOOD BUSTER TALENT & VARIETY SHOW

at the Quandialla Soldiers' Memorial Hall

on Saturday 29th October 2016

4 – 9 pm

Entry: FREE – Sausage Sizzle: FREE – Bring your own drinks

DON'T FORGET.....

The Calcutta Draw on Saturday and then the Calcutta Auction on Monday!!!!
and



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Quandialla Hospital
Auxiliary

Invites you to attend the

2016 MELBOURNE CUP LUNCHEON

Will be held at the Bland Hotel

on Tuesday 1st November – Lunch at 12pm

Meal Cost: \$15.00

Lisa Causer will be showing Fashion & Bags

Plus: - Sweeps, Lucky Hat Prize, Lucky Door Prize & Raffle



QUANDIALLA SWIMMING CENTRE

OPENING for the 2016 – 2017 Season on Saturday 29th Oct 2016 at 10.00 am

BEST WISHES are extended to Mabel Ryan who had a very close encounter with a snake on Tuesday evening. Mabel enjoyed an ambulance ride to Grenfell, then a helicopter ride to Orange where she was treated overnight and was released on Wednesday. Thankfully it was diagnosed as a 'dry bite' but still very frightening.

So please take care and be aware SNAKES are on the move!!!!

Having a Birthday in **OCTOBER** and a member of the
Quandialla Bowling Club?

Then Fill out your Birthday Voucher, available at the Bar, and drop it in the barrel on Friday 29th (last Friday of the month) before 8.00pm, when the lucky winner will be drawn. You must be in attendance to collect your birthday win.

You could win \$50

BLAST FROM THE PAST Extracts from IDLE CHATTER

Extract from IDLE CHATTER No: 218

Thurs. 14th March 1966

CWA – Members of the CWA held their first meeting of the year on Friday last with a very good attendance. The “Land” Cookery contest and results are as follows. To Mrs U Mainwaring went the prize for both the Orange cake and the Chocolate cake. Mrs W Piefke was the most successful with the fruit cake and for the Sponge Sandwich, Mrs Cam Nixon took the honours. Mrs L Troth was awarded the prize for Jam. Congratulations to all those folk. All keen handicraft workers will be off to Murringo on Tuesday the 15th March for the South Western Exhibition and the “Land” cookery finals.

ODDMENTS – Builders are very busy carrying out the renovations and alterations of the bank premises. The amount being spent is rather on the large side. Things look like being tough in the near future.

Pattie Dawes and new baby daughter arrived home on Monday. Both looking extremely well.

Rain is falling as this is written and some feeble grins are already in evidence. If we can go on appearance it would seem, that the drought is about to receive a bit of a blow. Let’s hope so, at least.....

This last eight or nine lines is the bane of my life and takes more filling than the rest of the sheet. Talking of sheets, I’m going to have to sew some tapes on the bottom of my sheets. Being the restless type and doing a fair bit of tossing and turning during the night I very often wake up with the sheets anywhere but over me. So methinks I will get the clot who sewed up my pockets to do yet another job for me (under supervision).

After that few lines of idiot-meaningless jargon I can see the bottom of the sheet and since all my efforts are to the end of leaving no space for you know who, I can now relax and bathe my very sore index finger. I find this typing so wearing.....

Cheers for another week **Sue Priestley**