

# Lasten Tulevaisuus – Children’s Future ry

## Annual Report

For the period 01.03.2012 – 28.02.2013

### 1. PROJECTS

#### Children’s Scholarship Program (CSP) of Samaritana Transformation Ministries ([www.samaritana.org](http://www.samaritana.org))

For the school year 2012-2013, the association gave support to 10 elementary and 7 high school students. The support included, matriculation fees, uniforms and shoes, school bags and supplies, private tutoring if necessary, home and school visits, field trips and camps, medical and dental check-ups; transportation of mothers and children for monthly meetings and counseling; and miscellaneous costs.

Aside from the elementary and high school students, we granted our very first college scholarship to Maria Marve Ferolina. She was enrolled in the first year of a 4-year course major in Education. She has been our scholar since 2007 when she was still in primary school. With great motivation, Maria Marve met all the criteria set by Samaritana for the scholarship - an average grade of at least 90 in the last two years of secondary school, good moral and consistently fulfilled the CSP policies. Aside from the academic achievement, the family’s incapacity to shoulder the cost of education and the selection of an affordable college were the other factors in granting the scholarship.

In July, two members of Lasten Tulevaisuus were able to meet the children scholars and mothers at a kids’ party in a hamburger restaurant in Metro Manila.

### 2. EVENTS

We were able to participate again in *Maailma kylässä* (World Village Festival) in May 2012. This yearly event has been a very good fundraiser for the association since 2008.

### 3. MEETINGS

#### Annual meeting

The statutory annual general meeting was held on 29.04.2012 in Helsinki. Approved during the said meeting were the following:

- a. annual report and financial statements of the previous financial period;
- b. discharging of the outgoing Board from liability of accounts;
- c. annual membership fee of Euros 20; and
- d. the plan of actions and budget for this financial period.

The board was elected. There was no election for the position of auditor and deputy auditor as they still had 2 and 1 more remaining years, respectively, of their 3-year term of office.

#### Board meetings

A total of 2 board meetings were held.

4. BOARD

Chairperson – Margaret Aguila-Jaakola  
Vice-chairperson – Katherine Ojala  
Secretary – Domive Backman  
Treasurer – Laura Waris  
Members – Marissa Agillon and Saara Nisonen

All were volunteers. Neither salaries nor remunerations were paid.

5. AUDITORS

Auditor – Virpi Koho  
Deputy Auditor – Luz Arlegui

Both were volunteers. Neither salaries nor remunerations were paid.

6. MEMBERS

The total number of registered members was 46.

We want to give our thanks to friends and supporters of the association and especially to the members for their great help and continued cooperation during the year.

THE BOARD