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The quality of the teaching is now up to standard proving the teacher training away from Aceh to be successful. Consequently, we have sent three more teachers to Bandung and three to Jakarta.

The results were very positive. After Tatik's visit of the school and after much observation and analysis, we decided it would be beneficial to change the teaching methods to The Beyond Centers & Circle Time® (BCCT) Curriculum.

The research and theory that has guided The BCCT curriculum, provides children with emergent literacy experiences within well planned and implemented play opportunities that use cooking, dramatic play, fluid and structured construction, and fine and gross motor opportunities to meet the individual and cultural needs of each child while providing him opportunities to develop skills and knowledge in all domains. To implement such a project, we hired two BCCT Trainers to come to Aceh.

As such a system requires further material and equipment; we used part of the donations to provide all elements necessary.

Given the popularity of the Mini 'Futsal' pitch in Serpong, thanks to your donations we were able to build one in Aceh. ('Futsal' is the Indonesian equivalent of a hard surface football pitch, as it is impossible to maintain grass in a hot country.)

Continuing on the maintenance side, due to Aceh's popularity the road that leads to the school has been worn down. This has since been improved.



As you know, we also have a small project in Bandung, run by Mrs. Amenda Mouis, where we take care of around ten children by fully funding their school fees, books uniforms and shoes. However, this project has been unsuccessful. As much as we have tried to encourage these children to complete their education, they are unfortunately too used to being on the streets and keep returning to their old lifestyle and habits. It is for this reason that we have decided to end the project and focus on our others.

On a more positive note, our school sponsorship program in Pandang is going well, we are pleased to have taken in five more children, increasing our total mount of children to 25.

In the Indonesian curriculum, students of 'SD' klas 6 level (year 6 / last year of primary school) are obliged to take an exam. This is the first time in Serpong that our students have taken such an exam.

Even though we have received a large amount of donations this year, we were unable to finish the car park in Serpong or the wall in Aceh because most of the funds have been spent on the school in Serpong in preparation for such an exam in particular the construction of a science laboratory and library.

We are very proud of all our students as all 30 of them passed resulting in the majority being able to enter a good secondary school in the area.

Thank you for all your donations. Your generosity is making an immediate difference in the lives of these children.

Financial Summary Year ending 31st March 2011

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Income:	
Donations	32,628
Interest	18
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Total Income	32,646
Expenses:	
Donations to the ICA	45 000
Account charge	176
Bank charge	60
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Total Expenses	45,236
Net Movement in Funds for the Year	12 590
Total Funds Brought Forward	24,852
Total Funds Carried Forward	12,262