



# Street Children International

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## ANNUAL REPORT 2023

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

Approximately 99 cents of every dollar that you donate is utilized for the cause of supporting the needs of the children.

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, colour 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.

## Celebrating 36 Years of Service to Disadvantaged Children

Street Children International (SCI) has successfully completed 36 years of serving destitute children. This success would not have been possible without the consistent, unwavering support of our members who are determined to make a difference in the lives of disadvantaged children. SCI members hold meetings in their own homes and volunteer many hours of their time so that the funds can go directly to meet the needs of the children whenever possible. Out of every dollar collected, 99 cents are used for the children. Our administrative costs are scrutinized and pared down to basic operational needs - printing costs, mailing costs, etc. Our individual homes serve as our offices.

During the past 36 years, SCI has served hundreds of children who have learned the value of education in achieving their potential. The children in the SCI-supported schools have grown up with a strong belief that living a good life is possible if you believe in yourself. Many of these children have been able to help their family and friends to strive for a better life.

Some of our children have gone on for higher studies in local colleges, technical institutes, and even to medical college. We are hoping this positive outcome would inspire more people to join us as members and bring in their own suggestions and referrals for SCI assistance. Active participation of members can have an impact in the lives of hundreds of destitute girls and boys living in unimaginable hardship. By sparing a few dollars of our money, donors have the satisfaction of knowing that we were able to reduce some suffering and carving a path towards a life of dignity. It has been quite an adventure to inspire the children to dream big! We invite you to share our experience and be a part of this adventure.

SCI's annual fundraising program is a key event where we collect donations to support the continued effort in transforming the lives of many poor children and offer a new world of opportunities to the most underprivileged among us.



We welcome everyone to get involved: attend our meetings, learn about our current projects, and help us support these wonderful, motivated children.



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November 30, 2024

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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. We are committed to disburse funds to our grant recipients who are consistently engaged in 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 2023.

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 September 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023, Street Children International's 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Fundraising Program was hosted at Antun's Banquet Hall in New York. 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 has been 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 you may also click on the DONATE button on our website at [www.streetchildreninternational.net](http://www.streetchildreninternational.net).

Alternatively, please make a check out to Street Children International and mail it 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

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 the provision for their education and well-being.





**Street Children International, Inc.**  
**Compilation Report**  
**As of December 31, 2023, and 2022**  
**(Substantially all disclosures and Statement of Cash Flows omitted)**

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To the Board of Trustees of  
Street Children International, Inc.

Plainview, NY

Management is responsible for the accompanying financial statements of Street Children International, Inc. (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statement of financial position as of December 31, 2023, and 2022, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have performed a compilation engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the AICPA. We did not audit or review the financial statements nor were we required to perform any procedures to verify the accuracy or completeness of the information provided by management. We do not express an opinion, a conclusion, nor provide any assurance on these financial statements.

Management has elected to omit substantially all disclosures required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. If the omitted disclosures were included in the financial statements, they might influence the user's conclusions about the Organization's financial position, changes in net assets, and cash flows. Accordingly, the financial statements are not designed for those who are not informed about such matters.

Ted Green, CPA

Plainview, NY

November xx, 2024



**STREET CHILDREN INTERNATIONAL, INC.**  
**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023**

	<b>2023</b>		<b>2022</b>	
	<b>With Donor Restrictions</b>	<b>Without Donor Restrictions</b>	<b>With Donor Restrictions</b>	<b>Without Donor Restrictions</b>
<b>Revenue, Gains &amp; Other Supports:</b>				
Membership Dues/Subscriptions	\$ -	\$ 520	\$ -	\$ 380
Donations (less PayPal Fees)	0	8,653	0	8,325
Fundraising	0	17,025	0	5,954
Interest	0	999	0	214
Dividends	165	660	296	1,217
Total Revenue & Gains	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 27,856</u>	<u>\$ 296</u>	<u>\$ 16,090</u>
<b>Expenses: Program Costs</b>				
Grants: RKVM	\$ -	\$ 21,000	\$ -	\$ -
Mass Welfare Society	0	2,500	0	2,400
Sarada Kalyan Bhandar	0	1,620	0	1,620
Hijaldha Seva Samiti	0	1,750	0	1,200
Udbhas	0	3,225	0	2,000
Mantra	0	2,100	0	2,200
Antyodoy Anath Ashram	0	2,000	0	0
Morris Heights Health Center	0	600	0	0
Fund Raising Expenses	0	5,578	0	4,610
Website	0	400	0	0
Printing, Postage & Supplies	0	0	0	836
Bank, PayPal & Black Rock fees	0	1,359	0	162
Short term Unrealized Capital Loss	0	(527)	0	4,966
Miscellaneous	0	1,796	0	128
Total Expenses	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 43,402</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 20,122</u>
Change in Net Assets	\$ 165	\$ (15,545)	\$ 296	\$ (4,032)
Net Assets - January 1	14,183	88,373	13,887	92,405
Asset Transfer (R to NR)	(14,348) *	14,348 *		
Net Assets - December 31	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 87,176</u>	<u>\$ 14,183</u>	<u>\$ 88,373</u>

Notes: \* Funds transferred out of BlackRock investment to regular Citibank checking account.

**STREET CHILDREN INTERNATIONAL, INC.**  
**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**  
**DECEMBER 31, 2023**

	<b>2023</b>		<b>2022</b>	
	<u>With Donor Restrictions</u>	<u>Without Donor Restrictions</u>	<u>With Donor Restrictions</u>	<u>Without Donor Restrictions</u>
Current Assets:				
Cash Citibank	\$ -	\$ 87,176		\$ 74,244
Noncurrent Assets				
BlackRock Fund	0	0	14,183	14,129
Total Assets	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 87,176</u>	<u>\$ 14,183</u>	<u>\$ 88,373</u>
Current Liabilities:				
Accounts Payable	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Noncurrent Liabilities:	0	0	0	0
Total Liabilities	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Net Assets	0	87,176	14,183	88,373
Total Liabilities & Net Assets	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 87,176</u>	<u>\$ 14,183</u>	<u>\$ 88,373</u>

  
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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 36<sup>th</sup> 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

**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 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, two thousand twenty-three, 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



## Street Children International: Report from SCI-Supported Project in New York



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April 23, 2024

Thank you for Street Children International's \$600 donation in support of Morris Heights Health Center's *Read Well* Early Literacy Program.

This donation supported family literacy events on November 16, 2023 and March 21, 2024. Fifty-five community members participated in these events, which helped to build the vocabulary and reading skills of young children through bilingual "story time" and the distribution of age-appropriate books (English and Spanish).

Activities like this promote healthy reading habits and positive family bonding. They enable children to not only become successful readers, but also lifelong learners.





## SCI-Supported Schools Engage Students in Cultural Events and Personal Growth

During 2023, several of our supported schools demonstrated strong commitment in working for the empowerment and development of the most marginalized children by providing services of education, nutrition, and healthcare. Street Children International ensured that the children and their families remained safe and healthy. The children participated in cultural events, personal development, and environmental awareness activities. The services provided by the SCI-supported schools evolved in many ways in order to meet the ongoing needs of the children.

SCI-Supported schools regularly engaged students and their families in programs that focus on Child Rights & Protection, Gender Discrimination, Health & Hygiene, Environment, and social issues.



Mantra: Students participate in Community projects



Students participated in cultural program (Mass Welfare Society)



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



Students at Antoday Orphanage



SCI supported children at the Multipurpose Community Development Center-Dhamua



Children at RKVM attending class



Students participated in environment day (Mass Welfare Society) Sundarban Unit



Snack distribution for children at RKVM

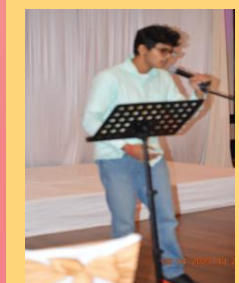


## 2023 Annual Fundraising Event for Street Children International

Street Children International's virtual fundraising program in 2023 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 personal well-being of the children.



**SCI Fundraising Event hosted in New York on Sept 24, 2023 included dance and music performances by local artists**



SCI Members and at the fundraising event



**The committee members of Street Children International acknowledge the generous contribution of all attendees and donors for supporting the fundraising hosted in New York on Sept 24, 2023.**

## AN APPEAL

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

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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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12 LODGE ROAD, GREAT NECK, NEW YORK 11021

Thank you in advance for your generosity and kind donation!



Environment Day Activities (Mass Welfare Society) Sundarban Unit

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For questions about this report, please email SCI's editorial team: Kartik Madiraju, Jonaki Singh, Meghmala Tarafdar



We appeal to you for your continued support of our organization via tax-deductible donations. Conveniently pay via PayPal at <https://www.paypal.com/paypalme/streetchildren> OR visit our website at [www.streetchildreninternational.net](http://www.streetchildreninternational.net)

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