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# **Belgian Charities Briefing Book**

## **2012**

### **FOR MEMBERS ONLY**

## OVERVIEW

In order to familiarize you with the selection process of the charities in consideration for Funding 2012, we've put together this overview. This year we received 42 applications for funding Belgian and International charities. 3 of them arrived too late. The Charity Committee and the Board have spent many long hours reviewing every applications to make sure each charity put before the members was qualified based on the voted upon selection criteria. First, the committee made sure the application arrived by the due date and was complete. Then the committee reviewed each application based on the criteria stated in the application:

### **Factors taken into account when selecting charities for donation:**

- The request should be for a specific project.
- The charity should be a non-profit organization officially registered (ASBL or VZW if located in Belgium) for at least one year.
- If benefiting organizations receive funds or authorization for funding for a project from the proceeds of a specific Bazaar, two complete calendar years must pass from the date of that Bazaar, before the same organization may reapply to the NCB (for example, an organization that has benefited from funds raised at the 2011 Bazaar can next apply in 2014).
- Application forms must be complete. All questions and requests for explanation should be addressed. If the question is not applicable to your organization, then write "Not Applicable."
- To be considered a Belgian charity, the organization must exist in Belgium.
- We are most interested in funding projects that are:
  - Small specific projects – preferably ones that can be completed with the set amount within a year.
  - Projects that cover the widest spectrum of the community.
  - Projects which, when completed should have a long term impact and be of benefit to as many people as possible.
  - Projects benefiting NATO countries, NATO PfP countries, and countries where NATO is currently engaged for example in Afghanistan – but without excluding projects from other geographic locations.
- Staff salaries and administration costs as a general rule are not supported.
- The maximum amount donated is 10.000 Euros.

After reviewing all the charities, the Committee put together the list of eligible candidates presented in the two PRE-Briefing Books e-mailed to the Members. The content of the PRE-Briefing Books was compiled from the information the charities provided on their funding application. The Charity Vote was blind this year. For that reason we have now put together the Briefing Books with project names and pictures.

You will see that sometimes the amount proposed is different from the amount requested. If in reviewing the itemized budget of the project we saw that we could donate a smaller amount than requested and still fund an integral part of the project, we proposed the smaller amount.

## SAMPLE VOTING BALLOT

### 2012 BELGIAN CHARITIES VOTING BALLOT

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Nation: **EXAMPLE**

No	Focus:	Target	Project Summary / Purpose	Total Project Cost/ Amount Requested	Amount Proposed	1	2	3
1	Children	600 (3-15 year)	Renovation of a 20 years old playground in accordance to recent safety norms in a holiday centrum.	€ 13.500 / € 10.000	€ 10.000			
2	People with disabilities/ Autism	10 rooms	Equipment for 10 new rooms-flats for people with autism.	€ 210.000 / € 10.000 in 2013 for washing machine, installation and other equipment	€ 10.000			
3	People with disabilities (Huntington)	29	Installation of an elevator in car for wheelchairs	Max: € 9.988 Min: € 7.850 / € 8.255	€ 8.255			
4	Children	170	Building classrooms	Max: € 12.000 Min: € 4.500	€ 8.876,92			
5	People with disabilities	950	Social and psychological help for persons with multiple sclerosis	Max: € 10.000 Min: € 6.000	€ 6.000			
6	Children VIH orphans	52	Giving a year school education in Kigali	€ 7.940	€ 7.940			
7	Families	3420	Giving clear water to a village in Kenya.	€ 21.500 / € 10.000	€ 8.850			
8	21-33 teenagers with disabilities	24	Because of increasing capabilities the school needs more furniture and securitization of a new build patio.	Max: € 10,208,78 Min: € 8163,94	€ 10.000			

**AMOUNTS PROPOSED**

	<b>Euros</b>
1. Comité Central des Ecoles des Polonais de Belgique, Centre de Formation et de Vacances.....	10.000
2. Wonen en werken voor personen met Autisme (De Okkernoot) .....	10.000
3. Home Marjorie .....	8.255
4. Le Rayon D'Espoir.....	8.877
5. Lidwina voor MS.....	6.000
6. Pomme et Papaye .....	7.940
7. Save Children of Hope.....	10.000
8. Vivre et Grandir .....	10.000
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>71.072</b>

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## Project 1 – Belgium: Comité Central des Ecoles des Polonais de Belgique, Centre de Formation et de Vacances

**Project name:** Playground

**URL:** [www.pmsz.be](http://www.pmsz.be)

Total Project Cost: € 13.500

Amount Requested: € 10.000

**Amount Proposed: € 10.000**



**Mission:** Is to unite Polish community in Belgium by organizing various activities, events, holidays for the elderly people and especially camps for children. The main objective is to provide the expat's children with the insight into the Polish culture, language and traditions in order to enrich their identity and allow them to share values between other communities.

**Summary of the project:** The Children's playground on the premises of the organizations Holiday Center is obsolete and no longer properly adjusted to the needs of children. The organization would like to modernize the playground according to recent safety norms and create a safety environment for children participating in programs and activities.

**Target and number of beneficiaries:** Children / 600

## Project 2 – Belgium, Wonen en werken voor personen met Autisme (De Okkernoot)

**Project name:** Adaptation of a former monastery building to create 10 studio flats for handicapped persons housing

**URL:** [www.deokkernoot.be](http://www.deokkernoot.be)

Total Project Cost: € 210.000

Amount Requested: € 10.000

**Amount Proposed: € 10.000**



**Mission:** Is optimal specialized care for people with autism, focusing on empowerment and maximize social independence.

**Summary of the project:** The project is the adaptation of a former monastery building to create 10 studio flats and some for persons housing inside a “non working residents” formula.

**Target and number of beneficiaries:** 10 rooms

### Project 3 – Belgium, Home Marjorie vzw

**Project name:** An adapted car for Home Marjorie

**URL:** [www.homemajorie.be](http://www.homemajorie.be)

Max. Amount Requested: € 9.988

Min. Amount Requested: € 7.850

**Amount Proposed: € 8.255**



**Mission:** Home Marjorie is a small-scale home for 26 people with Huntington Disease. It is a residential project founded in 1999.

**Summary of the project:** The project is an adequate elevator system (lift) for wheel chairs that can be put on a Renault Kangoo so that the car is fully equipped for the transport of disabled persons.

**Target and number of beneficiaries:** People with Huntington Disease / 26



## Project 4 - Belgium for Ecuador, Le Rayon D'Espoir asbl

**Project name:** LE RAYON D'ESPOIR asbl

**URL:** [www.le-rayon-despoir.skynetblogs.be](http://www.le-rayon-despoir.skynetblogs.be)

Max. Amount Requested: € 12.000

Min. Amount Requested: € 4.500

**Amount Proposed: € 8.877**



**Mission:** Our association's mission is to develop International Solidarity projects in educational and alimentary fields

### Summary of the project:

- 1) Part of the school was built in 2005 by St Jude Joe Pennings Foundation (USA). Three classrooms more was still needed. The parish has put premises at the school's disposal and in 2010, the St Jude Joe Pennings Foundation built two more classrooms but there is still one classroom missing, which the organization would like to build now.
- 2) Last year, we built a new sanitary block. We plan this/next year to repair the previous sanitary block and build a water tank to supply the toilets with rain water.

**Target and number of beneficiaries:** Children / 170

## Project 5 – Belgium, Lidwina voor MS vzw

**Project name:** Group therapy for people with MS and their families

**URL:** [www.lidwina.be](http://www.lidwina.be)

**Max. Amount Requested:** € 10.000

**Min. Amount Requested:** € 6.000

**Amount Proposed:** € 6.000



**Mission:** Enhancing social and psychologic well being of persons with Multiple Sclerosis or their relatives.

**Summary of the project:** Persons with Multiple Sclerosis and their relatives with great social and psychological problems come together twice a month. They are guided by a professional clinical psychologist. The sessions have an important effect on their daily functioning.

**Target and number of beneficiaries:** People with Multiple Sclerosis and their relatives / 950

## Project 6 - Belgium for Rwanda, Pomme et Papaye asbl

**Project name:** Association de prise en charge des orphelins du Sida

**URL:** [www.pommeetpapaye.org](http://www.pommeetpapaye.org)

Total Project Cost: € 7.940

Amount Requested: € 7.940

**Amount Proposed: € 7.940**



**Mission:** Pomme et Papaye, asbl is able to conduct all activities involving the well-being of underprivileged or vulnerable children, orphans or not, living in bad conditions ; street children ; orphan siblings living alone, left to their own devices ; children without parents, looked after by a poor family, itself without income; orphans living in private or public institutions.

**Summary of the project:** This project consists in giving a school education for 52 VIH orphan children in the town of Kigali. These children have lost one or two parents due to the disease, but are not all infected with the virus. They are sent in foster families which are themselves very poor.

**Target and number of beneficiaries:** Orphan children with VIH / 52

## Project 7 - Belgium for Kenya, Save Children of Hope vzw

**Project name:** Save Children of Hope Ebutayi waterproject

**URL:** [www.savechildrenofhope.org](http://www.savechildrenofhope.org)

Total Project Cost: € 21.500

Amount Requested: € 10.000

**Amount Proposed: € 10.000**



**Mission:** To support underprivileged children to have opportunities in realizing their full potential to self reliance without discrimination.

Assisting children and families who are faced with social difficulties e.g. orphans as a result of HIV/AIDS or poverty.

**Summary of the project:** Access to clean water is important to the health of a community. There are 420 pupils at Ebutayi Primary School and 3.000 villagers in Ebutayi. The entire community of Ebutayi village depends on small streams to get water for household use. This water project will help women and children who walk long distances in search of water and it will also help to reduce the chances of the community contracting diseases like cholera, which is very common in this area.

**Target and number of beneficiaries:** Families / 3420

## Project 8 – Belgium, Vivre et Grandir asbl

**Project name:** Vivre et Grandir s'agrandit en Septembre 2013

**URL:** [www.vivre-et-grandir-saintraphael.be](http://www.vivre-et-grandir-saintraphael.be)

Total Project Cost: € 10.209

Amount Requested: € 8.164

**Amount Proposed: € 10.000**



**Mission:** The organization “Vivre et Grandir Saint Raphael” trains and provides support in studies to disabled people. Their main goals are to: Supply cognitive and practical training in order to adapt their students to their family- and social life, to supply intensive coaching in order to adapt their students to their families and social lives and to help them to accept and respect themselves as they are, and help them to elaborate a project for their adult life.

**Summary of the project:** In September 2011, we moved into a larger building and we will be now able to welcome more young disabled boys and girls from September 2013. Therefore, we need to furnish new classrooms. We also need to secure the patio where the young disabled take their breaks.

**Target and number of beneficiaries:** Teenagers with disabilities / 24