Diary Dates – Term 1

April:
- Thursday 10th: Primary Easter Social
- Friday 11th: Last day of Term 1.

School Holidays: 14th April – 25th April, 2014
- Friday 25th: Town Anzac Day Service – Quandialla Commencing at 11.00 a.m. – Memorial Hall
  (All school students participating in the Anzac Day March, are requested to be at Blamey Park by 10.45 a.m., and to wear their full school uniform).
- Monday 28th: Staff Development Day – Pupil Free Day
- Tuesday 29th: All Students return today for Term 2.

May:
- Thursday 1st: QCS – School ANZAC Day service
- Friday 2nd: Forbes Small School Athletics Carnival - Primary

NAPLAN tests
The National Assessment Program in Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) tests will be conducted over the three days of Tuesday 13 May, Wednesday 14 May and Thursday 15 May this year (Week 3 of Term 2). Students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 will complete the tests. Please ensure your children arrive promptly to school on each day.
Term dates
Friday 11 April is the last day of Term 1. Term 2 begins on Monday 28 April with a School Development Day for members of staff. The staff will be completing the mandatory Child Protection Training update for 2014, participating in faculty meetings and preparing teaching resources for Term 2.
There are nine school weeks in Term 2. The first day of attendance for students is Tuesday 29 April and the last day is Friday 27 June.

Secondary Interim Reports
All students in the secondary will receive a single page interim report in the mail this week. This is a brief explanation of how the students have started the year. A more detailed account will follow towards the end of Term 2 in the shape of the Half Yearly Reports. However, if any parent would like to discuss their child’s progress with any/ all of their teachers, please ring the school and an appointment will be made.

Relieving Principal
Lisa Varjavandi, Head Teacher Secondary Studies, will take up the role of relieving principal at Quandialla Central School from the beginning of Term 2, 28-4-14. Please contact Lisa via the school office, if you have questions or require assistance with any matter.

Best wishes
I’m sure you are all aware that I am retiring. Thank you to the folk who dropped in to say “farewell” during last week. It was very nice to chat. I extend very best wishes to you all.

Enrolling children at school
Quandialla Central School is a very well resourced school, with excellent teachers and staff, where students consistently achieve excellent results. The school works closely with parents, families and the community.

Parents and families are invited to contact the school for further information on enrolling children in Kindergarten and Years 1 to 12 at Quandialla Central School for the 2014 school year.

Contacting the school
Please contact the school for further information. From 28-4-14, Lisa Varjavandi relieving principal, will be available to meet with parents, provide further information and answer questions.

Kind Regards
Phillip Foster
Principal
CANTEEN NEWS & ROSTER

Term 1 & 2 – 2014

Our School Canteen is open on Wednesday

Time of Arrival is 10.00 a.m.
President: David Dixon – 6347 1271 / Secretary: Leanne Penfold – 6347 2119
Treasurer: Anne Dixon – 6347 1271

Roster:

9th April - Jodi Atkins
30th April - Kim Broomby
7th May - Tracy Penfold

Please Note:
If your name is not on the roster and you would like to have a turn on canteen, please contact Leanne Penfold and we will put you on the roster either with somebody this term or next.

Please remember to bring lettuce and tomatoes. Buns and ham are purchased from the Quandialla Café.

PRIMARY
‘EASTER SOCIAL’
Thursday, 10th April, 2014
5.00 – 7.00 pm

Fruit juices
Many people think fruit juice is a healthy option. While fruit juice contains some vitamins, they lack fibre, antioxidants and other nutrients found in fruit. Fruit juices are high in sugar and energy, often containing similar quantities of sugar found in soft drink. Drinking large amounts can lead to tooth decay and excess energy consumption. Here are some things to consider if choosing juice:

✔ Limit fruit juices to no more than half a glass per day.
✔ Too much juice can lead to diarrhoea.
✔ Consider diluting juice 50:50 with water to reduce the number of kilojoules whilst still enjoying the taste of juice.
✔ It is easy to drink too much juice. One popper of juice is equal in energy to two pieces of fruit.
✔ Consider eating a piece of fruit instead. Whole pieces of fruit and veggies have higher levels of many vitamins, minerals, antioxidants and fibre, some of which are protective factors against some cancers and heart disease.
HARMONY DAY

Last Friday we celebrated Harmony Day with a lunch of food from many countries, games in the shed and a whole school assembly in the afternoon. Thank you to the School SRC and Ms Howard for organising the day, as well as to those many parents and community members who brought food to be shared at lunchtime. Thank you, too, to the parents and community members who stayed on for the school assembly afterwards. I hope all that were involved had an enjoyable afternoon.
FORBES SMALL SCHOOLS SPORTS DAY 
FOR KINDERGARTEN TO YEAR 6

FRIDAY, 2\textsuperscript{nd} MAY, 2014

Following is just a few details regarding the Forbes Small Schools Sports Day to be held at Forbes Public School on Friday 2\textsuperscript{nd} May. All students are expected to attend.

The day will commence at 9.15am with the March Past. As it will be cold we ask that all children bring track pants and school jumper to march in. It is a one in all in thing with marching so if we all don’t have trackies and jumpers none of us wear them.

All children will get to compete in at least 4 events on the day- age race, ball throw, standing jump and long jump. All students competed in the high jump at school last week and the results have been forwarded to Bogan Gate as these go towards the championship. The younger children will be engaged in novelty events following the March Past. There will be relays in the afternoon and ball games if time permits. We have been practising the ball throw and the standing jump in PE this year.

Some children aged 8 and up will have been nominated for 200m, 800m, shot-put, discus and high jump. They should already know who they are. We had try outs for shot put and discus. These are Restricted events and not for everybody. These events DO NOT COUNT towards individual or school totals, but there is a banner presented to the winners for their achievement. These events are for PSSA selection only.

There will also be relays for all age groups including adults- so be warned.

The area at the front of Forbes Public School ie Lachlan Street, is restricted parking at school start and end times. Please take note of where you park and avoid this area as you will be asked to move or possibly be fined.

Bring a chair. Feel free to call the school if you have any questions or concerns.

\textbf{Permission Notes:} Will be sent home this week.

Wendy Robinson

\textbf{Parents Please Note:}

\textbf{New Calendar Dates}

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COMMUNITY NEWS

QUANDIALLA DISTRICT SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE – AGM:
The Annual/General Meeting of the Quandialla District Scholarship Committee will be held on
Thursday, 17th April, 2014, at the Bland Hotel, commencing at 7.00 p.m.
All most welcome to attend.
Narelle Gault – Hon. Secretary

ST. BRIGID’S CATHOLIC CHURCH SERVICES – 2014:
Mass 10:00 am 2nd Sunday of the month
Liturgy 10:00 am 4th Sunday of the month
Services held at St Mark’s Anglican Church until further notice.

ST. MARK’S ANGLICAN CHURCH NOTICE:
Services held 5.00 pm, fourth Sunday of the month, during winter months.
All welcome.

Please Note: There will be NO Easter Service at the Anglican Church this Easter.

EXERCISE CLASSES:
Exercise Classes - 9.00 - 10.00 am Friday’s at the Quandialla Memorial Hall.
$7 / class, please bring water bottle, comfy clothing, and appropriate shoes.
Enquiries please phone: Kim 63472152

SUPPORT CANCER RESEARCH - CAR RALLY …..‘BATTERY DRIVE’:

This Rally is an annual event that raises money for Cancer Research.

Local resident, Bevan McAlister and his daughter, Danette, have been accepted into this year’s
event. They will be driving a 1993 Holden Apollo, which will be painted to look like a dog. To help
raise funds, flea stickers will be available for purchase. These will be stuck on the car for the journey!

Bevan and Danette are currently holding a Battery Drive to raise funds for Cancer Research. If you
have any batteries that you would like to donate to the Battery Drive, please leave at Bevan’s home,
Fourth Street, Quandialla. Batteries may be left at the southern side of Bevan’s house.

The Battery Drive will finish on Saturday, 12th April, 2014.
All funds raised from the Battery Drive and from the sale of ‘Flea’ stickers, will go to Cancer
Research.

For further information please contact Bevan on 6347 1227.

Please support this very worthy cause.

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AUTUMN …… FUN FOR FAMILIES - WEDNESDAY, 23RD APRIL, 2014:

10.00 am to 2.00 pm, Vaughn Park (near the pool), Grenfell
FREE BBQ. Free activities and information. Everyone welcome.

For more information please contact: Rebecca (CINC – Grenfell Outreach Service) 02 6343 1044,
Kirstin (Home-Start) 02 6342 6887 or Lee (CINC – Cowra Family Support) 02 6342 3532.

SORRY, NO CHILD CARE PROVIDED.

QUANDIALLA – ANZAC DAY SERVICE COMMEMORATIVE SERVICE
FRIDAY, 25TH APRIL, 2014 at the Quandialla Memorial Hall:

Commencing at 11.00 a.m. School and Ex-Service Personnel to be at Blamey Park by 10.45 a.m.

Please Note: All school students are encouraged to participate in the ANZAC Day Service and are
requested to wear full school uniform. Descendants of Servicemen and Women may wear Service
Medals.

Thank you, Anzac Day Committee.
TALL POPPIES GARDEN GROUP
will be meeting at
Shawn & Catia Nowlan’s
“Ulliwah”
Bimbi Road, Quandialla
Saturday, 12th April, at 9.30 a.m.

Garden viewing, morning tea and lots of planning for upcoming events this year. Please bring a chair. For directions or any further enquires please call Catia on 0458471324.

“ROCKIN” the SHAMROCK
Saturday, 12th April 2014

Live Entertainment Provided by “BAD MANNERS”
(Greats!P’s Home Grown Band)

FREE Courtesy Bus Provided
(Pick up @ 5pm & 6.00pm,
Criterion Hotel)

Where:
Shamrock HOTEL
Greenethorpe Start: 6.00pm
Theme: IRISH
$20.00 buffet dinner per person
Lucky Door Prizes

Grab your friends, family
and work colleagues for
a FABULOUS IRISH
NIGHT OUT at the
SHAMROCK !!!!!!!

Contact: Rita 0409 538 430,
6343 2439, Bookings A
Must....for Bus & Meals
required by 8 April 2014.

This is a Can Assist Fundraiser …… Come along and join us for a fun night out in Greenethorpe. If you are intending to catch the Courtesy Bus or having the $20.00 Buffet meal, bookings are a MUST! Please let Rita Mawhinney or Michelle Rohan know by the 8th April.

The Courtesy Bus for our night will be leaving the Shamrock to come back to Grenfell at:
1st Bus departing at 11.00 pm
2nd Bus departing at Midnight (Stumps!)

Contact: Rita Mawhinney - 0409 538 430 / 6343 2459 or
Michelle Rohan - 0411 565 794 or contact us on Facebook.

Hope you can make it.
GRENFELL JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE CLUB:

Grenfell JRL Invites BOYS and GIRLS to Represent their town.
Boys and girls of all ages are welcome to represent Grenfell and District playing for YOUR TOWNS premier junior sporting club.
Travel and play as a club, enjoy after match functions and free BBQ for the whole family, enjoy the player presentations and members draw following every home game. Mid season fund raisers for everyone to enjoy, for example the renowned “OPEN MIC NIGHT”.
FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY.

Age Divisions:
Boys
U7’s (if you are turning 5 any time in 2014 you’re eligible to play)
U8’s, U10’s, u12’s & U14’s

Girls
Infant/primary school age and secondary school age

Grenfell Junior Rugby League Club invites your family to join in on the fun in representing your town playing the great game of Rugby League in the Group XI, Lachlan District Junior Rugby League competition.
All new registrations receive a free pair of playing shorts and socks.
All players will receive a playing jersey at the end of season presentation day.
Girls are non contact League Tag.
Boys U7’s to U12’s play modified rules to enable them to increase their skill levels before playing international rules in the u14’s and U16’s.

Training Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 5.00 pm (confirm times for each age division).

For all enquiries please contact:
Trevor Mawhinney - President 0413 444 595, Brenda Hurst Strange - Secretary 0423 273 371
Email : grenfelljrl@hotmail.com

GRENFELL PICNIC RACES

The Grenfell Picnics are ON and RACING.
Come and see the horses, the fashions and THE EASTER BUNNY!
Easter Saturday April 19, 2014. Gates open 11.30am
NO BYOG, Tents and Membership available
Kids zone, Full Bar and Canteen and live entertainment until 8.00pm
5 Races with over $15000.00 in prize money and $3000 for Fashions on the field.

www.grenfellpicnics.org.au or ph. Denise 6343 2227
Dear Grower,

The team at Delta Ag would like to cordially invite you to our 2014 Pre-Crop Meeting. As always, we will provide a concise and practical analysis of the latest issues and research which will influence decision making and profitability on your farm this season. We hope that you can join us for an important afternoon of relevant information.

**Delta Agribusiness Quandialla & Caragabal Pre Crop Meeting**

**When:** Friday the 11th of April  
**Meeting Start:** 2:15 pm  
**Drinks to follow:** 5:00 pm  
**Where:** Quandialla Bowling Club  
**RSVP:** Tuesday 8th of April

Larry McDonald, Caragabal 6347 5387  
Peter Walsh, Quandialla 6347 1140  

**Speakers:**

1. **Jim Laycock - Research Agronomist with Incitec Pivot**  
   Fertiliser safety at sowing time and a summary of the Grenfell Long Term N x P trial.

2. **Tim Condon - Delta Ag**  
   Alternative fertilizer strategies – A summary of four years of Delta Ag trials and future direction (42 treatments: what actually works?).

3. **David Crowley and James Cheetham - Delta Ag**  
   Management strategies for the year ahead including:  
   - Getting the best out of pre-sowing knockdown and pre-emergent herbicides.  
   - Sowing rigs and ryegrass Resistance vs Escapes.  
   - Optimum sowing time, frost risk and sowing rates.

4. **Graham Martin-Dye - Delta Grain**  
   Grain market outlook.

We look forward to seeing you on the day.

Kind regards,

Dave, Peter, Larry and the Delta Ag Team.
QUANDIALLA
RECYCLING SERVICE

Weddin Shire Council is pleased to commence a recycling service for the village of Quandialla as of 14 April 2014. The YELLOW lidded 240lt recycling bins have been located at the rear of the Rural Fire Service block on the corner of Bland & Third Street. The access is via the gravel lane at the rear of the block.

This recycling service is a result of an initiative from Quandialla Progress Association receiving grant funding through Keep Australia Beautiful for a compound and collection trailer.

The bins are only for comiongled (mixed) recycling, with the rules of use detailed below and also stamped into the bin lids. All liquids should be drained from bottles, cans and containers and lids removed. Food scraps, garden waste, lawn clippings or alike are NOT recyclables and must not be placed into the recycle bin under any circumstances. If you are in doubt to recycle it or not, then don’t risk the contamination and place it in the normal waste.

Unsuitable waste being placed in the recycling bin will result in the bin not being collected, as one contaminated bin can spoil an entire truck load of recycling.

Please recycle correctly and do your bit to save valuable resources.

Yes:

Plastics
- All plastics codes 1-7
- Ice cream and take-away containers
- Milk bottles
- Juice & cream containers
- Cordial bottles

Aluminium & Steel
- All empty steel cans
- Aluminium soft drink cans
- Clean aluminium foil & pie tins
- Empty aerosol cans

Paper and Cardboard
- Telephone directories
- Newspapers & magazines
- Cardboard cereal & food boxes
- Office paper
- Envelopes & office mail

Glass
- All empty glass bottles & jars

Cartons
- Empty milk & juice cartons

No:

Food scraps
- Plastic bags

Polystyrene
- Nappy

Crockery
- Syringe

Ceramics
- Cookware

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the Council’s Environmental Services Department on 02 63431212.
MINUTES OF THE QUANDIAL L A P & C ANNUAL MEETING
HELD AT THE SCHOOL STAFF ROOM ON THE 6TH MARCH, 2014
OPENED AT 7.37PM

Present: David Dixon, Catia Nowlan, Sarah Ryan, Phillip Foster, Wendy Robinson, Kasey Cattle and Tracy Penfold.

Apologies: Kim Broomby, Trevor Ryan, Shaan Nowlan and John Amez. Moved apologies be accepted David Dixon, Seconded Tracy Penfold.

Minute: Moved by Leanne Penfold that the minutes of the previous meeting have been accepted as read. Seconded David Dixon.

President's Report: David Dixon will provide a Present's Report at the next meeting.

Treasurer's Report: Opening Balance as at April, 2013 $4,249.40
Closing Balance as at March, 2014 $7,013.41
Term Deposit $10,000

Canteen Treasurer's Report: Opening Balance as at April, 2013 $2,356.88
Closing Balance as at March, 2014 $3,366.74

ALL POSITIONS DECLARED VACANT AND PHILLIP FOSTER TO CHAIR MEETING

President: Leanne Penfold nominated David Dixon. Accepted. Seconded Sarah Ryan. No more nominations. All in favour. David Dixon is the President.

2 Vice Presidents: Wendy Robinson nominated Sarah Ryan. Accepted. Catia Nowlan nominated Tracy Penfold. Accepted. No more nominations. All in favour. Sarah Ryan and Catia Nowlan are the Vice Presidents.

Secretary: Catia Nowlan nominated Leanne Penfold. Accepted. Seconded Sarah Ryan. No more nominations. All in favour. Leanne Penfold is the Secretary.
Tranor: Tracy Penfold nominated Catia Nowlan. Accepted
Seconded Sarah Ryan. No more nominations. All in favour.
Catia Nowlan is Treasurer.

Canteen Treasurer: Leanne Penfold nominated Anne Dixon. Accepted.
Seconded Tracy Penfold. No more nominations. All in favour.
Anne Dixon is Canteen Treasurer.

Scholarship Committee Representative: Catia Nowlan nominated Wendy Robinson. Accepted.
Seconded David Dixon. No more nominations. All in favour.
Wendy Robinson is the Scholarship Representative.

Canteen Co-Ordinator: Tracy Penfold nominated Anne Dixon. Accepted.
Seconded Phillip Foster. No more nominations. All in favour.
Anne Dixon is the Canteen Co-Ordinator.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 7.51pm

Leanne M Penfold Secretary
MINUTES OF THE QUANDIALLA P & C GENERAL MEETING
HELD AT THE SCHOOL STAFF ROOM ON THE 6TH MARCH, 2014

OPENED AT 7.52PM

Present : David Dixon, Catia Nowlan, Sarah Ryan, Phillip Foster, Wendy Robinson, Kasey Cattle, Tracy Penfold and Leanne Penfold.

Apologies : Kim, Broomby, Trevor Ryan, Shaun Nowlan and John Amey. Moved apologies be accepted Leanne Penfold, Seconded David Dixon.

Minute : Moved by Leanne Penfold that the minutes of the previous meeting that have been circulated be accepted. Seconded Tracy Penfold.

Business Arising : - Working Bce – This will be looked at the next meeting. Anyone is welcome at the Garden every Thursday or in the kitchen every second Thursday between recess and lunch.

- Air Conditioner for the Canteen – This has been ordered, we are waiting on instillation.

- Centenary Lunch - Amount of people we will cater for will be worked out at the next meeting.

- Presentation night Committee Report - Another meeting will be held to work out more details. No need to rush decisions. The sub-committee will work out awards and other details. Recommended on having the ceremony on the last day with a limit of one hour.

Principal's Report : Apologies this was overlooked at the time and when we realised this Phillip Foster had left the meeting early.

Treasurer's Report : Opening Bank Statement Balance as of 01-11-13 5,591.96
Closing Bank Statement Balance as of 28-02-14 3,5013.41

Moved Catlin Nowlan, Seconded David Dixon

Canteen Treasurer’s Report : Reporting as at 01-12-13 3,166.74
Closing balance as at 28-02-14 2,697.20

Moved David Dixon, Seconded Tracy Penfold

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Correspondence

Moved by Leanne Penfold that correspondence be dealt with as read.
Seconded David Dixon.

1. School Global Funding - Tabled
2. Garden Express Catalogue - Tabled
3. Mother's Day Fundraising Catalogue - Tabled
4. Fundraising Directory - Tabled
5. Letter from Katrina Hodgkinson - Tabled
6. P & C Journals - Tabled
7. Request for Funding on Two Excursions totalling $240
   Leanne Penfold moves that we pay it.
   Seconded Phillip Foster. All in favour
8. Letter from Brett Causer - Tabled
   Phillip Foster wished to make the comment that “This was not
   relevant to the meeting”.
   Phillip Foster also demanded a copy of the letter at which I
   replied I will give him a photocopy.

General Business

Athletics Carnival - Small Schools 2nd May, 2014.

Bland Sports at Quandialla this year – possibly in term three.

Phillip Foster moved a motion to make an appropriate presentation to
Kathy Smith who has left the school in recognition to her service at
Quandialla Central School. Seconded Wendy Robinson

Phillip Foster abruptly left the meeting.

As a result of the letter being read out and Phillip Foster’s
threats of a Solicitor it was decided that David Dixon would seek
further advice from the NSW P & C Federation and Glenn Stewart
before a copy of the letter was given to Phillip Foster. All in favour.

Membership subs are now due and payments of $2 each to be made
to Catia Nowlan. Please keep in mind you have to be a financial
member to vote on any issue one meeting prior to voting.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 9.10pm. Next Meeting 4TH APRIL, 2014

Leanne M Penfold Secretary