# The Kids' Cancer Project. 2014–15 Audited Annual Accounts.



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# The Kids' Cancer Project (Formerly Oncology Children's Foundation) (a company limited by guarantee)

# Financial Statements for the Year Ended 30 June 2015

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The Responsible Persons of The Kids' Cancer Project (formerly Oncology Children's Foundation) (the "Company") present their report for the financial year ended 30 June 2015.

In December 2011 the Oncology Children's Foundation commenced trading under the name 'The Kids' Cancer Project'. After three successful years trading under this name the members of the Company unanimously voted to the change the legal name of the Company from Oncology Children's Foundation to The Kids' Cancer Project on 11 November 2014.

#### 1. Responsible Persons

The names of the Responsible Persons in office at any time during the year and to the date of this report are:

Adrian Fisk (Chairman) Colin Reynolds OAM (Founder) Sue Anderson Phillip Belford (resigned 12 August 2014) Scott Blakeman (resigned 17 February 2015) Nettie Burke (resigned 17 March 2015) Richard Caldow Nigel Everard (Deputy Chairman) (appointed 1 May 2015) Ken Moroney AO APM Frances McPherson Caroline Pierce Simmone Reynolds Lyndall Stoyles

The Responsible Persons have been in office since the start of this financial year to the date of this report unless otherwise stated.

### 2. Principal Activities

The Company is established for the public charitable objects that the directors decide having regard to the recommendations of any advisory committee the directors establish. This includes (to the extent they are charitable), but not limited to, funding medical equipment and supporting research programs into childhood cancer and related research.

#### 3. Review of Performance

The Company returned a deficit in the year of \$631,850 (2014: surplus \$3,478,230). In 2014 the Company was the recipient of bequest which resulted in a significant increase in fundraising income and cash reserves.

In 2015 the Company increased the funding of existing and new research projects by \$551,766 while decreasing research governance expenses by \$140,914. This increase in research funding was achieved by accessing the cash reserves which increased following the receipt of a significant bequest in 2014.

	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Income	11,187,991	14,995,660
Expenses	(8,283,326)	(8,391,767)
Surplus Available for Research	2,904,665	6,603,893
Research Funding & Governance	2,904,665	3,125,663
Additional Cash Released to Fund Research & Governance	631,850	
Total Research Funding & Governance	3,536,515	3,125,663
(Deficit) / Surplus for the year	(631,850)	3,478,230

The Company holds at least one year of research funding in reserve to fund research commitments for the following year. In the year to 30 June 2016 the Company has committed to funding research to \$4.2m; additional funds have been held in reserve to allow for the potential funding of paediatric clinical trials. On an annual basis the Company aims to grow the research funding commitments.

#### 4. Information on the Responsible Persons

The particulars of the qualifications, experience and special responsibilities of each Responsible Person who held office at any time during the year are as follows:

#### Adrian Fisk (Chairman)

Adrian is currently a partner at KPMG. He has over 20 years experience in the professional and financial services industries and his clients have included some of the largest property and financial services companies on the ASX. Adrian holds a Masters of Economics and is a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants.

Adrian became involved with The Kids' Cancer Project after his son was diagnosed with a brain tumour at the age of 5.

#### Colin Reynolds OAM (Founder)

As the founder of The Kids' Cancer Project, Col Reynolds' outstanding contribution to the lives of children with cancer was officially recognised when he was honoured with an Order of Australia award in 2000. In 2010, Col was again recognised for his contribution to the lives of children with a Golden Harold Award. It was from unlikely beginnings that Col's passion for helping children with cancer was first kindled.

Col had worked as a Tour Coach operator for more than 30 years. During this time he had looked after many high profile clients, managing the Secret Service convoy for both George Bush and Bill Clinton, and the Papal visit of Pope John Paul.

One day, driving his empty coach past the old Camperdown Children's Hospital, Col stopped to let two young children with bald heads cross the road. In that instant, Col resolved to do everything in his power to assist children with cancer. This single event changed the trajectory of his life, and planted the seeds for what in 1993 was to become The Kids' Cancer Project.

#### Sue Anderson

Sue Anderson has more than 20 years experience in the retail sector, having worked in management, business development and marketing roles for some of Australia's most prestigious retail brands.

Currently Sue is a senior director at the Australian Retailers Association, with responsibility for delivering training programs and defining industry standards of best practice education for the industry.

Sue is also a director of consulting business, Retail Capabilities, which delivers retail education, training and consulting services to organisations in the property and franchise sector.

Sue holds several qualifications including a Bachelor of Business (Management) and an Executive MBA. Sue understands first-hand the importance of research into childhood cancer, with her now eight-year-old daughter Audrey diagnosed with an inoperable brain tumour at the age of five.

#### Phillip Belford (resigned 12 August 2014)

As a founding member of the Board of The Kids' Cancer Project, Philip Belford has a long standing history with the charity. When the doors of The Kids' Cancer Project first opened, he held the position of CEO and worked closely with Col Reynolds fundraising to build and develop the charity to where it stands today.

Philip has extensive experience in the not-for-profit sector at the committee level, having worked closely with sporting associations in cricket, rugby league and soccer. These ties later assisted him in building successful relationships between The Kids' Cancer Project and particular sporting bodies.

#### Scott Blakeman (resigned 17 February 2015)

Scott is the Head of Human Resources – Australia and New Zealand for Jardine Lloyd Thompson. Prior to this, Scott has held senior HR positions with Telstra Corporation and The Seven Network. Previous employers include Thomas Cook, Century Yuasa Batteries and National Australia Bank.

Scott holds a Bachelor of Business and is a certified professional of the Australian Institute of Human Resources (CAHRI).

Scott has previously held a position as the Seven Network management representative on the Children's Medical Research Institute (CMRI) fundraising committee for Jeans for Genes.

#### Nettie Burke (resigned 17 March 2015)

Nettie Burke has held senior management roles in both the corporate and Not-For-Profit sectors in the UK and Australia.

Her career includes holding the CEO role for Arthritis NSW and the Royal Hospital for Women Foundation, as well as senior marketing positions at the National Breast Cancer Foundation (NBCF), Ability Options, Saatchi & Saatchi and Adcorp Australia.

Nettie has a successful track record in liaising at the highest level of corporate management and government and delivering effective partnerships that get results. She has also developed several award-winning websites.

Currently Nettie is Director of Business Development at MAXIMUS Inc., a large US Health Services company.

#### **Richard Caldow**

With 25 years' experience in financial services, Richard Caldow has worked as an advisor in the stockbroking industry since 1992. Prior to this he worked in chartered accounting, with roles at Ernst & Young and Arthur Andersen & Co.

Richard was an Executive Director at Euroz Securities, a Western Australian focused specialist financial services company that provides a range of services including stockbroking, corporate finance and funds management.

Richard holds a Bachelor of Commerce with a double major in Accounting and Finance from the University of Western Australia.

Richard's son Archie, diagnosed with high-risk neuroblastoma at just three years of age, is now six years old and in remission.

#### Nigel Everard (Deputy Chairman) (appointed 1 May 2015)

Nigel is currently employed as Chief Financial Officer of a leading Quick Service Restaurant business. He has spent approximately 20 years working in automotive, quick service restaurant, aviation and not for profit sectors in Australia, Asia and Europe.

Nigel has held senior positions in general management, finance, strategy and business improvement. Nigel has a Bachelor of Commerce majoring in Accounting, a Graduate Certificate in Management and an MBA majoring in Planning and Strategy all from Deakin University. He is also a qualified and current member of CPA Australia.

#### Ken Moroney AO APM

Ken was the Commissioner of The New South Wales Police Force from 2002 to 2007. He has occupied a range of Executive positions as well as resided on 11 key Boards and Committees.

Ken was awarded the Order of Australia in 2006 and has received numerous medals such as The Australian Police Medal and the National Medal.

Ken has also been awarded three New South Wales Commissioner's Commendations for Service and has an Honorary Doctorate from Charles Stuart University.

#### Frances McPherson

Frances McPherson is the Executive Director for People and Corporate Services at Transport for NSW, with responsibility for driving the strategic development and implementation of HR and business services across five branches of the department.

Frances was responsible for leading and implementing Corporate Services reform across transport in NSW, as well as implementing reform of the NSW Rail Industry.

A human resources and corporate services expert, Frances has extensive experience in the public sector. Previously she has held senior executive roles at Roads and Traffic Authority, State Rail Authority, RailCorp, NSW Police Force and the Department of the Premier and Cabinet.

Frances has studied at the University of Technology Sydney, University of Griffith and University of NSW. She was awarded the Public Service Medal in the Queen's Birthday Honours in 2007.

#### **Caroline Pierce**

Caroline has over two decades of experience in publishing and journalism. Her career spans positions in wellknown publications, the Sunday Telegraph and News Limited, where she has held senior positions and run her own column.

Currently, Caroline is the Company Secretary of a privately owned consultancy specialising in workflow applications and web enablement for local government. Her responsibilities cover business process analysis, application development, marketing and administration.

#### Simmone Reynolds

Simmone is a founding member of The Kids' Cancer Project Board and is currently employed with the Australian Defence Force as a Communications Officer.

Earlier in her career, Simmone spent 9 years working in the Fast Moving Consumer Goods industry, in marketing, national account management and category development roles at Unilever Australasia and Nestlé.

Simmone has a Bachelor of Commerce degree majoring in Marketing and Hospitality Management from the University of New South Wales.

#### Lyndall Stoyles

Lyndall is the Group General Counsel & Company Secretary of Asciano Limited. Lyndall provides strategic legal support for the Asciano ports and rail businesses.

Prior to joining Asciano, Lyndall spent 14 years with Clayton Utz advising on competition and commercial law issues in a broad range of industries, including advising on competition and commercial issues in the media, telecommunications, rugby and racing industries.

Lyndall has divided her professional time between these roles and various other roles within the community, including research and policy work to inform and influence more humane ways to support refugees and asylum seekers in Australia, developing projects to supports schools and mobile medical clinics in East Timor and her role on the Board of The Kids' Cancer Project.

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# Report of the Responsible Persons (cont)

#### 5. Meetings of the Responsible Persons

There were ten ordinary meetings of the Responsible Persons between 1 July 2014 and 30 June 2015. The number of meetings attended by each Responsible Person was:

	Eligible to Attend	Attended
Adrian Fisk	10	8
Colin Reynolds	10	10
Sue Anderson	10	9
Phillip Belford	1	-
Scott Blakeman *	6	1
Nettie Burke	7	5
Richard Caldow	10	4
Nigel Everard	2	1
Frances McPherson	10	6
Ken Moroney	10	8
Caroline Pierce	10	9
Simmone Reynolds	10	8
Lyndall Stoyles	10	7

\* Scott Blakeman was granted a three month leave of absence from the board during the financial year.

6. Key	Management	Personnel Co	ompensation			
		Short Term	Post-	Other Long	Termination	Total
		Benefits	Employment Benefits	Term Benefits	Benefits	
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
2015 Total Co	ompensation	259,153	23,856	96	-	283,105
2014 Total Co	ompensation	241,449	16,660	1,834	-	259,943

#### 7. Purpose and Objectives

The Company has a single mission: to cure kids' cancer. We know that the only way to cure childhood cancer is through medical research. To that end we select and fund researchers without geographical or institutional barriers.

Childhood cancer claims the lives of more children in Australia than any other disease. Although 80% of children survive childhood cancer, two of the most common childhood cancers, neuroblastoma and brain tumours, still take half of the children they affect.

By supporting world-class research, we aim to make kids' cancer history.

We are committed to understanding the questions that a family asks when their child is newly diagnosed and have used this awareness to guide our priorities for a cure. They are:

- 1. Discovering new treatments
- 2. Developing safer treatments and understanding the long term side effects on health of current treatments
- 3. Increasing capabilities by playing a key role in research infrastructure, collaboration and succession planning
- 4. Understanding childhood cancer by ensuring that the outcomes for Australian children is world-class
- 5. The Kids' Cancer Project has defined a child as 0-18. All future research projects must take adolescents and young adults into consideration
- 6. Understanding the causes of childhood cancer
- 7. Advocate for equality in access to care
- 8. Advocate for hospital facilities and clinical trial participation to be a priority for the Australian government

The Company is guided by eminent medical and research experts who form our international Research Advisory Committee.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Responsible Persons.

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Colin Reynolds OAM Founder and Director

Adrian Fisk

17 November 2015

Adrian Fisk Chairman

17 November 2015

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# Declaration of the Responsible Person's to the Members of The Kids' Cancer Project

In the opinion of the Responsible Persons of The Kids' Cancer Project:

- 1. The financial statements and notes as set out on pages 12 to 30 are in accordance with the Australian Charities and Not for Profits Commission Act 2012, and
  - (a) Give a true and fair view of its financial position as at 30 June 2015 and of its performance for the financial year ended on that date; and
  - (b) Comply with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the Australian Charities and Not for Profits Commission Regulation 2013; and
- 2. There are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Responsible Persons.

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Colin Reynolds OAM Founder and Director

17 November 2015

Adrian Fisk Chairman

17 November 2015

# Declaration by the Chief Executive Officer in respect of fundraising appeals pursuant to Section 7(5) of the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 – Regulations

I, Owen Finegan, Chief Executive Officer of The Kids' Cancer Project declare, in my opinion:

- (a) The financial report gives a true and fair view of all income and expenditure of the Company with respect to fundraising appeals, for the financial year ended 30 June 2015;
- (b) The statement of financial position gives a true and fair view of the state of affairs with respect to fundraising appeals, as at 30 June 2015;
- (c) The provisions of the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 and the Regulations and the conditions attached to the authority have been complied with for the period 1 July 2014 to 30 June 2015; and
- (d) The internal controls exercised by the Company are appropriate and effective in accounting for all income received.

It is not always practicable for the Company to establish accounting control over all sources of fundraising activities prior to receipt of the funds by employees of the Company.

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Owen Finegan Chief Executive Officer

17 November 2015

# STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

	Note	2015	2014
Income		\$	\$
Raffles		5,783,887	6,959,075
Merchandise		1,558,808	1,474,315
Donations		3,645,983	6,348,607
Total		10,988,678	14,781,997
Interest income		102,237	133,688
Other income		97,076	79,975
Total Income		11,187,991	14,995,660
Expenses			
Fundraising	10	6,009,012	6,301,118
Research funding & governance	11	3,536,515	3,125,663
Employee expenses		1,591,411	1,259,464
Depreciation & amortisation		66,338	75,805
Other	-	616,565	755,380
Total Expenses		11,819,841	11,517,430
Net (Deficit) / Surplus	•	(631,850)	3,478,230
Other Comprehensive Income for the Year, Net of Tax		-	-
Total Comprehensive Income for the Year	-	(631,850)	3,478,230
(Deficit) / Surplus Attributable to Members of the Entity	_	(631,850)	3,478,230
Total Comprehensive Income Attributable to Members of the Entity		(631,850)	3,478,230
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The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30 JUNE 2015

	Note	2015	2014
		\$	\$
Current Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	3	5,978,682	6,835,056
Trade and other receivables	4	412	38
Inventory		65,051	5,318
Other current assets	5	1,414,328	1,341,829
Total Current Assets		7,458,473	8,182,241
Non-Current Assets			
Fixed assets	6	105,263	135,258
Intangible assets	7	98,375	44,207
Total Non-Current Assets		203,638	179,465
Total Assets		7,662,111	8,361,706
Current Liabilities		8 21	
Trade and other payables	8	1,186,881	1,008,787
Deferred income	0	1,231,043	1,494,734
Lease liability		1,231,043	4,319
Provisions	9	82,211	70,609
Total Current Liabilities	2	2,500,135	2,578,449
Non-Current Liabilities			
Provisions	9	33,665	23,096
Total Non-Current Liabilities		33,665	23,096
Total Liabilities		2,533,800	2,601,545
Net Assets		5,128,311	5,760,161
Accumulated Funds			
Retained surplus		5,128,311	5,760,161

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

	Retained Surplus \$
Balance at 1 July 2013	2,281,931
Net surplus for the year	3,478,230
Retained surplus 30 June 2014	5,760,161
Balance 1 July 2014	5,760,161
Net deficit for the year	(631,850)
Retained surplus 30 June 2015	5,128,311

# STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

	Note	2015 \$	2014 \$
CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Cash receipts from operations		10,843,837	14,952,729
Cash payments from operations Interest received		(11,706,776) 97,076	(11,300,615) 133,688
Net cash (used in ) / provided by operating activities	14	(765,863)	3,785,802
CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Payments for plant & equipment		(16,696)	(42,921)
Payments for intangible assets		(73,815)	(2,874)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant & equipment			14,739
Net cash (used in) investing activities		(90,511)	(31,056)
Net (decrease) / increase in cash and cash equivalents held		(856,374)	3,754,746
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial year		6,835,056	3,080,310
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial year	3	5,978,682	6,835,056

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of Preparation

The financial statements are general purpose financial statements that have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Australian Charities and Not for Profits Commission Act 2012, Australian Accounting Standards and other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board. The company is a not-for-profit entity for financial reporting purposes under Australian Accounting Standards. Australian Accounting Standards set out accounting policies that the Australian Accounting Standards Board ("AASB") has concluded would result in financial statements containing relevant and reliable information about transactions, events and conditions.

Material accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements are presented below and have been consistently applied unless otherwise stated.

The financial statements have been prepared on an accruals basis and are based on historical costs, modified where applicable, by the measurement at fair value of selected non-current assets, financial assets and financial liabilities in the preparation of the financial statements. The accounting policies have been consistently applied, unless otherwise stated.

The Company is limited by guarantee, incorporated and domiciled in Australia. Both the functional and presentation currency of the Company is Australian Dollar (\$).

The financial report was authorised for issue on 17 November 2015 by the Board of The Kids' Cancer Project.

#### **Accounting Policies**

#### (a) Income Tax

No provision for income tax has been raised as the Company is exempt from income tax by virtue of Section 50-B of the Income Tax Assessment Act, 1997.

#### (b) Plant and Equipment

Each class of property, plant and equipment is carried at cost or fair value less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

#### Plant and equipment

Plant and equipment are measured on the cost basis less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

The carrying amount of plant and equipment is reviewed annually to ensure it is not in excess of the recoverable amount from these assets. The recoverable amount is assessed on the basis of the expected net cash flows that will be received from the assets' employment and subsequent disposal. The expected net cash flows have been discounted to their present values in determining recoverable amounts.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Company and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to the statement profit or loss and other comprehensive income during the financial period in which they are incurred.

# NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont)

#### (c) Depreciation

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets is depreciated on a straight line basis over their useful lives to the Company commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use.

Leasehold improvements are depreciated over the shorter of either the unexpired period of the lease or the estimated useful lives of the improvements.

The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable assets are:

Class of Fixed Asset		Depreciation Rate
Furniture & fixtures		15% - 20%
Office equipment		25% - 35%
IT equipment		33%
Motor vehicles		20%
Leasehold improvements	2	15% - 20%

The assets residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting period.

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount. A formal assessment of recoverable amount made when impairment indicators are present (refer to Note 1 (f) for details of impairment).

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with the carrying amount. These gains or losses are included in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income. When revalued assets are sold, amounts included in the revaluation reserve relating to that asset are transferred to retained earnings.

#### (d) Leases

Leases of fixed assets where substantially all the risks and benefits incidental to the ownership of the asset (but not the legal ownership) are transferred to the Company are classified as finance leases.

Finance leases are capitalised by recording an asset and a liability at the lower of the amounts equal to the fair value of the leased property or present value of the minimum lease payments, including any guaranteed residual values. Lease payments are allocated between the reduction of the lease liability and the lease interest expense for the period.

Leased assets are depreciated on a straight line basis over the shorter of their estimated useful lives or the lease term.

Lease payments for operating leases, where substantially all the risks and benefits remain with the lessor, are charged as expenses in the periods in which they are incurred.

Lease incentives under operating leases are recognised as a liability and amortised on a straight-line basis over the life of the lease term.

#### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont)

#### (e) Financial instruments

#### Recognition and initial measurement

Financial instruments, incorporating financial assets and financial liabilities, are recognised when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Trade date accounting is adopted for financial assets that are delivered within timeframes established by marketplace convention.

Financial instruments are initially measured at fair value plus transactions costs where the instrument is not classified as at fair value through profit or loss. Transaction costs related to instruments classified as at fair value through profit or loss are expensed to profit or loss immediately. Financial instruments are classified and measured as set out below.

#### Derecognition

Financial assets are derecognised where the contractual rights to receipt of cash flows expires or the asset is transferred to another party whereby the Company no longer has any significant continuing involvement in the risks and benefits associated with the asset. Financial liabilities are derecognised where the related obligations are either discharged, cancelled or expire. The difference between the carrying value of the financial liability extinguished or transferred to another party and the fair value of consideration paid, including the transfer of non-cash assets or liabilities assumed, is recognised in profit or loss.

#### Classification and subsequent measurement

#### (i) Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss

Financial assets are classified at fair value through profit or loss when they are held for trading for the purpose of short term profit taking, where they are derivatives not held for hedging purposes, or designated as such to avoid an accounting mismatch or to enable performance evaluation where a group of financial assets is managed by key management personnel on a fair value basis in accordance with a documented risk management or investment strategy. Realised and unrealised gains and losses arising from changes in fair value are included in profit or loss in the period in which they arise.

#### (ii) Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market and are stated at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

#### (iii) Held-to-maturity investments

Held-to-maturity investments are non-derivative financial assets that have fixed maturities and fixed or determinable payments, and it is the Company's intention to hold these investments to maturity. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

#### (iv) Available-for-sale financial assets

Available-for-sale financial assets are non-derivative financial assets that are either designated as such or that are not classified in any of the other categories. They comprise investments in the equity of other entities where there is neither a fixed maturity nor fixed or determinable payments.

# NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont)

#### (e) Financial instruments (cont)

#### (iv) Available-for-sale financial assets (cont.)

They are subsequently measured at fair value with changes in such fair value (ie gains or losses) recognised in other comprehensive income (except for impairment losses and foreign exchange gains or losses). When the financial asset is derecognised, the cumulative gain or loss pertaining to that asset previously recognised in other comprehensive income is reclassified into profit or loss.

#### (v) Financial liabilities

Non-derivative financial liabilities (excluding financial guarantees) are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

#### Fair value

Fair value is determined based on current bid prices for all quoted investments. Valuation techniques are applied to determine the fair value for all unlisted securities, including recent arm's length transactions, reference to similar instruments and option pricing models.

#### Impairment

At the end of each reporting period, the Company assesses whether there is objective evidence that a financial instrument has been impaired. In the case of available-for-sale financial instruments, a significant or prolonged decline in the value of the instrument is considered to determine whether impairment has arisen. Impairment losses are recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

#### (f) Impairment of Assets

At the end of each reporting period, the Company reviews the carrying values of its tangible and intangible assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have been impaired. If such an indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset, being the higher of the asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use, is compared to the asset's carrying value. Any excess of the asset's carrying value over its recoverable amount is expensed to the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

Where it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the Company estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

### NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont)

#### (g) Employee Benefits

Provision is made for the Company's liability for employee benefits arising from services rendered by employees to the end of the reporting period. Employee benefits that are expected to be wholly settled within one year have been measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liability is settled. Employee benefits wholly payable later than one year have been measured at the present value of the estimated future cash outflows to be made for these benefits. Those cash flows are discounted using market yields on national government bonds with terms to maturity that match the expected timing of cash flows.

#### (h) Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the Company has a legal or constructive obligation, as a result of past events, for which it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will result and that outflow can be reliably measured.

The Company provides funding for research, which due to the timing of the funding, can be either fully or partially unpaid at the end of the reporting period. Provision is made for the Foundation's liability for unpaid awards at the end of the reporting period.

#### (i) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, deposits held at call with banks, and other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, and bank overdrafts.

#### (j) Revenue

Revenue from the sale of goods is recognised at the point of delivery as this corresponds to the transfer of significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods and the cessation of all involvement in those goods.

Interest revenue is recognised using the effective interest rate method, which, for floating rate financial assets, is the rate inherent in the instrument.

Donations, appeals and bequests are recognised on a receipt basis.

Revenue relating to raffles is recognised when the raffle is completed and drawn.

Revenue from the rendering of a service is recognised upon the delivery of the service to the customers.

All revenue is stated net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST).

#### (k) Accounts Receivable and Other Debtors

Accounts receivable and other debtors amounts receivable from customers for goods sold or income receivable in the ordinary course of business. Receivables expected to be collected within 12 months of the end of the reporting period are classified as current assets. All other receivables are classified as non-current assets.

# NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont)

#### k) Accounts Receivable and Other Debtors (cont)

Accounts receivable are initially recognised at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method, less any provision for impairment. Refer to Note 1(e) for further discussion on the determination of impairment losses.

#### (I) Inventories

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost and current replacement cost.

Inventories acquired at no cost or for nominal consideration are valued at the current replacement cost at the date of acquisition.

#### (m) Goods and Services Tax

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office. In these circumstances, the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of the expense. Receivables and payables in the statement of financial position are shown inclusive of GST.

Cash flows are presented in the statement of cash flows on a gross basis, except for the GST component of investing and financing activities, which are disclosed as operating cash flows.

#### (n) Intangibles

#### Software

Software is recorded at cost. Software has a finite life and is carried at cost less accumulated amortisation and any impairment losses. It has an estimated useful life of between one and three years. It is assessed annually for impairment.

#### (o) Trade and Other Payables

Trade and other payables represent the liability outstanding at the end of the reporting period for goods and services received by the Company during the reporting period which remain unpaid. The balance is recognised as a currently liability with the amounts normally paid within 30 days of recognition of the liability.

#### (p) Comparative figures

When required by Accounting Standards, comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to changes in presentation for the current financial year.

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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015NOTE 1:STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont)

#### (q) Critical accounting estimates and judgments

The Responsible Persons evaluate estimates and judgments incorporated into the financial statements based on historical knowledge and best available current information. Estimates assume a reasonable expectation of future events and are based on current trends and economic data, obtained both externally and within the Company.

#### Key estimates - impairment

The Company assesses impairment at the end of each reporting period by evaluating conditions specific to the Company that may lead to impairment of assets. Where an impairment trigger exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is determined. Value-in-use calculations performed in assessing recoverable amounts incorporate a number of key estimates.

#### (r) Adoption of New and Revised Accounting Standards

The AASB has issued new and amended accounting standards and interpretations that have mandatory application dates for future reporting periods and which the Company has decided not to early adopt. A discussion of those future requirements and their impact on the Company is as follows:

 AASB 2014-4 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Clarification of Acceptable Methods of Depreciation and Amortisation (applicable for annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 January 2016)

This standard amends AASB 116 and AASB 138 to establish the principle for the basis of depreciation and amortisation as being the expected pattern of consumption of the future economic benefits of an asset and to clarify that the use of revenue-based methods to calculate the depreciation of an asset is not appropriate. The standard also clarifies that revenue is generally presumed to be an inappropriate basis for measuring the consumption of the economic benefits embodied in an intangible asset. This presumption, however, can be rebutted in certain limited circumstances.

This standard is not expected to impact the Company.

 2015-6 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Extending Related Party Disclosures to Not-for-Profit Public Sector Entities (applicable for annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 July 2016)

This standard makes amendments to AASB 124 to specify consistent related party disclosure requirements for the Australian Government, State Governments, local councils and other not-for-profit public sector entities.

This standard is not expected to impact the Company.

#### NOTE 2: OTHER EXPENSES

				2015 \$		2014 \$
						- <b>-</b> •
Doubtful debts expense				-		-
Lease expense				158,509		145,527
Auditor Remuneration						
Audit Services				24,500		24,500
Other Services		-		-		2 <del></del>
Total Auditor Remuneration				24,500		24,500
NOTE 3: CASH AND CASH EQUIVAL	ENTS			2015		2014
	LINIO			2010		\$
				*	,	φ
Cash on hand				673	3	521
Cash at bank				5,978,009	)	6,834,535
		-		5,978,682	2	6,835,056
Reconciliation of cash at bank:						
				201	15	2014
8					\$	\$
Cash held in operating accounts				3,887,37	79	6,755,915
Cash held on term deposit				2,090,63	30	78,620
Total cash at bank				5,978,00		6,683,535
NOTE 4: TRADE AND OTHER RECEI	VABLES					
				2015		2014
Current				\$		\$
Trade receivables				412		-
Other receivables				172		38
Provision for impairment						-
		3		412		38
		Past due				Within
	Gross	and				initial trade
	Amount	Impaired	31-60	61-90	>90	terms
2015						
Trade Receivables	412	-	-	-		412
2014						
Trade Receivables	.=	-	-	-	-	-

The Company does not hold any financial assets whose terms have been renegotiated, but which otherwise would be past due and impaired. There are no balances within receivables that are impaired and not past due. It is expected that these balances will be received when due.

# NOTE 5: OTHER CURRENT ASSETS

	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Deposits paid	66,158	114,425
Prepayments	1,173,854	1,116,970
GST receivable	174,316	110,434
	1,414,328	1,341,829

#### NOTE 6: PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT

	2015 \$	2014 \$
Office equipment (at cost)	102,700	90,859
Less: accumulated depreciation	(86,992)	(78,124)
	15,708	12,735
Furniture and fittings (at cost)	65,294	63,842
Less: accumulated depreciation	(39,543)	(29,740)
	25,751	34,102
Motor vehicles (at cost)	36,910	36,910
Less: accumulated depreciation	(12,922)	(5,539)
	23,988	31,371
Leasehold improvements (at cost)	86,017	86,017
Less: accumulated depreciation	(52,981)	(38,114)
And an end of the second s	33,036	47,903
IT equipment (at cost)	20,638	17,219
Less: accumulated depreciation	(13,858)	(8,072)
	6,780	9,147
*		
Total	105,263	135,258

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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

# NOTE 6: FIXED ASSETS (cont)

#### Movements in Carrying Amounts

	Office equipment \$	Furniture & fittings \$	Motor vehicles \$	Leasehold improvements \$	IT equipment \$	Total \$
Carrying amount at 1 July 2014	12,735	34,102	31,371	47,903	9,147	135,258
Additions	11,824	1,457		-	3,415	16,696
Disposals		-	3 <b>—</b> 3	-	-	(22)
Depreciation expense	(8,851)	(9,808)	(7,383)	(14,867)	(5,782)	(46,691)
Depreciation on disposed assets	-	-	1=(	-	-	-
Carrying amount at 30 June 2015	15,708	25,751	23,988	33,036	6,780	105,263

### NOTE 7: INTANGIBLE ASSETS

2015	2014
\$	\$
44,207	60,722
73,815	2,874
-	
(19,647)	(19,389)
98,375	44,207
	\$ 44,207 73,815 - (19,647)

#### NOTE 8: TRADE & OTHER PAYABLES

	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Trade payables	1,045,358	499,222
Accrued expenses	99,493	494,080
PAYG payable	42,030	15,485
	1,186,881	1,008,787

#### NOTE 9: PROVISIONS

Current	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Employee benefits provision	82,211	70,609
	82,211	70,609
Non Current		
Employee benefits provision	33,665	23,096
Total Provisions	115,876	93,705

#### NOTE 10: RESULTS OF ACTIVITIES

		2015 \$	2014 \$
	Raffles *		
1)	Gross Revenue from Raffles Less: Direct Costs of Raffles (prizes, call centre, printing, mailing, bank and	5,783,887	6,959,075
	merchant fees)	(4,304,732)	(4,591,195)
	Gross Surplus from Raffles	1,479,155	2,367,880
	Gross Margin from Raffles	26%	34%
	Merchandise		
2)	Gross Revenue from Merchandise	1,558,808	1,474,315
	Less: Direct Costs of Merchandise	(930,881)	(846,181)
	Gross Surplus from Merchandise	627,927	628,134
	Gross Margin from Merchandise	40%	43%
	Donations**		
3)	Gross Revenue from Donations	3,645,983	6,348,607
24	Less: Direct Costs of Donations	(773,399)	(863,742)
	Gross Surplus from Donations	2,872,584	5,484,865
	Gross Surplus from Donations	79%	86%
	Gross Revenue from Fundraising	10,988,678	14,781,997
	Less: Direct Costs of Fundraising	(6,009,012)	(6,301,118)
	Gross Surplus from Fundraising	4,979,666	8,480,879
	Gross Margin from Fundraising	45%	57%

\* Raffles are conducted in all Australian States and Territories bar Western Australia. The raffle returns in NSW for all raffles completed and drawn in the financial year met the minimum regulatory requirements of the NSW Office of Liquor, Gaming & Racing. Raffle income and costs incurred relate solely to raffle ticket sales.

\*\* In 2014 the Company was the recipient of a significant bequest. While bequests were received in 2015 they were not to the same value as 2014, therefore there has been a decrease in donations income received in the year.

Fundraising expenses include specific direct costs, and exclude salaries and allowances and other expenses not directly related to fundraising. The efficiencies of The Kids' Cancer Project fundraising efforts vary and supporters are provided with a wide variety of ways to contribute. In all its efforts The Kids' Cancer Project continually strives to increase effectiveness and lower costs.

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# NOTE 11: RESEARCH FUNDING & RELATED EXPENDITURE

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	2015	2014
	\$	\$
Neuroblastoma Drug Discovery, UNSW	880,000	800,000
Muscle Stem Cell Biology, UNSW	-	50,000
Side Effects of Antitropomyosin Drugs, UNSW	100,000	100,000
Using Antitropomyosin Drugs to Treat Neuroblastoma, UNSW	100,000	100,000
Cancer Gene Therapy Program (Brain Cancer), The Children's Hospital at	1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 -	
Westmead	820,000	641,000
Tumour Bank, The Children's Hospital at Westmead	350,000	350,000
Neuroblastoma Metastasis, The Children's Hospital at Westmead	100,000	100,000
Cell Organisation in Neuroblastoma, University of Queensland	100,000	100,000
New Drug Targets in Neuroblastoma, The Garvan Institute	110,000	110,000
Role of MicroRNA in Neuroblastoma, SA Pathology	100,000	100,000
Fly Models of Childhood Brain Tumours, Peter Mac Cancer Centre		50,000
Preclinical Testing of New Neuroblastoma Drugs, Nationwide Children's		
Hospital	100,000	100,000
Novel Therapeutic Targets in Paediatric Acute Myeloid Leukaemia, University		
of Queensland	112,500	-
Stathmin Regulation of MicroRNA Expression in Neuroblastoma Cells, UNSW	155,000	100,000
Novel Therapies for DIPG, Sydney Children's Hospital	100,000	
Improving the Treatment for Infants with Leukaemia, Telethon Institute for		
Child Health Research	100,000	-
Personalised Medicine Pilot, Children's Cancer Institute	68,250	
Clonal Analysis to Treat Paediatric Brain Cancer, QIMR Berghofer Medical		
Research Institute – Joint Venture with Cancer Australia	66,572	-
ATM analogues combination, Children's Cancer Institute	5,300	-
The Royal Australasian College of Physicians Scholarship, Royal Australasian		
College of Physicians	49,000	45,721
A clinical trial of polyamine inhibition as a new treatment approach for relapsed		
neuroblastoma, Children's Cancer Institute	.=.	100,000
Clinical Trial Support	6,865	-
Dextran-Catechin Conjugat: A potential treatment against neuroblastoma		
(NSW Cancer Institute Award)	-	25,000
Research governance	113,028	253,942
Total research funding & administrative costs	3,536,515	3,125,663

#### NOTE 12: LEASE COMMITMENTS

#### **Operating Lease Commitments**

	2015	2014
Payable: minimum lease payment	\$	\$
Not later than 12 months	171,051	68,656
Between 12 months and 5 years	59,187	·
Greater than 5 years		-
	230,238	68,656

The property lease commitment is a non-cancellable operating lease contracted for but not recognised in the financial statements.

#### NOTE 13: RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

Lyndall Stoyles is related to a Director of the Company's telemarketing agency, Contact Centres Australia. Ms Stoyles has no financial interest in Contact Centres Australia and abstains from any discussion relating to them. Nigel Everard was employed as Acting CEO of the Company from April 2014 to April 2015 and received remuneration in this position. Mr Everard's wife, Simmone Reynolds, and father-in-law, Colin Reynolds, were Responsible Persons of the Company during this time.

#### NOTE 14: CASH FLOW INFORMATION

#### Reconciliation of Cash Flow from Operations

	2015 \$	2014 \$
Reconciliation of cash flow from operations		
Total comprehensive income for the year	(631,850)	3,478,230
Non-cash flows in profit		
- Depreciation and amortisation	66,338	75,805
<ul> <li>Net loss / (profit) on disposal of non-current</li> </ul>		
assets	-	(481)
Changes in assets & liabilities:		
(increase)/decrease in trade & other		
receivables	(374)	2,913
(increase)/decrease in inventories	(59,733)	27,035
(increase)/decrease in other assets	(72,499)	(88,709)
(decrease)/increase in trade & other payables	178,094	145,784
(decrease)/increase in provisions	17,852	85,352
(decrease)/increase in deferred income	(263,691)	59,873
	(765,863)	3,785,802

#### NOTE 15: CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

A bank guarantee for \$90,630 has been established with a third party in relation to the property lease rental and is in place for the term of lease (2014: \$78,620).

#### NOTE 16: EVENTS SUBSEQUENT TO THE END OF THE REPORTING PERIOD

There have been no events subsequent to the end of the reporting period which have materially affected the Company's performance or financial position.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

#### NOTE 17: FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

#### a. Financial Risk Management

The Company's financial instruments consist mainly of deposits with banks, local money market instruments, and short-term investments, accounts receivable and payable. The totals for each category of financial instruments measured in accordance with AASB 139, as detailed in the accounting policies to these financial statements, are as follows:

2015	2014 \$
\$	
5,978,682	6,835,056
5,978,682	6,835,056
1,186,881	1,008,787
1,186,881	1,008,787
	\$ 5,978,682 5,978,682 1,186,881

The Company does not have any derivative instruments at 30 June 2015 (2014: Nil).

i. Financial Risk Management Policies

The Responsible Persons of the Company meet on a regular basis to evaluate treasury management strategies in the context of the most recent economic conditions and forecasts.

ii. Financial Risks

The main risks the Company is exposed to through its financial instruments are interest rate risk, liquidity risk, credit risk and price risk. The Company is not exposed to material fluctuations in foreign currencies.

Interest rate risk

The Company is not exposed to material interest rate risk.

Liquidity risk

The Company manages liquidity risk by monitoring forecast cash flows and ensuring that adequate unutilised borrowing facilities are maintained.

#### NOTE 17: FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS cont

#### a. Financial Risk Management (cont)

Credit risk

The maximum exposure to credit risk, excluding the value of any collateral or other security, at reporting date to recognised financial assets, is the carrying amount, net of any provisions for impairment of those assets, as disclosed in the statement of financial position and notes to the financial statements. The Company does not have any material credit risk exposure to any single receivable or group of receivables under financial instruments entered into by the Foundation.

Price risk

The Company is not exposed to any material commodity price risk.

#### b. Net Fair Value

The aggregate net fair value and carrying amounts of financial assets is disclosed in the statement of financial position.

#### NOTE 18 : CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

Management controls the capital of the Company to ensure that adequate cash flows are generated to fund research programs and that returns from investments are maximised.

Risk management policies are approved and reviewed by the Board on a regular basis. These include credit risks and policies and future cash flow requirements.

Management effectively manages the Company's capital by assessing the Company's financial risks and responding to changes in these risks and the market. There have been no changes in the strategy adopted by management to control the capital of the Company since the previous financial year.

#### NOTE 19 : MEMBERS' GUARANTEE

The Company is a company limited by guarantee. If the company is wound up, the constitution states that each member is required to contribute a maximum of \$100 each towards meeting any outstanding obligations of the Company. At 30 June 2015 there were 12 members (2014: 12).

#### NOTE 20 : COMPANY DETAILS

The Kids' Cancer Project 5-11 Mentmore Avenue Rosebery NSW 2015

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF THE KIDS' CANCER PROJECT

#### **Report on the Financial Report**

We have audited the accompanying financial report of The Kids' Cancer Project (the Company) on pages 12 to 30, which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2015, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the statement of changes in equity and the statement of cash flows for the year then ended, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the directors' declaration.

#### Directors' Responsibility for the Financial Report

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012 and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of a financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We have conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view 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 entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

#### Independence

In conducting our audit, we have complied with the independence requirements of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012.

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF THE KIDS' CANCER PROJECT (CONT)

#### Auditor's Opinion

In our opinion the accompanying financial report of The Kids' Cancer Project on pages 12 to 30 is prepared in accordance with Division 60 of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012, including:

- a) giving a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 30 June 2015 and of its performance and cash flows for the year ended on that date; and
- b) complying with Australian Accounting Standards and Division 60 of the Australian Charities and Notfor-profits Commission Regulation 2013.

#### Matters Relating to the Electronic Presentation of the Audited Financial Report

This auditor's report relates to the financial report of The Kids' Cancer Project for the year ended 30 June 2015 included on The Kids' Cancer Project's web site. The company's directors are responsible for the integrity of The Kids' Cancer Project's web site. We have not been engaged to report on the integrity of The Kids' Cancer Project's web site. The auditor's report refers only to the financial report. It does not provide an opinion on any other information which may have been hyperlinked to/from these statements. If users of this report are concerned with the inherent risks arising from electronic data communications they are advised to refer to the hard copy of the audited financial report to confirm the information included in the audited financial report presented on this web site.

William Buck

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**L.E. Tutt** Partner Sydney, 17 November 2015