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Students donate surgical instruments to hospital



Harewood School eTime Entrepreneurs (from left) Scott Tynan, Stuart Malden and Mark Wilkinson with Lorraine Profitt from Canterbury Charitable Trust Hospital.

Young entrepreneurs at Harewood School donated \$800-worth of surgical instruments to the Canterbury Charitable Trust Hospital recently. Year six student Scott Tynan and Year five students Stuart Malden and Mark Wilkinson raised the funds through donations from local businesses as part of their involvement in the ongoing eTime Entrepreneurs programme.

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Lorraine Profitt, from the hospital, suggested the students choose medical instruments rather than simply donate the money. The selected instruments will have 'Harewood School' laser engraved on them.

The boys said they were glad to help the community. "You'll get a lot of setbacks, but you have to think about what you're trying to achieve and then you'll achieve it," said young entrepreneur Scott.

The eTime Entrepreneurs programme sets teams of three students and one teacher a series of business challenges to develop student's entrepreneurial and personal skills. Cookie Time and NZ Trade and Industry support the programme.

Individuals and businesses who supported the Harewood School project were Ashton, Wheelans and Hegan, Ager, Riley and Cocks, Michael Mayell, Thomas Carr Company, Barfly – Craig Denny, Aranui Pharmacy – Jack and Mary Banks, Treotech – Chris Walsh, Mike Pero, The Mortgage King, Graham Kerr, Vision Real Estate and Homesell.