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Dear Juanita and Team,

Thank you for believing and investing in an inclusive surfing community.

From the outside it may look like a simple fun surf session; in reality the inspirational surfers you are supporting are breaking down barriers and creating their own waves.

Before the surfers make it to the ocean they each navigate the challenges of township life with their own personal challenges. We cannot even begin to understand all of them, we can help.

The surfers featured above have surfed less than **40 times each** over the last 24 months - that's all! Can you imagine the range of emotions they must be feeling? From never visiting the ocean to meeting so many helpful strangers; allowing them (volunteers) into their personal space to help get into a wetsuit; and then having to believe that these same strangers will catch them when they fall off the surfboard into the cold noisy waves.

With these minimal opportunities the 3 of them have grown physically stronger, Surfer1's core muscles and stability has improved so much that he can balance on the balance board with just one leg; Surfer 2 and 3 have gained personal independence, their stronger cores have enabling them the freedom to move in and out of their wheelchairs with little to no help.

Over and above this all 3 have grown mentally stronger; with this confidence they have chosen to compete in the sport of para surfing.

Thank you for supporting so much more than a surf session, you are opening up a whole new world for NEW surfers who can now join the 2024 program.

Roxy, Fiona & the Roxy Davis Foundation Team

Fiona Sander Programme Manager