

**MORNING STAR COMMUNITY SERVICES**  
**(UEN: T02SS0153L)**  
**(IPC No. IPC000103)**  
**(Registered in the Republic of Singapore)**

**AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND  
OTHER FINANCIAL INFORMATION  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JANUARY 2013**

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**MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**

<b>TAN WEE HAN GERALD</b>	<b>PRESIDENT</b>
<b>OW SOON SIAN ALAN</b>	<b>VICE-PRESIDENT</b>
<b>NG TECK HUNG FRANCIS</b>	<b>TREASURER</b>
<b>KOH AH SAN MICHAEL</b>	<b>SECRETARY</b>
<b>TAY BONG HUA JEREMY</b>	<b>IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT</b>
<b>CHRISTINA LIM</b>	<b>COMMITTEE MEMBER</b>
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<b>KELVIN POON</b>	<b>COMMITTEE MEMBER</b>
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<b>SIEW WENG LOON HENRY</b>	<b>COMMITTEE MEMBER</b>
<b>YEO KIEN SWEE JOSEPH</b>	<b>COMMITTEE MEMBER</b>

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**REGISTERED OFFICE**

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**Singapore 536450**

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**STATEMENT BY BOARD OF MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

In the opinion of the Management Committee,

- i) the accompanying financial statements as set out on pages 6 to 28 are drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Morning Star Community Services ("MSCS") as at 31 January 2013 and of its financial activities, changes in general and specific funds and cash flows of the MSCS for the year ended on that date; and
- ii) at the date of this statement there are reasonable grounds to believe that the MSCS will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

On behalf of the Management Committee,

  
**TAN WEE HAN GERALD**  
**President**

  
**NG TECK HUNG FRANCIS**  
**Honorary Treasurer**

Singapore, - 5 APR 2013

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**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF  
MORNING STAR COMMUNITY SERVICES**

**Report on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Morning Star Community Services (the "MSCS"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 January 2013, and the statement of financial activities, statement of changes in general and specific funds and statement of cash flows of the MSCS for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes of the MSCS as set out on pages 6 to 28.

*Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements*

The Management Committee is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with the provision of the Charities Act, Cap. 37 (the "Act") and the Singapore Financial Reporting Standards, and for devising and maintaining a system of internal accounting controls sufficient to provide a reasonable assurance that assets are safeguarded against loss from unauthorised use or disposition; and transactions are properly authorised and that they are recorded as necessary to permit the preparation of true and fair statement of financial activities and balance sheet and to maintain accountability of assets.

*Auditors' Responsibility*

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Singapore Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Society's preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the MSCS's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

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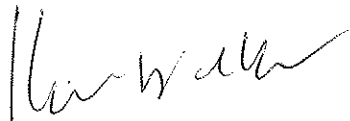
**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF  
MORNING STAR COMMUNITY SERVICES**

*Opinion*

In our opinion, the financial statements of the MSCS are properly drawn up in accordance with the Act and Singapore Financial Reporting Standards so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the MSCS as at 31 January 2013 and of its financial activities, changes in general and specific funds and cash flows of the MSCS for the year ended on that date.

**Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

In our opinion, the accounting and other records required by the Act to be kept by the MSCS have been properly kept in accordance with the provisions of the Act, and the use of donation money received is in accordance with MSCS's objectives.



**KRESTON DAVID YEUNG PAC**  
**Public Accountants and**  
**Certified Public Accountants**

Singapore, - 5 APR 2013



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**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**  
**As at 31 January 2013**

	Note	2013 S\$	2012 S\$
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>Non-current asset</b>			
Plant and equipment	3	72,844	41,927
<b>Current assets</b>			
Account receivables	4	38,836	41,424
Other receivables		13,596	12,984
Deposits and prepayments	5	4,035	5,962
Fixed deposits	6	1,538,554	1,830,000
Cash and bank balances		328,116	259,247
<b>Total current assets</b>		<u>1,923,137</u>	<u>2,149,617</u>
<b>Total assets</b>		<u>1,995,981</u>	<u>2,191,544</u>
<b>FUNDS AND LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>Funds</b>			
<b>Restricted funds</b>			
Hardship fund	7	40,000	40,034
Nova project fund	8	59,217	60,999
South East Community Development Council (CDC) grant	9	-	2,796
Training and development fund	10	30,000	13,000
MCYS grant	11	10,643	13,684
<b>Unrestricted fund</b>		139,860	130,513
Accumulated fund		<u>1,652,224</u>	<u>1,876,304</u>
<b>Total funds</b>		1,792,084	2,006,817
<b>Current liabilities</b>			
Account payables		15,723	13,553
Other payables and accruals	12	182,409	165,252
Deferred services fee		5,765	5,922
<b>Total current liabilities</b>		<u>203,897</u>	<u>184,727</u>
<b>Total funds and liabilities</b>		<u>1,995,981</u>	<u>2,191,544</u>

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**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES**  
**For the financial year ended 31 January 2013**

	Note	Unrestricted Funds S\$	Restricted Funds S\$	2013 S\$	2012 S\$
<b>Income</b>					
Income from generated funds:					
Voluntary income					
Donations in cash	13	12,961	25,000	37,961	5,222
Other income	13	5,765	-	5,765	6,555
Grant received	13	2,960	-	2,960	462,656
Activities for generating funds					
Student care services		848,953	-	848,953	801,158
Investment income					
Interest income	13	14,588	-	14,588	12,700
		<u>885,227</u>	<u>25,000</u>	<u>910,227</u>	<u>1,288,291</u>
Income from charitable activities					
NOVA learning support		64,526	-	64,526	114,671
Family wellness programs		157,535	-	157,535	137,458
Social work services		570	-	570	23,270
		<u>222,631</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>222,631</u>	<u>275,399</u>
<b>Total income</b>		<u>1,107,858</u>	<u>25,000</u>	<u>1,132,858</u>	<u>1,563,690</u>
<b>Expenditures</b>					
Cost of generating funds					
Student care services		<u>693,353</u>	<u>19,799</u>	<u>713,152</u>	<u>639,661</u>
Resources expended on charitable activities					
NOVA learning support		148,552	14,282	162,834	170,713
Family wellness programs		256,393	-	256,393	288,882
Social work services		144,976	-	144,976	155,514
		<u>549,921</u>	<u>14,282</u>	<u>564,203</u>	<u>615,109</u>
Governance costs		<u>62,134</u>	<u>8,102</u>	<u>70,236</u>	<u>69,026</u>
<b>Total expenditures</b>		<u>1,305,408</u>	<u>42,183</u>	<u>1,347,591</u>	<u>1,323,796</u>
<b>Net (deficit)/surplus</b>	14	(197,550)	(17,183)	(214,733)	239,894
<b>Total funds brought forward</b>		1,876,304	130,513	2,006,817	1,766,923
<b>Net movement in funds</b>		<u>(26,530)</u>	<u>26,530</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<b>Total funds carried forward</b>		<u>1,652,224</u>	<u>139,860</u>	<u>1,792,084</u>	<u>2,006,817</u>

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN GENERAL AND SPECIFIC FUNDS**  
**For the financial year ended 31 January 2013**

	Accumulated Fund S\$	Hardship Fund S\$	Nova Project Fund S\$	South East CDC Grant S\$	Training and Development Fund S\$	MCYS Grant S\$	Total Funds S\$
Balance as at 01.02.2011	1,668,331	40,000	40,000	5,592	13,000	-	1,766,923
Net surplus/(deficit) for the year							
- Unrestricted funds	198,135	-	-	-	-	-	198,135
- Restricted funds	-	(34,444)	60,999	-	-	15,204	41,759
Funds transfer for the year	9,838	34,478	(40,000)	(2,796)	-	(1,520)	-
Balance as at 31.01.2012/01.02.2012	1,876,304	40,034	60,999	2,796	13,000	13,684	2,006,817
Net surplus/(deficit) for the year							
- Unrestricted funds	(197,550)	-	-	-	-	-	(197,550)
- Restricted funds	-	(7,299)	(1,782)	-	(8,102)	-	(17,183)
Funds transfer for the year	(26,530)	7,265	-	(2,796)	25,102	(3,041)	-
Balance as at 31.01.2013	1,652,224	40,000	59,217	-	30,000	10,643	1,792,084

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**STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS**  
**For the financial year ended 31 January 2013**

	Note	2013 S\$	2012 S\$
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>			
Net (deficit)/surplus for the year		(197,550)	198,135
Adjustments for: -			
Depreciation of plant and equipment		25,849	19,527
Interest income		(14,588)	(12,700)
Loss on disposal of motor vehicle		3,162	-
Provision for unutilised leave		1,617	19,682
<b>Operating (deficit)/surplus before working capital changes</b>		<u>(181,510)</u>	<u>224,644</u>
<b>Changes in working capital: -</b>			
Decrease/(Increase) in account and other receivables		4,751	(11,905)
Increase/(Decrease) in account and other payables		17,553	(41,750)
<b>Cash (used in)/generated from operations</b>		<u>(159,206)</u>	<u>170,989</u>
(Decrease)/Increase in other specific funds		<u>(17,183)</u>	<u>41,759</u>
<b>Net cash (used in)/generated from operating activities</b>		<u>(176,389)</u>	<u>212,748</u>
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>			
Purchase of plant and equipment		(59,928)	(27,514)
Interest received		13,740	12,840
Decrease/(Increase) in fixed deposits (restricted)		147,600	(300,000)
<b>Net cash generated from/(used in) investing activities</b>		<u>101,412</u>	<u>(314,674)</u>
<b>Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents</b>		(74,977)	(101,926)
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year</b>		<u>1,339,247</u>	<u>1,441,173</u>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year</b>		<u>1,264,270</u>	<u>1,339,247</u>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents comprise: -</b>			
Fixed deposits	6	936,154	1,080,000
Cash and bank balances		328,116	259,247
		<u>1,264,270</u>	<u>1,339,247</u>

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**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – 31 JANUARY 2013**

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**1. GENERAL**

Morning Star Community Services (the “MSCS”) is registered in the Republic of Singapore under the Societies Act and the Charities Act. The principal activities of the MSCS are to provide student care services as well as facilities and activities and to improve and strengthen family life in Singapore.

The registered office of the MSCS is located at 4 Lorong Low Koon, Singapore 536450. The MSCS is domiciled in Singapore.

Under the MSCS, there are 3 other locations (2012:3) to perform student care services, namely:-

- a. Primavera Centre located at Blk 95 #01-1415 Bedok North Ave 4 Singapore 460095;
- b. Sengkang Centre located at Blk 261B, Sengkang East Way, #01-400, Singapore 542261; and
- c. St Gabriel’s Primary School located at 220 Lorong Chuan, Singapore 556742.

The financial statements of the MSCS for the year ended 31 January 2013 are authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the Management Committee on 5 April 2013.

The financial statements of the MSCS are expressed in Singapore dollar.

**2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

a) **Basis of Preparation**

The financial statements of the MSCS have been prepared in accordance with the historical cost convention, except as disclosed in the accounting policies below, and are drawn up in accordance with the Singapore Financial Reporting Standards (“FRS”).

In the current financial year, the MSCS has adopted all the new and revised FRS and Interpretations of FRS (“INT FRS”) that are relevant to its operations and effective for annual period beginning on or after 1 February, 2012. The adoptions of these new/revised FRSs and INT FRSs have no material effect on the financial statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – 31 JANUARY 2013

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

b) Significant Accounting Estimates and Judgements

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with FRS requires the use of judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the financial year. Although these estimates are based on Management Committee's best knowledge of current events and actions, actual results may differ from those estimates.

The critical accounting estimates and assumptions used and areas involving a high degree of judgement are described below.

*Critical assumptions used and accounting estimates in applying accounting policies*

Depreciation of plant and equipment

Plant and equipment are depreciated on straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives. Management Committee estimated the useful lives of these plant and equipment to be within 1 to 10 years. The carrying amount of the MSCS's plant and equipment at 31 January 2013 was S\$72,844. Changes in the expected level of usage and technological development could impact the economic useful lives and the residual values, if any, of these assets, therefore future depreciation charges could be revised.

*Critical judgements made in applying accounting policies*

In the process of applying the MSCS's accounting policies, the Management Committee had made the following judgement that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements.

Impairment of plant and equipment

The MSCS assesses annually whether plant and equipment have any indication of impairment in accordance with the accounting policy. The recoverable amounts of plant and equipment have been determined based on value-in-use calculations. These calculations require the use of judgement and estimates.

Useful lives of plant and equipment

As described in Note 2(d) to the financial statements, the MSCS reviews the estimated useful lives of plant and equipment at the end of each annual reporting period. The estimated useful lives reflect the Management Committee estimation of the periods that the MSCS intends to derive future economic benefits from the use of the MSCS's plant and equipment.

The carrying amount of plant and equipment at the end of reporting period are disclosed in Note 3 to the financial statements.

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**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – 31 JANUARY 2013**

**2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**b) Significant Accounting Estimates and Judgements (Continued)**

Allowances account for credit losses

Allowances account for credit losses of the MSCS is based on an evaluation of the collectability of receivables. A considerable amount of judgement is required in assessing the ultimate realisation of these receivables, including the current creditworthiness, past collection history of these receivables and ongoing dealings with them. If the financial conditions of these receivables of the MSCS were to deteriorate, resulting in an impairment of their ability to make payments, additional allowances may be required.

**c) Plant and Equipment**

All items of plant and equipment are initially recorded at cost. The cost of an item of plant and equipment is recognised as an asset if, and only if, it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the MSCS and the cost of the item can be measured reliably.

Subsequent to recognition, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line method so as to write off the costs over the estimated useful lives of the plant and equipment as follows: -

Furniture & fittings	1 to 3 years
Office equipment	1 to 2 years
Motor vehicle	4 to 10 years
Renovation	3 to 5 years

The carrying values of plant and equipment are reviewed for impairment when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may not be recoverable.

The residual values, useful lives and depreciation method are reviewed at the end of each reporting period and adjusted prospectively, if appropriate.

An item of plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising on derecognition of the asset is included in the statement of financial activities in the year the asset is derecognised.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – 31 JANUARY 2013

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

d) **Financial Assets**

*Initial recognition and measurement*

Financial assets are recognised on the statement of financial position when, and only when, the MSCS becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the financial instrument. The MSCS determines the classification of its financial assets at initial recognition.

When financial assets are recognised initially, they are measured at fair value, plus, in case of financial assets not at fair value through statement of financial activities, directly attributable transaction costs.

*Subsequent measurement*

Loans and receivables

Non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market are classified as loans and receivables. Subsequent to initial recognition, loans and receivables are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less impairment. Gains and losses are recognised in statement of financial activities when the loans and receivables are derecognised or impaired, and through the amortisation process.

*Derecognition*

A financial asset is derecognised where the contractual right to receive cash flows from the asset has expired. On derecognition of a financial asset in its entirety, the difference between the carrying amount and the sum of the consideration received is recognised in statement of financial activities.

All regular way purchases and sales of financial assets are recognised or derecognised on the trade date, i.e the date that the MSCS commits to purchase or sell the asset. Regular way purchases or sales are purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within the period generally established by regulation or convention in the market place concerned.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – 31 JANUARY 2013

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

e) **Impairment of Financial Assets**

The MSCS assesses at the end of each reporting period whether there is any objective evidence that a financial asset is impaired.

Financial assets carried at amortised cost

For financial assets carried at amortised cost, the MSCS first assesses individually whether objective evidence of impairment exists individually for financial assets that are individually significant, or collectively for financial assets that are not individually significant. If the MSCS determines that no objective evidence of impairment exists for an individually assessed financial asset, whether significant or not, it includes the asset in a group of financial assets with similar credit risk characteristics and collectively assesses them for impairment. Assets that are individually assessed for impairment and for which an impairment loss is, or continues to be recognised are not included in a collective assessment of impairment.

If there is objective evidence that an impairment loss on financial assets carried at amortised cost has incurred, the amount of the loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate. If a loan has a variable interest rate, the discount rate for measuring any impairment loss is the current effective interest rate. The carrying amount of the asset is reduced through the use of an allowance account. The impairment loss is recognised in statement of financial activities.

When the asset becomes uncollectible, the carrying amount of impaired financial assets is reduced directly or if an amount was charged to the allowance account, the amounts charged to the allowance account are written off against the carrying value of the financial asset.

To determine whether there is objective evidence that an impairment loss on financial assets has incurred, the MSCS considers factors such as the probability of insolvency or significant financial difficulties of the debtor and default or significant delay in payments.

If in a subsequent period, the amount of the impairment loss decreases and the decrease can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment was recognised, the previously recognised impairment loss is reversed to the extent that the carrying amount of the asset does not exceed its amortised cost at the reversal date. The amount of reversal is recognised in statement of financial activities.

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2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

f) **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents are defined as cash in hand, cash at bank and fixed deposits which form part of the MSCS's cash management that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and subject to insignificant risk of changes in value.

g) **Financial Liabilities**

*Initial recognition and measurement*

Financial liabilities are recognised on the statement of financial position when, and only when, the company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the financial instrument. The MSCS determines the classification of its financial liabilities at initial recognition.

All financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value, plus, directly attributable transaction costs.

*Subsequent measurement*

After initial recognition, financial liabilities are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method. Gains and losses are recognised in statement of financial activities when the liabilities are derecognised, and through the amortisation process.

*Derecognition*

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged, cancelled or expired. When an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as a derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability, and the difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognised in statement of financial activities.

h) **Impairment of Non-Financial Assets**

The MSCS assesses at the end of each reporting period whether there is an indication that an asset may be impaired. If any such indication exists, or when annual impairment testing for an asset is required, the MSCS makes an estimate of the asset's recoverable amount.



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – 31 JANUARY 2013

2. **SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** (Continued)

h) **Impairment of Non-Financial Assets** (Continued)

An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's or cash-generating unit's fair value less costs to sell and its value in use and is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or group of assets. Where the carrying amount of an asset or cash generating unit exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows expected to be generated by the asset are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. In determining fair value less costs to sell, an appropriate valuation model is used. These calculations are corroborated by valuation multiples, quoted share prices for publicly traded subsidiaries or other available fair value indicators. Impairment losses are recognised in the statement of financial activities in those expense categories consistent with the function of the impaired asset, except for assets that are previously revalued where the revaluation was taken to revaluation reserve. In this case, the impairment is also recognised in revaluation reserve up to the amount of any previous revaluation.

An assessment is made at the end of each reporting period as to whether there is any indication that previously recognised impairment losses may no longer exist or may have decreased. If such indication exists, the MSCS estimates the asset's or cash generating unit's recoverable amount. A previously recognised impairment loss is reversed only if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the asset's recoverable amount since the last impairment loss was recognised. If that is the case, the carrying amount of asset is increased to its recoverable amount. That increased amount cannot exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation, had no impairment loss been recognised previously. Such reversal is recognised in the statement of financial activities unless the asset is measured at revalued amount, in which case the reversal is treated as a revaluation increase.

i) **Income Recognition**

Income is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the MSCS and the revenue can be reliably measured. Income is measured at the fair value of consideration received or receivable.

Donations are recognised as and when received.

Services income is recognised when services are rendered.

Interest income is recognised using the effective interest method.

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**2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**j) Government Grants**

A government grant is recognised when there is reasonable assurance that the conditions attaching to it will be complied with and the grant will be received.

Asset-related grants are deducted from the cost of acquisition of the asset to arrive at the carrying amount which is then depreciated in accordance with the accounting policy on plant and equipment and depreciation.

**k) Key Management Personnel**

Key management personnel of the MSCS are those having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the MSCS. Management Committee are considered as key management personnel.

**l) Employee Benefits**

Defined Contribution Plans

As required by law, the MSCS makes contributions to the state pension scheme, the Central Provident Fund (CPF). CPF contributions are recognised as compensation expense in the same period as the employment that gives rise to the contribution.

Employee Leave Entitlement

Employee entitlement to annual leave is recognised when it accrues to employees. An accrual is made for the estimated liability for leave as a result of services rendered by employees up to the end of the reporting period.

**m) Provisions**

Provisions are recognised when the MSCS has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

Provisions are reviewed at the end of the each reporting period and adjusted to reflect the current best estimate. If it is no longer probable that an outflow of economic resources will be required to settle the obligation, the provision is reversed. If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre tax rate that reflects, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. When discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognised as a finance cost.

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n) **Leases**

Leases where the lessor effectively retains substantially all the risks and benefits of ownership of the leased item, are classified as operating leases. Operating lease payments are recognised as an expense in the statement of financial activities on a straight-line basis over the lease term. Contingent rents are charged to statement of financial activities when incurred.

o) **Contingencies**

A contingent liability is:-

A possible obligation that arises from past events and whose existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the MSCS; or

A present obligation that arises from past events but is not recognised because:

- i) It is not probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation; or
- ii) The amount of the obligation cannot be measured with sufficient reliability.

A contingent asset is a possible asset that arises from past events and whose existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the MSCS.

Contingent liabilities and assets are not recognised on the statement of financial position of the MSCS, except for contingent liabilities assumed in a business combination that are present obligations and which the fair values can be reliably determined.

p) **Foreign Currencies**

*Functional and Presentation Currencies*

Items included in the financial statements of the MSCS are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the company operates (“the functional currency”). The financial statements of the MSCS are presented in Singapore dollar, which is the functional currency of the MSCS.

*Transaction and balances*

Monetary assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into Singapore dollar at rates of exchange closely approximating those ruling at end of reporting period. Transactions on foreign currencies are converted at rates closely approximating those ruling at transaction dates. Exchange differences arising from such transactions are taken to the statement of financial activities.

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**q) Specific Fund**

Donations received from specific purposes are taken up in specific funds and transferred to the statement of financial activities when relevant expenditure is incurred.

**3. PLANT AND EQUIPMENT**

	Furniture & Fittings S\$	Office Equipment S\$	Motor Vehicle S\$	Renovation S\$	Total S\$
<b>Cost</b>					
As at 01.02.2011	153,029	29,058	29,397	273,180	484,664
Addition	10,764	10,640	-	6,110	27,514
As at 31.01.2012/01.02.2012	163,793	39,698	29,397	279,290	512,178
Additions	7,622	20,326	-	31,980	59,928
Disposal	-	-	(29,397)	-	(29,397)
As at 31.01.2013	171,415	60,024	-	311,270	542,709
<b>Accumulated Depreciation</b>					
As at 01.02.2011	151,979	26,702	25,491	246,552	450,724
Charge for the year	3,030	4,670	744	11,083	19,527
As at 31.01.2012/01.02.2012	155,009	31,372	26,235	257,635	470,251
Charge for the year	4,076	13,427	-	8,346	25,849
Disposal	-	-	(26,235)	-	(26,235)
As at 31.01.2013	159,085	44,799	-	265,981	469,865
<b>Net Book Value</b>					
As at 31.01.2013	12,330	15,225	-	45,289	72,844
As at 31.01.2012	8,784	8,326	3,162	21,655	41,927

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**4. ACCOUNT RECEIVABLES**

Account receivables are non-interest bearing and are generally on cash on delivery basis. Account receivables which are past due at the end of reporting period but not impaired amounted to S\$38,836 (2012: S\$41,424). The table below is an aging analysis of account receivables at the end of the period:-

	2013	2012
	S\$	S\$
1 - 30 days' past due	34,738	35,130
31 - 60 days' past due	590	894
61 - 90 days' past due	1,932	3,604
> 90 days' past due	1,576	1,796
	<u>38,836</u>	<u>41,424</u>

**5. DEPOSITS AND PREPAYMENTS**

Deposits	4,035	3,535
Prepayments	-	2,427
	<u>4,035</u>	<u>5,962</u>

**6. FIXED DEPOSITS**

Fixed deposits mature within 3 months	936,154	1,080,000
Fixed deposits mature more than 3 months	602,400	750,000
	<u>1,538,554</u>	<u>1,830,000</u>

Fixed deposits earned interest at 0.25% to 1.22% (2012: 0.35% to 0.95%) per annum.

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**7. HARDSHIP FUND**

The fund is set up for the purpose of providing financial assistance to families whose children are attending the centres' student care services and fee subsidy for family enhancement programmes.

	2013	2012
	S\$	S\$
Balance at beginning of year	40,034	40,000
Add: Donation received from:-		
Caritas Singapore Community Council (CSCC)		
Grant transferred	-	34,478
General public	12,500	-
Fund transferred	7,265	-
	<u>59,799</u>	<u>74,478</u>
Less: Disbursement during the year	<u>(19,799)</u>	<u>(34,444)</u>
Balance at end of year	<u>40,000</u>	<u>40,034</u>

**8. NOVA PROJECT FUND**

The fund is set up for the purpose of financing Mission Nova – the learning support programme for children with learning difficulties.

	2013	2012
	S\$	S\$
Balance at beginning of year	60,999	40,000
Add: Donations	12,500	-
NCSS Grant	-	100,000
	<u>73,499</u>	<u>140,000</u>
Less: Disbursement during the year	<u>(14,282)</u>	<u>(39,001)</u>
Fund released to statement of financial activities during the year	-	(40,000)
Balance at end of year	<u>59,217</u>	<u>60,999</u>

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**9. SOUTH EAST CDC GRANT**

The South East CDC Grant is for the purpose of capital expenditure of student care centre at St. Gabriel's Primary School. The fund will be allocated to income fund over 5 years commencing from 1 February 2008.

	2013 S\$	2012 S\$
Balance at beginning of year	2,796	5,592
Fund released to statement of financial activities during the year	<u>(2,796)</u>	<u>(2,796)</u>
Balance at end of year	<u>-</u>	<u>2,796</u>

**10. TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT FUND**

The fund is set up for the purpose of financing the sponsorship of approved courses for staff.

	2013 S\$	2012 S\$
Balance at beginning and end of year	13,000	13,000
Add: Fund transferred	25,102	-
Less: Disbursement during the year	<u>(8,102)</u>	<u>-</u>
Balance at end of year	<u>30,000</u>	<u>13,000</u>

**11. MCYS GRANT**

The MCYS grant is for the purpose of capital expenditure of student care centre at St. Gabriel's Primary School. The fund will be allocated to income over 5 years commencing from 1 August 2011.

	2013 S\$	2012 S\$
Fund received during the year	13,684	15,204
Fund released to statement of financial activities during the year	<u>(3,041)</u>	<u>(1,520)</u>
Balance at end of year	<u>10,643</u>	<u>13,684</u>

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**12. OTHER PAYABLES AND ACCRUALS**

	2013 S\$	2012 S\$
Other payables	107,721	105,697
Accruals	<u>74,688</u>	<u>59,555</u>
	<u>182,409</u>	<u>165,252</u>
Other payables consist of:-		
NCSS Enhanced step-up	24,510	-
Refundable CDC subsidy	-	32,160
Refundable deposits	75,124	69,564
Payment received in advance	7,469	3,973
Miscellaneous payable	<u>618</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>107,721</u>	<u>105,697</u>

**13. INCOMING RESOURCES**

Voluntary income comprises:-		
Donations in cash		
-Tax-deductible donations	36,020	2,980
-Non-tax deductible donations	<u>1,941</u>	<u>2,242</u>
	<u>37,961</u>	<u>5,222</u>
Other income		
- Special employment credit	5,537	-
- Miscellaneous income	228	-
Grant received		
- CSCC grant	-	347,452
- NCSS grant	-	100,000
- MCYS grant	-	15,204
-Singapore Telecom Sponsorship Scheme (STSS) Subsidy	840	-
-VWOs - Charities Capability Fund grants	<u>2,120</u>	<u>6,555</u>
Investment income comprises:-		
Fixed deposit interest	<u>14,588</u>	<u>12,700</u>



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**14. NET INCOME**

	2013	2012
	S\$	S\$
Net (deficit)/surplus for the year is arrived at after charging:-		
Depreciation of plant and equipment	25,849	19,527
Bad debt written-off	345	3,679
Loss on disposal of motor vehicle	3,162	451
Rental	68,859	68,679
Staff costs consist of:-		
- CPF contribution	110,922	112,124
- Staff salaries and other costs	893,709	864,418
	<u>893,709</u>	<u>864,418</u>

**15. CSCC GRANT**

The fund is set up for the purpose of funding the programmes of the centre and as subsidy to the poor and needy. The fund can be used for expenditure on manpower and other operating expenditure for purpose of these programmes.

	2013	2012
	S\$	S\$
Balance at beginning of year	-	-
Add: Grant received	-	347,452
	<u>-</u>	<u>347,452</u>
Less: Allocation of funds to:-		
Hardship fund	-	(34,478)
Transferred to statement of financial activities	-	(312,974)
	<u>-</u>	<u>(312,974)</u>
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

**16. TAXATION**

The MSCS has been registered as a charity under the Charities Act and is exempted from income tax for the financial year under the provisions of the Income Tax Act Cap. 134.

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**17. ANNUAL REMUNERATION**

The top 3 (2012: 3) highest paid staff with salary including remuneration is as follows:-

	<u>No. of staff</u>	
	2013	2012
Between S\$50,000 and S\$100,000	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>

None of the Management Committee received any emoluments in respect of their services as committee member of the MSCS for both of the financial years.

None of the staff received annual remuneration exceeding S\$100,000 for both of the financial years.

**18. RESERVE POLICY**

	2013 S\$	2012 S\$	% Increase/ (Decrease)
<b>Unrestricted Funds (*Reserves)</b>			
- Accumulated funds	<u>1,652,224</u>	<u>1,876,304</u>	(12)
<b>Restricted Funds</b>			
Hardship fund	40,000	40,034	-
Nova project fund	59,217	60,999	(3)
South East CDC Grant	-	2,796	(100)
Trading & development fund	30,000	13,000	131
MCYS grant	<u>10,643</u>	<u>13,684</u>	(22)
Total restricted funds	<u>139,860</u>	<u>130,513</u>	
Total funds	<u>1,792,084</u>	<u>2,006,817</u>	
<b>Ratio of reserves to annual operating expenditure (year)</b>	<u>1.33 : 1</u>	<u>1.50 : 1</u>	

The reserves have been set aside by the Management Committee to provide financial stability and the means for the development of its principal activities. These reserves will be critical when donations dry up or the economy is at a downturn.

The Management Committee regularly review the amounts of reserves that are required to ensure that they are able to fulfill the continuing obligations.

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**19. COMMITMENTS**

Rental charged in the statement of financial activities was S\$68,859 (2012: S\$68,679). None of the leases included contingent rental. Future minimum rentals under non-cancellable lease are as follows as the end of reporting period: -

	2013	2012
	S\$	S\$
Within one year	3,240	3,240
After 1 year but within 5 years	1,620	4,860
	4,860	8,100

**20. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES**

The MSCS does not use derivative and other instrument in its risk management activities. The main risks arising from the MSCS's financial instrument are credit risk, foreign currency risk, liquidity risk and interest risk. The Management Committee review and agree with the policies and control procedures to manage its exposure to financial risks.

**Credit Risk**

The MSCS has no significant concentrations of credit risk. Cash is placed with established financial institutions. The maximum to exposure risk is represented by the carrying amount of each financial assets in the statement of financial position.

Financial assets that are neither past due nor impaired

Account and other receivables that are neither past due nor impaired are creditworthy debtors. Cash and cash equivalents that are neither past due nor impaired are placed with financial institution with high rating.

Financial assets that are either past due and/or impaired

Information regarding financial assets that are past due but not impaired is disclosed in Note 4 to the financial statements.

**Interest Rate Risk**

The MSCS's exposure to market risk for changes in interest rates relates primarily to its holding of fixed deposits as disclosed in Note 6 to the financial statements. The MSCS's practice is to obtain favourable interest rates that are available to place its fixed deposits.

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**20. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES (Continued)**

**Interest Rate Risk (Continued)**

Sensitivity analysis for interest rate risk

At the end of the reporting period, if SGD fixed deposit interest rates had been 60 (2011: 60) basis points higher/lower with all other variables held constant, the MSCS's net surplus would have been S\$9,230 (2012: S\$10,980) higher/lower.

**Liquidity Risk**

The MSCS monitors and maintains a level of cash and cash equivalents deemed adequate by the management to finance the MSCS's operations and mitigate the effects of fluctuation in cash flows.

**Foreign Currency Risk**

The MSCS is not exposed to foreign currency risk as all its transactions are denominated in Singapore dollar.

**21. CATEGORIES OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

The following table sets out the financial instruments as at the end of the reporting period:-

	2013	2012
	S\$	S\$
<b>Assets</b>		
<u>Financial assets</u>		
Loan and receivables:-		
Account receivables	38,836	41,424
Other receivables	13,596	12,984
Deposits	4,035	3,535
Fixed deposits	1,538,554	1,830,000
Cash and cash equivalents	328,116	259,247
Total financial assets	<u>1,923,137</u>	<u>2,147,190</u>
<b>Liabilities</b>		
<u>Financial liabilities</u>		
At amortised cost:-		
Account payables	15,723	13,553
Other payables and accruals	182,409	165,252
Total financial liabilities	<u>198,132</u>	<u>178,805</u>

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**22. FAIR VALUES**

The carrying amounts of financial assets and financial liabilities recorded in the financial statements approximate their fair values, determined in accordance with the accounting policies disclosed in Note 2 to the financial statements.

**23. NEW OR REVISED ACCOUNTING STANDARDS AND INTERPRETATIONS**

Certain new accounting standards, amendments and interpretations to existing standards have been published that are mandatory for accounting periods beginning on or after 1 February 2013. The MSCS does not expect that adoption of these accounting standards or interpretations will have a material impact on the MSCS's financial statements.