Students from Kindergarten to Year 6 visited the Life Education Van last Wednesday, 27th August, 2014.

Principal’s Report – Week 8

Healthy Harold’s Life Education Van visited our school last Wednesday for Preschool to Primary students, and our Secondary students were very Jealous. I decided to visit Healthy Harold myself for the very first time and I found it to be a most interesting learning experience, with a variety of motivating activities to keep everyone engaged. At least I didn’t have any dirty underpants thrown at me!
Congratulations to our PSSA Western Region competitors last Friday in Dubbo. Sarah Penfold has made the State Competition in shot-put and discus – an excellent effort!

Good luck to our Year 11 students as they complete their Final Year 11 Exams in the last two weeks of this term. These exams will be their final assessment tasks for the Preliminary Course. They are due to start their HSC Course next Term.

This week is SASS Recognition Week. Yesterday, the teaching staff organised a Morning Tea to say a very big "Thank You" to the staff that work in the office, our classrooms and on the school grounds. Those that don’t work here on a Monday will also be thanked in a similar way. They are all important contributors to the success of the school and our children’s education.

We are currently looking at acceptable explanations for absences. I am including this information so that we are all on the same track. The NSW Department of Education and Communities Student Attendance Policy states that acceptable explanations for student absences include:

1. Sick
   The student’s absence is due to sickness or as the result of a medical or paramedical appointment in these cases:
   - a medical certificate is provided or
   - the absence was due to sickness and the Principal accepts this explanation.
   Principals may request a medical certificate in addition to explanations if the explanation is doubted or the duration of the absence is more than four days.

2. Leave
   Leave is recorded where a student’s absence is due to reasons accepted by the Principal. This may be due to:
   - misadventure or unforeseen event
   - participation in special events not related to the school
   - domestic necessity such as serious illness of an immediate family member
   - attendance at funerals
   - recognised religious festivals or ceremonial occasions.

   Leave is limited to 15 days in a school year and the explanation of the absence must be accepted by the Principal.

Contacting the school
Please contact the school for further information. I am available to meet with parents/ guardians.

Thank you,
Lisa Varjavandi
Relieving Principal

QUANDIALLA P.&C. GENERAL MEETING:
THURSDAY, 4TH SEPTEMBER, 2014
7.30 p.m. at the Bland Hotel, Quandialla

Agenda: Preparations for the Centenary
K-6 NEWS

BLAND SPORTS 2014
Notes have gone out today with information about the Bland Sports. We really need helpers to assist with the running of the events so please choose where you would like to help out and return the forms tomorrow. As we are competing as Quandialla School students should wear Gold sports shirts.

WESTERN PSSA ATHLETICS
Congratulations to Sarah Penfold who placed 3rd in her age in both the shot put and the discus at the Western PSSA Area Athletics Carnival in Dubbo last Friday. Sarah now goes on to the State Carnival in Sydney early in Term 4. Haylee, Hayden and Angus all ran well in their races and we are very proud of them for representing our school.

LIFE EDUCATION VAN VISIT
The Life Education Van visit was a great success last week. The children in K/1/2 tell me that they did learn things in Harold’s Heroes. 3/4/5/6 learnt all about smoking and its effects on the body.

THE MELBOURNE CUP AT BEN HALLS CAVE
Next Wednesday, the Melbourne Cup is coming to Grenfell and out to the Mountain. The School students have been invited to have a picnic up at Ben Halls Cave Picnic Area and see the Cup. We are planning a walk up to Flat Rock, some bush cricket and some horse races perhaps. Notes will go out this week.

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING (PBL)
The focus in PBL lessons across the school is Bullying. To date we have looked at bullying in general and then verbal bullying. This week we move onto physical bullying and then in the weeks ahead, emotional bullying, strategies to deal with bullies and cyberbullying.

3/4/5/6 AUTOBIOGRAPHIES
After studying Li Cunxin’s, The Peasant Prince which is an autobiography, the students in years 3/4/5/6 have been gathering information about their own lives and writing their autobiographies. We have been word processing these in Word and we aim to produce a bound booklet. Students have been asked to gather photos to insert into their books. Students may bring these in on a USB or if they are in hard copy (photo form) bring in the photos and we will have them scanned at school. Some students could benefit from a little help from home as progress is very slow in class.

Wendy Robinson – Assistant Principal
FORBES CHILD DENTAL CLINIC

will be visiting
QUANDIALLA CENTRAL SCHOOL
on
TUESDAY, 9TH SEPTEMBER, 2014

Permission Notes were sent home last week. If you require a new note please contact the front office, during school hours.

FORBES CHILD DENTAL CLINIC

EAT WELL

DRINK WELL

CLEAN WELL
BRUSH TWICE A DAY FOR A HEALTHY SMILE

HOW DO I CONTACT THE DENTAL CLINIC

OUR ADDRESS IS
BROWNE ST.
FORBES...IN THE GROUNDS
OF THE
FORBES PUBLIC SCHOOL

PLEASE CALL:
1300 55 26 26
1300 55 22 08

PLAY WELL

STAY WELL

WHAT CAN WE DO FOR YOU?
FREE PREVENTATIVE & RESTORATIVE DENTISTRY, FILLINGS, EXTRACTIONS
SOMEONE TO TALK TO ABOUT DENTAL HEALTH FOR YOUR CHILDREN
FREE READING INFORMATION ON DENTAL HEALTH
WE WILL GREET YOU WITH A HEALTHY SMILE

WHO IS ELIGIBLE
ALL CHILDREN 0 TO 18 YEARS

HOPE TO SEE YOU SOON
THANK YOU TO OUR SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT STAFF
at Quandialla Central School

On 1st September, Year 11 students Theresa Kessey and Maryanne Wright took over being staff members in the front office for SASS (School Administrative Support Staff), so that Mrs Ray, Mrs Gault and Mrs Kelly could attend the morning tea in thanks for their hard work and dedication to this job. Theresa and Maryanne would like to say a big thanks to all the SASS staff members who have dedicated their time to Quandialla Central School.  

Maryanne Wright

Left to right: Paul Harris, Jennifer Kelly, Narelle Gault, Marlene Millar, Di Piefke and Regina Ray.

CANTEEN NEWS & ROSTER

Term 3 – 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:

| 3rd Sept. | - | Tracy Penfold |
| 10th Sept. | - | Kim Broomby |
| 17th Sept. | - | Jodi Atkins |

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.
Interviews with Kindergarten to Year 6 students

He’s funny. He also gives me encouragement to race in cross country and athletic events. 
*Haylee Bridger*

He’s fun. Dad takes me places and helps me. 
*Angus Kelly*

He tickles me and he gives me kisses. 
*Summer Dixon*

He’s always been there for me, and he loves me. 
*Ellie Kessey-Francis*

He’s turning 31, and he does lots of things for me.
Dad lets me go places and he is a good family member. 
*Breanna Daley*

He takes me for rides around the farm and he takes me to check the sheep.
Sometimes he takes me on the tractor. 
*Dana Yerbury*

He buys me food, and he gives me a double on his motorbike.
He gives me money. 
*Tyson Lahay*

He’s fun. 
*Hugh Nowlan*

Dad’s good. Dad gives me money. 
*Monty Ryan*

He has a good sense of humour. 
*William Dixon*
He’s fun, and he let’s me help with the sheep work.

*Sarah Penfold*

Dad always helps me with things, and always plays with me.
He is a fun Dad and he comes down on Saturday and Sundays to play.

*Lucas McAlister*

He is nice and he has a motor bike.
Dad also helps me and he is fun.

*Brenton Lahay*

He gives me money.

*Jake Lahay*

He’s fun.

*Hugh Nowlan*

He loves me, and he spoils me. Dad goes to work for me.

*Emily Amey*

He goes crazy on the motorbike and he is lots of fun.

*Reuben Ryan*

He always plays with me and helps me. Dad also buys things for me.

*Hayden Bridger*

Dad is fun, loving, caring and he fixes things for us all.
We always have fun with Dad and Mum’s families.

*Jarrod Lahay*

He makes nice meals.

Zachary Broomby

**HAPPY FATHERS’ DAY**

to all our Special Fathers on
Sunday, 7th September, 2014
BLAND SPORTS CARNIVAL

Friday, 5th September, 2014
at
Quandialla Central School

CANTEEN MENU

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Thank you for supporting Quandialla P.&C.

ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL SPORT

Active After School Sport has finished for Term 3, and will recommence in Term 4, Week 3.

For further information on A.A.S.S. please contact Mrs Cathy Rowland.
BLAND SPORTS CARNIVAL

Friday, 5th September, 2014
at
Quandialla Central School

The Bland Sports Carnival will be held on Friday 5th September, at Quandialla Central School.

The carnival will commence at 9.00 a.m. however children will need to be at the oval by 8.50 a.m. The day will end at approximately 3.15 p.m.

To help cover the cost of the various awards entry to the carnival will be $1.00 per person with a maximum of $4.00 per family. Pre-schoolers will be admitted free.

Events such as Bland Sports require a great deal of assistance to enable the day to run smoothly. It would therefore be appreciated if parents could complete the slip attached to indicate if they can help out on the day and their job preference. Please return this slip to school by Wednesday 3rd SEPTEMBER, 2014.

In the event of adverse weather a decision as to running the carnival will be announced on radio stations 1350 AM and 93.9 FM. Principals will also be notified prior to 7.30 a.m. on the day.

There will be no specified time for lunch. Canteen facilities will be available.

Please complete the permission form attached and parent helpers slip and return to school by Wednesday 3rd September, 2014.

Mrs Wendy Robinson,
Bland Sports Carnival Co-ordinator.

QUANDIALLA P.&C. ASSOCIATION

QUANDIALLA CENTENARY – HELPERS REQUIRED:

The Quandialla P.&C. Association are looking for helpers for the Centenary weekend. If you are able to assist at either the following events, please telephone Leanne Penfold – 0447485986.

* Bush Dance – Saturday evening, 4th October (serving soft drinks)
* Lunch – Sunday, 5th October (preparation and serving lunches at the school)

Any help would be greatly appreciated, even if it’s just for 1 hour.

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BLAND SPORTS CARNIVAL 2014

PERMISSION TO ATTEND BLAND SPORTS CARNIVAL
To be returned by Wednesday 3rd September, 2014

My child/children ____________________________________ will be attending the Bland Sports on Friday 5th September, at Quandialla Central School.

My child/children will not be attending and I understand I will need to apply for leave of absence from school for this date. □

Name: _______________________________ Date: __________________________

Contact Phone Number: ________________________________

HELPERS FOR THE CARNIVAL
To be returned by Wednesday 3rd September, 2014

I am available to help at the Bland Sports Carnival on Friday 5th September, 2014 at Quandialla Central School. My preferences are:

Timekeeping _______ Long Jump _______
High Jump _______ Discus _______
Shotput _______ Infant Novelties _______
Ball Games _______ Judges _______
Starter _______ Relay Changes: _______

Please number first 2 preferences ONLY, with 1 being first choice)

Name: _______________________________ Date: __________________________

Contact Phone Number: ________________________________
COMMUNITY NEWS

ST. MARK’S ANGLICAN CHURCH SERVICES:
St. Mark’s services will be held on the first Sunday of the month at 5.00 pm or 6.00 pm daylight saving time.
All Most Welcome.

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.

ST. BRIGID’S CATHOLIC CHURCH SERVICES – 2014:
Please note: Quandialla and Bribbaree Masses will be held on the Second Sunday of each month alternatively as of July 2014

Mass at Bribbaree 10:00 am September 14th and November 9th
Mass at Quandialla 10:00 am October 12th and December 14th
Liturgy at Quandialla 10:00 am 4th Sunday of each month

Quandialla Centenary Weekend: Fr Tony Hennessy will be celebrating Mass at Quandialla on Sunday 5th October 2014 commencing at 8:00 am

BRIBBAREE SHOW SOCIETY INC. – 88TH ANNUAL SHOW, SATURDAY, 4TH OCTOBER, 2014:
JUNIOR SHOW PAVILION PROGRAM – Craft, Cooking, Photography and a selection of Fun Sections: For all ages up to and including Year 12. Every exhibitor will receive a gift.

Entries may be made through the following School’s (Bribbaree, Quandialla, Caragabal and Maimuru) by 12 noon Friday, 19th September, 2014 (last day of Term 3), or delivered to the Bribbaree Showground Junior Pavilion by 12 noon on Friday, 3rd October, 2014. All cooking entries are to be delivered to the Bribbaree Showground Junior Pavilion by 12 noon Friday, 3rd October, 2014.

For further information please contact: The Secretary, Bribbaree Show Society on (02) 6383 2256.

Please Note: Quandialla Central School has a copy of the ‘Junior Pavilion’ Program, for any interested exhibitors to view, during school hours.

FRESH PRODUCE SALE:
A dozen fresh free range eggs $6.00, a kilo of smoked bacon $12.00 and a kilo of Weddin Farm lamb sausages $20.00.

Please ring: Jodie 0420524551 or Vanessa 0429 120 978
CWA of NSW QUANDIALLA BRANCH – SOUTH WEST GROUP:

Phillip Group Scholarship:
Application forms for the Phillip Group Scholarship are available from the front office at Quandialla Central School, during school hours. Please call in for an application form and return completed to the front office by 3.00 p.m. Friday, 17th October, 2014.

No late entries will be accepted. Thank you.
THE BEST HOLIDAYS HAPPEN AT CAMP – NSW SPORT AND RECREATION:
Choose from over 30 exhilarating camps at 10 locations across NSW these school holidays. Our Sport and Recreation Centres offer over 40 activities for kids aged 5 to 16 years. Try your hand at fishing, mountain biking, kayaking, abseiling, crafts, cooking or flying fox. You’re sure to find a camp the kids will love.

Kids' Camps from $45.00 per day.

BORAMBOLA SPORT AND RECREATION CENTRE: SPORTS CRAZY:
29th September – 3rd October, 2014 (10-13 years) - $295.00
Join us on a five day fun-filled camp where you’ll try a range of sports and activities that provide loads of fun for the Spring school holidays. Sports may include rugby league, cricket, gymnastics/circus skills, softball, bowls, ultimate frisbee and netball.

Our qualified coaches and instructors will make sure you get the most out of this fantastic holiday camp. All sports and activities are tailored for boys and girls and are guaranteed to provide loads of fun.

Home to Enrol: Phone: 13 13 02
Online: www.dsr.nsw.gov.au

GAME ON! SPRING SCHOOL HOLIDAY SPORTS PROGRAM:
Two fun day programs during the Spring school holidays providing participants with the opportunity to spend the day at the Borambola Sport & Recreation Centre and try different sport and activities!

Day 1 – Archery, Softball/T. Ball and Indoor Rock Climbing – Tuesday, 30th September, 2014.

Places are limited – Booking is essential – Return the attached enrolment form with payment today or contact us on (02) 6928 4300. This is a program for girls and boys aged 8 – 11 years. Rolls are checked at the bus.

OCTOBER HOLIDAY TENNIS COACHING CLINIC - GRENFELL:
A tennis coaching clinic will again be held over the school holidays, running from Monday 22nd to Wednesday 24th September (week one of the holidays)
The tennis clinic caters for players of all levels, children as young as 5 years to 18 years.
There will be 3 time slots:
Beginners 5yrs to 8yrs (approx..) 9.00 to 11.00 am
Intermediate 8yrs and up 9.00 to 1.00 pm
Advanced (tournament level) 12.00 to 2.00 pm

The tennis club will be operating a canteen throughout the week. There will be major prizes of tennis racquets in two divisions and the club will be running a raffle throughout the week, which will be drawn at the end of the clinic.
For enrolment and further information please contact, Danny Joyce 0428436266

Age Races (Starting at 10.30 a.m.), Wirrinya Cup, Billy Boil, Tug-a-war, Novelty Events and 50/50 Raffle. FREE ENTRY

Starting 10.00 a.m. at ‘The Shed’ Wirrinya

B.B.Q. and canteen facilities available. Bring chairs and shade tents.

Directions: From Forbes head out the West Wyalong Road, turn left onto the Wirrinya Road after the service station. Go over railway line at Garema, turn right. Follow the road. At Wirrinya turn right after the white church.

Facebook: Wirrinya Progress
Come and enjoy the Agfarm Caragabal Sheep Races 2014. It's a great family fun day where every child is encouraged to join the ‘chasing of the sheep down the racetrack

- Great money prizes available through the day's events with the winner of the ‘Rams Cox Plate’ receiving a whopping $500
- You can buy a sheep on the day in pre-race auctions or enter your own sheep (Form your own Syndicate!!)
- Try your luck at having your ticket drawn in the $2 sweeps held prior to each race

There’s something for everyone with the day's entertainment including:

- Gourmet Lamb Burgers, Spit-Roast Lamb Rolls, Cake stall
- Kids entertainment and ‘Lolly Drop’ from a plane
- Local ‘Quick Shear’ Competition

Evening entertainment: Live band ‘Lawson Shire’ from 6pm

Caragabal Country Golf Club
Mid Western Highway Caragabal

Gates open: 11:30 am        Entry: $10 per adult
First race: 12.30pm        $5 per child at school

Full bar and canteen available all day.
EFTPOS facilities available throughout the day

Marquees for hire from $285
For bookings call Daniel: 0404 000 334

For more information please visit www.visitcaragabal.com.au
or like our page at www.facebook.com/CaragabalSheepRaces

STRICTLY NO BYO ALCOHOL
Quandialla Centenary Art Show

4th 5th 6th October, 2014 at Quandialla Central School Cola

We invite local and ex-local artists to exhibit their work for display during the Quandialla Centenary weekend. No entry fees. No limit to numbers of works.

Paintings / Drawings

- All work must be clean and ready to hang with screws or D rings and wires attached.
- Each entry must have: Name and address of artist, Title, medium and price on the back of the work
- 10% commission to be paid to the Centenary Committee on all works sold.
- Artist must cover their own insurance and transport costs.
- All work must be the original work of the artist and not breach any other artist’s copyright.
- All work must be in sound condition and pose no danger to the public.

There will be a special prize of $50 for the best echidna painting/drawing.

Echidna Sculpture Competition

- Construction can be of any materials e.g. metal, timber, clay, fabric, cardboard, paper, plastics or combinations thereof.
- Prizes will be awarded in the following categories:
  
  S1: Under 12 years, S2: High School students, S3: Adults, S4: Pensioners

  A special award of $50 will be given for the best echidna made from recycled materials

- All sculptures must be in sound condition and pose no threat to the public.

All ENTRIES CLOSE ON FRIDAY 19TH September, 2014

Contacts; Judy McAlister 0263 471243 FAX 0263 471143 EMAIL McFarms@hotmail.com.au

OR Lynell Reeves 0263 471211 EMAIL rlcurrawong@gmail.com
Entry Form

Exhibitor’s Name…………………………………………………………………………………………

Address………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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Ph............................................................. Mob...........................................................

Email.................................................................................................................................

First column put P for painting or S1, S2, S3 or S4 for sculpture plus age category.

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I certify that my entries are my own work and that they pose no threat to the public. I understand that insurance of my work is my responsibility and that the Quandialla Centenary Committee will deduct a commission of 10% of sales.

NAME (printed)..........................................................................................................................

SIGNATURE..................................................................................................................................

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Grain Storage Workshops
presented by
Peter Botta

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Breakfast will be provided at morning meetings, refreshments at afternoon meetings and lunch at Tichbourne.

Please bring a chair with you

For more info or directions phone Katrina:
Email or sms name & location to 0408 386 202 or nsw@partnersingrain.org.au

- Principles of grain storage
- Grain storage options – advantages and disadvantages
- Grain storage treatments and their uses
- Using silos and grain bags successfully
- Preventing and controlling weevils in stored grain
- Aerating grain for cooling and drying
- Pressure testing silos
- Storing pulses and oilseeds

Peter has 21 years of experience working with on-farm grain storage. Peter specialises in the practical issues associated with grain storage, including the risks associated with storing grain for both on farm use and the domestic and export market.

The workshop is part of the GRDC grain storage extension project and is possible due to the support of Kotzur.