

# Global ride helps cycle of charity

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CHEERS erupted from the crowd gathered at Sage on Ann as Wheel2Wheel founder and Brisbane native Morgan Parker rode in on his BMW F800GS motorbike.

Hong Kong based Mr Parker, 36, just completed a 25,000km, 125-day ride across Asia and Australia to raise awareness and funds for 10 charitable organisations.

Addressing the crowd, Mr Parker said it was a life changing journey.

"We raised over US\$200,000 - I'm delighted it's been such a success," he said.

Each of the 10 countries visited by Mr Parker on his solo journey was home to an "under-recognised" charity,



**Morgan and Tod Parker**

each representing an important humanitarian issue.

At different points of his journey, he was joined by another rider including, at one time, his older brother Tod but Mr Parker primarily rode alone. His mum Gail Parker said she was extremely proud.

Wheel2Wheel is an independent not-for-profit organisation; a TV series and documentary are to come.

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