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To John and all the staff at Davallia, thank you. Nothing is too difficult, nothing is an inconvenience and every single thing we do or attempt to do is supported by all of you. Team work really does make the dream work.

And to all our volunteers. I feel like the biggest part of my job is thanking people and there are so many people who help in so many ways that this is a nearly impossible task. I could list them all but I don't think my thanks is why we are all here. As a parent, teacher and P&C president, I know the importance of and place a great value in helping kids be the best humans they can be. When we help here at P&C, our children see us doing kind things for others and we are setting an example with our actions that speak louder than our words. More than that, we are contributing to a school community where kindness grows. So to everyone who has helped, your thanks will come from seeing your children be good and kind humans just like you and watching this kindness grow in our school community.

Our treasurer and fundraising reports will show some amazing numbers and highlight some great events but for me the highlights are all of you. The committee members who answer emails after answering them all day at work, the parents who come to help clean up when they know they are going home to a messy house, the teachers who get dunked and dress up and show up when they have our kids work to mark when they get home, the office ladies who answer questions endlessly with a smile and the admin staff who always say yes to us or at least maybe. It has been an absolute honour to work with each and every one of you.