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May the Force be with you – in Tamworth

A group from the Murray Bridge Friendship Force will take a little piece of South Australia with them when they visit a fellow group in Tamworth, New South Wales.

Local MP Member for Hammond Adrian Pederick presented the travellers with a State flag to take with them and offer to their hosts in Tamworth as a token of interstate goodwill.

The Friendship Force is an international organisation that promotes world peace and understanding by creating an environment where individual friendships can be established across the boundaries and borders that separate people.

Home-hosted member exchanges occur internationally as well as nationally, providing members with the opportunity to learn about other people and cultures and pass on knowledge of their own.

The Murray Bridge branch has been in operation for some 25 years and has brought many people from different parts of the region together.

Exchange Director of the local Friendship Force Faye Menadue said the 10 members of the travelling party were looking forward to their visit to NSW where they would be billeted with fellow members for the week.

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