

media release

SA Metropolitan Fire Service



Wrapped up in the spirit of Christmas

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The spirit of Christmas is alive and well at the Metropolitan Fire Service (MFS), with firefighters lending a hand wrapping Christmas presents for the public to raise money for Camp Quality.

Camp Quality Area Manager, Julie Burford, says, "Camp Quality is a non profit organisation that is committed to bringing hope and happiness to every child living with cancer, their families and communities.

"Camp Quality volunteers are offering a gift-wrapping service for the public at Harbour Town every day in the lead up to Christmas, in return for a \$2 donation to the organisation," Ms Burford says.

MFS firefighters will join other volunteers in wrapping presents on behalf of Camp Quality for shoppers at Harbour Town, Tapleys Hill Road, West Beach on **Monday 22 December between 1.00 pm and 2.30 pm.**

"Camp Quality is glad to have the support of the MFS in this fundraising venture. Firefighters already do so much for the community and it's humbling to see them go that extra mile for children and families in need," Ms Burford says.

MFS Senior Firefighter, Joe Beshara says, "We encourage shoppers to stop by and take advantage of the gift-wrapping service. Their donations will make such a difference to the lives of so many children."

Every single cent that is donated to the gift-wrapping service will go to Camp Quality, which supports over 5 000 families across Australia each year.

EVENT: MFS firefighters help Camp Quality volunteers with gift-wrapping for shoppers.

TIME: Monday 22 December between 1.00 pm and 2.30 pm.

LOCATION: Harbour Town, Tapleys Hill Road, West Beach.

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