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Delicious way to help



East Victoria Park's twittering grandma Lesley Dewar has teamed up with best selling cook book author Rachael Birmingham to raise money for CanTeen with a pancake cookout on the Perth foreshore.

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Cook up helps youngsters with cancer

Stacks of pancakes were cooked on the Burswood foreshore last Friday to help raise money for children with cancer.

East Victoria Park's tweeting grandma Lesley Dewar has teamed up with author and TV presenter Rachael Bermingham to raise money for Canteen, which supports children living with cancer.

Ms Dewar said Ms Bermingham was in Perth and wanted to help out.

"Rachael came across to speak at a lunch for Women's Network Australia, which was an absolute sell out, she filled the room," she said.

"While we were organising, she came to us and said she wanted to help out and we said

today was bandanna day so why not come down and make a few pancakes."

Ms Dewar and Ms Bermingham held the Burswood pancake cookout on October 29 to raise awareness and fundraise.

"You can search on our web page about our fundraising, our aim is to raise \$3000," Ms Dewar said. "I'm positive we can raise \$3000 for Canteen."

Ms Bermingham said she wanted help out as much as she could while she was in Perth.

"I just wanted to do something for the community while I was here.

"All kids love pancakes, big and little.

"At the end of the day the whole thing was about raising

awareness for kids with cancer."

Ms Bermingham is involved in a number of charities and is still looking for people to donate money to help them reach their goal.

"Any little bit helps, even if you put 50 cents to it, that all helps raise funds for much needed facilities," she said.

"Most of the charities I'm involved in centre around children, I'm a mum of three boys, one is five and two are five-month-old twins."

To donate head to www.everydayhero.com.au/burswood_pancakes and click on donate now.



Cancer survivor Jessica Rigg helped cook pancakes on bandanna day.