## March Madness is here!

## **Book Drive**

## March 18 – March 25



Murphy Elementary School will be accepting donations of new and gently used books. The books can be children or adult, fiction or non-fiction, but should be in *good* condition. **We are especially looking for children's chapter books!** The books collected will be used to expand teachers' classroom libraries and supply the book swap on Family Reading Night. Remaining books will be donated to the Family Literacy Center.

## Here's what you need to do:

**Step 1:** Go through your shelves and gather your unwanted books.

Step 2: Send your unwanted books to school the week of March 18-25

**Step 3:** Receive a coupon from your child's teacher for each book donated and SAVE your coupons.

**Step 4:** Bring your family (and your coupons) for a fun night of games, crafts, and reading on Tuesday, March 26 from 5:30-7:30. Visit the book swap to exchange your coupons for a "new" gently used book. You may still bring your unwanted books to the Family Reading Night but sending them in sooner helps us have a better organized swap.

Please let your friends and family know about the book drive. There will be a community donation box located at the school office. Any questions? Contact Lisa Schultz at 797-5537 or lisaschultz@centurytel.net.