

Annual report 2021-2022



Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre Trust Fund Inc.



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OUR MISSION

To raise funds to support cancer services in the Albury-Wodonga region to provide quality care to patients and families.



OUR PURPOSE

- To actively support and promote fundraising opportunities in our local communities and engage with local businesses and organisations to obtain sponsorship of the Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre.
- To work closely with key stakeholders of the Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre to provide funding support for their identified needs and priorities.
- To proactively contribute to improvement in cancer care by providing funds to purchase specialist equipment and resources.
- To encourage the training of care-based professionals by supporting ongoing professional development and training programs.
- To help local cancer patients access leading treatment options through participation in clinical trials.
- To invest Trust funds in accordance with accepted government guidelines.
- To operate the Trust Fund in accordance with the requirements of the constitution.



WHERE DONATIONS GO

The Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre Trust Fund will allocate donations to the areas most in need.

Our four key priority areas for funding are:

- New life-saving medical equipment;
- Staff training and development;
- Cancer research; and,
- Wellness Centre and support programs.

CHAIR'S REPORT



Michelle Hensel
Chair,
Albury Wodonga
Regional Cancer
Centre Trust Fund

“We’re extremely proud of what we’ve been able to achieve to benefit people impacted by cancer across our region, and this financial year has been no exception.”

With the Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre celebrating its five-year anniversary in September 2021, it seemed appropriate for the Trust Fund to also reflect on its own achievements.

With the incredible support of our local community, the Trust Fund was able to invest almost \$2.5 million in local cancer services during that time.

The money has been used to purchase life-saving medical equipment and to upskill our staff. It also helped improve access to world-class clinical trials, and funded the operation of the Wellness Centre.

We’re extremely proud of what we’ve been able to achieve to benefit people impacted by cancer across our region, and this financial year has been no exception.

We raised more than \$1 million with the help of generous local business, sporting and community groups, and individuals. And while we continued to be challenged by COVID-19, we were again amazed by our community who rallied to support our cause in different ways.

Our major fundraiser, the 2021 Sunshine Walk, was forced to go virtual for a second year on Sunday, November 7. Despite this, our walkers and their supporters managed to raise a record-breaking \$238,000. This was followed by an extremely successful community-run event, the Sunshine Ride, which raised almost \$70,000.

We are also incredibly grateful for our corporate friends who continue to see the value in our cause year after year. It’s through their support that we can make long-term commitments to local cancer research and the Wellness Centre.

This included almost \$100,000 for a part-time clinical nurse, and \$27,500 for the expansion of a clinical trial into rare, advanced cancers.

We were also pleased to fund the Wellness Centre to the value of almost \$170,000, to ensure patients and carers receive the psychological, physical and emotional support they need, in addition to their medical treatment.

Donations through major individual donors allowed us to make a \$600,000 commitment to new prostate cancer equipment at Albury Wodonga Health and Northeast Health Wangaratta. Towards the end of the financial year, we secured another major individual donation for a future paediatric oncology project.

While impacted by the pandemic, the Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre Oncology Education Program was funded to the value of \$25,000 to allow staff to maintain, develop and extend their skills in a broad range of areas.

We also continued to fundraise and save for future technology.

Thanks to the Trust board, our Cancer Pals and fundraising committee volunteers, and our staff for their valuable contribution throughout the year.

A huge thanks to everyone who supported us in any way in 2021-2022. We look forward to having your support again in the new financial year and beyond.

TREASURER'S REPORT



Anthony Liston
Treasurer,
Albury Wodonga
Regional Cancer
Centre Trust Fund

“Total grants paid out for various projects and activities amounted to over \$515,000 We are confident that these funds made a positive impact on those living with cancer in our community.”

It is my pleasure to present the Treasurer's report for the 2022 financial year.

This year has been another successful year for the Trust, and even more so when you take into consideration the many challenges that our communities have faced during this year.

Through the efforts of our Albury, Wodonga and regional communities, our staff, and fundraising committee and Cancer Pal volunteers, we have raised more than \$1,080,000 this financial year, with over \$781,000 generated through direct donations from our local communities.

Total grants paid out for various projects and activities amounted to over \$515,000 this financial year.

We are confident that these funds have made a positive impact on those living with cancer in our community.

The remainder of the income has been carefully invested to enable the Trust to respond to future large equipment requests which have been flagged by the cancer centre and regional cancer services.

The Trust has a corporate requirement to provide financial statements which satisfy the requirements of the Associations Incorporated Act and The Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission.

I can advise that the accounts presented to you have been audited by Findex Albury, and they have formed the opinion that these accounts have been prepared in accordance with those requirements.

The board has three key financial performance criteria:

1. That administration costs of the Trust are kept at a reasonable level. This year the cost to administer the Trust was 14% of the funds raised which is very similar to the prior year.
2. That all funds donated to the Trust are used to ensure local cancer patients can have access to the best cancer services and facilities possible.
3. That all funds are invested to ensure the best possible return is obtained while at the same time making sure they are appropriately secure. At the 30th of June 2022, our current account held a balance of \$1,052,000. This balance was necessary to fund the payment of equipment purchased in and grant commitments made during the latter part of the 2021-22 financial year, which were due to be paid but had not been invoiced by June 30, 2022.

None of this could have occurred without the contribution of the Trust's employees, Vicki and Sally.

The contribution from our hardworking fundraising committee and Cancer Pals is also appreciated.

Thanks to all the board for your contributions, without all these people the Trust would not have the resources it requires to support those in our community living with cancer.

HIGHLIGHTS 2021-2022



Other highlights included

- The third annual Sunshine Walk 2021, held virtually on Sunday, November 7, saw more than 600 participants raise about \$238,000.
- We assisted with the Sunshine Ride which attracted more than 100 riders and raised almost \$70,000.
- We committed to new prostate cancer equipment in Albury-Wodonga and Wangaratta, valued at more than \$600,000.
- We supported the organisers of the Lake Hume Cycle Challenge, which raised \$25,000.
- We invested \$27,500 in expanding a clinical trial program aimed at finding the best treatment for rare, advanced cancers.
- We helped launch *Terry Socks it to Cancer*, which encouraged football and netball clubs throughout the region to support the cancer centre during the 2022 season.
- We received a \$50,000 donation from Danny and Caroline Phegan and family, in support of a future paediatric oncology project.
- We provided \$3900 to the Border Medical Oncology Research Unit to purchase a new ECG machine for clinical trials.
- We launched the fourth annual Sunshine Walk for November 6, 2022.
- Scholarships valued at more than \$18,000 were awarded to seven staff as part of the oncology education program.
- Continued community support which included significant donations from Pink on the Green (\$37,332), Bernie Mylon (\$20,000), Cofield Wines (\$20,000), Jacob Moore's Big Shave (\$17,082), Camaro and Firebirds Nationals (\$10,000), and the Berringa Community raffle and silent auction (\$8790).

ABOUT US



The Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre Trust Fund was established by the Albury Wodonga Cancer Foundation as the official fundraising arm of the Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre.

A high level local board from business, industry and government oversees the Trust Fund. The board is responsible for the good governance of the Trust Fund, which is also supported by a manager, administration officer, and a team of dedicated volunteers who sit on a fundraising committee and represent the Trust as Cancer Pals in our local communities.

With tax deductibility and gift recipient status, the board ensures that donations from individuals and businesses in the community are used solely to support cancer services in the Albury-Wodonga region.

OUR BOARD

NAME	ORGANISATION	ROLE ON BOARD
Michelle Hensel	Teacher's Aide, Hume Public School	Chairperson
Anne-Marie Humphries	Director, Huon Financial Planning	Secretary
Anthony Liston	Chief Financial Officer, Hume Transport	Treasurer
Di Thomas	Freelance Communications Advisor	Member
Renea Maskell	Bookkeeper, RJ Sanderson & Associates	Member
Kerry Strauch	Manager, Programs and Sport North East, The Centre for Continuing Education Wangaratta	Member
David Baker	Group General Sales Manager, Baker Motors	Member
Bryan Blake	Director, Cookinburra International	Member
John Watson (retired Oct, 2022)	Councillor, City of Wodonga	Member
John Mollison (retired Nov, 2021)	Retired Bank Manager	Member
Colleen Gorman (retired Nov, 2021)	Director, Next Stage Transitions	Member

EX OFFICIO MEMBER

Dr Craig Underhill	Medical Oncologist, Border Medical Oncology
Peter Tobin	Treasurer, Albury Wodonga Cancer Foundation

OUR AMBASSADORS

HAYLEY JENSEN

Albury-born country songstress, Hayley Jensen, supported the Sunshine Walk for a third year in a row, completing a 10km virtual walk and promoting her involvement through social media.

Jensen, a former *Australian Idol* and *The Voice* contestant, also encouraged donations to the Trust Fund during her *Breakin' Hearts* tour at the Commercial Club Albury in February, 2022.



RICHARD ROXBURGH

Albury-born and raised actor, Richard Roxburgh, was an Ambassador for the Trust for a fifth year, saying that the cause was “invaluable” to the Border region.

“I totally endorse their work, and hope that they continue to gain much -needed support, of all kinds, along the way,” the *Rake* and *Moulin Rouge!* actor said.

ARCHIE THOMPSON

Former Socceroo and A-League striker, Archie Thompson, continued to support the work of the Trust. Thompson, who grew up on the Border and still had family living in Wodonga, said he was proud to be an Ambassador for such an important cause.

“The centre is doing some amazing work to help those who need it. I urge everyone to get together and show their support,” he said.



OUR STAFF

NAME	TITLE	RESPONSIBILITIES
Sally Evans	Manager (0.6 FTE)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Coordination of Trust Fund events and fundraising activities.• Increasing community awareness of the Trust Fund and opportunities to make a donation.• Oversee media and communications activities of the Trust Fund, including website, social media, media releases and the quarterly <i>Shine</i> newsletter.• Assist with the promotion of events and activities in support of the Trust Fund.• Engagement and management of volunteers.
Vicki O’Gorman	Administration Officer (0.8 FTE)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provide administration, campaign and event support for the Trust Fund.• Provide a point of contact for the Cancer Pals community advocate program.• Assist with distribution of information and resources.• Encourage community fundraising events.

OUR VOLUNTEERS

COMMUNITY ADVOCATES

From Jindera to Mt Beauty, and Howlong to Markwood, the Trust Fund has outstanding community advocates, known as Cancer Pals, based in towns throughout the region.

As the cancer centre services a regional area of almost 300,000 people, our Cancer Pals are vital in serving as a link between the Trust Fund and their communities.

During this financial year, Cancer Pals helped across a range of areas including promoting fundraising events, selling raffle tickets and identifying local businesses who have the capacity to partner with our cause.

These volunteers are passionate about improving cancer services for their local community.

Our sincere thanks go to Cancer Pals:

- **Albury** - John Oswald, Liezl Cutler, Steve Ballard
- **Corryong** - Richard Hubbard
- **Henty** - Kevin Fogarty



- **Holbrook** - Rick Murphy
- **Howlong** - Regan Lions
- **Jindera** - Pat Hayes
- **Markwood** - Terry and Heather Greaves
- **Mt Beauty** - Jeanie Farrington
- **Talgarno** - Julie de Hennin
- **Wodonga** - Marie Orr

FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

We have a wonderful group of volunteers who sit on our Fundraising Committee and provide invaluable support with organising events.

After two years of COVID, the committee was finally able to meet again in person, in May, and start planning for the Sunshine Walk.

As well as supporting our staff with the organisation of the walk, committee members also played an important part in selling raffle tickets, sourcing spot prizes and distributing promotional materials.

They also assisted with the promotion of other community events in support of the Trust.

Our sincere thanks go to committee members:

- Amy Liston
- Carmel McNamara
- Catherine Howard
- Chris Way
- Di Thomas
- Jenny Black



- Jess Merbach
- Kim Thomas
- Richard Lukins
- Simone McLees
- Teighan Lieschke
- Yolana Andrews

MAJOR FUNDRAISERS

VIRTUAL SUNSHINE WALK 2021



Our major fundraising campaign, the Sunshine Walk, was held for a third consecutive year on November 7, 2021.

Like in 2020, the five, 10 and 20km walk was due to start and finish at Albury's Noreuil Park, but was changed to an online format because of the COVID-19 pandemic.

The second virtual walk was a huge success, with 56 teams, comprising more than 600 participants, raising \$238,000 for our cause.

Although our community wasn't able to come together in person, people still gathered in small groups of friends and family, and completed their selected distance at a location of their choice.

Our yellow Sunshine Walk shirts, which were distributed free to everyone who registered, could be seen right across the region and as far away as Newcastle, Blackwater in Queensland and in Perth.

Walkers connected online through the Sunshine Walk website and our social media channels on Facebook and Instagram.

Although disappointed we couldn't hold the event as planned, there was still a great atmosphere and fantastic sense of community spirit.

Event Ambassadors were Bobbi and Luke Garland, who walked for the first time in 2019 after Bobbi finished treatment for breast cancer, along with Bill and Marie Orr who have also used the services at the cancer centre.

Challenge Cups were awarded to:

- **Friends and Family Team Cup** - Chemo Chicks (\$22,896);
- **Corporate Cup** - TVN On Country (\$16,080);
- **Town Cup** - Hearts of Howlong (\$10,805);
- **Individual Cup** - Gareth Vannoort (\$8172) and,
- **School Cup** - Hume Public School (\$5320).

The walk was sponsored by Healthfocus Physiotherapy, Vision Screenprinting, Dutch Media, Radio 2AY, Dyson Group and McDonald's Wodonga Homemaker Centre.

Plans were announced to hold a fourth Sunshine Walk on Sunday, November 6, 2022.

MAJOR FUNDRAISERS

SUNSHINE RIDE 2022



The Sunshine Ride was held for a second year in March, 2022 and raised almost \$70,000 for the Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre Trust Fund.

This community-run event, which started from a casual chat between friends at the gym, has grown to see more than 100 riders take part in Albury, Wodonga and Wagga.

The ride was held for the first time at Adrenaline Boxing and Conditioning in 2021, and raised \$36,600.

It involves teams of five people taking turns on an exercise bike to pedal for a full 24 hours.

There is also a sponsored bike, which sees 24 local businesses provide a donation to have a representative ride for an hour each on behalf of their organisation.

The challenge aims to represent the round-the-clock struggle patients and their families face with cancer.

This year, the organisers challenged other gyms, sporting clubs and community groups from

across the region to get involved and help raise money for the cancer centre.

They were joined by the Murray Crays Football Club, based at PT Fitness Wodonga, and Anytime Fitness in Wagga.

Also jumping in the saddle at Adrenaline Boxing and Conditioning were teams of police from both sides of the Border.

The organising committee, led by Steve Ballard, was thrilled after the event almost doubled its fundraising tally from the previous year, and brought the total raised through the ride to over \$105,000.

In 2022, the tally included 380 donations, with contributions from about 60 local businesses.

The event was sponsored by Adrenaline Boxing and Conditioning, Asahi Beverages, Surdex Steel, Commercial Club Albury and Vision Screenprinting.

The organising committee announced the event would be held on March 17 and 18, 2023, with plans underway to recruit members from other gyms, as well as emergency services and sporting clubs from across the region.

KEY PROJECTS

NEW EQUIPMENT

The Trust Fund was proud to commit to two major prostate cancer equipment upgrades for Albury-Wodonga and Wangaratta in the 2021-2022 financial year.

The first announcement for \$306,500 was made in February 2022, which would fund a new ultrasound machine and other equipment to improve the accuracy of prostate cancer biopsies taken at Wodonga Hospital.

This was expected to save at least five men a week from having to travel to Melbourne for scans or prostate cancer care.

It also allowed Wodonga to become the first regional hospital, and only the second public hospital in Victoria, to offer a rectal spacer program to help reduce side effects for prostate cancer patients undergoing radiotherapy.

The grant was made possible through a \$256,000 donation by the Horne Family Trust, and \$50,000 from the Murray Valley Centre.

This was followed by an announcement in April for similar technology to be provided for the first time at Northeast Health Wangaratta.

The Trust Fund committed to a grant of \$300,000 for the state-of-the-art ultrasound machine and other specialist biopsy equipment which would give men in the Wangaratta region access to quicker and safer prostate cancer treatment.

Previously, prostate cancer patients would have to travel to Wodonga or Melbourne for a biopsy.

This equipment funding was also generously



supported by the Horne Family Trust.

Another vital piece of equipment funded during the year was a new electro-cardiogram (ECG) machine and pulse oximeter for clinical trials at the cancer centre.

The Trust Fund provided \$3900 to the Border Medical Oncology Research Unit to conduct early phase trials that require extensive cardiac monitoring during treatment.

This included five new trials which were the first step in testing new treatments for cancer.



KEY PROJECTS

WELLNESS CENTRE

Despite COVID-19 restrictions forcing its closure for half the year, the Wellness Centre still managed to help hundreds of cancer patients in 2021-2022 through counselling, exercise and supportive care programs.

The Trust Fund invested almost \$170,000 in the Wellness Centre during last financial year.

This helped pay for a range of programs that support the emotional, physical and psychological needs of cancer patients and their families.

The highest attendance was seen in clinical psychology services, with 564 sessions provided. This was a 4 per cent increase on the previous financial year.

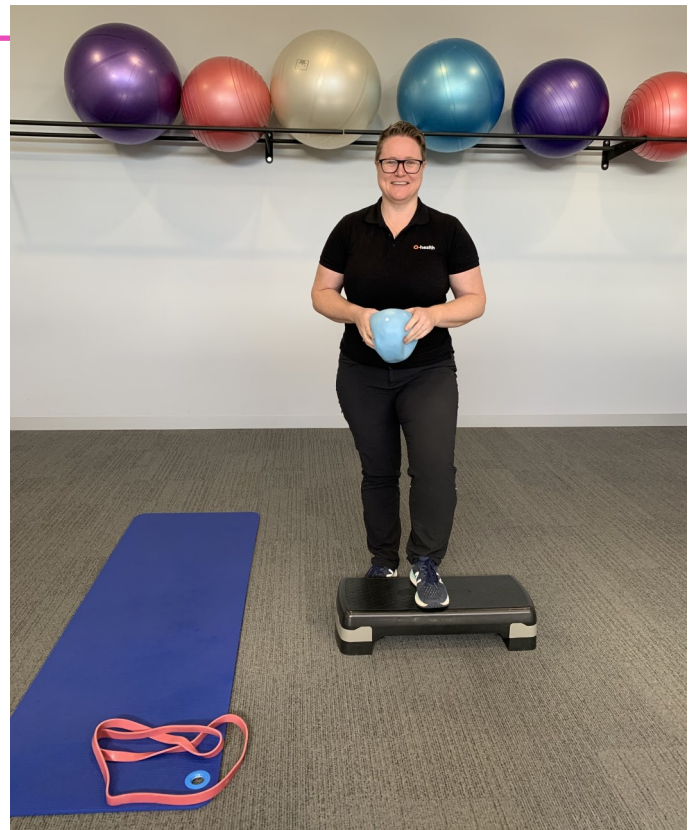
There were also 154 vouchers provided to patients and carers for services outside of the Wellness Centre, including massage (in Albury and Wangaratta), physiotherapy and dietetics.

Some programs were offered online to accommodate COVID-19 restrictions, and enable patients in outlying regions to take part without the need to travel.

This included nine of 22 participants in yoga, 16 who took part in a virtual Look Good Feel Better workshop, and a further eight people who completed an art therapy program.

The mindfulness program, attended by 21 patients and carers, was also extended to Albury Wodonga Health staff with 54 workers attending an evening class.

The Next Steps exercise program for patients



who have completed their treatment attracted 26 participants, and a Caring for Someone with Cancer program was held online with five participants.

Volunteers also returned to staffing the Brave Hearts Wig Library three days per week in May.

An additional grant of \$2000 was also provided to the Albury Wodonga Quilting with Friendship Group, which makes beautiful handmade quilts for distribution to patients staying at the cancer centre.

The quilts are made by volunteers who love to sew, and their creations are given to people who cherish them for their quality finish, and also for the love and care that they are made with.



KEY PROJECTS

RESEARCH



Research continued to expand at the Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre with the help of funding provided through the Trust.

Almost \$100,000 was invested in the Border Medical Oncology Research Unit as part of an ongoing commitment to fund a clinical trials nurse four days a week.

This ensured the unit was able to continue to recruit regional and rural patients to local clinical trials.

During the 2021-2022 financial year, there were 91 trials at the cancer centre involving 188 patients.

This included 25 new trials, of which more than 50 per cent were non-pharma trials and in most cases, under-funded.

These trials included patients with metastatic lung, metastatic pancreatic and rare cancers, as well as an international breast cancer trial aimed at reducing reoccurrence.

There were another 15 trials due to open shortly after the end of the financial year.

These trials give patients the opportunity to play a more active role in their own health care, with research staff providing medical treatment and more frequent health check-ups as part of their participation.

The Trust Fund also committed a further \$27,500 to the Molecular Screening and Therapeutics (MoST) program, which is aimed at finding the best treatment for rare advanced cancers.

The Trust first invested in this trial in the 2020-2021 financial year, with further funding allowing it to double its intake from 50 to 100 patients.

Albury became the first regional site to be involved in the program, which is overseen by Australia's Genomic Cancer Medicine Centre, Omico.

The trial involves molecular testing of patients' previously removed tumours with the aim of providing more targeted treatment.

Early screening of 27 patients had found 12 had actionable mutations, and six were enrolled in clinical trials.

KEY PROJECTS

STAFF EDUCATION AND TRAINING



Although the Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre oncology education program continued to be affected by the COVID-19 pandemic, it still supported many clinicians working with people with cancer to maintain, develop and extend their knowledge in a broad range of areas.

It has also been successful in establishing the cancer centre as an employer of choice, with specialised skill development being promoted and encouraged to assist with staff recruitment and retention.

In 2019, the Trust Fund made a commitment of \$100,000 per year to the oncology education program, for three years.

Because of the pandemic, just \$25,000 was invested in staff training and development in the 2021-2022 financial year.

Despite this, the program supported postgraduate education for a range of multidisciplinary areas including nursing, pharmacy, palliative care, education and speech pathology.

Scholarships valued at more than \$18,000 were

awarded to seven staff to further develop their skills in delivering best care to patients.

Six staff were given the opportunity to attend national conferences to ensure they keep up with the latest technology and treatments.

Education sessions held regularly during Monday lunchtimes provided networking opportunities and support for staff to seek information outside the cancer centre, within group discussions and presentations.

A variety of session topics and presenters were involved including skin care during radiotherapy, oral health and the older patient with cancer, and cancer survivorship.

Education for practical, clinical skills was provided including recognising and responding to clinical deteriorating and cardiac rhythm and ECG courses, and training equipment for managing laryngectomies.

Staff wellbeing was also supported through 'grieving well' sessions, which recognised the challenge of working in healthcare through the last few difficult years.

Albury Wodonga
Regional Cancer Centre
Trust Fund Inc

Financial Statements
for the year ended 30 June 2022

Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre Trust Fund Inc
Balance Sheet as at 30 June 2022

	2022 \$	2021 \$
CURRENT ASSETS		
Bendigo Bank Cash Management	1,052,731	20,582
Bendigo Bank Term Deposit	2,011,793	2,455,707
Bendigo Bank Business Account	331	514
ANZ Business Account	2,629	81
Stripe Account	4,449	3,030
Accounts Receivable	35,000	-
GST Receivable/(Owing)	<u>16,054</u>	<u>19,582</u>
Total Current Assets	<u>3,122,987</u>	<u>2,499,496</u>
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Creditors	<u>58,439</u>	<u>(111)</u>
Total Current Liabilities	<u>58,439</u>	<u>(111)</u>
NET ASSETS	<u>3,064,548</u>	<u>2,499,607</u>
ACCUMULATED FUNDS		
Retained surplus at beginning of period	2,499,607	1,819,762
Surplus for the year	<u>564,941</u>	<u>679,845</u>
TOTAL ACCUMULATED FUNDS	<u>3,064,548</u>	<u>2,499,607</u>

The accompanying notes form part of the financial statements

Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre Trust Fund Inc
Income and Expenditure Statement
for the year ended 30 June 2022

	2022 \$	2021 \$
INCOME		
Donations	781,664	761,220
Functions	238,484	209,927
Interest	10,776	18,458
Technology Project	50,000	500,000
	<u>1,080,924</u>	<u>1,489,605</u>
 EXPENDITURE		
Equipment	(17,380)	88,821
Wellness Centre	169,545	295,096
Education Project	25,000	-
Research	124,459	143,447
Promotional	625	2,362
Functions	13,217	25,355
Wages	155,705	209,838
Bank fees	472	370
Board Expenses	3,516	-
Consulting & Accounting	1,058	-
Other	<u>39,766</u>	<u>44,471</u>
	<u>515,983</u>	<u>809,760</u>
 SURPLUS FOR YEAR	 <u><u>564,941</u></u>	 <u><u>679,845</u></u>

The accompanying notes form part of the financial statements

Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre Trust Fund Inc

Notes to and forming part of the financial statements For the year ended 30 June 2022

Basis of Preparation

The Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre Trust Fund Inc is an Incorporated Association domiciled in Australia.

Note 1: Statement of Compliance

In the opinion of the Board of Management, the Trust Fund is not a reporting entity. The financial reports of the entity have been drawn up as a special purpose financial report in order to provide financial statements which satisfy the requirements of the *Associations Incorporation Act* and the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012*.

The special purpose financial report has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the *Associations Incorporation Act* and the recognition and measurement aspects of applicable Australian Accounting Standards.

Note 2: Statement of Accounting Policies

Set out below is a summary of the significant accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements:

(a) Revenue

Donations are brought to account when received. Interest is brought to account when it is earned.

(b) Tax

The Trust Fund is exempt from income tax and was registered for GST during the 2022 & 2021 financial years.

Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre Trust Fund Inc

**Statement by Members of the Board of Management
for the year ended 30 June 2022**

In the opinion of the Board of Management:

- a) the Trust Fund is not a reporting entity
- b) the financial report set out on pages 1 to 3 is drawn up in accordance with the basis of accounting described in Notes 1 and 2 so as to present fairly the results of the Trust Fund for the financial year ended 30 June 2022 and the state of affairs at that date; and
- c) at the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Trust Fund will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.


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Dated: 24th day of November 2022

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We have audited the financial report of Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre Trust Fund Inc (the Trust Fund), which comprises the balance sheet as at 30 June 2022, the income and expenditure statement and a summary of significant accounting policies, and the statement by the Members of the Board of Management.

In our opinion, except for the effects, if any, on the financial statements of the matter referred to in the qualification paragraph, the accompanying financial report presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Trust Fund as at 30 June 2022 and of its financial performance the year then ended in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards to the extent described in Note 1 to the financial report, the *Associations Incorporation Act* and the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012*.

Basis for Qualified Opinion

It is not practicable for Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre Trust Fund Inc to establish internal controls over all sources of income raising activities prior to receipt of these funds by the organisation. Accordingly, it is not possible for our audit examination to include procedures that extend beyond the amounts of such income recorded in the accounting records of the Trust Fund.

Emphasis of Matter - Basis of Accounting

We draw attention to Note 1 to the financial report, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared for the purpose of fulfilling the Trust Fund's financial reporting responsibilities under the *Associations Incorporation Act* and the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012*. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

Other Information

The Board of Management are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information contained in the Annual Report for the year ended 30 June 2022, but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.



In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of the Board of Management for the Financial Report

The Board of Management are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report and has determined that the basis of preparation described in Note 1 to the financial report is appropriate to meet the financial reporting responsibilities under the *Associations Incorporation Act* and the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012* and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, management is responsible for assessing the Trust Fund's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intend to liquidate the Trust Fund or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The Board of Management are responsible for overseeing the Trust Fund's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

As part of an audit in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.



- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Trust Fund's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Board of Management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Board of Managements' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Trust Fund's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial report or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Trust Fund to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the disclosures, and whether the financial report represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation

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BRADLEY D BOHUN
Partner

24 November 2022
Albury

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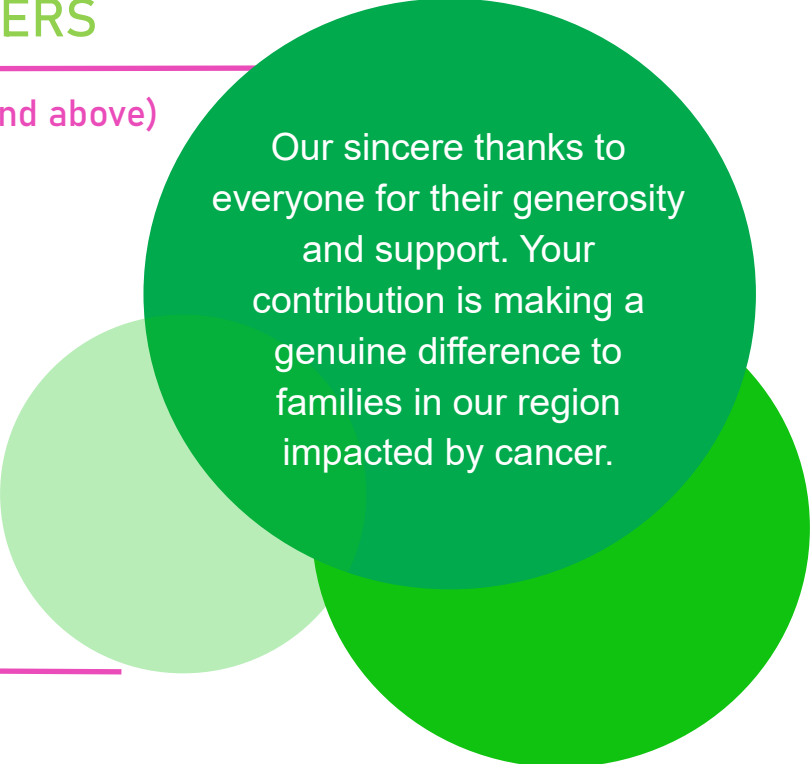
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