

Geelong Mums representative Kelly Suvoltos takes a selfie as Santa watches on at Corio Village.

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CORIO Village is offering free festive photos and raising funds for charity to ensure everyone in the community gets a Christmas happy snap this year.

Visit the selfie station in the Christmas wonderland outside Kmart. Centre management will also print out the photos for you to take home. Corio Village will take cash donations for Geelong Mums throughout December, also out the front of Kmart.

Everyone who donates receives a bauble sticker to put up on the Corio Village giving tree wall, creating a display of community generosity.

More than 40 per cent of families supported by Geelong Mums have been negatively affected by the coronavirus pandemic this year.

"Christmas, which is usually a tough time in a 'normal' year, is going to be significantly harder than usual," Corio Village management said.

"The best way to support Geelong

Picture: PETER RISTEVSKI

Mums is by making a financial donation, so Corio Village is asking, if you're doing OK, can you donate to support a family who isn't?"

Activities run daily until Christmas Eve, including Santa appearances along the way.

Details and photo session times at coriovillage.com.au.