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## About Friends of Max

Friends of Max (FOM) is the Support Group Arm of The Max Foundation in India and is a registered Charitable Trust. It is the largest support group of its kind in the world and India's benchmark organization whose members including patients, physicians, caregivers, patient leaders and volunteers, carry out various patient-centric activities for Chronic Myeloid Leukaemia (CML) & Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumour (GIST) survivors. FOM today dedicates its services to more than 18000 patients spread across 36 City Chapters in the country.

#### Our Vision

No Cancer patient should live a diminished and compromised life.

#### Our Mission

To provide emotional, informational and practical support to CML and GIST patients and their caregivers.

### Our Approach

With your support we

- Arrange regular face-to-face meetings for patients with their treating physicians who are amongst the best oncologists and haematologists in the country.
- Train volunteers to help fellow patients live a positive and productive life.
- Organise events to spread awareness about the disease and the importance of compliance
- Aid and facilitate access to monitoring tests for financially challenged patients.
- Provide financial aid to cover the education costs of paediatric cancer patients who are on lifelong medication

### Organizational Information

#### **Board of Trustees**

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Neel Kankani

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Archana Arora

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# Message from the Trustees

The Friends of Max (FOM) members have continued to focus on issues and causes of Chronic Myeloid Leukaemia (CML) and Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumour (GIST) patients across the country and sustain awareness, fundraising and other support activities for lower income communities. FOM launched two important projects viz. FOM Diagnostic Project and FOM Shiksha Project. The first one is enabling patients all over India to conduct BCR-ABL tests on a complimentary basis based upon the contribution of FOM to the diagnostic institution. The second project deals with providing education to the CORE family members, a project that needs to grow leaps and bound. The projects would attract CSR donations from various companies and are bound to help various persons in the country.

This financial year Friends of Max geared itself up to extend its support to a larger number of patients from financially challenged backgrounds. With support from our physician and institution partners and other supporters we continued to augment our funds extending our home diagnostic test (at no cost) benefits to patients.

Today the Friends of Max is more than just a patient support group, it is a people's movement. In the last decade and a half, we have partnered with like-minded foundations and research institutions which have helped create a self-sustaining ecosystem in India, benefiting the faction of our society dealing with life-long diseases, who would not have otherwise received the medical access and care they do now. The Friends of Max Trust has attained reputation and is now represented in some of the most important global platforms for CML and GIST and has made its own special place in the world of cancer care.

It is truly heart-warming to see Friends of Max continue to transition from a traditional patient support group to a catalyst of social change in India, while creating gratifying stories of impact. Friends of Max will continue its journey of dedicating themselves to the enhancement of the quality of life of patients and communities that it serves, adhering to its motto of "Together We Share and Learn."

- On behalf of the Trustees, S.V. Sunder Krishnan, (Treasurer, Friends of Max)









# FOM Activity Report

Outreach
2022-23

Volunteers Caregivers Patients Physicians
97

437

1106

70

29 States &
Total Attendance
7 Union Territories

1816

	DATE	REGIONS COVERED:	EVENT & VENUE	VOLUNTEERS	CAREGIVERS	PATIENTS	PHYSICIANS	TOTAL ATTENDANCE
1.	<sup>2022</sup> APR 30	Odisha	Patient Support Group Meeting Virtual	10	0	129	5	144
2.	<sup>2022</sup> 21	Maharashtra	Patient Support Group Meeting Virtual	10	0	100	6	116
3.	<sup>2022</sup> JUN 05	Maharashtra	Patient Support Group Meeting Tata Memorial Hospital, Mumbai	10	49	78	1	138
4.	<sup>2022</sup> JUL 12	Pan India, Nepal	GIST Patient Support Group Meeting Hybrid	<b>5</b>	2	9	0	16
5.	<sup>2022</sup> AUG 27	Pan South Asia	<b>Dawn of Hope</b> Virtual	10	0	60	0	70
6.	<sup>2022</sup> SEP 15	West Bengal	Patient Support Group Meeting TATA Medical Center, Kolkata	5	30	38	13	86
7.	<sup>2022</sup> SEP 22	Rajasthan	Patient Support Group Meeting Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Hospital, Jaipur	2	12	12	2	28
8.	<sup>2022</sup> <sub>SEP</sub> 25	Madhya Pradesh	Patient Support Group Meeting Hotel Utsah, Indore	2	40	43	3	88
9.	<sup>2022</sup> 0CT 15	Karnataka	Patient Support Group Meeting Kidwai Hospital, Karnataka	4	24	73	5	106
10.	<sup>2022</sup> DEC 03	Tamil Nadu	Patient Support Group Meeting Meenakshi Mission Hospital, Madurai	10	60	167	1	344
11.	2022 DEC 16	Mumbai	Patient Support Group Meeting Taj Tea House, Mumbai	1	6	8	4	19
12.	<sup>2023</sup> 13	Assam	Patient Support Group Meeting Guwahati Medical College & Hospital	0	35	30	4	69
13.	<sup>2023</sup> FEB 11	Maharashtra	Patient Support Group Meeting TATA Hospital, Khargarh, Navi Mumbai	5	36	64	5	110
14.	<sup>2023</sup> FEB 25	Tamil Nadu	Patient Support Group Meeting Cancer Institute (WIA), Adyar, Chennai	13	53	163	7	236
15.	<sup>2023</sup> 04	Bihar	Patient Support Group Meeting AIIMS, Patna	10	90	132	14	246

## Chai for Cancer Season 9

Season 9 of Chai for Cancer was launched virtually this year. Armed with our new mascot, the Superhero Kulhad - designed by Susruta & Saswata Mukherjee, better known as "Bob & Bobby", we set ourselves a new target - to raise ₹75 Lakhs to support the unmet needs of cancer patients from weaker socio-economic backgrounds, with our new slogan 'Raise a Cup, Drink to a Cause'.

As the COVID lockdown restrictions gradually started lifting, CFC made its presence felt in cities across India. We thank the steadfast supporters of our cause who have stood by us and have helped us achieve our goal. Every last paisa of the funds thus raised, goes towards covering the patients' diagnostics costs, travel costs and their children's education cost.

Total funds collected:

₹**62**, **20**, **000** 

Number of cups raised:

62,200

Number of Addas held:

16



MAY 16

Viji Venkatesh

Taj Mahal Tea House, Bandra

As is tradition, the inaugural Adda of Season 9 was hosted by Viji Venkatesh, this time at the Taj Mahal Tea House in Bandra. It was attended by old and new supporters of Chai for Cancer and some well-known social media personalities.

2. 22

FOM Delhi City Chapter Leaders

VENUE:

Delhi

Hosted by the enthusiastic FOM Delhi Volunteers on a summer morning at the Lodhi Gardens. Morning walkers, youngsters and CFC patrons joined the Adda and generously raised their cups to our cause.

23

Sindhushree Khullar

VENUE:

Delhi

A spontaneous Adda organized by long-time supporter of CFC, Sindhushree Khullar in her driveway. It saw members of her household sharing stories and exchanging experiences.



The Max Foundation Office

VENUE:

Mumbai

The fishermen of Worli joined The Max Foundation team for chai and snacks at the latter's South Asia office in Mumbai. The Max team informed them about their work with cancer patients and educated them about the ill-effect of tobacco consumption.

5. JUN 10

HOSTS: Red FM

VENUE: Mumbai

Our Radio Partners Red FM hosted their annual CFC Adda at their studios. It was attended by their complete team and staff. Also in attendance were their RJs JMan, Yamini and Akriti as well as the radio station's fans invited by Red FM to the Adda.

7. JUL 13 HOSTS:

Manoj Dhanotiya

VENUE:

Indore

Hosted by the magnanimous FOM Indore City Chapter Leader Manoj Dhanotiya and IMRT297, this Adda was organized at The Eyry Café in Indore. It was a gathering of likeminded people and supporters of our cause. Also, present were FOM CCLs from Indore and Bhopal as well as The Max Foundation's Viji Venkatesh and Anshika Tandon, along with Red FM's RJ Tathagat.



HOSTS:

Shormishtha

VENUE:

Mumbai

It was an overwhelming feeling to see so many friends and like-minded people come together and raise their chai cups, samosas, poha, jalebis and cake to our cause. Shormishtha and her co-hosts, her husband Anirban and niece Anushka were graciousness personified while the third co-host, Tuggu the cat, entertained the guests all evening with his charming ways. Anirban and his guitar with a spontaneous musical session had everyone join in as the Adda melodiously went into the sunset.

6. JUN

Sujata & Satish Mane

11

VENUE: Pune

Long time supporters of Chai for Cancer, Sujata and Satish Mane hosted their second Adda at their home in Pune. It was attended by friends, family, colleagues and neighbours of the Manes. Also joining were FOM Pune City Chapter Leaders.

2022 8. JUL 15

HOSTS:

**FOM City Chapter Leaders** 

VENUE:

Kolkata

As is tradition for CFC, Kolkata saw two Addas happening in July - the first hosted by Dr Reena Nair and team at Tata Medical Centre, the second by FOM Kolkata City Chapter Leaders at the Victoria Memorial Gardens. Red FM Kolkata's RJs Nilam, Praveen and Neil lent their full support covering the Addas on ground and making sure the voices of our supporters were amplified throughout the city.

10.

16

HOSTS: Pramod John

VENUE:

Kalyan

Like every year, Friends of Max Trustee Pramod George, along with his family, hosted a Chai for Cancer Adda at their home in Kalyan, after a gap of three years due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Our gracious hosts made sure they welcomed each of the dozens of guests at the Adda and served them with Mini's special chai along with evening snacks and copies of FOM reading material. FOM Managing Trustee Viji Venkatesh made a surprise appearance as did Suresh Pawar, FOM Mumbai City Chapter Leader. Pramod and his generous guests together raised more than ₹2.17 Lakhs at this Adda.

11. 2022 OCT 23 HOSTS: V Care

VENUE: **Mumbai** 

Diwali is an occasion of giving and celebrating in togetherness. The emotion was best depicted at the V Care Foundation office by the Vandana Gupta and her team when they hosted a Chai for Cancer Adda as part of their festive celebrations. The event saw their entire team joining in an atmosphere of love, laughter, joy and music.

13. 2023 JAN 19 HOSTS:

Gayatri & Shantanu

VENUE:

Mumbai

Steaming cups of chai, an overloaded tea table, friends walking in till late in the evening, experiences of cancer being shared, songs of love, hope & joy and generous contributions to the cause are just some of the highlights of this special Adda. Special because it is hosted by an ELSA for ELSAs, a group of dynamic women who studied in Lady Shri Ram College in Delhi and now live in Mumbai. They share a great sense of camaraderie, are today's champion achievers in their own respective fields but all who take out time to support our cause.

15. 2023 MAR 05

HOSTS:

Priya & the Ladies of Inner Wheel Club

VENUE

Pataliputra, Patna

Priya and the ladies of the Inner Wheel Club Pataliputra, organised a wonderful Chai for Cancer Adda in Patna, with over 800 cups of chai raised in support of CML and GIST patients and their families.

12. 202 OC

HOSTS:

26

VENUE: **Delhi** 

The enthusiastic physicians at RGCI – Dr Dinesh Bhurani, Rayaz Ahmed, Narendra Agarwal and their team hosted this Adda. Our committed Radio Partners Red FM Delhi spread the word of this event across the Delhi airwaves throughout the past week and their amazing RJ Atishay was present at the Adda to capture the voices – new and old – and amplify the message of supporting cancer patients in need. As always, our stalwart FOM Trustees and City Chapter Leaders ran the show, supporting the Adda, as patients, caregivers, treating physicians and supporters in the city visited, checked out our merchandise, raised a cup and donated generously towards our cause.

14. 2023 FEB 05 HOSTS: Abhishek & Amruta

VENUE:

Pune

Continuing with the spirit of World Cancer Day, Abhishek and Amruta Patidar, Friends of Max-City Chapter Leaders from Pune, supported by their loving family organised an action-packed, high-energy Chai for Cancer adda at their Baner home in Pune. The adda received an overwhelming response from both young & old.

16. 2023 MAR

26

HOSTS: Sindhushree Khullar

VENUE:

Delhi

This Chai for Cancer Adda hosted by the very warm and gracious Sindhushree Khullar (IAS, Retd.), at her Delhi home. She is one of our staunchest supporters. As always, a wonderful evening spent in the company of some amazing and the kindest people.

## FOM Membership Project

Keeping in mind that the growth of the organization is related to the number of active members in its fold, the Managing Committee had taken up the task of increasing its membership in the last financial year. The benefits of the efforts then have been reflecting in this financial year with a noticeable increase in the number of annual memberships. The same is reflected in the graphics below.





Our efforts continue and we hope to continue to spread our outreach, PAN India.

Membership benefits were also re validated this year. New brochure highlighting the membership benefits was also created to better communicate to patients. The same are being distributed during the monthly patient support group meetings that are organized.

The Programme offers Annual and Life Memberships, with equal benefits for both categories.

At the start of the project in February 2021, FOM had 247 Members (26 Life and 221 Annual).

By October 2022, the number of members grew to 500. Of these, 57 are Life Members while 443 are Annual Members.

As of March 2023, there are 586 members.

## FOM Diagnostics Project

Patients diagnosed with Chronic Myeloid Leukaemia (CML) must take medications throughout their lives and are burdened financially or emotionally from it.

The patients must also undergo BCR-ABL tests, which are used to help diagnose some forms of leukaemia such as CML, monitor treatment, recurrence or detect resistance to therapy.

The prices for each test can range anywhere from ₹4000 to ₹7000+, which may be unaffordable to a lot of our financially distressed patients. The cost is even higher for people living in remote parts of the country who must incur additional expenses such as travelling and lodging.

Such factors, as we have witnessed, often lead to non-compliance at the patient's end, which may ultimately result in health complications or relapse.

Keeping the above-mentioned challenges in mind, and to provide relief to such patients so that they may undergo their treatment and tests as per their physicians' advice and lead a healthy and close-to-normal life, Friends of Max has entered into a strategic partnership with a leading diagnostics company to help patients access this extremely important monitoring test at no cost.

### **Outcomes:**

₹13,06,665

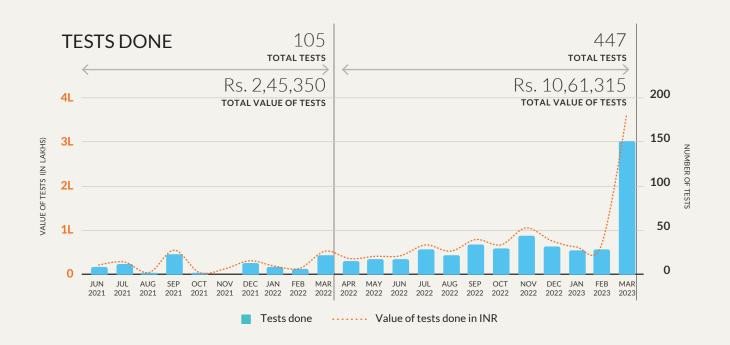
Total Value of Tests done up to March 31, 2023 (from June 2021)

## Benefits offered under this project are as follows:

- 1. Two BCR-ABL tests + Two CBC tests to all CML patients
- 2. Two Serum Creatinine + Two CBC tests to all GIST patients
- 3. Support for all monitoring tests to patients on Treatment Free Remission (TFR)
- 4. At-home sample collection on Pan-India scale
- 5. E-delivery of reports
- 6. The day-to-day execution of this project is managed by the FOM Desk with the aid and advice of the FOM Management Committee. Twenty-two FOM Volunteers across India help coordinate with the beneficiaries in their respective regions.

## The source of funding for this project is twofold:

- 1. Chai for Cancer, the awareness-cum-fundraising initiative of FOM created to raise resources to support the unmet needs of patients on lifelong therapy
- 2. Donation from organisations via the Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) route. These organisations have been impressed by FOM's work in patient support



# FOM's Project Shiksha

Project Shiksha is an ambitious initiative by Friends of Max (FOM) which aims to provide financial aid to cover the education costs of paediatric cancer patients who are on lifelong medication.

#### Goal

- Ensure that the disease does not come in the way of their accessing educational opportunities
- Enable patients to remain compliant to their treatment protocols by supporting travel costs for their periodical follow up visits with physicians
- Reduce the financial burden and psychological stress on the families of cancer patients from weaker socio-economic backgrounds

#### **Target Groups**

- CML and GIST paediatric patients from weaker socio-economic backgrounds
- Children/immediate family members of such patients

#### Methodology

- Identification of eligible CML and GIST paediatric patients or patients with school going children. This is done either during the monthly Patient Support Group Meetings held in various cities or while on call with a facilitator/FOM City Chapter Leader or in person when the patient visits The Max Foundation office in Mumbai. We are grateful to the Max team for their involvement in this project
- Initiate a conversation with the above to identify their specific needs
- Through interviews with the prospective beneficiaries or their guardians, FOM / the Max team will gauge the average financial requirements needed with their education
- Once the beneficiaries have been identified, documents like the Student Report Card, School ID and original receipts of payments made to the school are collected. Bank Account details and the unique Government ID Card of the parent/guardian is also collected
- Education costs include school fees for academic year, text books, stationery and school uniform

#### Monitoring

- Submission of progress reports by beneficiaries every six months
- Counselling sessions organized by the Max Team for the beneficiaries and their families at regular intervals
- Support group meetings organized for the beneficiaries and their families at regular intervals
- Treatment compliance level checks of the beneficiaries monitored with the help of The Max Foundation team
- Any issues arising in the project dealt with on a case-by-case basis by the FOM Trustees.



## **Outcomes:**

30 children

TOTAL BENEFICIARIES:

spread across Class 1 to 12 having been able to continue their education with the support extended

₹3,85,467

FUND DISTRIBUTION

PAN India

FOOTPRINT

October 2022

PROJECT COMMENCEMENT

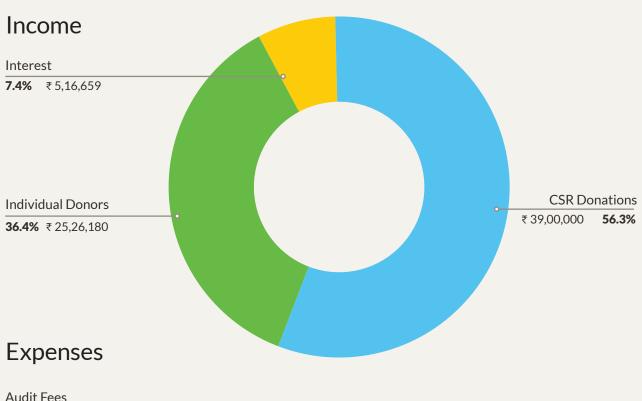
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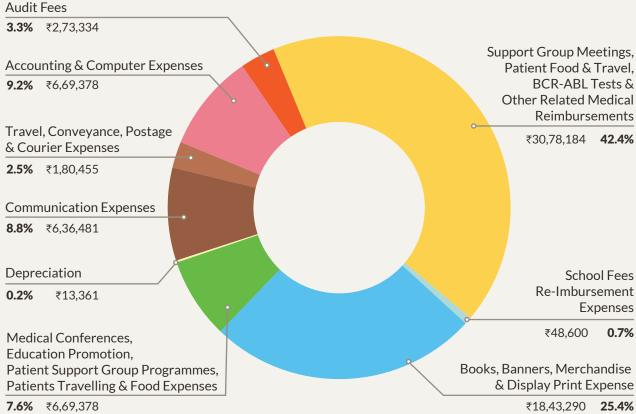
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## Financial Report

## Financial Highlights - FY 2022-23





## Friends of Max - Balance Sheet as at 31st March 2023

PREVIOUS YEAR (₹)	FUNDS AND LIABILITIES	AMOUNT (₹)	AMOUNT (₹)
	TRUSTS FUNDS OR CORPUS:-		
1,09,42,457.46	Balance as per last Balance Sheet	1,06,79,161.34	
	Addition during the year (give details)		
(2,42,000.00)	Add/Less: Trf to Income & Exp A/c	-	
		1,06,79,161.34	
	Add/Less:		
(21,296.12)	Surplus/(Deficit) transferred to Corpus	(3,48,412.86)	1,03,30,748.48
	OTHER EARMARKED FUNDS:-		
	(Created under the provisions of the Trust		
	Deed or scheme or out of the income)		
	LOANS (SECURED OR UNSECURED):-		
	From Trustees		
	From Others.		
	LIABILITIES:-		
	For Expenses		
81,099.00	Outstanding Expenses	91,896.00	
9,111.00	TDS Payable	56,072.00	1,47,968.00
	For Advances		
	For Rent and Other Deposits		
	For Sundry Credit Balances		
	INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT:-		
	Balance as per last Balance Sheet		
	Less: Appropriation, if any - Transfer to Corp		
	Less: Tax Deducted At Source		
995.18	Add/(Less): Surplus or (Deficit ) as per	-3,43,663.86	
	Income and Expenditure Account:-		
(50,269.30)	Add/(Less): Tds	(51,389.00)	
	Add/(Less): Self Asst. Tax		
27,978.00	Add/(Less): Income Tax Refund	46,640.00	
		(3,48,412.86)	
21,296.12	Deficit transferred to Corpus Account	3,48,412.86	<u>-</u>
1,07,69,371.34			1,04,78,716.48

PREVIOUS YEAR (₹)	PROPERTY & ASSETS	AMOUNT (₹)	AMOUNT (₹)
	IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES:- (AT COST)		
	Balance as per last Balance Sheet		
	·		
	INVESTMENTS:- ( AT COST)		
98,66,158.41	FDR'S With HDFC Bank	87,09,590.84	
4,39,537.83	Accured Interest	3,24,981.10	90,34,571.94
	Deposit with Government Bodies		
	Deposit with Others	-	
	Furnitures & Fixtures & Other Fixed Assets		
55,670.00	Computer	33,402.00	
	Additions during the year		
	Less: Depreciation up to date		
(22,268.00)		(13,361.00)	20,041.00
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	Loans (Secured or Unsecured): Good/Doubtful	<u></u>	
	Loans	·	
	Other Loans		
	Other Education		
	ADVANCES:-		
	To Trustees		
	To Employees		
	To Others		
	10 Gallers		
	INCOME OUTSTANDING:-		
	Rent		
	Interest		
	Other Income		
	Other meditie		
	CASH AND BANK BALANCES:-		
61.40	a) Cash on hand	1,440.00	
-	SBI New Delhi FCRA A/c.40474921728	5,117.00	
4,11,374.37	HDFC Bank Ltd-A/c. No.14508	13,95,129.21	
18,284.38	HDFC Bank Ltd-FCRA A/c. No.13259531	18,838.38	
552.95	HDFC Bank Ltd-A/c. No.16864772	3,578.95	14,24,103.54
332.73	b) With the Trustee	3,370.73	17,27,100.57
	c) With the Manager		
	C) WILLI CHE MAINAGE		
1,07,69,371.34			1,04,78,716.48
1,07,07,371.34			1,04,70,710.40

### Auditor's Report

I have audited the attached Balance Sheet of M/s.FRIENDS OF MAX, and the annexed Income & Expenditure Account for the period ended on 31st March,2023, both of which I have signed under reference to this report. These financial statements are the responsibility of the management of the Trust. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

I have conducted the audit in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material mis- statement. An audit includes, examining on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts & disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes accessing the accounting principles used & significant estimates made by the management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statement. I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinion.

Further to above with the book of accounts, vouchers and other documents as were available with the society and produced to us in connection therewith to report that:

- 1. I have obtained all the information and explanations, which to the best of my knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of my audit.
- 2. In my opinion, proper books of account have been maintained as required under the Mumbai Public Trusts Act,1950, and the Rules of the Trust, so far as it appears from the examination of these books.
- 3. The Balance Sheet and the Income & Expenditure Account examined by me are in agreement with the Books of Accounts of the Trust.
- 4. In my opinion, and to the best of my information and according to the explanations given to me, the said accounts, read with the Remarks in the Audit Memos attached herewith give all the information required and give a true and fair view:
  - In the case of the Balance Sheet, of the State of affairs of the Trust as at 31st March 2023
     AND
  - ii. In the case of the Income & Expenditure Account, of the Excess of Expenditure over the Income of the Trust, for the year ended on that date.

- C.A. Shyam Sundar Padia



# CHAI FOR CANCER



## RAISE YOUR CUP DRINK TO A CAUSE

CHAI FOR CANCER IS AN INITIATIVE OF FRIENDS OF MAX TO RAISE AWARENESS AND FUNDS FOR PATIENTS LIVING WITH CHRONIC MYELOID LEUKAEMIA (CML) & GASTROINTESTINAL STROMAL TUMOUR (GIST), TWO TYPES OF RARE CANCERS.

WE ARE HOPING TO WELCOME CORPORATES AND INDIVIDUALS LIKE YOU TO JOIN OUR DONOR BASE AND HELP US RAISE FUNDS TO COVER COSTS OF THOSE SEEMINGLY INSIGNIFICANT NEEDS OF PATIENTS FROM THE ECONOMICALLY WEAKER SECTIONS OF SOCIETY.

EVERY LAST PAISA OF FUNDS RAISED THROUGH THE CHAI FOR CANCER CAMPAIGN, GOES TOWARDS COVERING THE PATIENTS' DIAGNOSTIC & TRAVEL COSTS, SUPPORTING THEIR CHILDREN'S EDUCATION & OTHER SEEMINGLY SMALL UNMET NEEDS.



To know more about our cause visit

www.chaiforcancer.org















# Together we share & learn

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