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Quarter Two has been filled with exciting developments and meaningful milestones.

We are delighted to share our newly released 2025 Impact Report, showcasing the achievements and life-changing outcomes made possible through the support of our donors and partners. As we reflect on the past year, we are reminded of the power of working together to help children who are deaf learn to listen and speak.

A highlight of this quarter was the successful launch event celebrating the renovation of our CHAT building and several areas within our Centre. These enhanced spaces will help us continue providing the specialised support that children and families need to thrive.

To all our donors and supporters, thank you. Your generosity and unwavering belief in our mission make our work possible. Every milestone achieved is a testament to your commitment and partnership.

We hope you enjoy this edition and celebrating the impact we are making together.

TAKING EXPERTISE GLOBAL

We are proud to celebrate four of our therapists who represented the Carel du Toit Centre at the prestigious AG Bell Global Listening and Spoken Language Symposium 2026, held in Virginia, USA, from 4 - 6 June.

They joined hearing healthcare professionals from around the world to share knowledge and explore the latest developments in listening and spoken language intervention for children with hearing loss.

The team presented on a range of topics, including equitable paediatric hearing care across Africa, hearing assessment insights, sensory-informed approaches to strengthening listening skills, and effective advocacy for policy change.

Their participation highlighted the valuable work being done at the Carel du Toit Centre and showcased South African expertise on an international platform. We are grateful for opportunities such as these that allow us to learn, collaborate, and strengthen our global connections in support of children who are deaf or with hearing loss.



Left to right: Jenni Bester, Speech Therapist; Barbara Kellett, Speech Therapist; Lisa Barnard, Occupational Therapist and Sarah Lange, Audiologist.

THE 2025/2026 IMPACT REPORT HAS LANDED

We are proud to share our 2025/2026 Impact Report, a celebration of the progress, achievements and meaningful change made possible over the past year.

Within these pages, you'll see how your support is helping children who are deaf develop listening and spoken language skills, empowering them to learn, connect and thrive.



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BUILDING BRIGHTER FUTURES



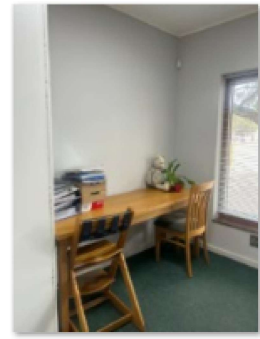
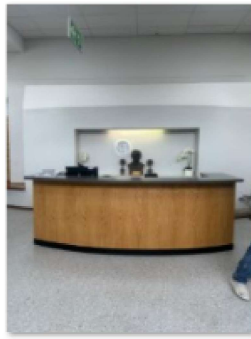
Donors and staff at the renovation launch

We proudly celebrated the official opening of our newly renovated facilities at CHAT and the Carel du Toit Centre. These upgrades mark an exciting new chapter in our journey of supporting deaf children and their families.

The renovations have created larger, more welcoming spaces for therapy, learning and family support, ensuring that we can continue providing high-quality intervention services in an environment designed to meet the needs of the children we serve. Every improvement was made with our families in mind, creating spaces where children can learn, communicate and thrive.

This milestone would not have been possible without the incredible generosity of our donors and partners. For this project, we would like to extend our particular thanks to the Rotary Club of Bellville, the Rotary Club of Bristol Breakfast (UK), the National Lottery Commission (NLC), the Janie Mouton Foundation and Lewis Group. We are also deeply grateful to all our donors who continue to support our broader work and ongoing needs.

As we look ahead, we are excited about the possibilities these enhanced facilities bring and remain committed to empowering children and their families through early intervention, education, and ongoing support.



Some new spaces around our Centre

RUNNING WITH PURPOSE



A passionate team comprising two medical students, an engineering master's student and a financial consultant. United by the belief that every child deserves the opportunity to communicate, connect and thrive, they took on the Cape Town Marathon in support of the Carel du Toit Trust.

Through their inspiring challenge, they raised over R42 000 for children with hearing impairments, encouraging supporters to donate R1 000 for every kilometre run.

We are immensely grateful to and proud of this remarkable team for running with such purpose, dedication and heart. Thank you also goes to everyone who donated and supported their journey.

Together, you are helping to change lives!



ON THAT NOTE

If you missed the opportunity to support our incredible "Running with Purpose" team, don't worry – another inspiring challenge is on the horizon! This time, Brian Andrew and his son are taking on one of South Africa's toughest endurance events to raise funds for children with hearing loss at Carel du Toit Centre.

We are incredibly grateful to Brian Andrew, who will be taking on The Munga MTB in November 2026 – a grueling 1,100 km mountain bike race across South Africa – alongside his son to raise R100,000 in support of Carel du Toit Centre.

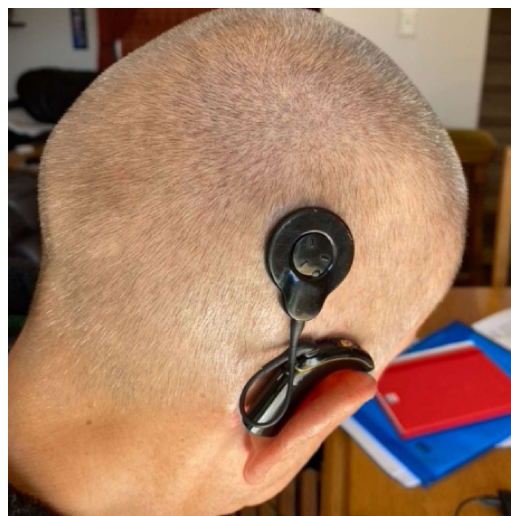


Brian and his son

Brian's fundraising journey is deeply personal, having experienced significant hearing loss himself and benefiting from a cochlear implant. Inspired by his own experience, he is riding to help give children the opportunity to hear, speak and connect with the world around them.

Even more exciting, donations will be matched rand-for-rand by his employer, RS Group, up to approximately R54,000, doubling the impact of every contribution.

We invite you to support Brian's incredible challenge and help make a lasting difference in the lives of children with hearing loss.



Brian getting a cochlear implant

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BUILDING OUR ALUMNI FAMILY

We're reaching out to collect updated information from our alumni community through a short Google Form. This information is incredibly valuable, not only for maintaining accurate records and meaningful statistics but also for strengthening our alumni network. Your input plays a key role in building a stronger, more connected network.

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BEAT AS ONE THIS CASUAL DAY

Purchase your Casual Day Sticker for only R20 and help make a meaningful difference in the lives of children and families we serve. Stickers are available from the Carel du Toit Trust office.

Why not get your workplace, school, family or community involved? Embrace the spirit of the day by dressing up and celebrating this year's vibrant theme, "Beat as One: Rhythm Matters."

The theme encourages everyone to bring their unique rhythm, energy and personality while standing together in support of persons with disabilities. It is a celebration of inclusion, diversity and unity.

Most importantly, the most powerful thing you can wear this Casual Day is your Casual Day Sticker. Wearing it is more than just taking part in a fun tradition, it is a visible sign of support and a contribution towards creating a more inclusive society for all.



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Your donations contribute to the Centre's incredible service of teaching hearing impaired children spoken language.

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