

THANK YOU EVERYONE!

I DID IT!

Dardanup to Boyanup ... 10km in just on 2 hours 😊

It was such a beautiful day!

Glorious sunshine ... An ever-so-gentle breeze ...

And a beautiful family from our parish school who accompanied me for the whole journey:

- Dad up front in a car with the hazard lights on ...
- Three little champs on their beautiful horses walking with me ...
- Mum with the 4WD and horse float behind us with hazard lights on to slow traffic down and protect us.

My big surprise for the day was the big sign they had made and attached to the horse float:

"Fr Wayne's Walk for Alzheimer's"

Thanks to this sign, I received waves, "foots", "thumbs-up's" and shouts of encouragement from literally hundreds of people, as they slowly drove past us.

... a few people even pulled over and gave me a donation!

For the entire journey, I was surrounded by love, encouragement and affirmation.

I had a strong sense of Dad's presence with me the whole way too – and felt so proud to be doing this walk with and for him.

It was just wonderful in every way!

On arrival at Boyanup, we celebrated with milkshakes and iced coffees at "Coffee Joy" (... who also kindly gave a donation!) – before we all headed home

... my body a little tired ... but my heart so very full! 😊

As of today (*Tuesday*), total funds raised for Alzheimer's WA is just over \$7,000 ... with still more to come!

My page will remain active until the end of the month, so if you would still like to give, just go to mycause.com.au and type in my name to be directed to my page.



Thank you so much everyone ❤️

Fr Wayne Bendotti

