





2016

REPORT

Creating a world of inclusion and opportunities for people with disabilities through innovative equipment solutions, education & training.





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AN OVERVIEW



An Overview

OUR MISSION

Make life easier for people with disabilities through innovative equipment solutions, education and training.

OUR VISION

creating a world of inclusion and opportunities for people with disabilities through innovative equipment solutions, education and training.

OUR VALUE

We value, passion, respect and care.

OUR HISTORY

The vison of BartMeph Foundation was birthed almost two decades ago by a little girl who believed that every person with a disability has a gift within for survival.

The girl grew up in a world where people with disabilities were outcasts and often ridden by poverty or abuse.

The girl had an uncle named Simon Mtetwa who was deaf and dump.

"I believe every person with a disability has a gift within for survival"

Simon did not have any hearing aids and lived in an environment with people who knew little or no deaf language. One moment of miscommunication, lead Simon to die a tragic death which most probably might have been avoided, if he had access to hearing aids and the community was educated in disability awareness.

The girl made a promise that she will be part of the solution that fosters a world of inclusion and opportunities for people with disabilities.

In 2015 the vision was registered as BartMeph Foundation with an aim to create a world of inclusion and opportunities for people with disabilities through innovative equipment solutions, education & training.

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ABOUT US

BartMeph Foundation is a not for profit organisation that is that is dedicated to helping people with disability and making dreams possible for people with disabilities through innovative equipment solutions, education and training. We are committed to not reinventing the wheel, so we focus on providing equipment solutions and everyday needs for people with disabilities.

Hence, we aim to match people with disabilities with the perfect piece of equipment and enhance their talents. We provide equipment solutions, skills development, transition to work training, supported and open employment for our clients.

BartMeph Foundation is dedicated to working with people with all types of disabilities, all ages and all levels of ability across Australia and Developing Countries, and additional accessibility for Australia Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander individuals and communities

OUR PEOPLE

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OUR SUPPORTERS

You come from all walks of life and support us as individuals, families, volunteers, corporations, workplaces and community organisations. The Foundation to helping people with disability and making dreams possible for people with disabilities through innovative equipment solutions, education and training.

We simply could not do this important work without you. Thank you.



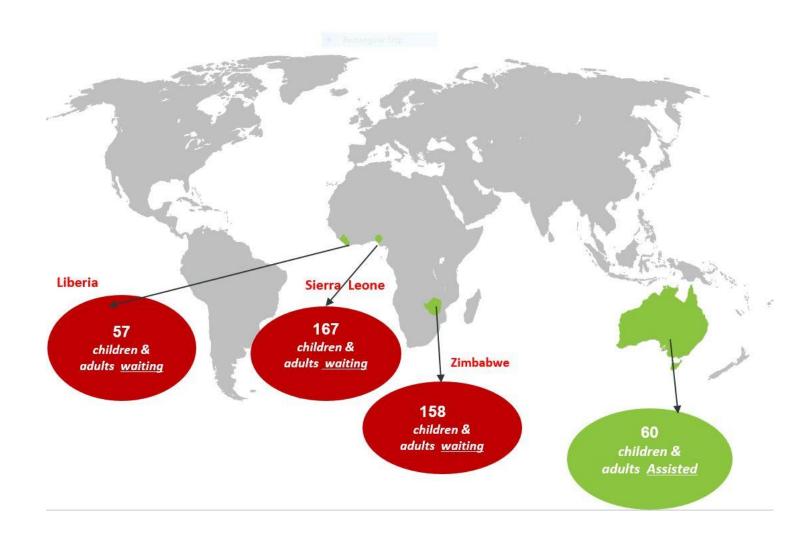


To the families and friends of those who gave an important gift in their will to The Foundation and those who intend to leave a legacy, we want to say thank you.

OUR WORK



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Zimbabwe: approx.158 people need disability assistive equipment such as wheelchairs, walking frames, Orthopaedic Footwear etc.

Sierra Leann: approx. 167 people need disability assistive equipment such as wheelchairs, walking frames, crutches, prosthetic limps, head supports units etc.

Liberia: approx. 57 people need disability assistive equipment such as wheelchairs, tricycles, walking frames, Orthopaedic Footwear etc.

GOVERNANCE



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THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

• The Foundation is a not-for-profit company limited by guarantee and governed by a voluntary Board. The Board also appoints the Chair and Deputy Chair from amongst the existing Directors.

THE ROLE OF THE BOARD

The Board is the trustee of the founding spirit and vision of The Foundation, and responsible for its good governance. It operates in accordance with principles and practices set out in the Constitution which is available on the website. The Board meets regularly and:

- Liabilities
- Statement of Financial Position
- Ownership Equity
- Sets strategic direction and policies
- Approves and monitors budgets, and ensures appropriate financial and risk management strategies
- Oversees and protects the broader resource base of the organisation
- Ensures compliance with relevant standards, regulations and reporting requirements

MANAGEMENT & STAFF

- The Foundation has no paid staff members and is governed by a voluntary Board.
- During the year, The Foundation had around 5 people as regular volunteers in Australia and many more gave valuable help on an as-needs basis.

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MRS. MASHINDI

CHAIRPERSON REPORT

Through our Strategic Plan we express and implement the core values of BartMeph Foundation Limited ("**The Foundation**") values of passion, respect and care. They have become the moral compass of everything we do as we manage a period of strong growth. BartMeph Foundation Limited is a not for profit organisation that is dedicated to working with people with all types of disabilities, all ages and all levels of ability across Australia and Developing Countries, and additional accessibility for Australia Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander individuals and communities.

The well-being of people with disabilities is very dear to my heart as, I have close relatives who have disabilities and I have watched firsthand how difficulty life is for them as a result of their disabilities. I believe that the duty to enhance the independence and quality of life of people with disabilities depends on everyone's input and effort. Hence it is also important to ensure that people with disabilities grow into confident people with well-developed self-esteem, and this can be achieved through innovative equipment solutions, education and training.

As this Annual Report for 2016 shows, we have made further advances towards our goals. With our global partners and initiative plan we are taking meaningful steps to reach people living with disability in the most remote areas in Australia and across the globe. We are trying to ensure that every person with a disability has access to solutions that allow them to fully participate and contribute to their communities. Support for The Foundation from Australian donors is still at its initial stage and we have plans in place to increase our digital presence so to open new ways for donors and supporters to stay involved in the work of The Foundation every day. Financially we remain solvent. I thank my fellow Board members and every volunteer member who have been crucial to ensuring this period of growth is carried out with transparency and agility. With your help, we will achieve that goals.

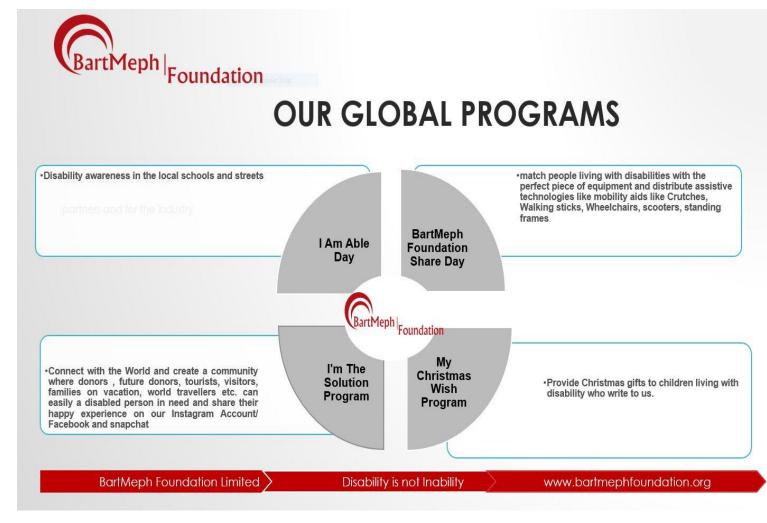


Chair

STRATEGIC GLOBAL PROGRAMS



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- BartMeph Foundation Limited has children and adults living with disability in Zimbabwe, Sierra Leon & Liberia
- In Zimbabwe, we have children at King George VI Children's School/Rehabilitation, Jairo's Jiri Association & Lowewo Rehabilitation Centre/Workshop, in need of wheelchair, walking frame, orthopaedic boots.
- In Liberia, we have poor children at SALT Rehabilitation Clinic/Centre with children in need of wheelchairs, scooters, walking frames, orthopaedic boots, diapers, etc.
- In Sierra Leone, we have poor children in Segbwema rural community who are unable to go to school due to lack of mobility equipment like Ankle-foot (AFO) Cane (hemi-cane or hemi-walker) Tri- or quadcane Walker, wheelchairs, scooters etc.

RESULTS AND ACTIVITIES



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BARTMEPH FOUNDATION SHARE DAY AUSTRALIA







"matching people living with disabilities with the perfect piece of equipment and distribute assistive technologies such as head support, seat cushions, medical pillows, wheelchair seats"

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OUR FINANCES



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INCOME STATEMENT SUMMARY

DESCRIPTION	\$
Revenue/receipts	
a. Government grants	\$0.00
b. Donations and bequests	\$655.00
c. Other revenue/receipts	\$0.00
d. Total revenue/receipts (a+b+c)	\$655.00
e. Other income (for example, gains)	\$0.00
f. Total income/receipts (d+e)	\$655.00

GOING CONCERN

We are continuously creating strategies to increase donations, raise funds and apply for government grants.

TAKEAWAYS

We conduct regular monitoring of all programs and evaluate the quality and success of our projects. These reviews identify valuable lessons about what works, what doesn't – and why. This helps us to do our work better.

OUR FINANCES



INCOME STATEMENT SUMMARY CONTINUE	\$
Description	
EXPENSES/PAYMENT	
g. Employee expenses/payments	\$0.00
i. Grants and donations made for use in Australia	\$0.00
j. Grants and donations made for use outside Australia	\$0.00
k. Other expenses/payments	\$599.00
l. Total expenses/payments (g+i+j+k)	\$599.00
m. Net surplus/(deficit) (f-l)	\$56.00

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INCOME STATEMENT SUMMARY CONTINUE	. \$
Description	
BALANCE SHEET EXTRACT	
t. Total assets	\$10,000.00
y. Total liabilities	\$100.00
z. Net assets/liabilities (t-y)	\$9900.00

TREASURES REPORT

Not applicable

AUDITORS REPORT

Not applicable

OUR OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION



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- For your convenience, you can find more information on our website at http://www.bartmephfoundation.org
- 20412 064 181
- 📥 56 Murphy Street, Oran Park, NSW 2570

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HOW YOU CAN HELP

- Please feel free to visit our website @ http://www.bartmephfoundation.org/donate and make your donation online or make a cash deposit/ swift bank transfer to our bank account detailed below:
- Name: BARTMEPH FOUNDATION LIMITED
- BSB #: 06 2340
- Account #: 10564303
- · Bank Name: Commonwealth Bank of Australia
- Bank Swift Code: CTBAAU2S

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¹ developing countries as declared by the Minister for Foreign Affairs for the purposes of the Overseas Aid Gift Deduction Scheme established by the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997.