



**Welcome** to our new parents.

The gala is a fun, school community day and it's even more fun when everyone gets involved. It takes a team effort! We need help from each parent to make it a success. Whether you take on a small job for 1 or 2 hours OR more of a leadership role, it all helps! **Please email us if you can help - otherwise we will need to downsize our gala from what it usually is.**

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**DRESS IT UP**

It's time to start thinking about what creative outfit you can come up with. We'll be encouraging stall holders to wear a yellow or "spring" themed top or apron as part of the whole atmosphere.

**POSITIONS AVAILABLE**

Co-ordinators & Helpers required for:  
Outdoor Food, Lucky Dip, Bric-a-brac  
Second Hand Clothing, Indoor Food,  
Desserts, Cakes, Sweets, Jar Surprise, Silent  
Auctions & Quick Fire Raffles.



**Who to Contact.....**

Marilyn Hunt (Leo and Jethro Jones' mum)  
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Jo Gibbs (Asta and Nelle's mum)  
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ParentLink for offers of help  
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**FACEBOOK**

Like our Facebook page for fundraiser updates.

[www.facebook.com/Paremataschoolcommunity](http://www.facebook.com/Paremataschoolcommunity)

Like our Event - to get an electronic reminder on the day.

<https://www.facebook.com/events/1634993853434489/>



**PLANTS, PLANTS, PLANTS**

Do you have pots, potting mix, and plant cuttings? It's a great time to start getting things growing.

Deliveries of plants will not be required until Term4 - If you can help in this area we would love to more plants/flowers to sell on Gala Day!

Watch out for our Gala PLAN SHEET in Term 3. It will include a list of donated items that will help make this another great event! Last year we raised \$28K and we hope to meet that target again. The Plan sheet will contain the items required, dates preferred and locations for drop offs. Keep in mind the main drive through drop off will be available once again each Friday of term3.

**Parents are asked to donate items to help with the gala**

It might be ingredients to make our sweets, unwanted gifts for our tombola, mystery bottles or the big three – toys, books and clothes. (No items required until term 3)



**Set up and pack down helpers**

Even if you can't attend the Gala, maybe you are available on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October to help set up. Helpers are also required for pack down and a general clean up of rubbish after the Saturday Gala at 3.00pm.

**\*\* OTHER WAYS TO HELP \*\***

**Service or Products**

Maybe you could help in another way. Do you have a business that could offer a service? Do you sell products that you might like to donate? Talk to Diane Hannay about gifting something towards our Silent Auctions or Live 'Spin the Wheel' Auctions on the day.  
Email: [dianeh7@xtra.co.nz](mailto:dianeh7@xtra.co.nz)

**Sponsorship**

Would you like to 'advertise' your business on our Gala day? Maybe you would like sponsor a stall OR to cover the costs of a bouncy castle or other outdoor activity. Display your companies sign right alongside the event for the whole day. Possibly cover the costs of sausages or drinks at the BBQ? Donate a couple of kilo bags of chips for the day. Reducing our upfront costs allows the biggest amount of profit for the school. (Sponsors get mentioned on our website, facebook page and map flyer too)

