

IDLE CHATTER Mark II

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WHAT SHOULD I WRITE ABOUT??????????????

THINGS ARE A LITTLE QUIET ON THE NEWS FRONT AT THE MOMENT

So, I'm winging it.....

I found a fabulous joke on facebook and I even copied it to this weeks' front page, but when I was reading it again I realised there was a swear word or two. As you have noticed by now there is no joke for you to enjoy, not because I thought you would be offended but because swearing made me think about the four days we have just spent with our 2 gorgeous granddaughters.

Mum, Dad, Stella and Macy arrived late Friday night, on Saturday Mum & Dad took off for Wagga to attend a wedding, leaving Pa & Nanna to babysit for the weekend.

We had a fabulous time, doing all the things grandparents do, Pa had a lot of fun, finding lots of new things to show the girls and getting them all hyped up. He thought he was very smart when he found a whistle which Stella took control of, and Nanna had to banish them outside. Pa then had to find another one for Macy, her whistle was an antique police whistle, so we had to put them on chains that hung around their necks, as he didn't want to lose them in the "grass". By Sunday morning Stella had it down pat and at 9am she was on a roll, making quite a lot of noise with Pa yelling at her that she was blowing it too loud. I'm sure our neighbours would have heard HIM before the whistle.

But back to a swear word or two, now that the girls are a little older we have to be on our best behaviour and watch what we say in front of the children. By swearing I'm talking about bum, sh*t, bu^^ger and bl###dy. I will have to admit sh*t is one that I use and Pa's favourite is bu^^er, and until you try not to swear that's when you realise how much you do. Thankfully the half dozen times we forgot, the girls were far too busy and didn't hear us.

But the highlight of Stella's stories to Mum and Dad was feeding Ruby the cat. Ruby has a cage that she sleeps in and where she gets fed so she doesn't have to share with the dogs. So, the routine is, Pa puts her food in the bowl and says "Put your bum in" so he can close the door. The first night Stella helped she was very polite and said "Ruby put your bottom in" but Pa told her that Ruby didn't know what bottom meant and she had to say bum. Next night without missing a beat and before Pa could say anything Stella's words were "Ruby put your bum in" and of course she had to share that with her parents – that child cannot keep a secret. Thankfully they are not going to hold it against us and will be back for Christmas.

P.S Things are very quiet now in the Priestley Household, but a certain saying comes to mind – Spoil them rotten then hand them back and we certainly did that 😊 😊 😊

QUANDIALLA FRIDAY NIGHT JACKPOTS

The Bland Hotel Joker Draw is still growing and this Friday you could win \$360. The Riverina Bowling Club Jackpot Draw was claimed again last week, so this week we start again with a jackpot of \$500. Don't forget the new **Quandialla Bowling Club Local Members Draw** it has jackpotted to \$125 this Friday night.

Good Luck Everyone!!!



Claiming the Date

*Quandialla Soldiers Memorial Hall will be holding
Quandialla's Biggest Afternoon Tea
on
Saturday 30th June 2018*

*Please put this date on your Calendar
More information to follow.....*

QUANDIALLA HOSPITAL AUXILIARY: The next General Meeting will be held on Tuesday 12th June at 9.30am at the Medical Centre.

All Welcome

QUANDIALLA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE:

Dr Wail El Waili will be visiting Quandialla **on Wednesday 13th & 27th June 2018.**
Please phone West Wyalong Medical Centre 69722866 to make an appointment

QUANDIALLA CWA BRANCH will be holding their next General Meeting on Saturday 16th June 2018 at 12.30pm at the CWA Rest Rooms, prior to their 90th Birthday Celebration Afternoon Tea at 2pm.

All Welcome

FREE
LIGHT SUSSEX ROOSTER
2 YEARS OLD
Phone: 6347 1187

Angela Armstrong Therapist

will be returning to Quandialla on 25th & 26th June
For appointments please call Angela on 0421 170 743



You're Invited!

BRIBBAREE'S
BIGGEST AFTERNOON TEA

HOST: Bribbaree Community
DATE: Sunday 17th June 2018
TIME: 1.30pm
WHERE: Bribbaree Bowling Club
DETAILS: ALL WELCOME to Bring a Plate to Share
& Bring a Friend 😊

***Raffles – Guessing Competition – Chocolate Wheel – Prizes.
All Money Raised Going to the Cancer Council***



Wellways Quandialla Family Day



Wellways invite the people of Quandialla and surrounds to a family day at the Quandialla Bowling Club. There will be something for everyone:

- * Face Painting
- * Arts & Crafts
- * Cricket Match – Quandialla VS Wellways
- * Horse Shoe Throwing
- * BBQ – gold coin donation
- * Information on Wellways Programs

When: Saturday 16th June, 10am – 3.30pm

Where: Quandialla Bowling Club

Free and open to all of the community, just turn up.
We look forward to seeing you there!

Wellways.org / 1300 111 400



Wellways Australia is a leading not-for-profit organisation dedicated to ensuring all Australians lead active and fulfilling lives in their community. Wellways deliver the Murrumbidgee Suicide Prevention Program which works with individuals and groups to provide after suicide support and to help create suicide safe communities.

BOWLS NEWS:

The draw for the 2018 Singles Championship is on the noticeboard. Please play your games ASAP as we need to have the 1st & 2nd rounds completed on or before 17th June. 3rd & 4th rounds are dated to be completed on (or before) 15th July.

Play or forfeit will apply.

The club will be holding its Annual Triples Tournament on 8th July.

Organise a team for a great day out. Entry list is on the board.

RALPH RICHARDS SEPTICS: Call for a Quote: Phone 0457 821965 or 0477 094193

JUNE LONG WEEKEND – Things to DO.....

The Henry Lawson Festival in Grenfell this weekend. Enjoy the Street Procession starting at 1.30pm down the Main Street on Saturday, plus much more.

Wombat Swap Meet – Saturday & Sunday

Caragabal Camp Oven Cookoff Family FUN Day



CARAGABAL CAMPOVEN COOKOFF FAMILY FUN DAY

Caragabal Sports Ground, Mid-Western Highway

Sunday 10th, June Long Weekend, from 12.00 Midday - Gold Coin Entry

CAMPOVEN COOKOFF COMPETITION

Entries **MUST** be cooked and plated for 5.30pm judging.

**FREE CAMPING – MUSIC – RAFFLE – FOOD STALLS
TUG-O-WAR – GUMBOOT THROWING COMPETITION**



BYO: Campoven Food, Chairs & Alcohol

Any Enquiries Ph: Donna – 0410800855 or Dixie – 0429448549

All proceeds on the day contribute to the maintenance of the Caragabal Memorial Hall.



**Long Weekends!!!!!!!
Remember Double Demerit Points
this holiday break.**

Have a great weekend – Cheers.....**Sue Priestley**