

2021 - 2022 Annual Report

Charcot-Marie-Tooth Association Australia Inc.
CMT AUSTRALIA

'Enhancing the Quality of Life for People with CMT"

#### **OUR MISSION**

TO UNITE ALL THOSE IN AUSTRALIA WHO ARE IMPACTED BY CMT, THE MOST COMMON INHERITED NEUROPATHY; EMPOWER THOSE WITH CMT TO LIVE THEIR LIVES TO THE FULLEST; AND TO ENCOURAGE OUR COMMUNITY TO SUPPORT CMT AUSTRALIA IN ITS GOALS.

**OUR VISION** 

A WORLD WITHOUT CMT

#### **OUR HISTORY**

THE CHARCOT MARIE TOOTH ASSOCIATION AUSTRALIA INC. (CMTAA)
BEGAN AS A SUPPORT GROUP IN 1988 AND WAS INCORPORATED IN 1990 AS
A REGISTERED CHARITY.

THE MOTIVATION TO ESTABLISH CMTAA INC. WAS TO MEET THE NEED FOR PEOPLE WITH CMT TO COMMUNICATE WITH EACH OTHER AND PROVIDE MUTUAL ENCOURAGEMENT.

OVER THE YEARS WE HAVE SLOWLY "EVOLVED" AND ARE NOW MOVING FORWARD AT AN UNPRECEDENTED PACE. IN 2018, THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE PROPOSED THE ASSOCIATION BECOME KNOWN AS CMT AUSTRALIA, THIS CHANGE WAS PROPOSED AND ACCEPTED AT THE 2018 NATIONAL AGM.

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#### SECTION 1

#### AN OVERVIEW OF CMT AUSTRALIA (CMTAA)

#### **ABOUTUS**

## Raising Awareness of CMT

We are:

- Engaging with persons with CMT, their families, carers, and the community. This occurs with contact with the National Office, face to face support gatherings, holding of a National Conference, on social media Facebook and Twitter, publication of our Newsletter three times a year and this website.
- Engaging with Medical and Allied Health Professionals in every State to raise their awareness of the condition, and to inform them of strategic options they can assist their patients with to enhance their quality of life.
- Using data compiled for the 'Reducing the Health Burden of Charcot-Marie-Tooth in Australia' Report to approach Members of Parliament to raise awareness, and of the need for facilities to assist persons with CMT access services they need in one place to enhance their quality of life.
- Through our Research Grants, attracting applications to fund research into CMT and engaging with the research community.
- Acknowledging and promoting September: International Awareness Month for CMT.



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#### **OUR PEOPLE**

#### Governance

Name	Position	Dates acted (if not full year)
Dr Peter Critchley	Public Officer	

#### National Committee Members 2021 - 2022

Name	Position	Dates acted (if not full year)
Robert Twin	President/Treasurer	re-elected for 2022 -2023
Dr Helen Burnie	Vice President	re-elected for 2022 - 2023
Janelle Hunter	Secretary	
Jillian Critchley	Committee Member	re-elected for 2022 - 2023
Darryl Beitsch	Committee Member	re-elected for 2022 - 2023
Ellen Woodbrige	Committee Member	elected for 2022 - 2023
Shaana Dekker	Committee Member	re-elected for 2022 - 2023
Lisa Moore	Committee Member	elected as Secretry for 2022-2023

#### Employees 2021 - 2022

Name	Position	Dates acted (if not full year)
Eleanor Critchley	National Office Assistant	to September 2022
Anna Siddell	National Administration Assistant	from November 2022

#### Volunteer National State and Regional Area Support Coordinators/Contacts - 2021 - October 2022

Name	Position	Dates acted (if not full year)
Darryl Beitsch	National Support & NSW State Coordinator	
Roger MacRury	ACT Support Coordinator	
Annie Dawson	QLD State & Brisbane Regional Coordinator	
Larissa McKinnon	VIC State Support Coordinator	
Marilyn Kremmer	TAS State Support Coordinator	
Lisa Moore	SA State & Regional Support Coordinator	
Vic Christou	WA State & Regional Support Coordinator	
Kaye Bartlett	NT State & Regional Support Coordinator	
Paula Hodgson	Vic Regional Support Contact	
Meryl Grew	Nambucca Heads Regional Suppoart Contact	
Gabby Cosgrove	Newcastle Regional Support Contact	
Tanya Peachey	Bathurst Regiional Support Contact	
Stephen Bonner	Central Brisbane Regional Support Contact	
Judy Pinchin	Gold Coast Regional Support Contact	
Joy Gath	South West QLD Regional Support Contact	
Ann Purcell	Bundaberg Regional Coordinator	
Francesca Herdahl-Thorsing	New Zealand Support Contact	

### National Committee & National Assistants 2021- 2022

# National Committee



Robert Twin
President/Treasurer



Dr Helen Burnie Vice President



Lisa Moore Secretary 2021-2022



Darryl Beitsch Committee Member



Jillian Critchley Committee Member



Ellen Woodbridge Committee Member



Shaana Dekker Committee Member November 2022 to July 2023



Lisa Moore Committee Member July to November 2023





Eleanor Critchley National Office Assistant to September 2022

#### **OUR SUPPORTERS**

#### **GOLD**



**Concord Hospital** 

#### **SILVER**







Brazier Mobility
Vehicle Modifications (SA)

Footpower
(Shoetech - NSW)

Custom Footwear, Orthotics and AFO
providers

TaxBiz Australia

Tax, Business, Superannuation and

Retirement Planning Specialists (VIC)

## HIGHLIGHTS OF 2021 - 2022

# Our Youth Program - CMT Aussie Kids turned 10 this year!

A combined Annual Aussie Kids weekend and Celebration Cruise was held in Sydney in March. With Covid-19 causing the cancellation of the 2021 Weekend, the weekend was finally able to go ahead this year, with restrictions..

The Kids got to experience Sailing on Sydney Harbour and a trip to Luna Park, among other activities.

On the Saturday Night, Past and Present Camp Attendee's joined with Family, friends, Supporters of CMT Australia for a Dinner Cruise on Sydney Harbour, aboard the Tribal Warrior.

A wonderful Evening (the weather cleared for smooth sailing, and no rain) was enjoyed by all in attendance.

CMT AUSSIE RIDSTURNS TEN

SECTION 2 GOVERNANCE

#### STRUCTURE & MANAGEMENT

Charcot-Marie-Tooth Association Australia Inc. (CMT Australia) is led by a National Committee of 7, comprsined of 4 Office Bearers (President, Vice President, Treasuer and Secretary) and 3 General Committee Members. The National Committee are all Volunteers. The Constitution allows for a 4th General committee member, if an Office Bearer holds more than 1 position.

To assist the committee, CMT Australia have employed a part-time National Administration Assistant, who manages incoming calls to the National number, processing of payments and receipts, mailing out to our postal members, and general assistance to the National Committee in their tasks.

To gain a National Support presence, there is 7 State Support Coordinators, 8 Regional Support Contacts around the Nation. We also have a Support Contact in New Zealand. These roles are all Volunteer.

All who Volunteer in the above roles either have CMT or are Supporting Family with CMT.

Charcot-Marie-Tooth Association Australia Inc. (CMT Australia) is registered in all states to Fundraise.



Charcot-Marie-Tooth Association Australia Inc. (CMT Australia) is registered with the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (ACNC).

#### PRESIDENT'S REPORT - ROBERT TWIN



I took over as your President at the 2021 AGM having served as Treasurer for a number of years. In doing so I retained the Treasurer position to maintain continuity in this important component of our Association. I was fortunate that at the same AGM we attracted a pro-active group as my fellow committee members. My report today is a reflection of the efforts of the whole committee including Helen Burnie (VP), Janelle Ward (Sec), and committee members

Lisa Moore, Shaana Dekker, Darryl Beitsch and Jillian Critchley. It is also testament to the support we have had from our State and support group coordinators and Sustaining Partners.

It's my belief that any association established to serve the needs of its community, should be guided by its goals, as these form the basis for its existence. In 2017 we published our first strategic plan with our goals as the foundation. We adopted 7 goals which collectively focus on people with CMT and those who support them; the identification and promotion of support facilities and services for those impacted by CMT; promoting awareness and research related to CMT; and establishing alliances and partnerships with like groupings. Collectively these coalesce into our mission statement.

'To unite all those in Australia who are impacted by CMT, the most common inherited neuropathy; empower those with CMT to live their lives to the fullest; and to encourage our community to support CMT Australia in its goals.'

So how did we meet these challenges over the last year?

- We maximised the capacity of our limited volunteer base by allocating specific responsibilities across our goals and market segments.
- We continued to implement our 2017 strategic plan to steer us towards targeted outcomes based on our goals.
- We retained and enhanced our strengths, including activities such as the CMT Aussie Kids program, our CMT Community newsletter, our website, our online seminars, our support of our researchers, our social media interfaces, our sustaining partner support, our member communications, our nationally distributed network of supporters, and our sympathetic ear when required.
- We branched out to other groups and programs which offered support to us, as a patient support organisation.
- We enhanced our capacity to operate nationally and efficiently by taking advantage of government support for digital conversion and marketing.
- We granted over \$50,000 dollars in research funding provided by you, our biggest supporters.
- We have provided our members with 'stress balls' with multiple uses.
- We have expanded our administration support by employing Anna Siddell as our part-time Administration Assistant to enable our volunteer committee to focus on our core business.

Whilst these initiatives have been driven by our extraordinary committee, we could not have undertaken these without your support, both financial and participation. It is your encouragement and involvement which keeps us actively implementing our mission.

Thank you. I have been proud to lead CMT Australia over the past 12 months.



Robert Twin, President.

#### **OUR OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES**

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  - CMT Aussie Kids program, March 2022, we had a ten year celebration of the Aussie Kids which was a great success.



· our CMT CoMmuniTy newsletter,



• our website <a href="https://www.cmtaustralia.org.au">https://www.cmtaustralia.org.au</a>



our Hybrid conference, National Zoom meetings, In person Coffee Catch Ups







In 2022, the committee voted to re name the Annual Awareness Day to the **CMT Australia National Conference**. Due to the still uncertain times, we decided to again hold the conference online via Zoom. The Conference attracted good attendence and positive feedback. Our National and State Coordinators continued to hold catch ups via Zoom, and when possible in person via a coffee 8 chat.

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· our social media interfaces: National







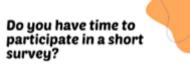
CMT Australia featured a series of CMT Podcasts through the year, highlighted Key outcomes, and recognised the achievements of our researchers.

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   Administration Assistant to enable our volunteer committee to focus on our core business.
  - Jillian and Peter Critchley are working on a program to assist Parents of children with CMT.
  - Lisa Moore is working on a marketing program which consists of ten segments.

#### PLANNED ACTIVITIES FOR 2022 - 2023

Celebrating Microscropes - Lab Tour hosted by Pfrofessor Marina Kennerson - 2023

National funday for the Aussie Kids – 5 Parks, in 5 states in 1 day – 2023



Aussie Kids Youth Weekend – Thredbo March 2023,



National Zoom Meetings and Regional Coffee Catchup – throughout the year



National Conference – Format to be decided, – Sept 2023

SECTION 3 OUR FINANCES

#### TREASURER'S REPORT - ROBERT TWIN



I believe that this is my 12th Treasurer's report for CMT Australia, and I'm pleased to report that we continue to be in a sound financial position. Whilst the profit and loss for 2021/22 shows a net profit of \$49,868, this includes a carryover of donations for Youth and Research from the previous year of \$32,484. If this is adjusted out, then the net profit reduces to \$17,384, a reduction of \$30 on the 2020/21 result. This demonstrates that our non-donation financial management is steady, indicating a good balance between our revenue and expenditure outside of donations.

Our biggest incomes and expenses relate to donations, and it is difficult to track progress here on an annual basis due to the fact that donations are not matched by expenditure in the same financial year. A good measure of our financial position is reflected in the total equity as at 30th June 2022 which is reported in the balance sheet at \$104,296.

CMT Australia is now exempt from the requirement to have a formal audit due to the scale of our turnover. Your committee agreed that this year we will not seek a formal audit, and instead find a suitably qualified financial expert to review the accounts and pass judgment on their veracity. We were fortunate to have TaxBiz as one of our sustaining partners, and Max Newham has completed such a review at no charge to our association. This is a saving of over \$1,000 and I thank Max for his support in this regard.

We have placed on our website the 'profit and loss' and 'balance sheet' figures assessed by TaxBiz, along with Max's report to our membership.

We have retained our membership fees at their very modest rate of \$40.00 per household per year to ensure support for CMT Australia is affordable. This brings us around \$11,000 in revenue. To enable us to apply for government grants we have retained our GST reporting status. Whilst this depreciates our membership income, it does enable us to claim back GST on items of expenditure. We currently hold a credit of \$2,170 in this regard.

Our current research donation account sits at around \$5,000 after having provided seed funding of \$10,000 to each of the 3 research projects we are currently supporting. Along with our researchers, we have established GiveNow CrowdRaisers to enable the balance funding of these projects with a total requested of around \$25,000. See our website for details as to how you can help us achieve the full funding of these grants.

I would like to express our appreciation to our four sustaining partners, Concord Hospital (in kind support), TaxBiz, Brazier Mobility, and Footpower. If you know of a company who would be interested in supporting CMT Australia through this program, please contact me so we can discuss options with them. I would like to make a special thank you to Lisa Moore, who in addition to managing our website, has made my life a lot easier through her management of the membership receipts. We understand that some members have had issues in dealing with our payment options and ask for your patience while we finetune these.



Robert Twin, Treasurer

#### INDEPENDENT REVIEW STATEMENT



Max Newnham - TaxBiz Australia

November 9, 2022

The Members and Committee Charcot-Marie-Tooth Association Australia Inc Building 22 Concord Hospital Concord NSW 2137

Members and Committee,

Yours sincerely

Re: Review of the accounts for year ended 30 June 2022

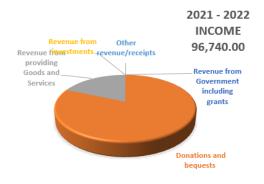
I advise that I have reviewed the attached accounts, being the Profit and Loss and Balance Sheet reports for the Charcot-Marie-Tooth Association Australia Inc that covers the period from July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022.

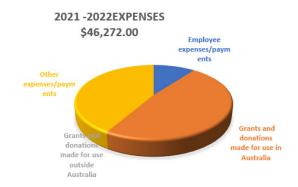
That review covered verifying large payments made on behalf of the Association, reconciling and verifying material items on the balance sheet.

As a result of that review I believe the accounts for the Association are true and correct.

Max Newnham CA – Financial Planning Specialist

#### **Financial Statements**





Charcot-Marie-Tooth Association of Australia Inc. Building 22 Concord Hospital, Concord, NSW, 2137 0409840042

#### **Profit and loss report**

Accrual mode 01 Jul 2021 - 30 Jun 2022

	Total	
	Actual	Last Yea
ncome		
CMT Aussie Kids		
Camp Fees - National	4,909	30
Other Event Fees	1,609	
Youth Sales	114	
Total CMT Aussie Kids	6,632	30
Memberships		
Membership fees	10,879	12,16
Total Memberships	10,879	12,16
Miscellaneous Income		
Advertising income	0	2,05
Promotional income	0	1,45
Interest income	18	2
Other income	185	1,19
Total Misœllaneous Income	203	4,72
Sales		
Videos	9	10
Booklets	159	
Total Sales	168	11
otalincome	17,882	17,29
ross Profit	17,882	17,29
kpense		
Finance Expenses		
Audit fees	0	99
PayPal fees	266	34
Poli Fees	2	
Insurance	2,124	2,13
Total Finance Expenses	2,392	3,47
Internet		
Domain name	22	2
Web site development	1,416	2,45
Web site hosting	109	10
Internet access	312	39
Total Internet	1,859	2,98
National Seminar Expenses		
Seminar -Misc costs	222	16
Total National Seminar Expenses	222	16

## **Financial Statements**

	Total	
	Actual	Last Year
Office Expenses		
Computer Costs		
Computer software	612	1,044
Depreciation expense	263	362
Total Computer Costs	875	1,406
Meeting expenses	21	0
Office supplies	124	182
Postage	665	478
PO Box rental	160	0
Printing	920	1,013
Printer supplies	0	148
Telephone	812	380
Teleconference	168	88
Wages & salaries	4,760	1,016
Total Office Expenses	8,505	4,710
Promotion Expense		
Promotional material	2,088	1,392
Conference registration	225	0
Total Promotion Expense	2,313	1,392
Youth Activities		
Youth - Camp expenses	3,266	1,982
Youth - travel reimbursement	641	0
Youth - other	4,792	426
Total Youth Activities	8,700	2,408
Total Expense	23,990	15,133
Operating Profit	(6,108)	2,165
Other Income		
Donations		
Donations - admin	20,878	3,081
Donations - research	45,896	0
Donations - youth	8,834	12,248
Special Donations		
Re Kaye Boreham	3,250	0
Total Special Donations	3,250	0
Total Donations	78,859	15,330
Total Other Income	78,859	15,330
Other Expense		
Gifts	27	80
Research Grants	22,855	0
Total Other Expense	22,882	80
Net Profit	49,868	17,414

### **Financial Statements**

Charcot-Marie-Tooth Association of Australia Inc. Building 22 Concord Hospital, Concord, NSW, 2137 0409840042

# Balance sheet report 30 Jun 2022

	Total	
	Actual	Last Year
Asset		
Banking		
Petty Cash		
Petty cash NSW	150	50
Total Petty Cash	150	50
Saving Accounts		
Youth account	29,200	25,741
Research account	19,696	26,562
Admin account	35,544	14,255
PayPal transfers	27	3
Total Saving Accounts	84,468	66,561
Cheque account	12,239	15,770
Debit card	892	946
PayPal	2,047	2,377
Give Now	1,454	363
Total Banking	101,249	86,066
Fixed Assets		
Office equipment and computers	9,872	9,872
Accumulated depreciation	(8,995)	(8,732)
Total Fixed Assets	877	1,140
Total Asset	102,126	87,206
Liability		
Current Liabilities		
Youth refunds held	0	4,292
Research Donations Held	0	28,192
GST collected	2,085	290
GST paid	(4,254)	(41)
Total Current Liabilities	(2,170)	32,733
Total Liability	(2,170)	32,733
Net Assets	104,296	54,473
Equity		
Current Earnings		
Current year earnings	49,823	17,414
Total Current Earnings	49,823	17,414
Retained Earnings		
Retained earnings	54,473	37,059
Total Retained Earnings	54,473	37,059
Total Equity	104,296	54,473

# Fundraising Highlights of 2022

# Tour De Toowong – GiveNow CrowdRaiser

Fundraiser raises over \$16,000 for CMT Aussie Kids



Tour De Toowong was a 3 hour indoor 'RPM' cycle event at a gym at Toowong, one of Brisbane's riverside suburbs.

CMT Australia thanks all who participated and donated in this inspiring event, organised by Hamish Lilley and lead by Suki Bloom, Key Trainer and Health Leader at Goodlife Gym at Toowong.

#### SECTION 4

#### OUR OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS & THANKYOU**

CMT Australia recognises without the support and kind donations we receive; we would not be able to provide the support and information we do to our CMT community and the general community or provide funding to our local researchers to further research into CMT.

CMT Australia Sincerely thanks:

#### **Donors**

Those who have given generously to our income streams, organised fundraising events through Bunnings Barbecue Days, Grill'd Local Matters Campaigns, Specific Research Campaigns.

#### Corporate & community partners

Concord Hospital – Our Gold Sustaining Partner, for their In-Kind support for our National Office Space

Brazier Mobility, Tax Biz Australia and Shoetech – Our Silver partners for their continued financial support this year, to help us keep delivering some of our programs.

Our research partnerships – Whether contacting us for a possibility of funding or part funding a new research project for CMT, or inviting our members into your labs, to bring a greater understanding of the work you are doing, building a connection between the Science and the patient.

Reaching out to CMT Australia to participate as Community Rep in these projects.

#### **Volunteers**

Without our Volunteers, we would not exist. To Our National Committee – thank you for you dedication to the Association, and drive to bring new projects and programs to keep us moving forward towards our goals.

To our Support Coordinators and Regional Contacts – You assist to bring CMT Australia to all in Australia, to let us be a truly National Organisation.

#### Members

Most importantly, thank you to our 300+ paying members. We thank you for your support and loyalty to CMT Australia, helping to guide us in what you want from your Association.

#### **HOW YOU CAN HELP**

For many people, the diagnosis of Charcot Marie Tooth (CMT) comes as a complete shock. CMT is a disease caused by genetic faults. In some cases, they are inherited, in others the fault is a new mutation in the gene.

CMT Australia was established to assist those affected by CMT through a range of programs. Your support can help us in our mission.

There are a number of ways you can support us: Donate direct to CMT Australia or through Workplace Giving, make a Bequest, Fundraise, Volunteer, become a Member, provide Sponsorship, or make a purchase from us.

#### Become a member

Membership is \$40/yr. and covers all in one household.

Visit <a href="https://cmtaustralia.org.au/membership/">https://cmtaustralia.org.au/membership/</a>, download, complete and email application form to <a href="mailto:info@cmt.org.au">info@cmt.org.au</a>, then click Join Now to select and pay for your membership. Payment option include PayPal/Credit Card, EFT/Direct Deposit, and Cheque/Money Order.

#### Volunteer your time

There are ways you can volunteer for CMT Australia:

- Organising and/or assisting at fundraising events
- Encouraging donations to CMT Australia through GiveNow for fundraising events
- Assisting at CMT Australia events
- Do you have Marketing or Promotions experience CMT Australia would love to have you on board to help
- Join the CMT Australia Committee and help the Association meet its goals and grow in the future
- Encourage your workplace to support CMT Australia through Workplace Giving program

If you are interested in becoming a CMT Australia Volunteer in your area, please contact our National office on 0458 630 631 to discuss.

#### Make a donation

All donations over \$2 are tax deductible.

CMT Australia has 3 Donation Streams – **Youth** (CMT Aussie Kids Program), **Admin** (applied to Promotional Materials, Salary for Office Assistant, Running the National office) and **Research** (Support for projects that our researchers have put forward and have been approved by the Committee. These can vary in scope and financial commitment, but usually involve thousands of dollars and can extend over more than a year).

Donations can be made through

- Online direct through PayPal/Credit card complete the online blue donation form and click the Donate button to complete your donation. Visit <a href="https://cmtaustralia.org.au/donate/">https://cmtaustralia.org.au/donate/</a>
- GiveNow Platform

CMT Australia has 3 Ongoing Crowd raising Platforms – Research, Support CMT Australia, CMT Aussie Kids, which fund our 3 streams of Research, Admin and Youth.

<u>Visit https://www.givenow.com.au/organisation/public/236</u>.

We plan to add a 4th platform – Pathways telehealth Nurse, to help fund a telehealth nurse, to assist our members to enhance their lives, by connecting with the professionals needed locally.

 Workplace Giving –Many people are familiar with the opportunity to salary sacrifice part of your salary for a range of purposes such as superannuation or leasing a car. Did you know that you can also salary sacrifice through a Workplace Giving Organisation to a charity with ATO Deductable Gift Recipient status (CMT Australia).

We signed up with the Workplace Giving Organisation: Good2Give to facilitate supporters who would prefer this method of donating to our causes.

#### Leave a bequest

You would be required to update your Will, make a decision as to the amount of the bequest and how you wish CMT Australia to allocate the funds (Research, Youth or Admin stream), notify your loved ones and notify <u>CMT Australia</u>.

#### Support an event or fundraising activity

To help us reach our goals you can use our <u>GiveNow fundraising page</u> in conjunction with our <u>Fundraising Policy</u>, to raise funds for CMT research. All donations from this page go to fund CMT Research in Australia.

Or come up with your own fundraising idea and setup a fundraising page on Give Now. Online fundraising is the easiest way to start fundraising. You will need an 'Authority to Fundraise' letter if you are fundraising on behalf of CMT Australia. Please contact the national office to get this organised.

You can support an event or activity by helping out at the event, Donating to the event via the donation method nominated.

Promoting the Event in your network.

#### Become a corporate partner Two Levels Gold or Silver Partnership

Basic inclusions in sponsorship package include -

- recognition of your support through a framed certificate
- acknowledgement in the CMT Australia Annual Report
- your logo on the CMT Australia website with a link to your site
- recognition of your organisation's support at CMT Australia events and in the newsletter
- permission to use the CMT Australia logo to advertise your partnership promotion of your events through the CMT Australia network
- a complimentary membership.

Please contact Treasurer, Robert Twin on 0409 840 042 or email <u>treasurer@cmt.org.au</u> to discuss your partnership with CMT Australia.

#### Other ways you can help our cause

Make a purchase from CMT Australia

- 2x Stress balls Member only purchase
- CMT Australia has a couple of Publications for Purchase.
- Non- Member access to Member Events

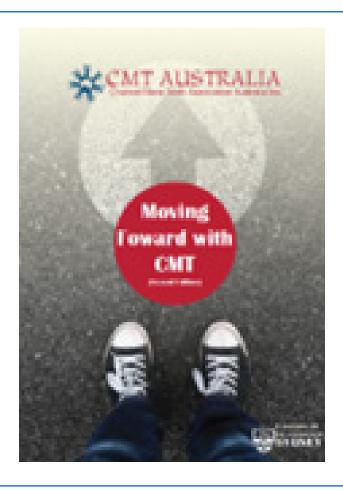
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#### LOOKING TO THE FUTURE

- Implementation of Full Marketing plan
- Strong Connections with Medical/Allied Health Professionals through greater awareness of CMT, dedicated pages for these professionals on the website
- Strong connections with our researchers, with some progress in management, diagnosis and ultimately a cure
- Support Contacts actively engaging with communities in all areas of Australia
- Growth of our membership base and Supporting Partnership programs
- Information and support dedicated to Parents of children and Parents with CMT
- Adult getaway experience for adults with CMT ( Activities similar to the Kids Program)







# **CONTACT US**

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