



## 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Canadian Music Therapy Ride to Whistler Revs Up to 100k

Dear Supporter:

For the past four years, members of the music industry and media have pulled together in a unique event that helps countless individuals who benefit from the healing and comforting power of music therapy. This year's Therapy Ride will continue the tradition, as bikers from all over the Lower Mainland ride together to Whistler on September 30 in support of the Canadian Music Therapy Trust Fund.

Thanks to the Canadian Music Therapy Trust Fund, music programs have been developed over the past five years in a variety of therapeutic settings. Terminally ill children and adults as well as those on the long road to recovery have been given the ability to create, focus and learn about a wonderful element of our lives we often take for granted. Music can change a mood, lift spirits and bring hope where it was once lost.

To date, over \$90,000 has been raised for this worthwhile cause, with the help of stars like Biff Naked, Colin James, Jann Arden, members of Nickelback, Burton Cummings and many others. This year, it won't just be the bikes that go over "100 K."

In order to reach this year's goal we are asking for your generosity. There are several ways to donate to this event. We are seeking pledges for bikes and asking for items for the live auction. Although the Canadian Music Therapy Trust is a national organization, your generous proceeds raised at each year's ride remain in BC to help those in need. All supporters will receive a tax receipt for the full value of their donations and company logos will be showcased on our website.

Thank you in advance for your generosity and support. Please feel free to forward this letter to those who may be interested in participating and/or donating. For full details on the ride please visit our website at [www.musictherapyride.ca](http://www.musictherapyride.ca)

Sincerely,

2006 Canadian Music Therapy Ride Committee

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