



Kids with cancer have fun at Mannum

MANNUM Lions recently hosted a day for kids with cancer and their families as part of the Camp Quality program.

On March 14, 70 visitors started the day with a short river cruise courtesy of River of Australia Expeditions.

For the kids the highlight of the cruise was being allowed to steer the boat and earning a 'Captain for the Day' certificate.

Back at Mary Ann Reserve everyone was treated to a barbecue lunch and icecream by the Mannum Lions Club.

The Mannum CFS then gave the children the thrill of sitting behind the wheel of the fire truck or squirting the big fire hoses.

Two face painters donated their services and added to the fun of the day.

A number of adults commented the day was not only important for the kids with cancer but also for the parents and siblings.

The event has been a regular feature of the Lions program for many years, a legacy of the late Lester



Behind the mask: Daniel Fullagar, of Blanchetown, has his face painted at the recent Mannum Lions Club Camp Quality day.

Howie who initiated the event and ran it for over a decade.

Lion Fred Lowe, who organised the day, expressed his appreciation to the 'Expeditions', the CFS and the face painters who donated their services without charge.



Having fun: Mannum Lions Club president and CFS member Barry Burdett gives kids living with cancer a turn at manning the fire hose at a recent Camp Quality program.