

RIVERLAND CHRISTMAS APPEAL



GRANT Hall (left) and Barry Harden (right) from the Waikerie Rotary Club are presented with a Certificate of Appreciation from Jo-anne Cain (Waikerie Community Centre) for Rotary's generous donation towards the Riverland Christmas appeal.

Waikerie's generosity

The Waikerie community have not only been generous but also very creative in the ways they raised money for the 2008 Riverland Christmas appeal.

A total of \$4,800 has been donated to the Waikerie Community Centre for the Christmas Appeal, with over 80 families and single people in Waikerie receiving Christmas hampers and 500 throughout the Riverland.

The Waikerie High School and BankSA staff put the fun into fundraise.

Waikerie High School's year nine SOSE class studied "Volunteering in the Community" and as a class decided to raise money for the Christmas Appeal by selling chocolates, guess the jelly beans in the jar competition, a casual beach day, drink sales, savoury food day and a delicious food from around

the world day. Five hundred dollars was raised from the student's initiatives.

Waikerie High School's SRC also donated seven boxes of food and toys and cash of \$50.85

Bank SA staff raised \$300 with a fancy dress day for staff for Halloween and received the donations from both staff and customers.

Rotary Club of Waikerie donated \$1,500 and the Rotary Club of Waikerie's Opportunity Shop Committee raised and donated \$2,500.

Many donations from members of the public of food items and toys were delivered to the Community Support Centre over the last month.

The staff at the Waikerie Community Centre would like to thank everyone who in any way donated to the Riverland Christmas Appeal.

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