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Billie (front) with St Kilda Mums Helen Young, Jessie Macpherson, Maya Donevsa and Peta Magick.

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Charitable mums given big boost

GROUPS of determined women helping mums in need are reaching new heights after winning at the Premier's Sustainability Awards last year.

St Kilda Mums, Geelong Mums and Eureka Mums

won the Premier's Recognition Award for their efforts in saving more than 52,000 preloved items – including prams, cots and baby gear – from going to landfill.

St Kilda Mums chief

executive Jessica Macpherson said it had been an incredibly busy time since the win in October.

"The recognition has definitely opened professional doors for us," Ms Macpherson said.

Entries are now open for the 2016 Premier's Sustainability Awards. Entries close Monday June 27.

For details and to register for an information session, visit sustainabilityawards.vic.gov.au.