



HELPING HAND: CFMEU shop steward Dave Aird passes a present to prep student Piper Lee after the union raised \$1845 for the Geelong Hospital Appeal.

Workers chip in for Piper

Angela Cromie

GEELONG Hospital Appeal has received a boost courtesy of four building unions which have helped raise \$1845.

The donation was presented to Barwon Health Foundation Glen Seidel executive director at Oberon

Primary School recently.

After finishing radiation treatment on a neck tumour in October 2007, prep student Piper Lee was the face of the appeal from several building unions, including the Construction Forestry Mining Energy Union.

The student received a gift from

Davie Thomason, CFMEU deputy shop steward on the Blackrock Sewerage Plant upgrade, where the collection was taken.

Oberon principal Andrew Augerinos thanked Mr Thomason, whose son shares a classroom with Piper, for being the driving force behind the appeal.