Thank you very much for all of your contributions to our collection of lollies, chocolates and cans. Every little bit helps! ☺️

We have our final gate collection and mufti day for the year on **Friday 2nd December** which is for Toiletries and Pantry Items.

**Please note there are different items for each Team**

**Team One: Toiletries** (moisturisers, lotions, hand/face creams, sunscreen, bubble bath, perfumes, aftershave, flowing soaps, hair products, shampoo/conditioner)

**Teams Two and Three: Pantry Items** (dressings, vinegar, oils, herbs, spices, sauces, mustard, dessert sauces/toppings, syrups, marinades)

These products must be brand new and unopened please.

Also, please check that any products you are sending do not expire until at least six months after the Gala (September 2017 or later). A reminder will come home with next week’s newsletter so please add these items to your shopping lists. There will be two more collection days in Term One 2017. We will happily accept any unwanted Christmas presents, vouchers or crafts that you or your family and friends would like to make over the holidays! It’s for the benefit of your children so please keep supporting the future collections.

**Our final drop off for the year is on Saturday 10th December, 11.30-12.30pm.**

Thank you for the donations so far. Just a reminder that we do not accept old computers, keyboards, fax machines, photocopiers or tvs as they don’t sell and we are already having to pay to dispose of these items. Also, if you are donating clothing and linen please ensure items are clean, not ripped and that any zips are working and no missing buttons etc. Please do not be offended by our requests, we do appreciate your donations and will gladly receive any used items in good condition that we can sell. If you have any larger items which need to be collected please contact: Warren Mosen, Ph: 2983757 or 021 756349

**WE NEED YOUR HELP...**

**Parent Power:** It’s never too early to offer your assistance. If you are willing to help out with the Gala set up or work on one of the stalls we would love to hear from you. Please contact:

- Serena Francis, Ph: 027 4598460 or Serena.francis@outlook.co.nz OR
- Rebecca Rutherford, Ph: 299 2371 or 021 02292998 or bec.damian@gmail.com

**Gazebos/Marquees:** We require many marquees and gazebos to use on Gala day for all our stalls and game areas. If you, your company or someone you know have one that we could borrow please contact: Rob Shore, Ph: 2977538 or 021 844542 or rmshorebuilders@gmail.com

**Gift Baskets/Bags/Boxes:** We use many of these for wrapping our Mystery Envelope hampers and would appreciate any donations of these to be left in the drop off box in the hall foyer.

**Thanks for getting in behind YOUR children’s school!**