

The Technology Museum of WA Inc. actively encourages businesses to get involved with the Museum to boost our Objects and Mission. By partnering with the Museum, like-minded companies can help the Museum and your company reach our respective goals.

What we're trying to do?

The Museum is a not-for-profit incorporated association with the goals of collecting, storing, and displaying technology artefacts for the purpose of educating the general public in Western Australia.

Why Help?

By partnering with the Museum and helping it reach its goals, your company will be helping build the only technology Museum in Western Australia, dedicated solely to historical technology preservation, restoration and education. By working with the Museum, you will be adding to the rich technological history of our nation and how it has enriched our culture and way of life. You will be showing your employees, customers and the public at large that your company understands the benefit of being involved in Australia's technology-based progress. It will affirm that you are a serious player, an innovator, and top-tier leader in the hi-tech competition present within your industry. Your company will benefit from the added positive exposure, within the museum going public and the public at large. By being involved in the Museum, your company will show the world the reasons you do, what you do. Helping others is a positive goal for any company and joining the Technology Museum of WA in reaching its goals, as a corporate sponsor, will be positive choice in your corporate timeline.

How You Can Help.

Donation of funds.

Money is a very direct way of helping the Museum survive and grow. Donations can be a one off or on a reoccurring basis. All corporate sponsors will receive a detailed summary of our financials. The Museum by it's constitution must have an independent review of its financial position at least once a year. Donations can be encumbered or unencumbered. Unencumbered donation allows the Museum to spend the donated funds on whatever they need. Encumbered donations are tied to a specific project, goal or usage. Government grants are usually encumbered such that the money can not be spent on administrative fees. The Technology Museum of WA Inc. encourages both types of donations.

In-Kind Donations

Often a company has a product or service that they wish to share with the Museum. These in-kind donations can take many forms and usually have some quid-quo-pro component. The Museum may for example have a transport sponsor from a local trucking company. This company may provide free or reduced transportation of artefacts to and from the Museum in exchange for an add in the newsletter or signage in the Museum. This method of donation is often a very cost-effective way of helping the Museum. They are also a very good way of helping the Museum only when the Museum needs the help. The Museum for example may only need a forklift on occasion. A forklift rental company sponsor could supply the forklift free or at cost when the Museum needs it.

How to Become a Sponsor?

To become a sponsor of the Technology Museum of WA Inc. It is best to contact the Secretary of the Museum, Roger Meakes, and discuss how we can help each other. Or call me on the number below. Or visit our webpage at <u>www.technologymuseumwa.org</u>

Rogers Mobile - 0419 040 743

Thank You

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