2021 TCAA President report – James Gao

This year the Covid-19 pandemic caused a huge disruption to our normal life. It also severely impacted our plan for Tai Chi activities. Still the committee team managed to deliver the followings:

- 1. Successfully organised Tai Chi promotion and celebration events on World Tai Chi Qigong Day in NSW and SA.
- 2. Great effort has been put in to organise TCAA National Open Championship in October. But unfortunately, with the latest NSW Covid-19 lockdown in July, we have to postpone the event to next year.
- 3. Health Sub-committee produced TCAA's paper on the benefits of Tai Chi for Falls Prevention. The paper widely disseminated to major stakeholders Australia-wide. The subcommittee continued it's involvement in supporting Tai Chi in the Review of the Commonwealth Government Rebates on Private Health Insurance for Natural Therapies post it's own submission.
- 4. Advertising sub-committee developed Advertising policy for newsletter, email promotion and special event sponsorship.
- 5. Significant improvement on TCAA newsletter on both the quality of contents and frequency.
- 6. First time implemented D&O insurance for TCAA management committee members.