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Tickets are NOW on Sale

for



and

Macey's Spring Ball Monster Raffle

Ball Tickets are available at the Quandialla Post Office.
Raffle Tickets available from Bland Hotel, P.O, Weddin Store & Macey's Friends

Preparations for Macey's Spring Ball is all coming together.

Prizes for the Monster Raffle and Auction items are still coming in and it is wonderful to see how people are coming together to help raise funds for Macey. I hope everyone has seen the ever so colourful poster that Narelle Gault has done for the Ball. I have included it in this weeks' newsletter but black & white printing certainly does not do it justice. Don't forget Narelle is looking for fairy lights to decorate the hall for the fun night that the Committee has organised.

The main items have been planned - now the big job is to sell tickets to the Ball and lots and lots of raffle tickets. Of course, attending a Ball is not everyone's cup of tea, but you can buy a ticket as a donation or try your luck with the raffle, there are lots of marvellous prizes to be had, and as the saying goes "You Have To Be In It To Win It". You can buy all your tickets at once or get a ticket every time you go shopping at the Weddin Store or P.O. or use that spare change you end up with when you have that drink with friends at the hotel. Remember - every ticket sold helps Macey.

BALL TICKETS are also available to purchase at:

- *Young Tester Porter & M & M Music
- *Temora On the Move Health & Fitness
- *West Wyalong Majors Mulch Garden Centre
- *Grenfell The Tin Cupboard
- *Forbes Walkers Ag N Vet Services



Spring Ball

"Fashions on the Field" on the night

Saturday, 23rd September 2017

Quandialla Soldiers Memorial Hall Second Street, Quandialla

Entertainment by: Nuthin' 2 Serious

Doors open: 6.30 pm / Dress Code: Semi Formal

Tickets:

\$40.00 Pre-sale

\$50.00 At the door on the night

\$10.00 12 years and under



BYO - Drinks & Nibblies

Tickets Available at:

The Quandialla Post Office



Auctions & Raffles on the night

Fashions on the Field prizes

Sponsored by the Quandialla Progress Association & The Quandialla Soldiers Memorial Hall.

This is a fundraising initiative for Macey Yerbury

Pies, Sausage Rolls and Coffee available for purchase on the evening

For further information on 'Macey's Ball' please contact: Ruth Penfold - 0408381380

Hair @ Quandialla

<u>SPECIAL NOTICE:</u> Sam will be at the Bland Hotel for hair appointments this Friday 1st September. Please phone 0458 140 308 for further information or to make an appointment.

CAN YOU HELP?

<u>Wanted:</u> The loan of 'Fairy Lights' (Electric & Solar) for Macey's Ball. If you can help, please contact Narelle Gault on 63471294 a.h.

Thank You

BLAND DISTRICT SPORTS CARNIVAL



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Celebrating 70 years

Friday, 8th September 2017

9.00am – 3pm

Quandialla Public School – Sports OvalQuandialla Public School will be hosting the 70th Annual

Bland Sports Carnival, as this is a very special year for Bland Sports, everyone is most welcome to attend. The Quandialla P.&C. Association will be running a barbeque, along with selling cakes, slices, tea, coffee etc. throughout the day. To assist with catering, please R.S.V.P. by Monday, 4^{th} September 2017, to Quandialla Public School - 02 63471207.

<u>Please Note:</u> Due to unpredictable weather conditions, please visit Quandialla Public School's facebook page, prior to the carnival, for up-to-date information on the 2017 carnival.

We look forward to seeing you on Friday 8th Sept. at the 2017 Bland Sports Carnival.



DON'T FORGET

The Lorraine Lea Linen – Wedding Shower being held for Kayla Troy on Saturday 2nd September commencing at 2pm at the Quandialla Bowling Club.

Please bring a plate of goodies to share for afternoon tea.

QUANDIALLA FRIDAY NIGHT JACKPOT:

The Bland Hotel Joker Draw has jackpotted again, just pick the joker and you can take home \$300 this week. The Quandialla Bowling Club Draw went to a very lucky lady at another club, but unfortunately, she was not a financial member (gentle reminder to make sure you have paid your membership) so this Friday the draw will be \$1000.

Good Luck Everyone!!!

QUANDIALLA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE:

Dr Wail El Waili will be visiting Quandialla next on Wednesday **6**th **& 20**th **September.** Please phone West Wyalong Medical Centre 69722866 to make an appointment.

QUANDIALLA RURAL FIRE BRIGADE

The Annual / General meeting of the Quandialla Fire Brigade will be held on Wednesday, $13^{\rm th}$ September 2017, at the Bland Hotel, Quandialla, commencing at 7.30pm.

All most welcome

BOWLING CLUB NEWS

<u>Championships:</u> 1st and 2nd rounds of the 2017 Club Singles is to be played on Sunday 3rd September. 9am 1st round & 1pm second round. Play or forfeit. Please check the notice board and arrange your games for that day or earlier if it suits. Don't forget to find a marker!!!!

<u>Membership Reminder:</u> 2017 / 2018 Subs NOW Over Due. Subs can be paid at the bar. The benefits of being a member, eligible for the Riverina Jackpot Draw, members Children Christmas Tree, wonderful club to play bowls at and most importantly you are supporting your local club.

<u>Sunday Paper Roster:</u> If you swap your rostered day please notify the bar staff ASAP.

2nd September – Graeme Edgerton

Quandialla Bowling Club Annual Meeting

will be held on Wednesday 11th October 2017 at 8pm. All Welcome Members are reminded that nominations are now open for the Club Committee for 2017/2018



RAINFALL IN QUANDIALLA

August's rainfall recorded at the Quandialla Post Office was 46.8mm over 12 days.

Total for the year 263.9mm over 49 days.

Cheers for another week Sue Priestley