

# IDLE CHATTER Mark II

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## SPRING INTO 2020 FEBRUARY 2020 QUANDIALLA



The Spring into 2020 FREE fitness program is being offered to support farmers & families in drought affected communities commencing  
**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February.**

**What:** February 2020 FREE Fitness Classes

**When:** Wednesday's @ 6.00a.- 7.00am

Quandialla School COLA

Friday's @ 9am – 10am

Aqua Fitness @ Quandialla Pool

**Who:** The entire Quandialla Community is INVITED!

Enjoy a FREE launch breakfast on **Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> February at the Quandialla Pool**  
after a 45 minutes activity starting at 8am.

***RSVP is required please for catering purpose.***

This program is supported by: Active Farmers Ride for Resilience 2019 and BAYER

For more information please contact  
Kim Broomby on 0427 472152 or 6347 2152

***DON'T FORGET you have an invitation to visit 'Grandma has a Studio' Exhibition.***

## ***Invitation***

Burrangong Gallery Exhibition  
Young Visitor's Centre (Open Daily)

Young Society of Artists Inc.

## ***Presents***

***"Grandma has a Studio"***

**Guest Artists – Judy McAlister & Granddaughters Aleira & Bianca Scott**

### **Official Opening and Morning Tea**

**Date:** Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2020

**Time:** 11 am

**Exhibition Dates: 1<sup>st</sup> February – 7<sup>th</sup> March 2020**

*Judy, Aleira & Bianca have worked together in Judy's home studio to bring this exhibition together. They have challenged each other to pull together a variety of works across a mix of mediums. This exhibition is a wonderful display of some colourful fun works that will delight & surprise all visitors to Burrangong Gallery, this is one not to be missed.*

### **QUANDIALLA FRIDAY NIGHT JACKPOTS:**

**Quandi's Jackpots are getting interesting.....**

**I would suggest a pub / club crawl this Friday Night**

#### **Bland Hotel Poker Jackpot Draw .....**

Last week the Jackpot was not claimed so this week you have 4 chances to win a meat tray and a chance to choose the Joker Card and you can take home \$420

**next**

#### **Quandialla Bowling Club Draws .....**

The Riverina Club Draw was not claimed last week, so this Friday that Jackpot will be \$4200, and the Members Club Draw was not claimed and will jackpot to \$75.

Remember if your badge number is drawn for any of the jackpots  
**YOU MUST BE AT THE CLUB to claim your prize when it is announced.**

***Good Luck Everyone***

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**DID YOU KNOW:** To post a letter today costs \$1.10, postage went up on the 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2020. Quite a few \$1.00 stamps are still being used and that is sort of okay BUT someone, usually the other end, pays the shortfall plus a tax.



### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations are extended to Mr & Mrs Sam Broomby who were married last Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2020. Sam's family and friends travelled to Victoria where they joined Tori's family and friends and together, they helped the happy couple celebrate their Wedding Day.

*On behalf of Idle Chatter Readers I would like to wish Sam & Tori all the best on this very special day.*

### QUANDIALLA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE:

Dr Wail El Waili will be visiting Quandialla on **Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2020**. Please phone West Wyalong Medical Centre 69722866 to make an appointment.

**QUANDIALLA CWA BRANCH** will be holding their **General Meeting** on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February at 7.30pm in the Quandialla CWA Rooms. All Members and any interested new members are most welcome to attend.

### DON'T FORGET

**Every Monday Night – \$15 Schnitzel & Steak Night**  
At the Bland Hotel Bistro 6.30 – 8.30pm  
\$15.00 per meal.

### **QUANDIALLA HOSPITAL AUXILIARY:**

The **FIRST** General Meeting for the year will be held on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February at 9.30am at the Medical Centre. New members encouraged and welcome.

### QUANDIALLA SOLDIERS MEMORIAL HALL & PROGRESS ASSOCIATION

The next General Meeting will be held on  
Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February at 7.30pm  
at the Bland Hotel Dining Room.  
All Welcome



### 2020 RAINFALL

January's rainfall recorded at the Quandialla Post Office was 17.9 mm over 5 days.

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

*It always helps to laugh about things that you cannot change.....  
With that in mind I thought the following 'tongue in cheek' article was very appropriate for the  
weather we have been experiencing lately.  
But with rain predicted to be on its way, I hope all our dust will be turned into mud.  
But not in your house!!!!!!*

## Possible Positives about Dust Storms ???

- . No need to go out and pay for a spray tan.
- . Great cheap way for covering grey or white hair, especially if you dampen your hair before you venture out into the dust.
- . Makes gym fees and expensive exercise programs a thing of the past, each clean up is like a boot-camp workout.
- . Saves money on expensive scrubs and exfoliating products, just rub the wet dirt on your skin while you are in the shower, wash with soap or body wash and rinse.
- . Rich and poor are brought together by the things they have in common. Everyone's house, car, bike, trailer etc looks the same  
.....BROWN!
- . If you save all the dirt you sweep up after each storm, you won't have to buy potting mix.
- . If you are lucky enough to have some lawn, top dressing it will be no effort at all.
- . It's an easy way to tell if you have had visitors, their footprints will be all around your house.
- . It's a cheap craft activity for your kids, they can use their fingers to draw on walls, windows, cars or anything they find.

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