

A second powerful earthquake hit Sumatra (Padang), a day after the first devastating quake that left more than 500 dead and thousands of people buried in rubble and a major city cut off from the outside world. We ensured that the Trust participated in helping these victims.

We would like to give a special thank you to Mariangela, an exceptional doctor who accompanied Philip Hatch-Barnwell to help the locals in Sumatra. She gave her time and skills to many people that needed medical attention.

On an educational front, we are still running the project of taking care of children in this area (Padang) by fully funding their school fees, books uniforms and shoes. With your help, this project now involves five more children. We have twenty in total.

It is a successful project run by Mrs Faridah. She continues to excel in her role as head liaison officer. From a project management point of view, she gives the school fees directly to the teacher and hands the uniforms books and shoes to the children. This is to ensure that the funds are used directly and solely for educational purposes. She also conducts monthly meetings with the children and teachers to ensure everything runs smoothly and reports back to us regularly.

Even though the earthquake hit Padang, our school in Aceh was also affected by the natural disaster due to severe winds. This resulted in severe damages to the building and in particular one of the walls as it was completely destroyed. We allocated part of the funds towards rebuilding such a wall.

After another unsuccessful attempt at bringing a teacher trainer from Java to Aceh, we decided to promote one of the local teachers to head teacher. Even though the consultant has returned to Java, she will continue to liaise with the school by telephone and she will carry out several inspections throughout the year.



We decided to send two teachers to Bandung, in the hope that it would be easier for them to focus in an area outside of the Tsunami tragedy. We deemed this issue of great importance as there are almost 100 children in the school but the teaching was still not up to standard.

Thanks to a generous donation from Japan, we were able to build an entire playground with swings and slides in which the children in Aceh are delighted.

As for our project in Bali run by Mrs Titik, we have added two more children to the group, making the total increase to 22 children. We would love to support more children. Nevertheless our funds are limited.

With regards to our project in Serpong, everything seems to be running smoothly. The children were extremely curious and excited at the arrival of Mariangela, who spent time teaching basic anatomy, health and hygiene. She even found the time to give everyone a general check-up. Thank you again Mariangela.



Your support has repeatedly played a key role in funding our projects. Thank you very much for all your donations!

## Financial Summary Year ending 31st March 2009

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### Income:

Donations	25,891
Gift Aid Refund	711
<b>Total Income</b>	<b><u>26,602</u></b>

### Expenses:

Donations to the ICA	30 000
Account charge	150
Bank charge	40
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b><u>30,190</u></b>

Net Movements in Funds for the year	- 3 588
Total Funds Brought Forward	23,330
Total Funds Carried Forward	19,742