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Welcome to the December 2012 edition of "SRNS Today."

December is a great month at SRS. It's our tradition to remember those in our community who need a helping hand, and our employees' generosity shines like lights on a Christmas tree.

One of the ways they help is through the annual Toys for Tots campaign. I was touched by the sea of bikes, dolls, train sets, rocking horses and other toys donated by our employees in this Sitewide effort, and SRNS is always pleased to add our corporate contribution to the cause. Hopefully, these donations will allow hundreds of local girls and boys to have a brighter and merrier Christmas this year. For photos and a story about the Toys for Tots campaign, please see Pages 4 and 5.

SRNS is also happy to participate in other philanthropic opportunities during December. We're funding the SRNS Scholars program at USC Aiken with a \$50,000 gift (see Page 3). Our SRNS parent companies have also donated a total of \$50,000 to five area nonprofit organizations who have been struggling financially during the economic downturn. Please see Page 6 for more details.

Even amid all the holiday distractions, our employees focus on safety. This month, workers at the Waste Solidification Building construction site took a moment to reflect on both their outstanding safety performance and the progress made on the facility, which will process waste from the MOX facility. For more on this achievement, please see Page 6.

I hope you enjoy this edition of "SRNS Today." As always, thank you for your interest in Savannah River Nuclear Solutions, and may your New Year be safe, happy and prosperous.



Savannah River Nuclear Solutions, LLC, is a Fluor-led company whose members are Fluor Federal Services, Newport News Nuclear and Honeywell. Since August 2008, SRNS has been the management and operating contractor for the Savannah River Site, a Department of Energy-owned site near Aiken, South Carolina, including the Savannah River National Laboratory. The SRNS corporate and community offices are located in the renovated 1912 "Old Post Office" building in Aiken, S.C.

The primary initiatives of SRNS are national security, clean energy and environmental stewardship.

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SRNS supports USC Aiken students with a \$50,000 donation to the SRNS Scholars Program

SRNS has given a \$50,000 gift to USC Aiken in support of the SRNS Scholars program.

SRNS senior management met with the scholarship recipients during a reception held in late November.

The SRNS Scholars program was established in 2009 and provides scholarships for academically talented students. The students and their parents were honored at a recent reception at USC Aiken with SRNS senior management.

"SRNS is committed to encouraging education, and these scholarships will advance these students' abilities to pursue their studies," said Dwayne Wilson, SRNS President and CEO.

The first year scholarship recipients are Chivtravati Choony of Aiken, Steven Coffey of North Augusta, Carson Connor of Aiken, Raymond Parkman of Trenton, Bethany Sizemore of Beech Island, Kayce Vanpelt of Aiken, Madelyn Wasden of North Augusta, Linda Zheng of Aiken, Melissa Lane of Summerville, Anna Holt of Aiken, Samantha Lisek of Zebulon and Shelby Simmons of North Augusta.

The second year scholarship recipients are Timothy Boerste of North Augusta, Shelby Bunker of Aiken, Bradley Carson of Williston, Morgan Enlow of North Augusta, Sommer Farmer of Aiken, Wilson Haddock of Cordova, Krista Herndon of Graniteville, Amanda Jones of Clarks Hill, Michael Hornsby of Aiken, Stetson Turner of North Augusta and Shelby Weathersbee of Aiken.



Dr. Paul Deason, Deputy Director of SRNS Support Services, talks with one of the SRNS Scholars recipients at USC Aiken.

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SRNS executives pose with the recipients of SRNS scholarships at USC Aiken.

Toys *for* Tots



SRNS President and CEO Dwayne Wilson (right), along with Julie Kirby, SRS Toys for Tots Chair (left) and Donna Bridges, Vice Chair, present a check to Staff Sergeant Stephen Reid, U.S. Marine Corps, for \$5,000 from SRNS.



Mr. Wilson lends a hand in loading toys on trucks. SRNS employees were proud to participate with the entire Savannah River Site in providing thousands of toys and bicycles for a brighter Christmas for area children.



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SRNS employees were among the many at SRS celebrating more than 20 years of supporting the U.S. Marine Reserves Toys for Tots campaign with the collection of more than 14,200 toys this year alone.

SRS Toys for Tots Chair Julie Kirby said, "Our hearts go out to area parents in need, many of whom consist of the working poor and single mothers. This time of year they need a little help to provide a gift to brighten Christmas day for their children. Many of these families have been hit hard by the continuing recession."

The Dec. 6 event marked one of the largest toy contributions to date at SRS, an effort requiring several large trucks and numerous volunteers.

The annual event is sponsored by SRS Construction employees with the support and participation of the DOE-Savannah River; National Nuclear Security Administration-Savannah River; Savannah River Remediation; URS Site Testing Contracts; WSI Savannah River Site Team; Parsons; The Augusta Building and Construction Trade Council; Baker Concrete; and SRNS. These companies and employees contribute in a variety of ways, including donating new, unwrapped toys, adopting a "Christmas Angel" or making a monetary contribution.

For the eleventh year, SRS construction employees also sponsored the Salvation Army's Angel Tree program, enabling SRS employees to adopt 170 area children. Many SRS employees chose to give more than 2,040 clothing and accessory items to Angel Tree recipients.

The history of Toys for Tots

Toys for Tots began in 1947, when Major Bill Hendricks, U.S. Marine Corps Reserves, and a group of Marine Reservists in Los Angeles collected and distributed 5,000 toys to needy children. The idea came from Bill's wife, Diane. In the fall of 1947, Diane crafted a homemade doll and asked Bill to deliver the doll to an organization, which would give it to a needy child at Christmas.

When Bill determined that no agency existed, Diane told Bill that he should start one. He did. The 1947 pilot project was so successful that the Marine Corps adopted Toys for Tots in 1948 and expanded it into a nationwide campaign.



Honors and accolades

Addis named as SRNS "Boss of the Year"

Dr. Robert Addis has been named SRNS Boss of the Year. Addis serves as the Savannah River National Laboratory (SRNL) Director of Defense Programs Technology and was nominated by his entire staff. Addis has worked at SRNL for 28 years. As head of the Defense Programs Technology Section, he oversees the Weapons Technology Group, the Materials Test Facility, and the Hydrogen Processing Group. He also takes an active role in the community and is involved in numerous service organizations, including Christ Central where he serves as a mentor for at-risk children. According to the nomination, "Dr. Addis promotes equal opportunities to each of his employees, fostering a team building philosophy. Addis encourages his team to take active roles in creating a first class service organization. He is not concerned with self-promotion or with aggrandizing. He is a man focused on the team and on their ability to complete the mission."



Dr. Robert Addis



SRNS presents total of \$50,000 to five local nonprofits experiencing financial shortages

Christmas just became brighter for thousands of area residents, both young and old, thanks to an unexpected donation of \$50,000 from SRNS' parent companies to five local nonprofit organizations—\$10,000 to each organization. The groups are able to leverage these donations to expand their ability to help deploy resources in the community.

"After years of a recession economy and a very tough year financially for us, this last-minute infusion of much-needed funding is a God-send," said Travis McNeal, Executive Director, Golden Harvest Food Bank. "With this generous donation, we've just gone from a highly critical situation to one with options. Our friends at SRNS have yet again come through for us in our greatest time of need. We just can't thank them enough."

The five organizations receiving a \$10,000 check from SRNS are Golden Harvest Food Bank, Area Churches Together Serving, Community Ministry of North Augusta, Gail Reyes Senior Center and Senior Citizens Council of Greater Augusta and the CSRA.



Waste Solidification Building workers recognized for safety and progress Workers at the SRS Waste Solidification Building (WSB) construction site gathered in December to recognize both the safety performance and the progress made on the facility, which will process waste from the MOX facility. Dennis Donati (pictured above), SRNS Senior Vice President for NNSA Operations and Programs, was one of the speakers for the observance. For fiscal year 2012, the safety record for the construction subcontractors at WSB—1.89 total recordable injuries per 200,000 hours worked—was twice as good as the U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration's recently published 2011 rate for the U.S. construction industry, and the project has only experienced one recordable injury in calendar year 2012. This safety performance was achieved while reaching a significant construction milestone with the installation of the cementation gloveboxes that are at the heart of the planned waste treatment process. Besides the glovebox installation, workers have installed over 23,000 feet of drywall, and over 11 miles of wire and cable, over seven miles of conduit, and almost four miles of piping.



Scenes of SRNS

Clarissa Gibson, an SRNS External Dosimetry technician, prepares thermoluminescent dosimeters (TLDs) for quarterly distribution. A TLD is a type of radiation dosimeter that measures ionizing radiation exposure by measuring the amount of visible light emitted from a crystal in the detector when the crystal is heated. (Photograph by Bruce Boulineau)

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