the Second Charity Golf Cup

October 20, 2022 Queanbeyan Golf Club, Queanbeyan NSW

Help us make the most of life Supporting Transplant Australia and the NORTH Foundation



Brett & Jodie Barton





Everyone has heard of the Covid-19 pandemic, but have you thought that whilst the pandemic has been with us, there are tens of thousands of Australians living with other chronic health conditions and within that group, approximately 1,200 Australians waiting for a kidney transplant alone, let alone others waiting for a variety of other organ transplants to be able to survive.

Some must wait years and others will never receive the chance. Living kidney donation from a loved one or friend or even a random person (especially through the pair-exchange program), is one of life's greatest gifts. However, Australia's rate of living donations has decreased significantly over the past 10 years. Of course, living donations only apply to kidney donations. Deceased donations can cover a number of organ transplant requirements (eg heart, lungs, skin, corneas, liver).

As you may be aware, Brett & Jodie Barton and their family have recently lived this experience throughout the period of the pandemic with Jodie receiving a kidney from Brett under the unexpected outcome that he was the chosen donor for her after twelve months of extensive testing. Jodie was thankful that she had four other generous people who were willing to go through the testing process to be a donor for her. They fully realised that they were in the minority, and that most people requiring a kidney transplant may have only one potential living donor, and if they do not qualify, then the patient is placed on the deceased donor list that could take years for the transplant to occur.

On 1 August 2022, Barton Commercial Property will launch an 80-day pledgedonation period to support Transplant Australia, in conjunction with the NORTH Foundation culminating on 20 October 2022 with The Second Chance Charity Golf Cup.

This will be held at the Queanbeyan Golf Club, Queanbeyan NSW.

An urgent education program is required for more Australians to consider being a living donor or register on the deceased donor list. All funds raised will be shared between the two organisations towards developing education programs for potential living donors and recipients, as well as helping those on dialysis who must navigate the complex pathway until transplant.

Both groups who have to wait for a transplant and potential donors are often in the dark on options for donations. For some, living donations may be their only option.

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Why The Second Chance Charity Golf Cup?

Fortunately, for most of us we will never know what the feeling is like to have to wait for an organ transplant. However, you or your organisation can support these people on this journey in pledging a donation to Transplant Australia, with an option to participate individually (or a team) in The Second Chance Charity Golf Cup 2022 and have an enjoyable day too!

About Transplant Australia

Transplant Australia is the national charity committed to promoting organ donation and improving the quality of life of all Australians on their transplant journey.

About the NORTH Foundation

The NORTH Foundation raises much-needed funds for hospitals, patient services, equipment and world-class medical research. The NORTH Foundation exists to deliver better patient outcomes for our community by bridging the gap between what is possible today and what is possible tomorrow.

Donations and Registrations - The Second Chance Charity Golf Cup

Through the support of Barton Commercial Property, we are seeking your company's donation to Transplant Australia (including the NORTH Foundation) towards this important cause.

Can you kindly confirm your pledged amount to donate and/or if you propose to play in The Second Chance Charity Golf Cup? Email your individual name or of a team of 4 players' names to brett@bartonproperty.net.au



Sponsorship

The Second Chance Charity Golf Cup will be fully sponsored by Barton Commercial Property and open to all individuals or companies pledging a donation to Transplant Australia. In addition, Barton Commercial Property will launch the donation campaign with a \$20,000 donation to this cause.

We hope other businesses and clients will follow our lead with any donation to this worthy and under-funded cause.

To register your interest, please complete the following form and send back to Transplant Australia at PO Box 3444, Rhodes, NSW 2138 or telephone 1800 827-757 or alternatively complete the separate pledge/donation form and we will issue a fully taxable invoice.



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DONOR/PLEDGE FORM

Donor name(s)

 Address
 City/State/Postcode

 Phone Fax
 E-mail

By signing below, I/we are committing to the following donation/pledge to Transplant Australia Limited/NORTH Foundation:

Amount: \$

The funds raised will be used to develop education programs and raise awareness about organ and tissue donation and support living donation.

Completed Pledge Forms can be returned to Transplant Australia at PO Box 3444, Rhodes, NSW, 2138 or emailed to ian.atkin@transplant.org.au

PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

I am fulfilling the entire pledge at this time by bank transfer to Westpac Banking Corporation, BSB 032-099,

Account 430647, Transplant Australia Limited – Trust Account. (A receipt will be issued on clearance of funds)

Cheque enclosed (payable to Transplant Australia Limited)

Please charge my:

Visa

MasterCard

Card Number

Expires

CVV Code

CONFIRMATION

Signature

Date

Transplant Australia is a registered charity. Donations of \$2.00 and above are tax deductible. Transplant Australia is endorsed as a Deductible Gift Recipient under Item 4.1.1 Subdivision 30-B of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!