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The Sargood Bequest
PO Box 5546
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Dear Trustees

Thank you so much for your donation of \$3000. We're thrilled to have received this contribution to our operation. It will help us on our way with our exhibition, which this year will focus on hats in all shapes and sizes, and the garment to be shown at this year's Bernina Fashion Awards.

The reason we decided to enter the Awards was to give our 'special people' a chance to shine in an environment where they are usually under-represented.

Having won a prize both times that we've entered has been an added delight, in no small part due to the fantastic modelling of our models.

Due to their unique personalities they actually thrive on being on stage and don't suffer at all from stage fright, thereby being a shining example to people around them.

There will be many benefits for all concerned, such as:

- community inclusion for our artists with disabilities
- increased number of people benefiting by the Papermill
- offering a new item on the arts calendar in the Whangarei District
- an interesting and inspiring place for the public to visit - as manager of The Papermill I am constantly astonished at what we can all learn from them.

Thank you again for your contribution which helps us in continuing to offer our service to the community.

Yours sincerely

Trees van Ruth
Creative Director