

LEUKODYSTROPHY .org.au AUSTRALIA

Dear Prospective Supporter,

I am writing on behalf of **Leukodystrophy Australia**, seeking support in the fundraising efforts, run by The Charity Challenge [<https://thecharitychallenge.com/>]. Leukodystrophy Australia provides support and advocacy for individuals and their families in their journey living with Leukodystrophy and beyond. Please see our website for further details about the work we do and stories our families tell.

Leukodystrophy is a group of rare neurological, degenerative disorders that affect mainly children, although they can appear at any life stage. These disorders can lead to deterioration of many of the body's neurological functions, with a flow on effect to other body functions, often ending in death. There is no cure at this time. Receiving a diagnosis is challenging and stressful for all families.

Leukodystrophy Australia does not receive any government funding and relies on the generosity of donors and philanthropic organisations to assist these families. Annual events run by The Charity Challenge are the backbone of revenue for our small group and it is fair to say, we would not exist without their marvelous support. These events comprise:

- **Leukodystrophy Australia - Sydney Golf Day @ Long Reef, Collaroy, Friday, 8th October 2021.**
- **2020 Charity Challenge Gala Ball, Hyatt Regency, Sydney, Saturday, 20th November, 2021.**
- **Leukodystrophy Australia - Melbourne Golf Day @ Woodlands, Melbourne, Wednesday, 8th December, 2021.**

As part of our fundraising efforts, we are seeking contributions as prizes or auction items at the above-mentioned events. Funds raised will be used by Leukodystrophy Australia to continue providing ongoing support and advocacy for individuals and families affected by Leukodystrophy. **Examples of items previously donated include:**

- Travel vouchers, leisure flights or holiday packages to resorts, holiday homes, hotels, weekends away, etc.
- Electrical and white goods- such as TV's, DVD players, washing machines, dryers, fridges, etc.
- Outdoor furniture and sporting goods
- Wine and food hampers, restaurant vouchers, retail vouchers, etc.
- Novelty items of general interest
- Experience vouchers, tickets to events or exhibitions

Please help in any way you can. Your family, friends or colleagues may also be able to help. Please feel free to call our Office on any of the below listed numbers for any queries you may have.

Thank you very much for your consideration and generosity.

The Committee of Management and all the families supported by Leukodystrophy Australia.