“Amanda and Geoff Brown are US-based Flyballers who have had a long-standing association with Australian Flyball and who made a major contribution to the development of the sport in Australia, for which we are very grateful. To our great sorrow, Geoff recently passed away from long-standing ill health.

The AFA has made a donation on behalf of all members to a fund nominated by Amanda in memory of Geoff, proceeds of which will go to a friend who is battling cancer.

AFA members who know Geoff and Amanda personally have approached the AFA to set up a system to collect donations from people who wish to contribute above and beyond the AFA’s group donation and who may be unable or unwilling to make an overseas or Paypal transfer, which we are happy to do on their behalf.

We have decided the quickest and easiest way to achieve this is via the AFA’s bank account CB  BSB  062911  A/C 10064972 Australian Flyball Assoc Inc., from which we will collect and forward donations to Geoff’s memorial fund. Unlike some schemes, we will forward 100% of donations, no administration or other fees will be deducted. For this to work it is essential that a consistent reference is attached to all donations so they can be filtered out from the AFA’s normal transactions; would donors please use the reference “Geoff”.

We would like to send the combined donation within a reasonable timeframe, so we propose to set a nominal closing date of 24 September 2019, which gives two weeks for donations to be made. Donations after that date will still be forwarded but at a later date.”