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Council's greatest shave raises \$3,400

Shoalhaven City Council staff raised nearly \$3,400 towards the World's Greatest Shave.

During the fund raising General Manager Russ Pigg shaved his moustache. He had been growing it for some 20 years. Shoalhaven City Mayor Councillor Paul Green had his hair coloured and then cut with the aid of three of his children. While Councillors Gareth Ward and Amanda Findley also had their hair coloured, with Cllr Findley having a shave as well.

More than 20 Council staff also took part either shaving or colouring their hair on Thursday 11 March.

Adrian Mawer, representing the Glenn McPherson Memorial Golf Committee, donated \$1,000 towards Council's fund raising effort.

The Glenn McPherson Memorial Golf Day is held once a year in memory of Glenn McPherson, a local Bomaderry identity, who passed away in 1997 leaving a young family. That same year a committee was formed to raise funds to establish a trust fund for Jack McPherson, the son of Melissa and the late Glenn McPherson.

In 1998 the inaugural Glenn McPherson Golf Day was held and through local support and sponsorships the committee has raised funds to provide a secure future for Jack McPherson. To date the committee has raised \$23,500 and this has been donated to the local community. This year the committee has provided \$1,000 to assist Council's World's Greatest Shave which will go towards the Leukaemia Foundation.

All funds raised will go towards the Leukaemia Foundation, visit <http://www.worldsgreatestshave.com/> for more information.

Photo: Shoalhaven City Mayor Councillor Paul Green accepts the \$1,000 donation from Adrian Mawer representing the Glen McPherson Memorial Committee, with Councillor Gareth Ward.

Al Stratton, from Parks Operations, City Services and Operations, loses his locks for the World's Greatest Shave.

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