



Kenaston & District Christmas Hampers

November 19, 2014

Attention: Residents of Kenaston & Area;

As we all know, while Christmas is a wonderful “family” time of the year, it is also a costly time. Fortunately for many years, due to the kindness of others, we have been able to provide some households with additional support at Christmas.

Again this year the local Christmas Hamper Committee is requesting financial donations only. We will continue to provide the recipient families with a grocery voucher from our local Co-op Store. Each family is given the opportunity to buy what they need as opposed to our committee trying our best to provide what we **think** they might need. This also will give a family access to fresh and healthier food choices.

We ask that you please consider making an annual financial donation to “Kenaston Christmas Hampers”. These donations are considered charitable and if you require a receipt you may make your donation payable to St. Columba Anglican Church, St. Andrew’s Roman Catholic Parish, Kenaston Evangelical Church or Kenaston Seniors Inc.; designated for “Kenaston Christmas Hampers”.

Each charitable organization will then deposit the donated funds to “**Kenaston Christmas Hampers**”, **Account #92591-7** at our Co-Op store. The committee will then have vouchers made for the recipients. The good news is that you may make a donation to this Co-Op account at any time of the year.

Each year a small portion of the funds collected will be retained for benevolent emergency purposes that arise through the year.

If you are a household/family in need, please call. Alternately please be encouraged to submit the name of an individual or family in need to any member of the committee by Tuesday, **December 16, 2014**. Our committee will ensure that all nominations will be held in the strictest of confidence.

Sincerely,

On behalf of the

Kenaston & District Christmas Hamper Committee

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