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MEDIA ALERT

MURRAY HIGH INVOLVED IN NATIONAL & GLOBAL YOUTH SERVICE DAY

Entire student body to participate in service learning projects

April 24, 2007, Murray, UT – Millions of youth will participate in National & Global Youth Service Day, the largest service event in the world. National & Global Youth Service Day supports youth on a life-long path of service and civic engagement. **From 9:10 to 10:25 a.m., Thursday, April 26, all Murray High students will gather in their assigned TEAM groups to participate in this service learning event.**

The Murray High School TEAM committee worked with the school PTA and local community organizations to create a list of service projects that can be accomplished in a short time period with relatively little cost. The cost for all project materials will be provided by the school or through donations from community organizations. Activities will include:

- Reading to 1st graders
- Kit flying with 2nd graders
- Decorating food boxes used to deliver food from the Utah Food Bank
- Coloring sets of ABC's to be sent overseas to schools in need
- Felt hearts for hospitals to give children prior to surgery
- Doggy blankets for the Humane Society
- Recording books on tape for kindergarten students at the Utah School for the Blind
- Making pillows for kindergarten students at the Utah School for the Blind
- Delivering flowers to the elderly
- Beautifying school grounds
- Working together to meet many more community needs through service.

Each of the 66 TEAM group consists of about 25 students from the same grade level, assigned to a specific teacher who serves as their TEAM Coach. Students remain with their Academic Coaches throughout their education at Murray High. TEAM groups meet Thursdays for 30 minutes to discuss school policies, testing, personal skills, and individual goals. During this time, the Academic Coach monitors their assigned student's progress. School credit is given for meeting course requirements.

Murray High School Counselor Becky Anderson is the school contact for the event – 246-7400; email banderson@murrayschools.org. (Schedule included below.)

Under the direction of Murray School's Board of Education, the mission the Murray School District is to work in partnership with the community in the education of youth in a changing society. Richard R. Tranter is superintendent and chief executive officer of Murray School District; Scott Bushnell is Murray High School principal; Dolph Church and Deborah Sorensen are assistant principals.

(Revised April 24th)

MHS SERVICE DAY - APRIL 26, 2007
9:10 AM – 10:25 AM

BOOK BUDDIES @ Parkside 1st Graders	BOOK BUDDIES @ Horizon 1st Graders	FLY A KITE @ Parkside 2nd Graders	FLY A KITE @ Horizon 2nd Graders	KITES @ Daycare
Waite (19) 9:15 LeBaron (24) 10:00 B. Moore (15) 9:30 Saxton (25) 10:15 Bus #10 over Return on Bus #12	Blanco (20) 9:15 Peterson (20) 10:00 J. Hatch (22) 9:30 Hancey (22) 10:15 Board Bus #11	Hanson (19) 9:15 Stokes (20) 10:00 Hartman (16) 9:30 Pehrson (22) 10:15 Board Bus #12 3 classes on return	Aragon (19) 9:15 L.White (18) 10:00 Wihongi (16) 9:30 Knudsen(25) 10:15 Board Bus #13	Butler (18) Davis (23)

MHS FLOWERS Commons Area PTA Sponsored	QUILTS Big Gym PTA Sponsored	FOOD BOXES In Classes	RECORD Kids Books Band Room	INDIVIDUAL PROJECTS Meet in TEAM rooms
Kasparian(20) Drake (23) Georgelas (14) Gibbs (18) Huff (20) Wheeler (25)	Thackeray (24) Hokansen (23) Bulson (25) Parker (27) Meier (19) Green (22) 8 quilting frames PTA will arrive at 8:15am to setup	LLOYD (20) Westberg (19) Scott (24) 2 bundles of BOXES for each class. Decorate, paint, markers, for the elderly	R. Wilson (19) Wilson needs To have 6 Recorders. 6 groups of 3 Each group Records 4 Books each (24 books)	Beh (17) Trick my wheelchair DeShazo (23): School kits Drury (26): Paint Gatenby (21): Paint Mayo (18): Paint Scheidell (29) Knit beanies Morgan (18) & J. Wilson: Wentworth (8325 S Highland Dr) *Christy Love 733-6363 +Deliver flowers to elderly Moffett (16): FILMING

ABCs In Classes	CRAFT KITS In Classes or library	FELT HEARTS In Classes	PLANTING FLOWERS @ Hillcrest Jr High	DOG BLANKETS In Classes
NACKOS (23) Helms (24) Jones (21) Christensen (13) McSwain (13) Perry (21) Nielsen (15)	FOLEY (25) McMillan (19) Thompson (17) Wood (21)	BARLOW (27) Hatch (22) Heaton (21) Spackman (20) Smith (21) R. White (18) Fidel (23)	H. MOORE (26) MacDonald (21)	SPENCER (26) Brown (23) Shewmake (19) Hathaway (24) Spencer delivered Instruction sheets, fabric, patterns, ribbon, scissors & Tags for blankets

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