

# IDLE CHATTER Mark II

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## **MOTOR NEURONE DISEASE - FUNDRAISER**

Motor neurone disease (MND) is a progressive disease involving degeneration of the motor neurones and wasting of the muscles. Motor function is controlled by the upper motor neurones in the brain that descend to the spinal cord; these neurones activate lower motor neurones. The lower motor neurones exit the spinal cord and directly activate muscles. With no nerves to activate them, muscles gradually weaken and waste. MND can affect a person's ability to walk, speak, swallow and breathe.

The following Advert for a "Team Penning Fundraiser" is being organised for this very worthy cause and will be supporting Skye Edwards, Peter Causer & MND Research

### FUNDRAISER - TEAM PENNING

This event will be held at Bribbaree Show Ground on the 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> of May.

Costs: \* \$50 per day for the Opens

\* \$20 per day for the Juniors

On Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> there will also be a practise campdraft taking place where you will be able to pay on the day, \$10 per run.

A canteen will be available on both days catering for breakfast and lunch.

Please contact us on: NSW team yards website for the entries or NSW team yards facebook page. For more information contact Paul Blake on 0418327658

***Please come along and help raise money for this cause.***

***All funds raised will be donated to Skye, Peter & MND Research***

Approximately 1400 people in Australia are living with MND and research is the best chance of understanding the causes, developing effective treatments and finding a cure for MND.

Today, Quandialla has been touched by this disease – not everyone reading I.C. would realise that Peter Causer is the eldest son of Colin and Maureen Causer and older brother to Chris Causer. Peter was born and raised in Quandialla, worked as a shearer in the district, married a local lass from Bribbaree, set up a home and started their family in Quandialla. Peter, Lisa and the boys relocated to Young approx. 10 years ago but they are never far from family and friends.

It wasn't mentioned in the above advert but I spoke to Paul Blake the organiser and ***spectators would be most welcome***. The fundraiser committee have been working very hard and have prizes for a ***"Raffle" which you can support. Food and drink will be available for when you get peckish, and you will also be able to make a donation to this very worthy cause.***

**So if possible, please attend this fundraiser which will be assisting MND Research, but more importantly your support will help two wonderful people Skye and Peter who have a hard road to travel living with MND.**

### **LAW WEEK:**

To mark Law Week Grenfell Public Library is presenting a FREE thirty minute information session on Family Life and the Law on **Wednesday, 18<sup>th</sup> May**, at 2.30 pm in the Community Hub Conference Room to be followed by afternoon tea. Topics to be covered include laws around children and marriage, domestic violence and speaking with police and there will be an opportunity for Q and A afterwards. The presenter is a senior out-of-town solicitor. These are issues you hope you won't have to face but unfortunately many do at some stage. Please consider attending and encourage others, for whom such information may be timely to come as well.

**Put this Important Date on your Calendar**



**BIGGEST MORNING TEA**

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2016 at 10am

"Kaloola" Quandialla (on the Wyalong Rd)

Hosts: Dorothy & Bryson Troy

Donation for a Cuppa – All proceeds to the Cancer Council

### CAR BOOT SALE - CANCELLED

Owing to lack of confirmation of sufficient merchants I cannot obtain public liability insurance for the merchants to hold the Car Boot Sale on Sunday May 15<sup>th</sup> and will have to postpone to a later date when more merchants confirm bookings. Allan Brien – QUANDIALLA DISTRICTS MEN'S SHED Inc

### QUANDIALLA FRIDAY NIGHT JACKPOTS: *Feeling lucky?*

*You have the chance to win either the Pub or Club's jackpot draw this Friday.* At the Bland Hotel if you get the chance to pick the "Joker Card" from the board – you can take home \$600. At the Bowling Club if your badge number is drawn and you are there - you can win \$2200. *Good Luck Everyone!!!*

### QUANDIALLA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE

Dr Wail El Waili will be visiting Quandialla on **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> May**  
Please phone West Wyalong Medical Centre 69722866 to make an appointment

**SEWING GROUP:** Our next sewing day for 2016 will be Saturday the 14th of May at Quandialla Public School commencing at 10am and finishing at 3pm. Come along and have a great day just remember to bring along your mug, lunch and a project. If you are interested in learning to sew there will be people that can help you. There are some machines which you can use however most people bring their own.

Remember your project does not have to be needlework. Bring along any craft project you like, or simply drop in and say hello.

Everyone welcome - Hope to see you there.



### **CARAGABAL HALL MARKET DAY**

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2016 - Doors Open 8:00am



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| <b>Bric-a-brac</b>                        | <b>Furniture</b>                 | <b>Plants</b>         |  |
| <b>Tea or coffee - Cakes &amp; Slices</b> | <b>Hot chicken or beef rolls</b> | <b>Homemade goods</b> |  |

To book your own stall for \$15  
Phone: Donna – 63475230 or Dixie – 63475341  
ALL NEW STALL HOLDERS WELCOME

### **BLAST FROM THE PAST** Extracts from IDLE CHATTER

Extract from IDLE CHATTER No: 237

THURS 26<sup>th</sup> July 1966

CHALK TALK – On Friday evening pupils were pleased to welcome 28 pupils and 5 teachers from the school of Tullibigeal. On Saturday, sporting competitions were conducted between teams from the Tullibigeal and Quandialla Central Schools. The day commenced at 9.30am with the girls "B" basketball and the boys softball game. The girls lost 23-1, the lone Quandi goal being scored by Lynette Hunter. The Quandialla team was Christine Shoosmith, Lynette Hunter, Lynette Napier, Cheryl Sinclair, Sharon McAlister, Robyn Troy and Beverly Edgerton. The Quandialla Boys fared better, winning the softball by beating Tullibigeal 16-11. The girl's "A" basketball was also won by Tullibigeal 28-4. The Quandi team comprised Mary Walsh, Laurel Causer, Marilyn Hunter, Carol Sinclair, Denise Napier, Glenda Aylen and Lorraine Luck. For Quandialla Laurel Causer and Lorraine Luck both scored 2 goals. The boys' basketball resulted in a win for Quandialla 14-8. For Quandialla Trevor George, was outstanding, scoring 10 goals. The girls' volleyball resulted in a win for Tullibigeal 3 games to nil. As the matches finished early, a game of volleyball for the boys and softball for the girls was arranged. After a picnic lunch in the school grounds, everyone went around to the recreation ground to watch the football match. The Quandialla team was John Smith, Hayden Clarke, Brian Piefke, Ross Noble, Victor King, John Battenally, Robert Death, Barry Dempsey, Warren Troy, Harry Gault, Trevor George, Craig Burns and Bruce Death. The Quandialla boys were again victorious by 17 (Trevor George and Ross Noble 2 tries each, Hayden Clarke and John Smith 1 try each and Brian Piefke 1 goal) to 5 (Noel Ridley a try and a goal to Brian Dwyer). Next week Chalk Talk will publish a report on the social, but here is a message from Tullibigeal School Captain, Annette Colvin. "The pupils of Tullibigeal Central School thoroughly enjoyed the weekend at Quandialla. We hope that Quandialla pupils will return to Tullibigeal in the near future. We were given a good example of debating by the Quandialla team and we enjoyed all the competitions we received".....

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### Present Time:

QUANDIALLA SOLDIERS MEMORIAL HALL & PROGRESS ASSOC  
The next General Meeting will be held on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm at the Bland Hotel Dining Room. All Welcome

Cheers until next week ..... **Sue Priestley**