

# IDLE CHATTER Mark II

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## **ST BRIGID’S CATHOLIC CHURCH**

Mass will be held at Quandialla on Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> July at 8am.

## QUANDIALLA FRIDAY NIGHT JACKPOTS:

The Bland Hotel “Joker” Jackpot will be **\$840** and the Bowling Club Members Draw will be **\$8800** this week.

It is so exciting - ***BOTH jackpots are still up for grabs - Good Luck Everyone!!!***

ST MARKS ANGLICAN CHURCH service will be held on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> August at 6pm.

ALL WELCOME

## **DON'T FORGET**

### **Family Fun Afternoon Fundraiser for Peter Causer**

Saturday, August 6<sup>th</sup> 2016 – 1pm for a 1.30pm start at the Caragabal Country Club  
Cost: Adults \$30 and Children \$10

Costs will include an afternoon of golf or bowls or a hit of tennis plus a BBQ dinner. If you do not wish to play a sport you can just have a social outing or arrive in time to support the BBQ. Don't forget the 'Monster Raffle' lots of wonderful prizes have been donated for this worthy cause.

**YOU** can show your support for Peter and Motor Neurone Disease by attending all or part of the fundraiser, buy raffle tickets or make a donation.

***Proceeds from the day will go to Peter for ongoing costs associated with the disease and MND Research.***

## QUANDIALLA HOSPITAL AUXILIARY      **General Meeting and AGM**

The next General Meeting of the Hospital Auxiliary will be held at 9.30am on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> August at the Quandialla Health Centre. This will be followed by the Annual General Meeting at 11am. An invitation is extended by the President and Members to everyone to come along to one or both meetings and then join them for a delicious finger food luncheon.      ***All Welcome***

## QUANDIALLA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE:

Dr Wail El Waili will be visiting Quandialla next on **10<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> August**.

Please phone West Wyalong Medical Centre 69722866 to make an appointment

## **BLAND CREEK BUSH FIRE BRIGADE - ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

The Bland Creek Bush Fire Brigade Annual General Meeting will be held at the Bland Hotel on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> August 2016 at 7.30pm.

Everyone is invited to attend.

**TAI CHI QUANDIALLA:** We have enjoyed 6 sessions of Tai Chi at Quandialla Health Centre. Participants have found that Tai Chi has been a challenge for their balance and brain function. It has also been fun and relaxing.

Tai Chi is beneficial for both your physical and mental wellbeing. We hope there are others in the community who would like to join in this activity on a regular basis. It can be practised in a group, at home or in the paddock – wherever suits you. Commencing from July 14<sup>th</sup> there will be a 4 week break from Tai Chi. If you would like to join the Tai Chi class in August please ring Grenfell Community Health on 63491777 and leave your details with preferred time and days. For further enquiries please contact Helen Denovan, Occupational Therapist - Grenfell Community Health.

**Cheerio Call to Ged Nowlan** who has arrived back in Young after another hospital visit in Wagga. On behalf of all your friends in Quandialla and surrounding Districts I send you All Their Best Wishes and please know that they are all thinking of you.

Having a Birthday in JULY 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 29<sup>th</sup> (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**



## QUANDI PRE-LOVED WARES SHOP

Why not take a visit to Quandi Pre-Loved Wares.

A new non-profit thrift shop open on a Friday Mornings 11am to 2pm where you can bring your unwanted items for sale on consignment, or pick up a bargain.

Rhonda Bennison and Shirley Warren have organised this great new community service utilising one of the small shops attached to the old Café in Second St, Quandialla.

Further enquiries call in and see Rhonda and Shirley.



### QUANDIALLA P & C FIREWOOD RAFFLE

The Quandialla P & C Association are holding a raffle for a **'Trailer Load of Firewood'**.

Tickets are available at the West Weddin Store, the Quandialla Post Office, Quandialla Public School (during school hours) and Quandialla P & C Members.  
\$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00



***The Raffle will be drawn on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2016***

### SAD NEWS:

*Deepest Sympathy is extended to Kim Harris and Family on the passing of Kim's mother Joyce Morgan aged 97 years. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this sad time.*

*Moyia Nowlan late of Jindabyne, and formerly a resident of "Wentworth" Bimbi, passed away aged 93 years on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> July. Deepest Sympathy is extended to Moyia's children Margaret, Vincent, Geraldine, Leonie, Andrew and Ria and families at this sad time.*

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

Sorry – there will be no 'Blast from the Past' page this week.

## **QUANDIALLA PRESCHOOL**

The Quandialla Preschool Committee would like to thank everyone who supported our fundraiser in June.

With the meal, raffle and generous donations we raised an astonishing amount of \$2885.

### Winners were:-

Robert Reeves – Samsung Tablet

Lisa Jones – Toy from Carruthers

Maureen Causer – Ride-on Tractor

Kacie Cattle – Dubbo Taronga Zoo Pass

Lucy Nowlan & Sienna Yerbury – 2 x Oilplus Packs

Kate Johnston – Farm Toy from McClintocks

Andrew Yerbury & Liz Penfold – 2 Family

Passes for

Jump n putt

Keaton Cattle – Cockington Green Family Pass

Jodi Penfold – Questacon Family Pass

**Raffle!**

***Once again Many Thanks – Preschool Committee***

### **RAINFALL IN QUANDIALLA**

Everyone would certainly agree that the last few months have been wet but welcomed. July readings at the time of printing total 75.7mm over 18 days.



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Cheers ..... **Sue Priestley**