

IDLE CHATTER Mark II

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QUANDIALLA SOLDIERS MEMORIAL HALL & PROGRESS ASSOCIATION General Meeting

The next General Meeting will be held on
Wednesday 27th July at 7.30pm
at the Bland Hotel Dining Room.

AGENDA:

Hall Business

Quandialla Website – this was discussed at our last meeting and I reported about it in I.C. 196 asking if anyone had any suggestions on how we could give our website a new lease of life to please attend our next meeting and share your ideas.

Drainage – Work has started in front of school

Footpaths – Update report

Any Other General Business

ALL WELCOME

Peter Causer Family Fun Afternoon

PRIZES ON OFFER IN THE MONSTER RAFFLE

\$200 M.A. Steel Gift Voucher – donated by John & Kerrie Coulter

\$200 Bland Hotel Voucher – donated by Dan Marshall

6 x 4 Trailer load Firewood

4 x Lamb Meat Packs – donated by D & K Broomby & T & M Taylor

2 x Pork Meat Packs – donated by Bourkeleigh Partners

West Weddin Store Grocery Hamper – donated by Deery Family

Wine, T-shirt, Hat, Port Hamper – donated by Bland Hotel

1 Frozen Meat Chicken

Crochet Rug – donated by Peter & Donna Feuerstein

Lister Carry Bag & Singlet – donated by Young Shearing Supplies

Bushby Household Cleaning Products Hamper

Truck Wash Cleaning Products

2 x \$100 Watson Toyota Vouchers

Charmite Barbi Grill – donated by Cherry City Disposal

Bag & Necklace – donated by Jewelz n Things

\$200 Delta Agribusiness Voucher

Portable Electric Pizza Oven – donated by Regina & Cameron Marks

\$200 Bunnings Warehouse Voucher – donated by C & J Garner

½ Hour Massage – donated Angela Armstrong

Screwdriver Set, T-shirt, Beanie, Stubbie Holder, Travel Mug – Young Hardware

Pear Garden Art – donated by David & Kathy Smith

Electric Toothbrush – donated by Jay Grandi

Ladies Pamper Hamper – donated by Samantha Causer

Men's Hamper – donated by Jay Grandi

\$100 Myer Gift Voucher – donated by John & Sue Priestley

And more to be added

There will also be an AUCTION: *more items will be included*

NRL Grand-final Tickets – donated by Michael & Lucy Kemp

Tickets for the raffle can be purchased before the 6th August from
The Bland Hotel, West Weddin Store & Quandi Post Office

Tickets: \$2.00 ea. Books: \$20

All monies raised will go towards Peter's ongoing expenses and MND Research

Raffle will be drawn on Saturday 6th August at Caragabal

QUANDIALLA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE:

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

ST BRIGID'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass will be held at Quandialla on Sunday 31st July at 8am.

QUANDIALLA FRIDAY NIGHT JACKPOTS:

The Bland Hotel "Joker" Jackpot will be **\$820** and the Bowling Club Members Draw will be **\$8250** this week.

Last Week: *I am predicting both jackpots will be won this week!!*

– well that didn't happen!!!

I have consulted the stars, moon and universe settings and they all look good plus

I have an itchy palm - that has to mean something!!!!

– that only meant I had an itchy palm and my predictions and reading of the universe etc suck - big time!!!

So - The big news is.....

BOTH jackpots are still up for grabs - Good Luck Everyone!!!

QUANDIALLA HOSPITAL AUXILIARY

An invitation is extended to join the President and Members of the Quandialla Hospital Auxiliary for their Annual General Meeting on Tuesday 9th August 2016 at 11am, at the Community Health Centre. The meeting will be followed by a finger food luncheon. All WELCOME

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 14th 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.

BLAST FROM THE PAST Extracts from IDLE CHATTER

Extract from IDLE CHATTER No: 227

THURS 17th August 1966

THE PARK – The Weddin Shire Council through the good graces of Hughie Russell are most certainly helping with the park "Blamey" park to be exact. The team of men working on this project are from Grenfell and to them it is possibly just another job. Nevertheless I would like to thank each and every one of them for the whole-hearted co-operation which they have extended to me. Nothing is too much trouble and they are really interested in the ultimate appearance of the job. Thanks boys, and to Mr May and other members of the Council, thanks a lot. As you can see the level of the Park has been raised somewhat with the residue from the curbing job in Third Street. As soon as the levelling has been done some seed will be sown (I hope). Mrs Tony McNamara, Olive McNamara, Cliff Brown and many others are coming forward with suggestions to make this entrance to our town, something of which we can be proud. Even the J.F's have got an idea or two so the job is now swinging along favourably.....

SICK LIST – I have to report the hospitalisation of three of my readers. Firstly, Will (or Bill) Graham at present a patient in the local hospital with a bad leg. From all reports it is really a BAD leg and I am sure that everyone wishes you Bill, a speedy recovery. Hughie Russell entered Quandialla Hospital but was later transferred to Grenfell with what was reported to me as Pleurisy. His recovery is slow but steady and the latest news is that he should be leaving hospital within the next few days. Viv McKenzie is an inmate of West Wyalong hospital. I am not at all certain what is wrong with Viv but would presume a recurrence of bronchial trouble. I miss that cheery little grin Viv, so hurry up and get well again.....

AFTERNOON TEA – Members of the Quandialla branch of the Catholic Women's League entertained ladies from the Anglican, Methodist and Presbyterian churches to an afternoon tea last Thursday. Despite inclement weather a goodly number of ladies were present to enjoy the function. Mrs Conn the President was very ably assisted by Vice President Mrs Carly Harris and by the Secretary Mrs Imelda Harris. Competitions were arranged and some of the prize winners are given herewith.

Cheers until next week **Sue Priestley**