



Term 3 2016, Edition 4

August 2016

P&C Federation Upcoming Forum

Thursday 1 September 2016

Where: Wyong Rugby League Club, 40 Lake Haven Dr, Kanwal - **Time:** 6.30pm – 9.30pm

To register for a forum go online now: www.pandc.org.au/index.php/forumrego

For further information call Debbie: 1300 885 982 or email projects@pandc.org.au

Help a family like yours: Legacy Week Aug 28 – Sept 3

Legacy merchandise (badges, pens and the very popular Legacy bears) will be available during Legacy Week.

To make a donation or volunteer your time visit www.legacy.com.au

Read how [Legacy helps families](#) with kids.

When: Sunday 28 August to Saturday 3 September 2016

"If I didn't get Legacy I don't know if we'd still be a family unit"



Help a Mate by Asking "R U OK?"

A conversation could save a life

Asking "are you ok?" Take it into the classroom and make a difference!

Give teenagers the tools to start conversations regularly so they are the generation that transforms the way we look out for anyone struggling with life.

Years 7-12, Classroom toolboxes. [Download the toolbox](#) (R U OK at school)

"Have regular, meaningful conversations about life's ups and downs"

National RUOK? Day 8 September 2016



RUOK?

Youth Advisory Council

Seeking young people from all over the state, and all backgrounds.

YAC is asking you to encourage young people to have a direct impact on NSW Government, 12 places on the [Youth Advisory Council](#).

Anyone can have a say. Encourage your child to make a difference:

www.acyp.nsw.gov.au/engage

"Your life does not get better by chance, it gets better by change"

Who: Ages 12 - 24 living in NSW

When: closes Fri 30 Sept 2016

a cyp Advocate for Children and Young People

St George – Grant Opportunity

Grant funding of up to \$50,000 each

St. George Foundation is calling on community organisations who make brighter futures for children. Find out about the process and apply [St George Foundation](#)

When: closes 30 September 2016.



Congratulations Ballina High's Jenique Sines

2016 Aboriginal Student of the Year Award for the Ballina electorate

Tamara Smith, State Member for Ballina, presented Jenique with her award saying "Jenique is involved in many social and academic activities that support community". Jenique has her sights on studying engineering at university after she graduates from Ballina High School.

Full story: [Ballina Shire Advocate](#)



The Great Aussie Book swap

Andy Griffiths, author of "The 52-Storey Tree House" says: "The Great Book Swap is a win-win. Not only does it help raise money to improve literacy levels in remote communities, but the excitement and fun that a book swap generates will help improve literacy in your community or organisation as well!"

"Raise money to improve literacy levels in remote communities..."

Andy Griffiths, Ambassador

When: Wednesday 7 September 2016 How: [organise a book swap](#) at your school



Last year, schools and businesses all over Australia raised \$180,000

Barnardos Achieve Funding

Grants of up to \$5,000

Barnardos know that many children struggle to receive a good education and cannot access the most basic resources that can be key to unlocking their true potential. Help with; Material assistance (uniforms, resources), children with grief, children of the incarcerated or mentally ill, medical costs, and educational enhancement programs.

More info: <http://www.barnardoshelps.org.au/achieve/>

Closes: Fri 30 Sept 2016



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in
children.

New Degrees that Inspire Innovation

Preparing students for a bright future

University of Newcastle (UON) is bringing students exciting new initiatives that inspire innovation. New degrees in 2017:

- The Bachelor of Innovation and Entrepreneurship; think creatively and critically in a business environment.
- The Bachelor of Creative Industries; with subjects on business skills

Recently undertaken: \$100 million investment in secure, affordable and comfortable student housing. [More information](#)

"Innovation comes from creating environments where ideas can connect"



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