**Help Pack Santa’s Sack**

Once again we will be assisting AC Care in helping people who will not be able to celebrate Christmas because they can’t afford presents or put food on the table for their children.

We would like to help this year by collecting non-perishable food or cash to assist a charity in Murray Bridge this Christmas.

The front office can accept them anytime now or they can be placed under the tree. Cash donations are also greatly appreciated and may be handed into the front office.

As well as gifts of food or money we will still collect suitable gifts for children (unwrapped). There will be boxes under the tree in which to place these gifts.

Please support as much as you are able, as it is always very much appreciated and supports needy people in the community.

Thank you!

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**SECOND HAND CLOTHES**

Are you leaving our school? Do you have any MBSPS uniforms that you would like to donate for our second hand cupboard? If so, please drop them into the front office. Any donations will be gratefully appreciated.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Any unclaimed clothing from the Lost Property Box will be given to charity at the end of the term.

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**LIBRARY NEWS - LOST BOOKS!!**

We have a number of books that have not been returned to the Library. Could all families please have a good look around at home to see if you have any of these, to avoid being charged a replacement fee.

A reminder that ALL BOOKS need to be returned to the Library by Friday, 9th December.

If you are expecting to leave Murray Bridge South Primary School at the end of this year and not returning in 2017, could you please let your class teacher or the front office staff know. Thankyou.

**NOTE:** On Wednesday 14th December, students will be bringing home Reports and will be told which class they are in for 2017. On Friday 16th, from 10.25am to 10.45am students will visit their 2017 classes and meet their teacher.

Thank you Morning Tea for volunteers next Tuesday 6th December 9:15am—9:45am in the Activity Room.

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**COMMUNITY NOTICES**

- Female Football-Imperials Football Club Come “N” Try Women’s Football, 6th December 5.30pm - 6.30pm at Johnstone Park, Imperials Football Club. Bring appropriate sport attire, runners/blocs, water bottle and excitement. Kellie Gibson from the Adelaide Football Club will help run the session.
- Email shaneandsonmarcho@hotmail.com or phone Sonja 0400 284 468.
- YMCA Summer Holiday Camps: YMCA Holiday Camps are very popular and places are limited. Contact 8406 2900 or campingsa@ymca.org.au for more details.

**COMMENTS**

“Hall of Fame Reader for Life-8 years” awards:

- Letisha (C4)
- Tyler (C3)
- Baylee (C3)

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**WELL DONE TO ALL STUDENTS WHO PARTICIPATED!**

Year 7 transition to the High School is on Thursday 8th December. Students need to meet at the High School outside the front office at 8:50am. School finishes at 3:10pm. Students do not come to Murray Bridge South that day. They will meet their teachers at the High School.
INTRODUCING SUE SIFA.
Hello everyone!
I’m really pleased to be coming to Murray Bridge South School next year as the Coordinator of Interventions.
For the last 9 years I’ve been Principal of 2 small schools, the first four years in the Northern Territory and for the last five years at Raukkan Aboriginal School. I’m really looking forward to bringing the skills I’ve developed around learning, especially literacy and numeracy, and supporting children who find learning difficult.
My goal is that all children achieve their full potential. For me this means working with staff and families to support each child to link them with programs which can make this possible.
My husband and I have been married for 37 happy years. We have 2 adult children and 2 grandchildren.

STUART KITTO
Principal
Murray Bridge South
Primary School
Every face has a place

PARENTS/CARERS COFFEE ‘N CHAT
B BLOCK EVERY MONDAY MORNING
AFTER SCHOOL DROP OFF to 10:00AM
ALL WELCOME!

WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY AWARD WINNERS: Friday 25th November 2016

ON FRIDAY 11TH NOVEMBER THE JUST2DEADLY AWARDS WERE HELD IN THE MURRAY BRIDGE TOWN HALL. CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR YEAR 7 ABORIGINAL STUDENTS, JEREMY, JADYN, BAYLEE, JASMINE, ART AND NAKITA!
Pictured with the students are MBSPS ACEO’s Carolyn and Verlaine.

Canteen Special
Wednesday 30th November to Friday 9th December
DIP SNACK PACK + OAK MILK $4.00
Please note due to only 2½ weeks left of school, the canteen will be running stocks down, therefore some items may be unavailable.

XMAS COOKIES will be available for $1.00 for the rest of this term.

WEDNESDAY 7TH DECEMBER will be a SAUSAGE SIZZLE SPECIAL for RECESS. 1 x sausage and bread $1.50

LAST DAY OF TERM: CHIPS & GRAVY $3.50

NEXT YEAR THE SCHOOL WILL NO LONGER SUPPLY FREE LUNCH BAGS. YOU WILL BE ABLE TO PURCHASE LUNCH BAGS FROM THE CANTEEN. 10 BAGS for 30c. OR ALTERNATIVELY PURCHASE YOUR OWN BAGS CHEAPER FROM ELSEWHERE (eg WOOLWORTHS $2.60/100 bags). IF LUNCH ORDERS ARE NOT WRITTEN ON LUNCH BAGS, FOOD WILL BE PLACED IN BASKETS IN LIMITED BAGGING. EXAMPLE: A PIE WILL BE IN A PIE BAG ONLY.

ANNETTE THOMSON (Canteen Manager)

2016 MURRAY BRIDGE PAGEANT
Thank you to everyone involved in the Christmas Pageant. We had a wonderful time and saw lots of our school community along the way.

Karen