Mary English (Johnson) 1929-2009 was the youngest of eight children born to Herb and Amy English from Kiamba. Mary and her siblings went to Kiamba School which was a three mile walk from their hilltop home. Being a very

Gail Johnson (Bruton) I started Year 1 at Yandina State School in 1966. I couldn’t understand why kids were crying on the first day when I was so excited to be there. My sister and I

My two favourite teachers were Mrs Hatchman, my Year 1, 2 and 3 teacher, and Mr Wilson, our headmaster who taught us singing and took us to lots of eisteddfods. I played the fife in the school band. When Yandina town turned 100 we sat on the back of a truck for the street parade and played our hearts out. There is a hole in the middle of the parade ground that has a