

IDLE CHATTER Mark II

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RISE AND SHINE BREAKFAST

A FUN Fundraiser at the Quandialla Swimming Pool.....
on THIS Sunday the 4th of March at 10am



**Bacon & Egg Roll - \$6,
Orange Juice - \$1 & Coffee**

Update: *The Pool Committee have secured a coffee upgrade for Sunday and BARISTA coffee will be available (so will no longer be \$3, but SOOO worth the extra) with thanks to Majors Mulch Coffee.*

Come along and enjoy breakfast beside the pool or call in for a takeaway.....

Breakfast will be available from 10am when the pool opens.

EVERYONE MOST WELCOME

THE FUNDRAISING MERRY GO ROUND

It is a fact of life that every organisation needs to raise funds. Either to improve their circumstances or to help keep things running. Every organisation/group benefits our community one way or another, they may be a sporting group or facility, a social group, a facility for events or groups who support health, aged or children – they all need support. And thankfully that's where everyone steps up - We all support raffles, attend functions and donate where we can and each organisation thanks you for your support in the past.

But don't stop that goodwill now –

Just by enjoying a bacon & egg roll this Sunday you will be supporting our local pool.

----- *Hope to see you there on Sunday 4th March* -----

QUANDIALLA FRIDAY NIGHT JACKPOTS:

Both Quandi Jackpot Draws are still going strong but, remember you can't win either of them if you are not there.

The Bowling Club Members Draw has jackpotted again to \$2500 this week, and the Bland Hotel Joker Draw has also jackpotted to \$780 this Friday.

Good Luck Everyone!!!

ST MARKS ANGLICAN CHURCH service will be held on Sunday 4th March at 6pm.

Please Note:

For our APRIL Service we will be holding an Easter Service on

SATURDAY 31st March at 5pm

ALL WELCOME

QUANDIALLA COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE:

Dr Wail El Waili will be visiting Quandialla next on Wednesday 7th & 21st March 2018.

Please phone West Wyalong Medical Centre 69722866 to make an appointment

SAD NEWS

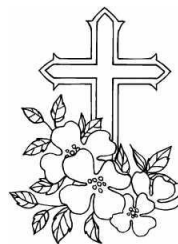
I am so sad to report the passing of two former high school classmates at Quandialla Central School.

Jean Rose nee Napier and Robert Walsh
were born and raised in Quandialla.

Jean's family moved to Canberra in the early 1970s where she worked, married and raised a family before illness overtook her some years ago. I remember her as a good friend and share along with those that knew her back then, many happy memories of her as a teenager here in Quandi. *May you Rest in Peace Jean*

Robert Walsh, along with his brothers loved to play football and went onto playing with and coaching the Quandialla Football Team and winning a Premiership. Robert became involved in hotels in 1983 and had interests in hotels at Parramatta, Glebe and Raymond Terrace. *Rest in Peace Robbie.*

On behalf of I.C. readers I would like to extend our deepest sympathy to Jean & Robbie's families and friends at this very sad time.



THANK YOU

Since the Quandialla Football Club went into recess they have helped many young people to achieve their dreams of representing in their chosen sport, along with making donations to many worthwhile causes. Last year the Quandialla Swimming Pool received a wonderful donation of \$5000 to assist the committee with expenses.

Members of this group have now decided to close their bank account and to distribute the remaining funds. The Quandialla Soldiers Memorial Hall and Bribbaree Memorial Hall, received \$1000 each while Quandialla's Idle Chatter newsletter and Bribbaree Matters newsletter received \$300 each.

On behalf of recent and past recipients I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Quandialla Football Club, the support you have given to Quandialla and Bribbaree communities is very much appreciated.

QUANDIALLA TIP

It is unofficial at this stage but apparently Weddin Shire Council has decided to have a Community meeting at Quandialla on Tuesday 20th March to seek community interest in a proposal to lock the Quandialla Tip and have access cards provided to appropriate Weddin Shire users. This will be supported by surveillance cameras on site.

No advice from Council on this matter has been received by anyone in Quandialla yet as to what time, venue etc. so "watch this space". The same proposal applies to the Caragabal Tip and a meeting will be held there the same day, apparently. Isn't communication a wonderful thing.

FOOTY TIPPING COMPS

Only 7 more sleeps -----

It's that time of year again when all the footy fans can be part of our local Tipping Comps. One at the pub and one at the club. Join in for a bit of fun at the weekends. Your guess could be better than the 'experts' predictions, and who knows, at the end of the season you could be in the money.

First round gets underway on the 8th March so get your name in soon.

BOWLERS REARING TO GO

I know all IC readers will join me in wishing the Quandialla Bowlers all the best for the coming Pennant season which begins on Sunday. After the successes of last year, I'm sure they are all looking forward to this year's challenges in the higher grade.

Good Bowling and Good Luck Quandi

DO YOU HAVE FOX TERRIER PUPPIES?

I received a phone call today asking me did I know who breeds fox terriers in Quandialla. A friend of his got a puppy from someone in Quandi and he would also like to have one, however, I was unable to help this gentleman, so I said I would put a query in I.C. If you have recently sold/given away a puppy and can help with another, please contact me at the P.O. and I will give Chris your name.



2018 RAINFALL

February's rainfall recorded at the Quandialla Post Office was 29.6 mm over 2 days.
Total for the year is 82.0 mm over 10 days

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

BLAST FROM THE PAST Extracts from IDLE CHATTER

Extract from IDLE CHATTER Vol. 2 No. 14

THURS. 1st August 1957

LOST AND FOUND – Lost between Quandialla and S Reeves turn off – a Kelly Axe. Will the finder please get in touch with Bill Slavin. A key has been found outside the Baker's shop. Same can be had on application to this office.

ANOTHER LOSER – Les Penfold left his home with a wireless aerial attached to his vehicle, but, arrived in Quandialla minus same. If you find this, will you please get in touch with Les.

RSL AUXILIARY – So you have been dodging the meetings eh? Now please note, that your meetings are held on the 1st Tuesday, in every month. If you stay away now, that is your business but please don't say you didn't know when they were held. Remember the First Tuesday in the month.

Until next week, Cheers – **Sue Priestley**