



Street Children International

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ANNUAL REPORT 2021 & 2022

A Hope for Destitute Children

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Your donation helps in providing educational support and healthy snacks to the children who attend SCI supported schools.



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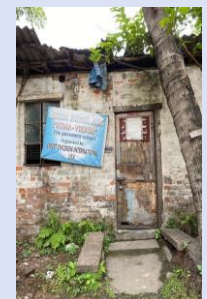
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Children of SCI-supported schools receive educational opportunities, nutritious meals, and support for health and well-being.

Children of SCI-supported schools

Street Children International's mission is to provide education, food, lodging, and marketable skills, as needed, to impoverished children within and outside of the USA, irrespective of race, religion, nationality, sex, color or creed, in partnership with other recognized not-for-profit organizations, to facilitate the transition of such children from poverty to economic growth and upward mobility.

We remain committed to providing nutrition, education, and other forms of support for destitute children. Please donate generously, so that we may disburse funds to our grant recipients who are doing the necessary work of educating, feeding, and sheltering children, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic.



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Friends,

I would like to express my sincere appreciation to all who have come forward to support the ongoing effort of Street Children International in providing nutrition, education, and other forms of support for destitute children. While the impact of the global pandemic COVID-19 still persists, we are committed to disburse funds to our grant recipients who are doing the necessary work of ensuring that the children in SCI-supported schools receive educational opportunities and continue to be healthy and well-nourished. This Annual report includes some highlights from SCI's activities during 2021 and 2022.

Since 1987, Street Children International (SCI) has been providing support for education, food, lodging, and marketable skills for impoverished children. We collaborate with other recognized not-for profit organizations and provide annual grants to take care of needy children both in India and USA.

On November 14th, 2021 and November 13th, 2022, SCI's 34th and 35th Annual Fundraising Programs were hosted in person and broadcasted live on YouTube. The program featured cultural performances from local artists and also included video testimonials from students of SCI-supported schools.

I would like to thank all our members and volunteers for their continued support all these years. Approximately 99 cents of every dollar of donation was utilized for the cause of supporting the needs of the children. We appeal to you for your continued support of our organization. You may make tax-deductible donations conveniently via PayPal at <https://www.paypal.com/paypalme/streetchildren> OR visit our website at www.streetchildreninternational.net. Alternatively, please make a check out to Street Children International and mail to: 12 Lodge Road, Great Neck, NY 11021. We are a registered not-for-profit corporation under IRS 501(c)(3). Your generosity will feed a child, help educate a child, and most of all, return hope to destitute children.

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Meghmala Tarafdar
President, SCI

A Hope For Destitute children

We are always welcoming new members and continue to encourage you to engage in this worthy cause by contributing your time, sincere effort, and financial support that will help sustain our effort to offer hope to the needy children and ensure their education and well being.



STREET CHILDREN INTERNATIONAL, INC.
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

	2021		2020	
	With Donor Restrictions	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Without Donor Restrictions
Revenue, Gains & Other Supports:				
Membership Dues/Subscriptions		440		460
Donations		9,265		10,885
Fundraising		16,732		15,738
Interest		47		31
Dividends		1,356		1,408
Reinvested Capital Gains		114		
Short term Unrealized Capital Gain	89	106		0
Misc. (IRS fine Reimbursement)		1,443		
Total Revenue & Gains	89	29,503	158	28,522
Expenses: Program Costs				
Grants: RKVM		*		10,411
Mass Welfare Society		3,000		7,000
Sarada Kalyan Bhandar		0		4,561
Hijaldha Seva Samiti		1,000		1,210
Purbosree Mahila Samity		*		0
Udbhas		*		1,456
Sarjan Foundation		1,100		1,100
Mantra		3,225		*
Comm. Schools, New Orleans		*		*
Mukti		4,550		*
Fund Raising Expenses		4,485		0
Website		523		100
Printing, Postage & Supplies		728		64
Audit Fee		0		1,500
Bank & PayPal Charges		372		108
Miscellaneous (IRS Fine+Flower)		1,552		0
Total Expenses	0	20,535	0	27,510
Change in Net Assets	89	8,968	158	1,012
Net Assets - January 1	13,798	83,437	13,640	82,425
Net Assets - December 31	13,887	92,405	13,798	83,437

* Grant Recipients could not submit required documents by 12/31/2021.

STREET CHILDREN INTERNATIONAL, INC.
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
DECEMBER 31, 2021

	2021		2020	
	With Donor Restrictions	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Without Donor Restrictions
Current Assets:				
Cash Citibank	0	74,527	0	67,135
Noncurrent Assets				
BlackRock Fund	13,887	17,878	13,798	16,302
Total Assets	<u>13,887</u>	<u>92,405</u>	<u>13,798</u>	<u>83,437</u>
Current Liabilities:				
Accounts Payable	0	0	0	0
Noncurrent Liabilities:	0	0	0	0
Total Liabilities	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Net Assets	13,887	92,405	13,798	83,437
Total Liabilities & Net Assets	<u>13,887</u>	<u>92,405</u>	<u>13,798</u>	<u>83,437</u>


Ted Green, CPA
Plain View, NY


Meghala Tarafdar
President


Kartik Madhraj
Secretary


Satya V. Bhoomik
Treasurer

STREET CHILDREN INTERNATIONAL, INC.
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	2022		2021	
	With Donor Restrictions	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Without Donor Restrictions
Revenue, Gains & Other Supports:				
Membership Dues/Subscriptions		380		440
Donations		8,325		9,265
Fundraising		5,954		16,732
Interest		214		47
Dividends	296	1,217		1,356
Reinvested Capital Gains		0		114
Short term Unrealized Capital Gain	0		89	106
Misc. (IRS fine Reimbursement)		0		1,443
Total Revenue & Gains	296	16,090	89	29,503
Expenses: Program Costs				
Grants: RKVM		*		*
Mass Welfare Society		2,400		3,000
Sarada Kalyan Bhandar		1,620		*
Hijaldha Seva Samiti		1,200		1,000
Purbosree Mahila Samity		*		*
Udbhas		2,000		*
Sarjan Foundation		0		1,100
Mantra		2,200		3,225
Comm. Schools, New Orleans		*		*
Mukti		*		4,550
Fund Raising Expenses		4,610		4,485
Website		0		523
Printing, Postage & Supplies		836		728
Audit Fee		0		0
Bank & PayPal Charges		162		372
Short term Unrealized Capital Loss		4,966		0
Miscellaneous (IRS Fine+Flower)		128		1,552
Total Expenses	0	20,122	0	20,535
Change in Net Assets	296	(4,032)	89	8,968
Net Assets - January 1	13,887	92,405	13,798	83,437
Net Assets - December 31	14,183	88,373	13,887	92,405

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**STREET CHILDREN INTERNATIONAL, INC.
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
DECEMBER 31, 2022**

	2022		2021	
	With Donor Restrictions	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Without Donor Restrictions
Current Assets:				
Cash Citibank	0	74,244	0	74,527
Noncurrent Assets				
BlackRock Fund	14,183	14,129	13,887	17,878
Total Assets	<u>14,183</u>	<u>88,373</u>	<u>13,887</u>	<u>92,405</u>
Current Liabilities:				
Accounts Payable	0	0	0	0
Noncurrent Liabilities:	0	0	0	0
Total Liabilities	0	0	0	0
Net Assets	14,183	88,373	13,887	92,405
Total Liabilities & Net Assets	<u>14,183</u>	<u>88,373</u>	<u>13,887</u>	<u>92,405</u>


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children of Scl-Supported School



Little Flower School, Dhamua



Festivities on children's Day



christmas celebration



OFFICE OF THE STATE COMPTROLLER
STATE OF NEW YORK

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Street Children International, a charitable organization committed to providing safe, nurturing environments for impoverished children, is celebrating its 34th Multicultural Gala; and

WHEREAS, since being founded in 1987, by a group of caring citizens determined to reach out and uplift young people facing poverty, Street Children International has provided education, food, shelter and vocational training for children in need, both in the United States and abroad; and

WHEREAS, throughout its history, Street Children International has creatively pursued its mission, from teaching children living on the streets of Calcutta to assisting schools in need in New Orleans, and is celebrating today by bringing Long Island residents together to enjoy multicultural performances of music and dance; now let it be

PROCLAIMED, that State Comptroller Thomas P. DiNapoli does hereby congratulate and applaud the officers, board, members and supporters of Street Children International for their outstanding service; and be it further

PROCLAIMED, that on this 14th day of November, two thousand twenty-one, Comptroller DiNapoli does join with the people of New York in thanking Street Children International, and wishing the organization continued success in its important mission.



Thomas P. DiNapoli
State Comptroller



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STATE OF NEW YORK

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Street Children International, a nonprofit organization committed to providing safe, nurturing environments for children in need, is hosting its 35th Annual Multicultural Gala; and


WHEREAS, since being established in 1987 by a group of citizens determined to make a difference in the lives of young people facing poverty and despair, Street Children International has provided food, shelter, health care, education and vocational training for vulnerable children through projects such as "pavement schools" for homeless young people in Kolkata, India and assistance with food and clothing for students at schools in New Orleans, Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, today's Multicultural Gala brings together a diverse group of Long Island residents to enjoy performances of music and dance from different cultures, building community and a sense of shared purpose around the common goal of giving young people in need an opportunity for a better life; now let it be

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State Comptroller

**Street Children International:
Pavement Schools Meet the Challenges of Covid**

During 2021, several of our supported schools demonstrated strong commitment in helping their students through the many challenges due to the impact of COVID-19. Street Children International ensured that the children and their families remained safe and healthy. The services provided by the SCI-supported schools evolved in many ways in order to meet the ongoing needs of the children.

Mantra has adopted a number of approaches to meet the changing needs of the children. Mantra provides regular guidance and orientation classes for 100 plus children aged between 3 years to 14 years. They are either half-orphaned, or alone because their guardians are engaged as laborers. Four ladies under guidance of two program In-charges have demonstrated sincere commitment in guiding and educating the under-privileged children.



Mantra: Community Coordinator ready for field activities

MANTRA tracks the progress of each child in the program. Right from the beginning of a child's admission, there is a process of recording the child's background, special challenges, limitations of parental support, monetary support and also learning disability, or special needs, if any. This record helps the Community Coordinators and Educators to meet the needs of each child based on specific circumstances.



Medical camp for SCI supported children at Mass Welfare Society: Little Flower School, Dhamua.



MANTRA has started online classes for students and necessary safety instructions are also provided on a virtual mode. Through the door-to-door service, the children at MANTRA first get oriented on their daily schedule and then they join an assembly where upon maintain physical distance they continue with their educational sessions. Health Clinic activities address some of the necessary safety measures to address the challenges of Corona.



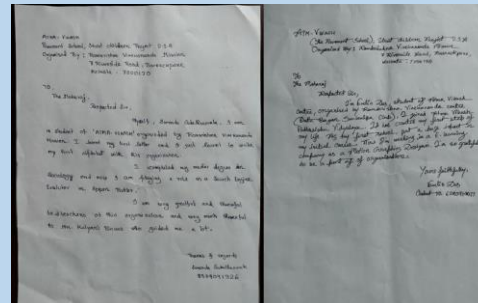
MANTRA Children being oriented on their Surroundings



Books and educational materials for distribution for children at Hijaldiha orphanage



SCI member Basanti Mitra visits SCI-supported children at the school located in Ramakrishna Vivekananda Mission in Kolkata.



Letters from former students who received support from Scl.

Report from Scl-Supported Schools- 2022



MANTRA offers hope for a child who was previously deprived of the opportunity to learn basic skills in reading, writing, and math. Her progress in learning has been commendable.

Dulari Kumari, a child of standard IV at MANTRA 's guidance center at Dakshindari, Kolkata. They are five sisters and one brother. Her father is a street hawker and mother is a housewife. Dulari started attending classes after MANTRA reopened after post-Covid closure in 2021-22. She initially was very weak in English reading, writing, and simple math. With regular visits to MANTRA and also due to parental care—which MANTRA ensures in its monthly guardian meet— Dulari has shown remarkable progress in her school evaluation. We envision a bright future for her.



MASS WELFARE SOCIETY

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Mass Welfare Society is a non-profit organization working for the empowerment and development of the most marginalized slum and village children by providing services of Education, Nutrition, Healthcare and Awareness Generation. One of our children's centres is located at the remote village of Dhamua in South 24 Parganas District of West Bengal. This centre is fully supported by Street Children International, USA.

Because of the great help and support of SCI, we have been able to successfully provide education to around 50 most marginalized children of Dhamua village. After completing about a year in our centre, most of the children have been mainstreamed into formal government schools. The children attending the centre are regularly provided with a mid-day meal and every month a health check-up camp is organized where free medicines are given to the children who need them. Apart from this, there are regular awareness generation programmes for the mothers of the children on issues like Child Rights, Child Protection, Violence against women, Gender Discrimination, Health & Hygiene, Environment etc.

The village community of Dhamua has been greatly benefitted by our efforts specially because the children who have never been to school or are drop-outs have now been mainstreamed into the formal education system. Every year, new set of children are getting the same service.

All this has been possible because of the generous contribution of Street Children International USA and their constant support over the years.

Samiran Mullick
Samiran Mullick
General Secretary
Dated : 11th December 2023



On World Health Day (2022), Health checkup camp was held for the children and their



Workshop on "Child Protection & Child Rights" was organized for all teachers of Mass Welfare Society



Environment Day was celebrated in June 2022. The children of the Mass Welfare Association centers planted trees and awareness sessions on the importance of conservation of environment was conducted.



clothes Distribution
children of Mass Welfare Society were given a new set of clothes during the festive occasion of Puja.

Around 300 children regularly attended classes in various centers and 82 children regularly came to the coaching centers in the evening in order to receive additional educational support from Mass Welfare Society & Scl-supported projects.



2021 & 2022 Annual Fundraising Event for Street Children International

Street Children International’s virtual fundraising program in 2021 included a multi-cultural event featuring music and dance performances. Videos featuring the activities of SCI-supported schools were shared in order to raise awareness about the activities of SCI-supported schools. Testimonials from the pavement school children provided a glimpse into SCI’s continued commitment to support education, nutrition, clothing, and the well-being of the children despite the unimaginable challenges during the COVID-19 pandemic.



Sci Fundraising
Event hosted in
New York
included
dance and
music
performances
by local artists



Opening Song



The committee members of Street Children International acknowledge the attendees and donors for their generous contribution in supporting the virtual fundraising events on Nov 14, 2021 & Nov 13, 2022.

AN APPEAL

Please support Street Children International, a registered 501(c)(3).
All Contributions are tax-deductible.

Name:

Address:

E-mail:

Phone:

Please check the box below if you would like to receive communication from Street children International regarding upcoming general members' meetings:

Enclosed is my pledge of USD \$ _____

All checks made payable to:



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mihir Sen

obituary

Mihir Sen, a dedicated and valued member of the Street Children International since its founding, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, February 1, 2023 at the age of 83. He served as SCI's auditor for many years, and dedicated his time and effort in the service of providing education and nutrition for destitute children supported by this charitable organization. On one of his visits to India, Mr. Sen was moved by the story of his long-time barber, whose newborn twin daughters were born with cleft lips. Mr. Sen then spearheaded an SCI initiative to fund cleft lip surgeries for the two young girls, as well as other needy children.

Mihir Sen was also a strong pillar in the New York Bengali community. He was a long-time member of the Cultural Association of Bengal, serving as the president of that organization in the 1990s. Mihir Sen is survived by his wife of 57 years Amala, sons Apratim and Aparup, daughter-in-law Ushashi, and his grandson Roshan.

The members of the community will miss his kind presence and guidance.

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