



Parkinson's New South Wales Inc.



2009 Annual General Report

## Parkinson's Disease in Brief

- A chronic, progressive, incurable, complex and disabling neurological condition
- The 4 key symptoms are tremor, rigidity, akinesia/bradykinesia and postural instability, with many secondary symptoms
- Over 80,000 Australians have been diagnosed with Parkinson's disease
- 10% of those diagnosed will be under the age of 40
- More prevalent than prostate, ovarian or cervical cancer or leukemia
- 1 in 5 people with PD are working age (15-64)
- Prevalence increasing at around 3-4% pa

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Leonie Harris, diagnosed with Parkinson's, artist and mother of four.

## Who We Are

Parkinson's NSW Incorporated is a non-profit, community-based organisation established in 1979 to provide information, counselling and support to people living with Parkinson's Disease.

We work in partnership with a network of support groups throughout the State.

We encourage research into Parkinson's Disease and co-operate with those undertaking it.

We advocate on behalf of the Parkinson's community and strive to increase community awareness of the disease.

We look towards taking a leadership role in representing the Parkinson's community in New South Wales and Australia-wide.

### Our Vision

A community free of Parkinson's Disease.

### Our Mission

To enhance the quality of life to all people living with Parkinson's Disease.

## The Council of Parkinson's NSW Inc.

*President* – John Silk

*Vice President* – Chris Davis – *Commenced*

*Secretary* – Phillip Maundrell

*Treasurer* – Greg Pynt

### *Council Members*

Bruce King OAM

Dr Kay Double

Dr Sarah Mott – *Resigned January 2009*

Patricia Barkley

Peter McWilliam

Rebecca Silk

Samuel Chu

Dr Simon Lewis – *Commenced January 2009*

John Hassett – *Commenced January 2009*

## 2009 Parkinsons NSW Volunteers

Paula Argyropoulos

Teddy Bradley

Jane Goulding

Walter Pearce

Ross Jones

Samantha Urry

Alice Law

Ellen Law

Judy Marshall

Sue Rance

Angela Turnbull

Neil Sligar

Karen Whitton

Dasia Black-Gutman

Lyn Smith

Dalia Stanley

Carlos da Silva

## 2009 Parkinsons NSW Staff

Miriam Dixon

Chris Searles

Trish Morgan

Margaret Byron

Deborah England

Marianna Sain

Claerwen Armstrong

Susan Tait

Lyn Smith

Isabelle Clark

Tracy Gough



## President's Report

Parkinson's NSW has had an expansive period of growth over the last eighteen months. Our thirtieth anniversary has been a time for reflection and celebration and a catalyst for renewed energy and commitment.

All of our services have experienced an across-the-board increase in demand; the info-line, counselling, education programs, and seminars. We continue to establish new support groups and the web site is being used with much greater frequency, opening up many possibilities for future on-line communication.

With our goals for awareness, education, advocacy, and support for all people living with Parkinson's firmly in mind, we embarked on an ambitious program of fund raising to ensure current programs could be funded, continued, and extended as necessary.

Thus, the first Australian Unity Walk was born; proving to be both a unifying occasion for all and a marvellous financial success, with 50% of funds raised going to research and 50% to support services for people living with Parkinson's Disease. On 30 August, 2009 the second, now *annual*, Unity Walk was held in Sydney at the Olympic Park, with Melbourne concurrently running their own walk. The excitement and sense of purpose was evident from the first moment and the growth in numbers truly wonderful. Our hope is to roll this out into a National Day, combining the benefits of community awareness with dollars for research and support. It was with enormous pride in our Parkinson's community that we were able to fund the first Unity Walk Research Grant for \$50,000—a marvellous effort. The Walk has highlighted the valuable contribution of Marty Rhone, our fund raising guru, who has coordinated the efforts of the volunteer committee for the last two years.

It has been gratifying to be able to fund four additional research grants and to provide supplementary grants to four PhD candidates. Research is clearly important to us all and we wish all the researchers well in their efforts—we never know just which step in the chain will lead to an exceptional outcome.

The Parkinson's Foundation was established earlier this year, following the receipt of a large bequest. Our vision for the Foundation is that it will be a vehicle to conserve and grow the capital from this and future bequests, to provide a continuing base for research and special funding expenditure.

The Support Group Leaders' conference again brought us together to both share information and look at future needs. The benefits of this personal interaction are

impossible to overestimate and the efforts of staff and participants are well spent.

Government funding has been quite minimal, as in the past, but there are some glimmers of hope. We received some assistance for the Support Group Leaders' Conference and are looking forward to receiving further assistance in the future.

Parkinson's Australia has always had the full support of PNSW. The hugely successful 2008 National Conference in Sydney highlighted our level of commitment to a national body. This year, Parkinson's NSW has played a pivotal role in the establishment of Parkinson's Australia's on-line education tool to educate rural and remote physicians about the diagnosis and treatment of Parkinson's. PNSW co-ordinated the writing of the course and obtained the bulk of finance for the project. The educational possibilities of this course are endless, the list of 'thank you's' great indeed. Dr Martin Krause, in particular, is responsible for the excellent quality of content.

No annual report for an organisation such as PNSW can be complete without mentioning the contribution of its staff, its volunteers, and its benefactors. CEO Miriam Dixon heads a dedicated team and together with our volunteers they give un-reserved support in every area.

We have benefited from Foundation grants, service clubs and organisations, bequests, and private donations; our benefactors enable us to do so much more than we could ever contemplate alone!

John Hassett and Dr Simon Lewis were appointed to fill the two vacancies occurring on Council. Each brought with them unique expertise, joining a group of Councillors who have been exceptional in their goodwill and co-operation. We farewell Treasurer Greg Pynt; he leaves the position with our great respect, and sincere thanks for a job well done. We are fortunate that Greg's expertise will be retained on the board of the Parkinson's Foundation.

To be President of Parkinson's NSW is always a great privilege; this has been especially so in its thirtieth year. Thank you all for your continued support.

John Silk  
President



## Chief Executive Officer's Report

As the President has said in his report, the last eighteen months have seen some exciting new developments, as we strive to support people living with Parkinson's. I would like to take this opportunity to highlight our services and some developments, and how we can make a real difference.

### InfoLine (1800 644 109)

People living with Parkinson's, their partners families and carers call our InfoLine to gain support and information. By way of example, we receive requests for advice and strategies to manage behavioural and physical challenges, enquiries about aids to help with specific problems, about exercise programs, genetic links, requests for referrals in relation to financial and other issues, work related concerns, and emotional and relationship concerns. Often we are a listening ear for people who are concerned about their future or advancing symptoms. We are there to listen to the carers as well as those with the diagnosis.

Often calls to InfoLine will be referred to our counselling service. I refer you to the article in this Report by Garry Cearnas, in which he speaks about the enormous personal impact of a diagnosis.

### Counselling Service

Our Counselling Service is staffed by trained counsellors and they provide telephone and face the face counselling – something that is often critical for those deeply concerned or in crisis. The diagnosis can sometimes trigger relationship and other issues, as independent individuals feel like they are losing control of their lives.

### Support Groups

Our Support Groups provide an opportunity for people living with Parkinson's to share experiences, tips, mutual support and company. This is particularly important as previous work or sporting connections can often cease as the illness progresses. We assist the Support Groups through a Support Group Co-ordinator and by providing resources and opportunities for Support Group Leaders to come together, meet and swap notes. Over the eighteen month period, the number of Support Groups increased from 52 to 60. These included new groups at Blacktown, Manly – Mosman, Ultimo, Bega Valley, Bingara, Quirindi and Yamba. The other new Support Group is a state wide support group for women diagnosed under the age of 60, who communicate by email and tele-conferencing. This group call themselves "Tulip Belles".

### The Living Life with Parkinson's Program

This program, which was funded by the Cecilia Kilkeary Foundation, involved 4 metropolitan and 5 rural seminars over the period, with a total of 329 participants.

Each seminar covered issues involved with living life with Parkinson's and includes presentations by a neurologist or Parkinson's nurse specialist, as well as allied health professionals and community workers.

To allow the widest possible access to the seminars, we made them available via tele-conferences, involving an additional 81 participants. Some of the tele-conferences focused on a particular group such as young women with Parkinson's, men living with Parkinson's, or people living with Parkinson's Plus Syndrome.

We received excellent feedback about the sympathetic environment, the value of the topics covered, and the benefits of talking to people with similar problems.

### The Traffic Lights Program

This program, which was also supported by the Cecilia Kilkeary Foundation, aimed to assist staff in nursing homes to care for people with Parkinson's. This is important, as not all nursing home staff are familiar with best practice. The program arranged seminars in nursing homes throughout the state, giving powerpoint presentations and education packs. There was an enthusiastic response as those attending spoke of how their greater understanding would assist them to better assist residents diagnosed with Parkinson's. Participants have remained in contact with us through InfoLine.

### Rural and Remote Program

Following the success of our submission to the J T Reid Charitable Trusts, and subsequent Commonwealth Funding, we project managed the establishment of this program. The program, which was launched in Federal Parliament in March 2009, provides 6 hours of online education on Parkinson's Disease, including on diagnosis, symptoms, treatments and medications. The program was customised for GPs and allied health professionals in rural and remote areas, but is available to all GPs and allied health professionals throughout Australia. There is overseas interest in this innovative program, which has been endorsed by the Movement Disorder Society of Australia. ▶

## Chief Executive Officer's Report *continued*

### National Conference – October 2008

For the first time in many years, Parkinson's NSW was privileged to host the Parkinson's Australia National Conference. The themes for the conference included:

- New directions in therapy for PD
- Exercise and its benefits
- Coping with Parkinson's
- Sexuality and Parkinson's – Live a full life
- Dealing with depression
- Training for the rural doctors and for nurses

There were 23 presentations over the 2 day period. 240 delegates attended and gained much from hearing world renowned speakers, including Dr Abraham Lieberman and John Ball from the US and Lynn Rochester from the UK. The conference was a wonderful opportunity to tap new developments and to develop knowledge.

### DASH to the InfoLine

We have obtained funding approvals from the Commonwealth and from the Perpetual Trustee Company to support this new program. The program will focus on Depression, Anxiety, Sleep disorders and Hallucinations (together, DASH). The program will involve education for GPs, an awareness campaign and supporting written material.

### Awareness and Advocacy

Throughout the period, we have taken every opportunity to increase awareness of Parkinson's in the community via the media and via direct representations to Government. We can measure progress, but there is still a long way to go.

### Research

One of the important goals of our organisation is to promote research. We seek to do this in the most effective way by inviting expressions of interest from researchers in New South Wales, and arranging for them to be evaluated by independent experts in the field, before selecting projects to support. This report contains details of some of the research activities we have assisted over the period.

### Volunteers

Our wonderful volunteers enrich the organisation by assisting the professional staff with our many tasks. I take this opportunity to thank all our volunteers including those who lead or assist the support groups, and those who assist us in our head office and with special events such as the Unity Walk.

We also find that the volunteers can gain from their participation. For example, Ross Jones was formerly a Brigade Captain in the New South Wales Rural Fire Service. With restrictions on his physical activities, he has instead turned to assisting our Organisation. He says:

*"Volunteering is an enriching and rewarding undertaking, both for the volunteer and recipient. The world most definitely does not end with the onset of Parkinson's."*

### Donors and Sponsors

We are particularly appreciative of the generosity and support of our donors and sponsors, who are essential in enabling us to provide our services.

### Special Thanks

I would like to thank the President, other members of the Executive, the Council and our wonderful staff for their outstanding dedication and compassion as we strive to make a difference for people living with Parkinson's.



Miriam Dixon  
CEO  
September 2009



Garry Cearns Report

## The Journey

I sit here contemplating the journey I have taken over the years with Parkinson's Disease. It is not one that I have chosen but one this disease has forced upon me. It started one day on a beach where I was walking with my wife and she noticed my right arm was not swinging. From this observation I was subsequently diagnosed with Parkinson's. I remember thinking I'm only 49 it can't be! My initial reaction was typically male, bury my head in the sand and pretend it never happened. I now know this as the denial phase which males experience more because of our inability to express our emotions, for me this lasted about 3 years.

After that is the anger phase 'WHY ME!!!' where you expend an enormous of negative energy fighting something you can't necessarily control because while there are things to do to help, progression is inevitable. During this phase I had to stop working, a bitter pill for I was taught from a young age the man was the provider in the family. I had to give up driving and to accept a new word in my vocabulary,

CARER, which in my dictionary meant total loss of independence. While I selfishly focused on myself I didn't notice that it was not only me suffering but those loved ones around me who were also on a journey of adaptation. I now constantly try to remember that it is not only me, Parkinson's disease changes the lives of many that love you. Some of us get to the next phase of the journey by ourselves but most need help, I certainly did. This is where in the depths of 'WHY ME!' I came into contact with Parkinson's NSW counselling service.

With their help I moved into the acceptance phase where you can begin to channel positive energy. It is a time where you begin to talk to others in the same situation and you realise you're not alone but one of the many on the roller coaster journey called Parkinson's Disease. From one phone call to Parkinson's NSW nearly 3 years ago much has happened. With their help a support group called the 'Young Men's Parkinson's Network' has been established with the aim to have an environment where men feel more comfortable in expressing their feelings. There are now 50 men and more requesting every week to be in the network.

### The YMPN has set itself a mission:

*'to reach out to those men with young onset Parkinson's and provide support and camaraderie to them and their families with the goal to make their life better in some small way'.*

The YMPN is reaching out into the regional areas by using internet based teleconferencing facilities with the aim to bring city and rural Parkinson's men together so they can feel less marginalised by distance.

I don't know exactly where this journey is taking me but I know I'm not alone. That I haven't lost my independence – I just choose to allow others to help me; and when I do start to gaze into that black hole there is someone at PNSW counselling available to get me focusing forward again.



Paula Argyropoulos, Face of Unity Walk 2009, Volunteer with Parkinson's NSW, Mother of 2, diagnosed Young Onset Parkinson's Disease.



Research Update from Natalie Allen

## Parkinson's NSW Research Student Award Recipient 2008

### Effect of exercise on risk of falls in Parkinson's Disease

This PhD is comprised of three projects:

#### 1. Muscle power and strength and their relationship to walking speed and falls in people with Parkinson's Disease.

This project has been completed, and two manuscripts have been prepared for publication. The first manuscript has recently been published in *Movement Disorders*<sup>1</sup>. The second manuscript is currently under review for publication, also in *Movement Disorders*.

The study showed that the people with PD were 16% weaker and 22% less powerful (strength x velocity) in their leg extensor muscles than a neurologically-normal control group of the same age and gender. Interestingly, while muscle weakness contributed to reduced muscle power at light, medium and heavy loads, power was disproportionately reduced at light to medium loads. This reduced power at lighter loads was due to slowness in lifting the weight, whereas at heavy loads the people with PD were able to lift the weight just as quickly as the control group. While muscle weakness was known to be associated with reduced walking speed and falls, this study has showed that reduced leg extensor muscle power is strongly associated with reduced walking velocity and a history of multiple falls in people with PD. This is important as many day to day activities, such as walking or reacting quickly in order to prevent a fall, appear to depend more on our muscle power than our muscle strength.

#### 2. Can support-group based exercise reduce falls risk in people with PD?

In 2006, Parkinson's NSW provided us with \$19,880 in funds to conduct this project. In 2007/8, 48 people with PD from five Parkinson's NSW support groups (St George/Sutherland, Dundas/Parramatta, Liverpool, Blue Mountains and Macarthur) were involved in the project. Data collection for this project has been completed, data analysis is close to completion and a manuscript is in its final stages of preparation to be submitted for consideration by *Movement Disorders*. A summary of results will be made available for publication in *Stand By Me*.

We wish to thank Parkinson's NSW for funding and supporting this initiative. As well as providing the required funds to establish the project, they have given valuable assistance with recruitment by informing members in the relevant areas about the study. Trish Morgan deserves a special mention for her help and support in establishing the project in the chosen groups. Special thanks also go to all of our enthusiastic participants and to the group coordinators for their tireless help with organising groups and venues.

#### 3. What are the effects of exercise and motor training interventions which aim to improve balance on measures of disability in people with PD? – A Systematic Review

This study has recently commenced, with formal article searches to begin shortly.

#### Publication

1. Allen NE, Canning CG, Sherrington C, Fung VS. Bradykinesia, muscle weakness and reduced muscle power in Parkinson's Disease. *Mov Disord* 2009;24(9):1344-1351.



Dr Stuart Smith – Prince of Wales Medical Research Institute

## Seed Grant \$20,000

### In-home monitoring of neuromotor function in Parkinson's Disease

#### Project investigators

Dr Stuart Smith, Prince of Wales Medical Research Institute  
Professor Stephen Lord, Prince of Wales Medical Research Institute  
Assoc Prof George Mellick, Griffith University  
Assoc Prof Ricky van der Zwan, Southern Cross University

#### Project outline

The aim of the project is to evaluate the use of a recently developed telehealth device for monitoring a number of indices of neuromotor function such as reaction time and fine motor control. The device will record, on a weekly basis, motor function in individuals with Parkinson's Disease and provide both the individual and their clinician ready access to functional data via a web-based interface. The data from the study will provide an insight into the potential application of in-home monitoring of Parkinson's function for individuals living in metropolitan, rural and remote communities in Australia.

#### Progress

Since April 2009, we have been working closely with the US-based Kinetics Foundation to develop a series of

testing protocols appropriate for an Australian context. Delivery of 20 devices for deployment into the homes of individuals living with Parkinson's Disease is expected in late September 2009.

Initial pilot trials of the devices will take place in 5 households in Sydney during the latter part of 2009. All 20 devices will be distributed to households in the Sydney metropolitan and Coffs Harbour regional centres for a six month study beginning January 2010. We have also recruited a medical research officer from the Netherlands (Paulien Verhoef) who will work with us on the project beginning January 2010.

This project will be completed and submitted for publication by the end of 2010. A summary of results will be made available in *Stand by me*.



Jie Zhang

## Neurogenesis In Parkinson's Disease

As adults, humans maintain the ability to produce new brain cells (a process called neurogenesis) in two special regions of the brain (the subventricular and subgranular zones). Difficulties with this normal brain function may play a role in neurodegenerative diseases, such as Parkinson's Disease (PD), thus it is important to understand the effect of PD on neurogenesis.

To date, there has only been one study investigating neurogenesis in PD. This study reported a decrease in the birth of new brain cells in PD patients, a finding which may contribute to the progressive neurodegeneration observed in this disease. It is also known, however, that dopamine can directly influence adult neurogenesis. As all the patients with PD studied to date had received dopamine medications, such as L-dopa, it is unclear whether PD itself reduces neurogenesis, or whether the reduced neurogenesis observed in the PD patients, resulted from the medications they were taking for their PD.

My study is designed to determine whether PD itself, or the dopamine replacement therapy used to treat PD, reduces neurogenesis. To do this we will compare the amount of neurogenesis occurring in the brain of healthy persons with that occurring in the brain of both L-dopa-treated PD patients and PD patients who never received L-dopa. My research results will determine the major influence on neurogenesis in patients with PD and allow for the development of appropriate therapies to promote the replacement of dopamine cells in patients with PD.



Natalie Page

## Project title: A new method for gene mutation screening in Parkinson's Disease

At the end of 2008, we were delighted to receive a Parkinson's NSW seed grant for our project on PD mutation screening. Recently, the importance of genetic factors causing familial and some sporadic cases of PD has been realised, with mutations in eight genes known to be involved in the development of the disease. A major concern for families affected by PD is ascertaining which family members are carrying gene mutations, and therefore have an increased risk of developing the disease. Affordable genetic diagnostic options are an important aspect of patient care. At this time, testing for all PD genes in an individual is prohibitively expensive and is not available anywhere in the world.

The PNSW seed grant has allowed us to develop a novel method for the detection of all known PD mutations using the BeadXpress (Illumina). This method allows us to detect point mutations at a highly multiplexed capacity. We are also validating this method for simultaneous detection of copy number variations, which are known to be involved in PD susceptibility. Thus, a major advantage of the BeadXpress method is that all mutation types can be run on one platform, reducing reagent and labour costs. Once fully optimised, we will advise clinicians of the availability of this genetic diagnostic test for PD patients.



Stefanie Reyes  
Prince of Wales Medical Research Institute

## PhD Scholarship \$6,000

### The Parkinson's puzzle: Why do specific brain cells die in Parkinson's Disease?

My project investigates why cells in a specific region of the brain called the substantia nigra die in people living with Parkinson's Disease. The death of these cells underlies the characteristic symptoms of this disease, including tremor, muscle stiffness and slow movements. Interestingly, the death of cells within the substantia nigra is not uniform but predominantly affects a specific group of cells within this brain region. My project investigates differences between the vulnerable cells in the substantia nigra and cells in this region which survive in Parkinson's Disease. My approach includes exploring the expression of particular proteins in the vulnerable and non-vulnerable cells. Results from my project will explain why specific cells are more vulnerable to death in Parkinson's Disease. This knowledge will be important for the development of novel preventative and therapeutic strategies for this disorder.



Associate Professor Carolyn Sue  
Director of Neurogenetics Kolling Institute and  
Royal North Shore Hospital

## PNSW Fahey Bequest Research Grant, \$50,000

### Lysosomal degradation of alpha-synuclein, a potential key to Parkinson's Disease pathogenesis

In this project, we were able to determine that genetic mutations in a gene called "ATP13A2" or "PARK9" can disturb the cell's ability to remove abnormal proteins. By creating a new cell model to study the actions of these genetic mutations, we were able to show that under normal circumstances, the PARK9 protein goes to a part of the cell called the lysosome. Lysosomes are a part of the cell that digest unwanted material and subsequently remove them from the cell so that it can function normally. (It is something like 'clearing out the trash'.) However, we found that genetic mutations in the PARK9 gene impair the cell's ability to remove abnormal substances in this way. Rather, it relied on a different part of the cell, the ER or endoplasmic reticulum, to clear these abnormal substances. This observation is important because it identified that lysosomal clearance pathways need to work properly if the cell needs to remove abnormal substances. Our results indicate that if abnormal proteins are unable to be cleared from the cell, they may accumulate and cause problems such as a loss of normal cell function and possibly even cause cell death. From a treatment perspective, if the pathways that clear abnormal or unwanted proteins out of the cell can be enhanced or restored back to their normal function, then unwanted substances accumulating in the cell may be stopped and thus delay or prevent the onset of Parkinson's Disease.

We are very grateful that the Fahey bequest was able to fund this work. It has given us the opportunity to develop this concept and increase our knowledge about the role of this new protein clearance pathway. Further studies to determine whether enhancement of this pathway can be developed as a new treatment for Parkinson's Disease are underway.



Claire Stevens

## Towards new therapies for Parkinson's Disease by understanding its neuroinflammation

The reason for the loss of brain cells as a result of Parkinson's Disease is currently not known, however advancing age is considered the greatest risk factor for this disease. The first part of my PhD will look at how age affects the progression of Parkinson's Disease.

In Parkinson's Disease, affected brain cells contain aggregates of a protein called alpha-synuclein. In recent years, a number of studies have shown that deposition of this protein becomes widespread throughout the brains of people with Parkinson's Disease as the disease progresses. To look at how advancing age affects Parkinson's Disease, we will examine the severity of alpha-synuclein deposition between patients who were diagnosed at different ages, and who have had the disease for different lengths of time.

This study is significant because it will allow us to look at changes that occur in the brains of people with Parkinson's Disease and understand whether these changes are due to advancing age or the disease itself. We aim to complete this study by the end of 2009. We will then continue our research by looking at differences in the immune system between people with and without this disease. Combined, these studies may lead to the development of new treatments that will enhance the quality of life for people living with Parkinson's Disease.



Unity Walk Grant 2008 research team at the Prince of Wales Medical Research Institute, Randwick NSW.

From left: Jie Zhang (PhD Student and PNSW PhD Top-Up grant recipient), Professor Glenda Halliday, Professor Cynthia Shannon Weickert, Associate Professor Kay Double and Research Assistant Amanda Gysbers.

## Neuron Birth in Parkinson's Disease

Professor Glenda Halliday, Associate Professor Kay Double, Professor Cynthia Shannon Weickert, Jie Zhang and Amanda Gysbers  
Prince of Wales Medical Research Institute

We were pleased to be the recipients of the inaugural 2008 Unity Walk Grant of \$50,000 for our project investigating new brain cell birth in Parkinson's Disease.

Our project will assist the development of new treatments for Parkinson's Disease based on the replacement of brain cells. Neurodegenerative diseases can affect the number of new cells born in the adult human brain, however currently it is not known whether Parkinson's Disease changes brain cell birth or survival.

Our project investigates whether the brain's ability to produce new cells is affected by Parkinson's Disease, or by common treatments for Parkinson's Disease, such as L-dopa. This knowledge will be critical for the development of safe and effective treatments for Parkinson's Disease based on increasing the number of dopamine cells from the patient's own stem cells within the brain, or by the transplantation of new stem cell-derived dopamine cells into the patient's brain.

## Research Grants 2009

*Parkinson's NSW is thrilled to announce it has awarded \$164,000 in the form of research grants, seed grants and stipends for 2009.*

## Report on Parkinson's Trust

As has been documented in Stand by Me, Ms Fahey left her entire estate to Parkinson's NSW. This money has been placed in a trust to be run separately from Parkinson's NSW, with the trust deed providing that the income be used predominately for research into PD.

The trust deed also provides that the capital sum be protected by withholding income equal to the affect of inflation on the purchasing power of the capital sum at the beginning of each year.

The trust has been registered with the Australian Taxation Office so that donations are tax deductible.

It is intended that Parkinson's NSW will seek to place larger donations, or donations made on the proviso that the funds are used for research, into this trust.

The Trust is administered by a company wholly owned by Parkinson's NSW and whose Directors will be appointed by the Council. Current Directors are John Silk, Phil Maundrell, Peter McWilliam and Greg Pynt. The funds are managed by Harper Bernays, a boutique organisation specialising in charitable fund management as well as general funds management.

Returns on the funds managed have exceeded 25% in the period from the middle of March (initial receipt of funds) to 31 August 2009.

## Treasurer's Report

It is with much pleasure that I report to the members of Parkinson's NSW on the financial health of the organization at 30th June 2009 and the trading results for the year ended 30th June 2009.

Members will be aware that we changed our balance date from 31st December to 30th June resulting in an eighteen month gap between our last report and this one. We have produced a set of accounts which includes a pro forma result of the year ended 30th June 2008 as if our balance date change had occurred earlier. Comparisons between the two years are meaningful even though a formal set of accounts for the June 2008 year was not required and hence not published.

It has been my long held opinion that organisations such as Parkinson's NSW should not be measured by the profit they make in any one year but rather by what they do with the money they receive and whether they have sufficient funds to remain viable. On this basis I am not concerned that we made a loss of \$131,402 last year because we did not waste money; rather we spent it on providing present and future services for people with Parkinson's Disease.

We finished the year with sufficient money to remain viable until 30th June 2010, assuming normal income flows.

Our income suffered from a reduction in general grants and donations from 2007/08 of \$223,000 and \$75,000 in bequests. The former is disappointing as we did not get much in the way of general grants from government or our usual supporters. Bequests by their nature vary from year to year and we have little control over when or if we receive such monies.

Offsetting this decline was the significant increase in fundraising (\$157,000) from two events – the Unity Walk and the Golf Day. Given that this was the first time either event had been tried the results were well worth the effort and reflect positively on Marty Rhone and his band of helpers. The foundations laid last year resulted in a strong response to the Walk this year and our Golf Day is shaping up to be better than last year also.

Our expenses remained under control with two exceptions. Our PR and fundraising costs were higher than 2008 but a lot more effort went in and the results justified the cost. Research grants were higher than last year but that is the result of honouring our commitment to use 50% of the profits from the Unity Walk for research.

We have also received an increase in tied grants this year. These funds are represented in the balance sheet under the heading "Grants Received held in trust". This occurs where government or a donor provide money for a specific purpose. As a result expenditure for that purpose does not appear in our accounts even though we do the work. All costs incurred are debited to the funds held in trust. As a result, a number of projects, such as the highly successful rural and regional doctor's internet information program which was completed earlier this year on behalf of the Commonwealth government, do not appear in our profit and loss account.

I have spoken and written elsewhere of the magnificent bequest made by Ms Daphne Fahey. This money has been placed in a trust, the income from which will be used predominantly for research. It is the intention of this Council that bequests of a reasonable size will be placed in this trust so that, over time, the organisation will build a capital base to provide certainty of income for its operations.

I retired from active business some years ago. During the interregnum, nearly all of my business contacts have moved on or sadly passed on. A treasurer without contacts for fund raising is not effective. Having achieved the establishment of the trust mentioned above and been a part of moving the organisation to a more stable financial footing, I consider that it is time for others to build on those foundations. Accordingly I am not standing again.

I thank John Silk for the privilege of working with him and congratulate my colleagues on the Council for their contribution and dedication. I wish them and every one associated with Parkinson's NSW a bright and successful future.

G D Pynt

## Trading Account

1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008

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<b>Trading Income</b>	
Sale of Merchandise	3,589
Total Trading Income	<u>3,589</u>
<b>Cost of Sales</b>	
Purchases	3,717
Publications for resale	6,081
	<u>9,798</u>
<b>Gross Loss from Trading</b>	<u>-6,208</u>

## Income and Expenditure Statement

1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008

<b>Income</b>	<b>\$</b>
Trading loss	-6,208
Seminar/Conference Fees	50,140
Donations - In Memoriam	23,014
Donations - Support Groups	12,010
Donations - Other	225,501
Grants - Other	1,000
Fundraising	680
Interest received	21,494
Other income	1,063
Subs - Life Membership	3,391
Subs - Renewals	22,123
Subs - Organisational Membership	115
<b>Total Income</b>	<b><u>354,323</u></b>
<b>Expenses</b>	
Operating Expenses	69,467
Counselling Expenses	816
Member/volunteer activities	5,564
Salaries & Employment Expenses	207,405
Support Groups	1,062
Services Costs	16,913
Education Expenses	-5,923
General Awareness Expenses	15,983
PR/Fundraising	34,364
Bequest	110
Publications/resources	648
Research Expense	12,318
Grants	0
Parkinson's Australia	19,837
Other Expenses	289
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b><u>378,855</u></b>
<b>Net profit (loss) attributable to the company</b>	<b><u>-24,532</u></b>
Opening retained profits	691,927
Net profit (loss) attributable to the company	-24,532
<b>Closing retained profits</b>	<b><u>667,39</u></b>

# Detailed Statement of Financial Position

as at 30th June, 2008

<b>Current Assets</b>	<b>\$</b>
<b>Cash Assets</b>	
Commonwealth Bank Account	109,101
Bendigo Bank trading account	428,190
Cash on hand	250
Bendigo Term Deposit	500,000
	<u>1,037,541</u>
<b>Receivables</b>	
Trade Debtors	68,717
Sundry Debtors	17,496
Prepayments	14,510
	<u>100,723</u>
<b>Inventories</b>	
Stock on hand	17,369
	<u>17,369</u>
<b>Other</b>	
Deposits	14,456
ThankQ Clearing Account	-80
GST Refund	17,645
	<u>32,021</u>
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<u>1,187,654</u>
<b>Non-Current Assets</b>	
<b>Property, Plant and Equipment</b>	
Office Equipment	110,071
Less: Accumulated depreciation	-70,133
	<u>39,938</u>
<b>Total Non-Current Assets</b>	<u>39,938</u>
<b>Total Assets</b>	<u>1,227,593</u>
<b>Current Liabilities</b>	
<b>Payables</b>	
<b>Unsecured:</b>	
Trade creditors	20,270
Grants approved & unpaid	0
Employee entitlements	43,994
	<u>64,265</u>
<b>Unsecured:</b>	
Grants received held in Trust	471,205
Accruals	24,728
	<u>495,933</u>
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<u>560,197</u>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<u>560,197</u>
<b>Net Assets</b>	<u>667,396</u>
<b>Members' Funds</b>	
Accumulated surplus (deficit)	691,927
Current year surplus (deficit)	-24,532
<b>Total Members' Funds</b>	<u>667,396</u>

## PARKINSON'S NEW SOUTH WALES INC ABN 93 023 603 545

	<b>\$</b>
<b>SEMINAR/CONFERENCE FEES</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Seminar Fees	140
National Conference 2008 Sponsorship	50,000
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>50,140</u>
<b>DONATIONS - OTHER</b>	
Donations - Members	7,600
Donations - Corporate	1,050
Donations - Research	14,296
Donations - General	84,272
Donations - Bequests	118,283
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>225,501</u>
<b>GRANTS</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Grants - General	-500
James Kirby - SG06	1,500
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>1,000</u>
<b>FUNDRAISING</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Chinese Fundraising Dinner	-15,000
Unity Walk - Registration	130
Unity Walk - Donation	0
Unity Walk - Sponsorship	15,550
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>680</u>
<b>OTHER INCOME</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Other Income	836
Newsletter	227
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>1,063</u>
<b>OPERATING EXPENSES</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Travel & Accommodation - Conferences	0
Telephone & Communications	4,607
Internet Expense	1,813
Insurance	13,593
Office Expenses	8,268
Postage	5,687
Printing	2,460
Rent	30,583
Repairs & Maintenance	192
Membership/subscriptions	714
Stationery	1,550
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>69,467</u>

<b>COUNSELLING EXPENSES</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Supervision	660
Counselling Mobile	156
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>816</u>

<b>MEMBER/VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Annual Meeting expenses	3,516
Council Member expenses	447
Volunteer Exp	249
Council Meeting expenses	526
Life Members expenses	359
Travel expenses	468
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>5,564</u>

<b>SALARIES &amp; EMPLOYMENT EXPENSES</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Wages & Salaries	92,428
Fringe Benefits Allowance	49,771
Superannuation	41,649
Leave accruals	2,810
Recoveries on Grants	-2,850
Staff Training	1,996
Consultant/temp staff	20,400
Professional Development	870
Recruitment	330
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>207,405</u>

<b>SUPPORT GROUPS</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Support Groups - Grants	
Support Groups - Visits	428
Support Groups - General Exp	634
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>1,062</u>

<b>SERVICES COSTS</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Bank Charges	87
Credit Card Charges	476
Accounting Fees	5,001
Audit Fees	4,750
Depreciation	6,600
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>16,913</u>

<b>EDUCATION EXPENSES</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Newsletter	5,777
Postage for Newsletter	1,257
Website	-12,956
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>-5,923</u>

<b>GENERAL AWARENESS EXPENSES</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
General Awareness/Expo	1,340
National Conference 2008	14,203
In Service Education	439
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>15,983</u>

<b>PR/FUNDRAISING</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Advertising & Promotional Cost	15,000
Fundraising Expenses	7,294
Golf Day 2007	1,670
2008 Unity Parkinson's Walk	6,803
2008 Golf Day	126
The Ice Cream Boy	2,995
Unity Walk 2009	477
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>34,364</u>

<b>BEQUEST</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Bequest Exp	110
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>110</u>

<b>PUBLICATIONS/RESOURCES</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Library resources	407
Information Material	241
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>648</u>

<b>RESEARCH EXPENSE</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Pager expense	318
Research expenses	12,000
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>12,318</u>

<b>GRANTS</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Grants	0
DFACS Grants	0
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>0</u>

<b>PARKINSON'S AUSTRALIA</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Secretariat	16,739
Parkinson's Aust Council	1,139
Membership Fees - Paust	1,960
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>19,837</u>

<b>OTHER EXPENSE</b>	
1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008	
Moving Expenses	289
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>289</u>

<b>TRADE CREDITORS</b>	
as at 30th June, 2008	
CBA Credit Card	473.06
Bendigo Bank Credit Card	95
Creditors	19,703
TRANSFER TO BALANCE SHEET	<u>20,270</u>

<b>GRANTS HELD IN TRUST</b>	
as at 30th June, 2008	
Australian Chinese Charity	12,766
Brain Bank	1,500
Coffs Harbour Nurses Fund	3,100
DADHC	-525
Cecelia Kilkeary	22,455
Tom Burns Trust for PD Nurses	40,614
CDSE Grant	190
CDSE Grants	-70
NSW Health 2007	27,876
John T Reid Charitable Trust	-202
Young Mens Network	56,354
Bondi Lions Club	1,842
Rural & Remote Drs JT Reid Grant	105,305
Parkinson's NSW Trust	200,000
TRANSFER TO BALANCE SHEET	<u>471,205</u>

<b>SUNDRY CREDITORS - ATO GST LIABILITIES</b>	
as at 30th June, 2008	
GST Collected	4,458
GST Paid	-22,103
TRANSFER TO BALANCE SHEET	<u>-17,645</u>

<b>EMPLOYEES ENTITLEMENTS - PAYROLL LIABILITIES</b>	
as at 30th June, 2008	
PAYG Withholding Payable	6,853
Superannuation Payable	14,479
Accrued Annual Leave	14,280
LSL Provision	8,382
TRANSFER TO BALANCE SHEET	<u>43,994</u>

**PARKINSON'S NEW SOUTH WALES INC.**  
**ABN 93 023 603 545**

**2009**      **2008**  
**\$**            **\$**

## Trading Account

For the year ended 30th June, 2009

### Trading Income

Sale of Merchandise	37,517	26,456
<b>Total Trading Income</b>	<b><u>37,517</u></b>	<b><u>26,456</u></b>

### Cost of Sales

Purchases	13,297	11,961
Publications for resale	636	6,081
Difference between opening and closing stock	-4,969	12,523
	<u>8,964</u>	<u>30,565</u>

### Gross Profit (Loss) from Trading

**28,553**      **-4,108**

## Income and Expenditure Statement

For the year ended 30th June, 2009

	2009 \$	2008 \$
<b>Income</b>		
Trading Profit/Loss	28,553	-4,108
Seminar/Conference Fees	68,409	54,885
Donations - In Memoriam	44,045	36,921
Donations - Support Groups	9,424	19,845
Donations - Deceased Estates	135,000	210,000
Donations - Other	292,830	415,409
Grants - Other	61,944	7,538
Fundraising	174,166	16,900
Interest received	48,124	37,625
Other income	64,356	58,498
Subs - Life Membership	8,227	3,991
Subs - Renewals	30,462	50,333
Subs - Organisational Membership	1,127	715
Total Income	<u>966,667</u>	<u>908,553</u>
<b>Expenses</b>		
Operating Expenses	162,259	142,607
Counselling Expenses	1,075	1,838
Member/volunteer activities	7,434	8,231
Salaries & Employment Expenses	432,294	412,350
Support Groups	14,804	11,643
Services Costs	40,328	31,822
Education Expenses	21,962	16,240
General Awareness Expenses	89,998	23,809
PR/Fundraising	109,136	79,175
Bequest	2,414	1,283
Publications/resources	5,473	6,873
Research Expense	145,376	36,646
Grants	0	43,364
Parkinson's Australia	65,516	55,349
Moving Expenses	0	26,589
Total Expenses	<u>1,098,069</u>	<u>897,820</u>
<b>Net profit (loss) attributable to the company</b>	<b><u>-131,402</u></b>	<b><u>10,733</u></b>
Opening retained profits	667,396	656,663
Net profit (loss) attributable to the company	-131,402	10,733
<b>Closing retained profits</b>	<b><u>535,993</u></b>	<b><u>667,396</u></b>

## Detailed Statement of Financial Position

As at 30th June, 2009

	2009 \$	2008 \$
<b>Current Assets</b>		
<b>Cash Assets</b>		
Commonwealth Bank Account	9,761	109,101
Bendigo Bank trading account	49,020	428,190
Cash on hand	250	250
Bendigo Term Deposit	470,000	500,000
Macquarie Term Deposit	102,651	0
Dept of Health & Ageing	48,711	0
ThankQ Clearing Account	0	-80
	<u>680,392</u>	<u>1,037,461</u>
<b>Receivables</b>		
Debtors	15,360	68,717
Sundry Debtors	9,570	17,496
Prepayments	35,769	14,510
	<u>60,700</u>	<u>100,723</u>
<b>Inventories</b>		
Stock on hand	36,971	17,369
	<u>36,971</u>	<u>17,369</u>
<b>Other</b>		
Deposits	15,350	14,456
GST refund	18,159	17,645
	<u>33,509</u>	<u>32,101</u>
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<u>811,572</u>	<u>1,187,654</u>
<b>Non-Current Assets</b>		
<b>Property, Plant and Equipment</b>		
Office Equipment	140,848	110,071
Less: Accumulated depreciation	-84,133	-70,133
	<u>56,715</u>	<u>39,938</u>
<b>Total Non-Current Assets</b>	<u>56,715</u>	<u>39,938</u>
<b>Total Assets</b>	<u>868,287</u>	<u>1,227,593</u>
<b>Current Liabilities</b>		
<b>Payables</b>		
<b>Unsecured:</b>		
Trade creditors	25,879	20,270
Grants approved & unpaid	0	0
Employee entitlements	29,252	43,994
	<u>55,131</u>	<u>64,265</u>
<b>Unsecured:</b>		
Grants received held in Trust	244,407	471,205
Accruals	8,700	24,728
Prepaid Membership Fees	24,056	0
	<u>277,163</u>	<u>495,933</u>
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<u>332,294</u>	<u>560,197</u>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<u>332,294</u>	<u>560,197</u>
<b>Net Assets</b>	<u>535,993</u>	<u>667,396</u>
<b>Members' Funds</b>		
Accumulated surplus (deficit)	667,396	656,663
Current year surplus (deficit)	-131,402	10,733
<b>Total Members' Funds</b>	<u>535,993</u>	<u>667,396</u>

# Statement of Cash Flows

For the year ended 30th June, 2009

	2009 \$	2008 \$
<b>Cash Flow From Operating Activities</b>		
Receipts from members and visitors	957,158	770,161
Payments to suppliers, members and employees	-1,331,575	-411,461
Interest Received	48,124	37,625
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	<u>-326,293</u>	<u>396,325</u>
<b>Cash Flow From Investing Activities</b>		
Payment for property, plant and equipment	-30,776	-33,600
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	<u>-30,776</u>	<u>-33,600</u>
Net increase (decrease) in cash held	-357,069	362,725
Cash at the beginning of financial year	1,037,461	674,736
Cash at the end of financial year	<u>680,392</u>	<u>1,037,461</u>

## PARKINSON'S NEW SOUTH WALES INC. ABN 93 023 603 545

	2009 \$	2008 \$
<b>SEMINAR/CONFERENCE FEES</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Seminar Fees	2,040	4,885
National Conf 2008 Sponsorship	29,363	50,000
National Conference - Registration	33,351	0
National Conference - Donation	1,660	0
National Conference 2008	445	0
Everyday Hero Subscription	1,550	0
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>68,409</u>	<u>54,885</u>
<b>DONATIONS - OTHER</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Donations - Members	15,021	25,388
Donations - Corporate	15,880	13,420
Donations - Research	32,439	59,368
Donations - General	174,759	195,910
Donations - Bequests	54,731	119,674
Donations - In Kind	0	1,650
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>292,830</u>	<u>415,409</u>
<b>GRANTS</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Grants - General	10,444	0
James Kirby - SG06	1,500	1,500
Grants - Don Wilcox	50,000	0
DFACS Small Equip Grant	0	6,038
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>61,944</u>	<u>7,538</u>
<b>FUNDRAISING</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Chinese Fundraising Dinner	15,000	1,220
Unity Walk - Registration	21,802	130
Unity Walk - Donation	173	0
Unity Walk - Sponsorship	137,192	15,550
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>174,166</u>	<u>16,900</u>
<b>OTHER INCOME</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Education	879	0
Other Income	5,553	1,091
Rasheda Fundraising	0	361
Newsletter	455	1,227
Golf Donation/Sponsorship	45,512	47,729
Golf Day Registration	11,956	8,091
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>64,356</u>	<u>58,498</u>

	2009	2008
	\$	\$
<b>OPERATING EXPENSES</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Travel & Accommodation - Conferences	18	0
Telephone & Communications	8,917	9,463
Internet Expense	2,155	4,840
Insurance	17,943	20,921
Office Expenses	24,836	16,905
Postage	17,536	16,121
Printing	2,577	5,559
Rent	69,979	59,439
Repairs & Maintenance	1,080	192
Staff amenities/meetings	488	50
Membership/subscriptions	7,345	1,065
Consultant/temp staff	0	7,560
Stationery	8,036	3,492
Legal Expenses	1,350	-3,000
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>162,259</u>	<u>142,607</u>

	2009	2008
	\$	\$
<b>COUNSELLING EXPENSES</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Supervision	960	1,508
Counselling Mobile	115	330
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>1,075</u>	<u>1,838</u>

<b>MEMBER/VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES</b>		
Annual Meeting expenses	0	3,516
Council Member expenses	733	521
Volunteer Exp	2,533	2,584
Council Meeting expenses	2,009	783
Life Members expenses	0	359
Travel expenses	2,158	468
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>7,434</u>	<u>8,231</u>

	2009	2008
	\$	\$
<b>SALARIES &amp; EMPLOYMENT EXPENSES</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Wages & Salaries	292,683	199,636
Fringe Benefits Allowance	112,458	100,994
Superannuation	88,372	81,959
Leave accruals	717	10,518
Recoveries on Grants	-106,511	-12,414
Staff Training	1,960	2,333
Consultant/temp staff	41,708	27,960
Professional Development	191	870
Recruitment	716	495
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>432,294</u>	<u>412,350</u>

	2009	2008
	\$	\$
<b>SUPPORT GROUPS</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Support Groups - Grants	-152	0
Support Groups - Visits	6,065	3,699
Support Groups - General Exp	595	2,018
Support Groups - Publications	76	0
Support Group Leaders Meetings	8,220	5,927
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>14,804</u>	<u>11,643</u>

	2009	2008
	\$	\$
<b>SERVICES COSTS</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Bank Charges	2,095	600
Credit Card Charges	1,171	1,551
Accounting & Audit Fees	22,800	16,471
Depreciation	14,000	13,200
Merchant Fees	262	0
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>40,328</u>	<u>31,822</u>

	2009	2008
	\$	\$
<b>EDUCATION EXPENSES</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Seminar/Conference Expenses	0	-296
Newsletter	18,133	22,013
Postage for Newsletter	1,337	7,479
Website	2,492	-12,956
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>21,962</u>	<u>16,240</u>

	2009	2008
	\$	\$
<b>GENERAL AWARENESS EXPENSES</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
General Awareness/Expo	933	1,927
Awareness Week Exp	1,281	4,240
National Conference 2008	87,661	17,203
In Service Education	123	439
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>89,998</u>	<u>23,809</u>

	2009	2008
	\$	\$
<b>PR/FUNDRAISING</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Advertising & Promotional Cost	31,530	30,750
Fundraising Expenses	24,690	19,186
Golf Day 2007	0	18,840
2008 Unity Parkinson's Walk	32,991	6,803
2008 Golf Day	16,903	126
The Ice Cream Boy	3,023	2,995
Unity Walk 2009	0	477
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>109,136</u>	<u>79,175</u>

	2009	2008
	\$	\$
<b>BEQUEST</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Bequest Exp	2,414	1,283
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>2,414</u>	<u>1,283</u>

	2009	2008
	\$	\$
<b>PUBLICATIONS/RESOURCES</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Publications for resale	0	836
Library resources	644	526
Information Material	4,829	5,510
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>5,473</u>	<u>6,873</u>

	2009	2008
	\$	\$
<b>RESEARCH EXPENSE</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Pager expense	318	318
Research expenses	145,058	36,327
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>145,376</u>	<u>36,646</u>
<b>GRANTS</b>		
Grants	0	40,000
DFACS Grants	0	3,364
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>0</u>	<u>43,364</u>

## Independent Audit Report

### Scope

Parkinson's New South Wales Inc. changed its financial year-end from December to June. Our previous audit covered the year ended 31st December, 2007. The accounts presented herewith cover the periods 1st January, 2008 to 30th June, 2008 and 1st July, 2008 to 30th June, 2009.

We have audited the attached financial reports, being special purpose financial reports, for Parkinson's New South Wales Inc. comprising:

- the Detailed Statement of Financial Position as at 30th June, 2008 and Income and Expenditure Statement for the six months ended on that date, and
- the Detailed Statement of Financial Position as at 30th June, 2009 and Income and Expenditure Statement and Statement of Cash Flow for the year ended on that date.

The financial statements have been prepared for the purpose of fulfilling the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act of New South Wales. The Council is responsible for the financial report and has determined that the accounting policies used are appropriate to meet the requirements of the said Act and are appropriate to meet the needs of the members.

We have conducted an independent audit of this financial report in order to express an opinion on it to the members of Parkinson's New South Wales Inc. No opinion is expressed as to whether the accounting policies used are appropriate to meet the needs of the members. We disclaim any assumption of responsibility for any reliance on this report or on the financial report to which it relates to any person other than the members, or for any purpose other than that for which it was prepared.

### Committees' responsibility for the Financial Report.

The Committee members are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report and the information contained therein. This responsibility includes establishing and maintaining internal controls relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies, and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

### Auditor's responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These Auditing Standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance 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 and fair presentation of the financial report 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 Committee, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

These procedures have been undertaken to form an opinion whether, in all material respects, the financial report is presented fairly in accordance with the basis of accounting decided by the Committee, so as to present a view which is consistent with our understanding of the company's financial position, and of its performance.

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

	2009 \$	2008 \$
<b>PARKINSON'S AUSTRALIA</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Secretariat	60,054	50,216
Parkinson's Aust Council	3,455	3,174
Membership Fees - Paust	2,007	1,960
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>65,516</u>	<u>55,349</u>
<b>MOVING EXPENSE</b>		
For the year ended 30th June, 2009		
Moving Expenses	0	26,589
TRANSFER TO PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	<u>0</u>	<u>26,589</u>
<b>TRADE CREDITORS</b>		
As at 30th June, 2009		
CBA Credit Card	0	473
Bendigo Bank Credit Card	2,993	95
Creditors	22,885	19,703
TRANSFER TO BALANCE SHEET	<u>25,879</u>	<u>20,270</u>
<b>GRANTS HELD IN TRUST</b>		
As at 30th June, 2009		
Australian Chinese Charity	6,116	12,766
Brain Bank	0	1,500
Coffs Harbour Nurses Fund	1,700	3,100
DADHC	0	-525
Cecelia Kilkeary	2,875	22,455
Tom Burns Trust for PD Nurses	39,204	40,614
CDSE Grant	-190	190
CDSE Grants	0	-70
NSW Health 2007	0	27,876
John T Reid Charitable Trust	0	-202
Young Mens Network	95,569	56,354
Bondi Lions Club	0	1,842
Rural & Remote Drs JT Reid Grant	48,000	105,305
Parkinson's NSW Trust	0	200,000
Goulburn Nurses Fund	6,850	0
Grant-Dementia Community Program	44,282	0
TRANSFER TO BALANCE SHEET	<u>244,407</u>	<u>471,205</u>
<b>SUNDRY CREDITORS - ATO GST LIABILITIES</b>		
As at 30th June, 2009		
GST Collected	10,640	4,458
GST Paid	-28,800	-22,103
TRANSFER TO BALANCE SHEET	<u>-18,159</u>	<u>-17,645</u>
<b>EMPLOYEES ENTITLEMENTS - PAYROLL LIABILITIES</b>		
As at 30th June, 2009		
PAYG Withholding Payable	5,873	6,853
Superannuation Payable	0	14,479
Accrued Annual Leave	13,828	14,280
LSL Provision	9,551	8,382
TRANSFER TO BALANCE SHEET	<u>29,252</u>	<u>43,994</u>



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