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Arthritis & Osteoporosis Tasmania relies on the generosity of its members and the community for its primary funding. Donations help to ensure the continuation and expansion of our information, education and support programs in Tasmania. Without donations it would also be impossible to invest in research to find a cure for arthritis. Donations, one-off or regular, can be made at any time, and in a variety of convenient and secure methods, including:

- ▶ Come to our Office – our friendly volunteers will assist and provide you with a tax deductible receipt
- ▶ Phone (03) 6228 4824 or tollfree 1800 011 041 and make a donation over the phone
- ▶ Visit our website www.arthritistas.org.au and click on the DONATE NOW button on the top right hand of the screen
- ▶ Bank deposit at any Westpac Branch to:
Arthritis & Osteoporosis Tasmania
BSB 037 009 – Account No 291173
- ▶ Post your cheque or money order to
PO Box 780, Moonah Tasmania 7009

*I hope you may be inspired to help us
continue our efforts by choosing to make
a gift to Arthritis & Osteoporosis Tasmania.*



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Arthritis & Osteoporosis Tasmania”*



Arthritis & Osteoporosis Tasmania is a not-for-profit organisation that provides support and information for all Tasmanians affected by arthritis, osteoporosis and related conditions.

Contact Arthritis & Osteoporosis Tasmania to find out about the range of awareness and education programs, support services and resources available.





The Challenge

Arthritis & Osteoporosis Tasmania is an incorporated association formed in 1976 to help improve the lives of the 1 in 4 Tasmanians affected by arthritis and related musculoskeletal conditions. As a small non-government organisation, we rely on the generosity of our donors, sponsors, members and other supporters to help us deliver our valuable services.

Arthritis affects every age group, not just older people. Children, teenagers, young adults and working age people can all be affected.

The rising prevalence of arthritis places increasing challenges and pressures on our organisation.

Arthritis & Osteoporosis Tasmania relies heavily on gifts and donations to continue its work in the community.

We welcome whatever level of support you are able to provide. Arthritis & Osteoporosis Tasmania is registered with the Australian Charities and Not for Profits Commission (ACNC) and is endorsed as a Deductible Gift Recipient (DGR) making all donations over \$2.00 tax deductible.

Please help us to meet our challenge.

Bequests

A gift made in your Will to a charitable organisation is called a bequest. For organisations like Arthritis & Osteoporosis Tasmania bequests play a vital role in enabling us to take a major step forward in the fight against arthritis.

Bequests help us to continue to expand our services into new and exciting areas. Every bequest helps us show people with arthritis that they do not have to live in pain. Every bequest is welcome and greatly appreciated.

Bequests are personal matters – and we respect your privacy. Although it is not essential, it would be helpful if we had some knowledge of your plans. Not only will it help us to plan ahead, it will give us the opportunity to thank you personally and discuss how we will put your gift to work. All discussions are strictly confidential and obligation free.

A bequest is a gift that keeps on giving long after you are able to do so personally. It is the ultimate, selfless gift.

If you would like to discuss the possibility of leaving a bequest to Arthritis & Osteoporosis Tasmania, please ring (03) 6228 4824 and ask to speak with the CEO.

Memorial Gifts

A thoughtful way to honour someone whose life has been affected by arthritis is to make a donation in their memory, or in lieu of flowers. Your donation can play an important role in finding a cure for arthritis and other musculoskeletal conditions.

Once your gift is received, an acknowledgement letter will be sent to the family by Arthritis & Osteoporosis Tasmania.

A donation can be made online, over the phone or by emailing info@arthritistas.org.au. Arthritis & Osteoporosis Tasmania provides donation envelopes on request for funeral gatherings. Every single dollar goes a long way and we greatly appreciate your generosity towards lessening the impact of arthritis on Tasmanians.

Workplace Giving

There are many reasons why Workplace Giving is one of the best ways to give to charity:

- ▶ It's all organised by your payroll
- ▶ It eliminates the need to collect receipts and wait until the end of the year to claim tax credits
- ▶ Your donation is pre-tax so it will cost you less than the amount we receive from your payroll office
- ▶ Giving this way keeps our administration costs down so more of your gift goes directly to supporting people living with arthritis
- ▶ Some employers even choose to match employee donations, doubling the impact of your support.

For more information, please contact our CEO on (03) 6228 4824 or by email info@arthritistas.org.au