EASTER SEALS SOUTHWEST FLORIDA, INC.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

AUGUST 31, 2013 and 2012

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Board of Directors Easter Seals Southwest Florida, Inc. Sarasota, Florida

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Easter Seals Southwest Florida, Inc. (the Organization), which comprise the statements of financial position as of August 31, 2013 and 2012, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we 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 judgment, 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 Organization's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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 Organization's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant 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.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Easter Seals Southwest Florida, Inc. as of August 31, 2013 and 2012, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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January 6, 2014 Bradenton, Florida

EASTER SEALS SOUTHWEST FLORIDA, INC. STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION AUGUST 31,

ASSETS

	2013	2012
Cash and cash equivalents Cash restricted Investments Interest in net assets of Foundation Accounts receivable, net Prepaid expenses Deposits Remainder trusts receivable Property, plant and equipment, net	\$ 955 85,226 190,448 7,060,931 101,248 22,213 4,692 239,484 1,474,064	5 85,224 3 208,286 1 7,566,843 3 108,497 3 54,983 2 17,055 4 215,757
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 9,179,261	9,815,454
Liabilities Accounts payable Other accrued expenses Deferred revenue Deferred revenue-pooled income fund	\$ 68,673 117,330 14,365 10,169	158,226 11,088
Total Liabilities	210,537	7 242,353
Net Assets Unrestricted Temporarily restricted Permanently restricted Total Net Assets	1,402,409 343,748 7,222,567 8,968,724	3 310,635 7 7,746,298
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$ 9,179,261	

EASTER SEALS SOUTHWEST FLORIDA, INC. STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2013

	UNRESTRICTED	TEMPORARILY UNRESTRICTED	PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED	Total
Public Support: Contributions	¢ 420.622	¢	¢.	\$ 438.622
Bequests and trusts	\$ 438,622	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 438,622
Special events	87,441	_		87,441
Less: Special events	27,111			,
direct (expenses)	(51,558)		-	(51,558)
Total Public Support	474,505			474,505
Program Revenue	1,491,266	_	_	1,491,266
Other Revenue:				
Contributions from Foundation	927,327	***	_	927,327
Investment income (loss)	5,738	-		5,738
Change in value of split interest				22.112
agreement	-	33,113		33,113
Gain (Loss) on disposal of assets Other income	1,000		_	1,000 95,505
Total Other Revenue	95,505 1,029,570	33,113	WHAT	1,062,683
Total Other Revenue	1,023,370	33,113	- <u> </u>	1,002,003
Total Public Support and Revenue	2,995,341	33,113	-	3,028,454
Reclassifications:				
Net assets released from				
restrictions	17,819		(17,819)	
Total Public Support,				
Revenue and			(" " a " a)	2 222 454
Reclassification	3,013,160	33,113	(17,819)	3,028,454
Expenses:				
Program services	2,730,418	_	and:	2,730,418
Fundraising	231,993	work	-	231,993
Management and General	129,508			129,508
Payments to Easter Seals National	3,091,919	_		3,091,919 35,000
Total Expenses	35,000 3,126,919			3,126,919
·	3,120,313	**************************************	<u></u>	3,120,313
Change in net assets before adjustment for interest in Foundation	(113,759)	33,113	(17,819)	(98,465)
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Adjustment for change in				
interest in net assets				
of Foundation	***		(505,912)	(505,912)
Increase (decrease) in net assets	(113,759)	33,113	(523,731)	(604,377)
Net assets at beginning of year	1,516,168	310,635	7,746,298	9,573,101
Net assets at end of year	\$ 1,402,409	\$ 343,748	\$ 7,222,567	\$ 8,968,724

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

EASTER SEALS SOUTHWEST FLORIDA, INC. STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2012

	UNRESTRICTED		PORARILY STRICTED		MANENTLY STRICTED	Total
Public Support:	************************		 ***************************************			
Contributions	\$	327,595	\$ 53,577	\$	-	\$ 381,172
Bequests and trusts		86,552			_	86,552
Special events		74,789	_		_	74,789
Less: Special events						(10 701)
direct (expenses)		(18,781)	 			 (18,781)
Total Public Support		470,155	 53,577			 523,732
Program Revenue	1,	541,839	-		-	1,541,839
Other Revenue:						C 4 4 770 C
Contributions from Foundation		644,796	_		-	644,796
Investment income (loss)		13,423				13,423
Change in value of split interest						r 00r
agreement			5,885			5,885
Other income		118,592	 			 118,592
Total Other Revenue		776,811	 5,885	·······························	***	 782,696
Total Public Support and Revenue	2,	788,805	59,462		-	2,848,267
Reclassifications: Net assets released from restrictions		393,447	 (381,481)	,	(11,966)	 -
Total Public Support, Revenue and Reclassification	3,	,182,252	(322,019)		(11,966)	2,848,267
Expenses:						
Program services	2	,864,166	_		-	2,864,166
Fundraising		273,222			_	273,222
Management and General		144,313	-		-	144,313
<u> </u>	3	,281,701	 _	4	-	3,281,701
Payments to Easter Seals National		32,083	-		_	32,083
Loss on abandonment of lease		176,627	 Anna			 176,627
Total Expenses	3	,490,411	 			 3,490,411
Change in net assets before adjustment for interest in Foundation		(308,159)	(322,019)		(11,966)	(642,144)
Adjustment for change in interest in net assets of Foundation	48-49-80-0-4-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-				(392,253)	 (392,253)
Increase (decrease) in net assets		(308,159)	(322,019)		(404,219)	(1,034,397)
Net assets at beginning of year	1	,824,327	 632,654		8,150,517	 10,607,498
Net assets at end of year	\$ 1	,516,168	 310,635		7,746,298	 9,573,101

EASTER SEALS SOUTHWEST FLORIDA, INC. STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2013

	PROGRAM SERVICES						······································	
	DAY PROGRAM AND EMPLOYMENT SERVICES		REHABILITATION CHIRLDREN'S THERAPY SERVICES		COMMUNITY SERVICES		CHILDREN'S EDUCTIONAL PROGRAM	
Salaries	\$	728,324	\$	316,751	\$	119,941	\$	214,242
Benefits		147,121		60,447		15,394		35,324
Payroll taxes		68,850		26,214		12,428		22,377
Total personnel expenses		944,295		403,412		147,763		271,943
Advertising		_		_		ww		-
Bad Debts		26,693		11,635		4,107		7,529
Contract labor		-						-
Dues and subscriptions		3,185		1,983		919		1,001
Equipment expense		***				335		3,725
Inkind expense		69,366		-		21,700		2,787
Insurance		35,705		651		230		421
License, fees and taxes		2,549		1,601		389		875
Office expense		105		741		27		153
Other expenses		19,700		2,838		1,407		1,615
Professional fees		33,039		20,457		1,666		3,928
Properties		290,467		32,819		16,767		27,515
Rent				-		-		15,750
Repairs and maintenance		20,255				-		-
Supplies		28,214		3,848		14,171		16,120
Telephone		1,306		2,248		299		936
Transportation		38,450		204		10		18
Travel and Training		2,473		15,986		1,047		875
Total non-personnel expenses		571,507		95,011		63,074	•	83,248
Total expenses before depreciation		1,515,802		498,423		210,837		355,191
Depreciation expense		100,698		31,800		5,300		12,367
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	1,616,500		530,223	\$	216,137	\$	367,558

SUPPORTING SERVICES

TOTAL PROGRAM SERVICES	R	FUND AISING	IAGEMENT AND ENERAL	S	TOTAL UPPORT ERVICES	 2013 TOTALS
\$ 1,379,258 258,286 129,869	\$	91,937 28,225 11,674	\$ 38,824 9,157 6,315	\$	130,761 37,382 17,989	\$ 1,510,019 295,668 147,858
1,767,413		131,836	54,296		186,132	1,953,545
- 49,964		33,755 -	- 18,480		33,755 18,480	33,755 68,444
7,088 4,060		18,859	2,095		20,954	28,042 4,060
93,853 37,007		14,970 -	- 1,034		14,970 1,034	108,823 38,041
5,414 1,026		25 -	1,749 -		1,774 -	7,188 1,026
25,560 59,090		3,891 7,919	3,967 7,495		7,858 15,414	33,418 74,504
367,568 15,750 20,255		13,550	18,394		31,944 - -	399,512 15,750 20,255
62,353 4,789		•nu	- 399		- 399	62,353 5,188
 38,682 20,381		1,888	43 356		43 2,244	 38,725 22,625
 812,840		94,857	54,012		148,869	 961,709
2,580,253		226,693	108,308		335,001	2,915,254
 150,165		5,300	 21,200	.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	26,500	 176,665
\$ 2,730,418		231,993	\$ 129,508	\$	361,501	\$ 3,091,919

EASTER SEALS SOUTHWEST FLORIDA, INC. STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2012

	PROGRAM SERVICES					
	DAY PROGRAM AND EMPLOYMENT SERVICES	REHABILITATION CHIRLDREN'S THERAPY SERVICES	COMMUNITY SERVICES	TOTAL PROGRAM SERVICES		
Salaries	\$ 847,226	\$ 409,500	\$ 151,843	\$ 1,408,569		
Benefits	245,299	109,279	23,233	377,811		
Payroll taxes	82,594	37,759	16,173	136,526		
Total personnel expenses	1,175,119	556,538	191,249	1,922,906		
Advertising	120	60	20	200		
Bad Debts	40,222	19,153	5,746	65,121		
Contract labor	-	-				
Dues and subscriptions	2,539	2,400	595	5,534		
Equipment expense	147	340	756	1,243		
Inkind expense	1,850	_	24,000	25,850		
Insurance	16,477	706	212	17,395		
License, fees and taxes	3,604	1,274	745	5,623		
Office expense	-	357	-	357		
Other expenses	15,903	2,747	2,127	20,777		
Professional fees	45,154	18,284	3,765	67,203		
Properties	315,578	70,443	14,978	400,999		
Rent	-		-	-		
Repairs and maintenance	19,606	70	1,589	21,265		
Supplies	38,751	5,697	20,998	65,446		
Telephone	5,054	2,543	991	8,588		
Transportation	29,661	1,301	***	30,962		
Travel and Training	9,241	23,299	4,144	36,684		
Total non-personnel expenses	543,907	148,674	80,666	773,247		
Total expenses before depreciation	1,719,026	705,212	271,915	2,696,153		
Depreciation expense	126,504	35,579	5,930	168,013		
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 1,845,530	\$ 740,791	\$ 277,845	\$ 2,864,166		

SUPPORTING SERVICES

	FUND RAISING	AGEMENT AND ENERAL	S	TOTAL UPPORT ERVICES		2012 TOTALS
\$	122,062 42,933 14,056	\$ 38,181 12,347 6,245	\$	160,243 55,280 20,301	\$	1,568,812 433,091 156,827
	179,051	56,773		235,824		2,158,730
	4,897 -	- 30,645		4,897 30,645		5,097 95,766
	18,460	1,863 112		20,323 112		25,857 1,355
	33,982 -	1,130		33,982 1,130		59,832 18,525
	25 43	2,039		2,064 43		7,687 400
	8,781 450	2,745 14,211		11,526 14,661		32,303 81,864
	16,651 -	6,063 -		22,714 -		423,713
	64 	112		176 -		21,441 65,446
	150 - 4,738	439 - 4,461		589 - 9,199		9,177 30,962 45,883
	88,241	63,820		152,061		925,308
	267,292	120,593		387,885		3,084,038
	5,930	 23,720		29,650	***************************************	197,663
\$	273,222	\$ 144,313	\$	417,535	\$	3,281,701

EASTER SEALS SOUTHWEST FLORIDA, INC. STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31,

	2013	2012
Cash flows from operating activities: Collections from consumers Operating expenses paid Interest received Other income received Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	1,393	,947) (3,046,039) ,073 13,423
Cash flow from investing activities (Purchases) of buildings and equipment Receipt of remainder trust (Purchases) sales of investments, net Net cash (used in) provided by investing activities	9 17 (89	,923) (148,299) ,386 365,319 ,838 11,483 ,699) 228,503
Net (Decrease) Increase in cash and cash equivalents		,046) 3,684
Cash and cash equivalents, Beginning of year	110	,227 106,543
Cash and cash equivalents, End of year	\$ 86	\$ 110,227
Reconciliation of Net Assets to net cash from Operating Activities:		
(Decrease) Increase in Net Assets Adjustments to reconcile (decrease) increase in net assets to cash provided by (used in) operating activities: Depreciation Bad debts Change in Value of Split Interest Agreements Change in Net Assets of Foundation	176 68 (33	\$,377) \$ (1,034,397) \$,665
Loss on lease abandonment (Increase) Decrease in assets: Accounts receivable Prepaid expenses Deposits Increase (Decrease) in liabilities:	(6) 32	- 176,627 (32,250) (2,770 (6,629) (2,363 -
Accounts payable Other accrued expenses Deferred revenue Deferred revenue – pooled income Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(4) : (9	5,188 7,108 0,896) (26,139) 3,277 11,088 0,385) (24) 5,653 \$ (224,819)

NOTE A - NATURE OF ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Nature of Organization

Easter Seals Southwest Florida, Inc., (the Organization) is a not-for-profit Organization located in Manatee and Sarasota counties. The Organization creates solutions that change lives for children, adults and families through high quality therapeutic, educational and support services. The Organization offers various programs in achieving its mission, including: day and employment services, community living, early child development, rehabilitation, and Community Services. The Organization is primarily supported through program revenue and contributions.

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles as prescribed by the Financial Accounting Standards Board in the Accounting Standards Codification (ASC).

Financial Statement Presentation

The Organization is required to report information regarding its financial position and activities according to three classes of net assets: unrestricted net assets, temporarily restricted net assets, and permanently restricted net assets.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Organization considers all highly liquid investments with a maturity date of three months or less at the date of acquisition to be cash and cash equivalents. Cash and money market funds held with investment accounts are not considered a cash equivalent. The Organization had restricted cash in the amount of \$85,226 at August 31, 2013. Cash is restricted based on purpose or time restrictions from donors

Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Investments

The Organization reports its investments at fair market value in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Unrealized gains and losses are included in the Statement of Activities, and reported as unrestricted, temporarily restricted or permanently restricted depending on the nature of specified restrictions or lack there of.

NOTE A - NATURE OF ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED

Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable includes both accounts and contracts receivable. Accounts receivable consists of billings to individuals, state agencies, insurance companies, and other third parties. Contracts receivable consists of billings based on contracts with various agencies and organizations to provide rehabilitative, development and child care services. Accounts receivable are recorded at the net realizable value at year end. The Organization uses the allowance method to account for uncollectible receivables. The allowance is estimated based on historical experience and currently known facts and circumstances of specific accounts. An allowance for doubtful accounts has been established for accounts receivable at August 31, 2013 and 2012 in the amount of \$40.000.

Bequests Receivable

Bequests are recorded at the date the Organization receives irrevocable notice of its interest in an estate and after the probate court declares a will to be valid. Bequests are recognized as a contribution and a receivable at the fair value interest in the estate.

Remainder Trust Receivable

The Organization has been named the remainderman in various irrevocable charitable remainder trusts. The Organization records a receivable in the amount of the expected benefit upon receiving notification of a legally enforceable benefit. The Organization's beneficial interest in the trust's assets is measured at the present value of the estimated distributions that are expected to be received in the future, which may also be estimated using the fair value of the Organization's interest in the remainder trust's assets at year end. The discount rate utilized to measure the present value of future distributions is based upon the stated rate of return to be received by the designated life income beneficiaries included in the trust's terms.

Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant, and equipment are recorded at cost if purchased, and estimated fair value if donated. The Organization's capitalization policy is to capitalize all items of \$500 or more with an estimated useful life of more than one year. Buildings and equipment are depreciated using the straight-line method based on the estimated useful lives of the assets ranging from 4 to 40 years. Depreciation expense for the years ended August 31, 2013 and 2012 was \$176,665 and \$197,663, respectively. Repair and maintenance costs are expensed as incurred and the Organization is not currently planning any major maintenance activities.

NOTE A - NATURE OF ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED

Advertising Costs

Advertising costs are expensed as incurred. Total advertising expense was \$35,422 in 2013 and \$7,011 in 2012.

Contributions

Unconditional promises to give cash and other assets to the Organization are reported at fair value at the date the promise is received.

All contributions are considered to be available for unrestricted use unless specifically restricted by the donor. Amounts received that are designated for future periods or restricted by the donor for a specific purpose are reported as temporarily restricted or permanently restricted support that increases that classification of net assets. When a temporary restriction expires, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the Statement of Activities as net assets released from restriction. All contributions received with donor imposed restrictions, which expire within the same fiscal year, are classified as increases in unrestricted net assets.

Program Revenue

Program revenue includes those revenue items earned from providing services to clients in the ordinary course of business by the Organization. Those revenues are recognized at the time of service and recorded at the amount the Organization expects to collect.

Income Tax Status

The Organization is exempt from income taxes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Organization is not a private foundation. Accordingly, no provision has been made for income taxes in the accompanying financial statements. The Organization adopted guidance issued by the FASB on accounting for uncertainty in tax positions. The adoption of this guidance had no effect on the Organization's financial position. Management believes the Organization has no material unrecognized income tax liabilities, including any potential loss of its tax exempt status. The Organization has no ongoing federal, state, or local tax audits; however, the Organization's tax returns for fiscal year end 2010 and subsequent years remain open to examination.

Concentrations Of Credit Risk

The Organization maintains numerous bank accounts at one institution. These accounts are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) up to \$250,000. From time to time throughout the year, amounts may exceed FDIC limits. No amounts were in excess of the FDIC limit at August 31, 2013.

NOTE A - NATURE OF ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED

Donated Assets and Services

Donated assets are recorded at their estimated fair market value at the date of donation. Donated assets and services in the amount of \$108,823 and \$59,832 have been recognized as a revenue and an expense during the years ended August 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively. The donated services were performed by teachers, which were provided by Sarasota and Manatee Counties at no cost to the Organization. The donated assets include goods, such as food, and services received in conjunction with programs and special events.

In addition, a substantial number of volunteers have donated their time to assist the Organization with its program services and fundraising campaigns. These services have not been recorded in the financial statements since an objective basis is not available to measure the value of such services.

Functional Allocation of Expenses

The costs of providing the various programs and other activities have been summarized on a functional basis in the statement of activities. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among the program and supporting services benefited.

Fair Value Measurements

The Organization has implemented the requirements of the ASC 820, which establishes a hierarchy framework for measuring fair value of financial instruments, and prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1 measurement) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (level 3 measurement.)

The three levels of the fair value hierarchy used to measure fair value are described as follows:

<u>Level 1</u> inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Organization has the ability to access.

Level 2 inputs to the valuation methodology include:

- Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
- Quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
- Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable;
- Inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

<u>Level 3</u> inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

NOTE A - NATURE OF ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED

The asset or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

NOTE B - INVESTMENTS

AUGUST 31, 2013 Temporarily restricted funds Permanently restricted funds Total	COST \$ 28,187 158,424 \$ 186,611	MARKET <u>VALUE</u> \$ 28,812 <u>161,636</u> \$ 190,448	UNREALIZED APPRECIATION (DEPRECIATION) \$ 625
AUGUST 31, 2012 Temporarily restricted funds Permanently restricted funds Total	COST \$ 28,549 	MARKET VALUE \$ 28,831 179,455 \$ 208,286	UNREALIZED APPRECIATION (DEPRECIATION) \$ 282

Investments consist of the following at August 31,:

	FAIR	2013 MARKET VALUE		2012 R MARKET VALUE
Money market funds	\$	5,659	\$	7,350
Mutual funds:				
Corporate bond funds		107,906		115,946
Stock funds		66,176		68,123
Commodities		4,679		10,674
Real estate		6,028		6,193
Total	<u>\$</u>	190,448	<u>\$</u>	208,286

Investment income (loss) is comprised of the following amounts at August 31,:

	*****	2013		2012
Interest and dividend income	\$	4,949	\$	5,165
Realized gains (losses) on investments		128		-0-
Unrealized gains (losses) on investments		<u>661</u>	-	8,258
Total	\$	5,738	\$	13,423

NOTE B - <u>INVESTMENTS - CONTINUED</u>

Fair Value Measurements

The following table sets forth the level, within the fair value hierarchy, of the Organization's assets at fair value at: (see Note A for definitions).

	Assets at Fair Value as of August 31, 2013			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Totals
Short-term Money Market	\$ -0-	\$ 5,660	\$ -0-	\$ 5,660
Equities				
Large Cap	-0-	29,561	-0-	29,561
Mid Cap	2,981	-0-	-0-	2,981
Small Cap	864	-0-	-0-	864
International	-0-	32,769	-0-	32,769
Commodities	4,679	-0-	-0-	4,679
Real Estate Funds	-0-	6,028	-0-	6,028
Fixed Income				
Corporate/Government	-0-	107,906	-0-	107,906
Interest in net assets of Foundation	-0-	-0-	7,060,931	7,060,931
Interest in Remainder Trusts			239,484	239,484
Totals	\$ 8,524	<u>\$ 181,924</u>	\$ 7,300,415	\$ 7,490,863

	Assets at Fair Value as of August 31, 2012					
		Level 1		Level 2	Level 3	 Totals
Short-term Money Market	\$	-0-	\$	7,350	\$ -0-	\$ 7,350
Equities						
Large Cap		-0-		42,605	-0-	42,605
Mid Cap		5,067		-0-	-0-	5,067
Small Cap		687		-0-	-0-	687
International		-0-		19,764	-0-	19,764
Commodities		10,674		-0-	-0-	10,674
Real Estate Funds		-0-		6,193	-0-	6,193
Fixed Income						
Corporate/Government		-0-		115,946	-0-	115,946
Interest in net assets of Foundation		-0-		-0-	7,566,843	7,566,843
Interest in Remainder Trusts		-0-	-	-0-	215,757	 215,757
Totals	\$	16,428	\$	191,858	\$ 7,782,600	\$ 7,990,886

The following methods and assumptions were used to estimate the fair values of the Organization's financial instruments at August 31, 2013 and 2012:

Short-term money market funds:

The Money market funds are valued at amortized cost, which approximates fair market value. Money market funds seek to preserve net asset value (NAV) of \$1.00 per share. Under the amortized cost method, the portfolio instrument is initially valued at cost, and thereafter assumes the constant accretion/amortization to maturity date, or next reset date of any discount or premium.

NOTE B - INVESTMENTS - CONTINUED

Equities:

Equities are valued at the closing price reported in the active market on which the individual securities are traded.

Fixed Income:

Fixed income funds are valued at the closing price reported in the active market in which the bonds are traded. Other fixed income/bond funds are valued based on yields currently available on comparable securities of issuers with similar credit ratings.

Mutual funds:

Mutual funds are valued at net asset value (NAV) of shares held at year end. The mutual funds may also be valued as determined by an independent pricing service, based on methods which include consideration of: yields or prices of securities of comparable quality, coupon, maturity, and type; indications as to values from dealers; and general market conditions.

Interest in net assets of the Foundation:

Interest in net assets of the Foundation is measured at the fair value of the Organization's interest in the net assets of the Foundation at year end. The Foundation holds short-term money market funds, equity securities, and equity and fixed income traded funds. The Foundation also has beneficial interests in perpetual trusts, which are recorded at the fair value of the underlying investments of the trusts multiplied by the Foundation's interest in the trusts.

Interest in the remainder trusts:

The interest in the remainder trusts are measured at the fair value of the Organization's beneficial interest in the trust's assets as determined by the present value of the estimated distributions that are expected to be received in the future, which also estimates the fair value of the Organization's interest in the remainder trust's assets at year end. The Organization calculates its interest by considering the age of the remainder-man and using a discount rate for expected future distributions multiplied by fair value of the assets.

The following tables set forth a summary of the changes in fair value of the assets classified as Level 3 on a recurring basis:

Interest in Net Assets of Foundation	8/31/13	8/31/12
Beginning Balance Change in value of interest in net assets of	\$ 7,566,843	\$ 7,959,096
Foundation	(505,912)	(392,253)
Ending Balance	<u>\$ 7,060,931</u>	\$ 7,566,843

NOTE B - INVESTMENTS - CONTINUED

Interest in Remainder Trusts	8/31/13	8/31/12
Beginning Balance Distributions received Change in value of interest in remainder	\$ 215,757 -0-	\$ 575,191 (365,286)
Change in value of interest in remainder Trusts Ending Balance	23,727 \$ 239,484	5,852 \$ 215,757

The preceding methods described may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, although the organization believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

NOTE C - PROPERTY, PLANT, AND EQUIPMENT

Property, plant, and equipment consist of the following at August 31, 2013 and 2012:

	2013		
			NET
		ACCUMULATED	BOOK
	COST	DEPRECIATION	VALUE
Land	\$ 438,671	\$ -0-	\$ 438,671
Land improvements	248,794	173,002	75,792
Buildings and improvements	2,707,154	1,919,943	787,211
Vehicles	409,677	298,962	110,715
Furniture, fixtures and			
Equipment	<u>383,751</u>	322,076	61,675
Total	\$ 4,188,047	<u>\$ 2,713,983</u>	<u>\$ 1,474,064</u>
		2012	
		2012	
			NET
		ACCUMULATED	BOOK
	COST	DEPRECIATION	VALUE
Land	\$ 438,671	\$ -0-	\$ 438,671
Land improvements	240 704		06 757
	248,794	162,042	86,752
Buildings and improvements	2,677,689	1,797,658	880,031
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Buildings and improvements Vehicles Furniture, fixtures and	2,677,689	1,797,658 334,077	880,031 102,712
Buildings and improvements Vehicles	2,677,689	1,797,658	880,031

NOTE D - TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS

Temporarily restricted net assets available consist of the following at August 31,:

	2013	2012
Charitable Remainder Trusts	\$ 239,485	\$ 215,757
Grants Restricted by donors	85,226	85,224
Pooled Income fund	19,037	<u>9,654</u>
Total	\$ 343,748	\$ 310,635

Temporarily restricted net assets in the amount of \$381,481 were released from restrictions during fiscal year 2012 for the purpose of providing assistance to individuals with disabilities.

NOTE E - PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS

Permanently restricted net assets consist of an endowment fund held by Northern Trust, in the amount of \$161,636 from which the income is available for use to support the Organization, at the discretion of the trustees. Permanently restricted net assets in the amount of \$17,819, which amounted to distributions in excess of earnings, were released from restrictions during fiscal year 2013. In addition, the Organization's interest in the net assets of Easter Seals Southwest Florida Foundation, Inc., (Foundation) in the amount of \$7,060,931 has been recorded as permanently restricted net assets at August 31, 2013.

NOTE F - ENDOWMENT

The Organization has one donor restricted endowment fund. As required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, net assets associated with endowment funds are classified and reported based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. The endowment is considered permanently restricted based on donor imposed restrictions on the principal balance. Income from the endowment is distributed and used in accordance with the endowment document. Investment income is appropriated for distribution pursuant to the document and as such, is included as part of the change in unrestricted net assets, unless required to be retained as part of the permanently restricted net assets.

Interpretation of Relevant Law

The Board of Directors of the Organization has interpreted the Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act (FUPMIFA) as requiring the presentation of the fair value of the original gift as of the gift date of the donor restricted endowment funds absent explicit donor stipulations to the contrary. Distributions of principal in excess of earnings are allowed pursuant to the document. As a result of this interpretation, the Organization classified as permanently restricted net assets (a) the original value of gifts donated to the permanent endowment, (b) the original value of subsequent gifts to the permanent endowment, and (c) accumulations to the permanent endowment made in accordance with the direction

NOTE F - ENDOWMENT - CONTINUED

of the applicable donor gift instrument at the time the accumulation is added to the fund, net of any distributions in excess of earnings. In accordance with FUPMIFA, the Organization considers the following factors in making a determination to appropriate or accumulated donor restricted endowment funds:

- 1) The duration and preservation of the fund
- 2) The purposes of the Organization and the donor-restricted endowment fund
- 3) General economic conditions
- 4) The possible effect of inflation and deflation
- 5) The expected total return from income and the appreciation of investments
- 6) Other resources of the organization
- 7) The investment policies of the Organization

Investment Policies

The Organization's overall investment policy covers the endowment fund. The Organization manages contributions in a manner that will maximize the benefit intended by the donor, produce income to support the work of the Organization, and achieve growth of principal value sufficient to increase the purchasing power of the assets over time. Secondarily, the objective is to maintain a sufficient degree of flexibility to meet the changing environment.

Assets are diversified to insure that adverse results from any one security or securities will not have a detrimental impact on the entire portfolio. Asset allocation is an important tool to achieve desired results. The decision on how to allocate assets is based on the needs and circumstances during any period of time.

The following risk parameters are in place:

	Percent of Total Fund		
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Target</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Cash and cash equivalents	5%	5%	10%
Equities	30%	55%	75%
Fixed Income	25%	30%	70%
Alternatives (e.g. hedging, managed			
futures, private equity)	5%	10%	15%

In addition, no more than 10% may be concentrated in equities or a fixed income strategy of a single company or 15% in the same industry. Investments in any one company may not exceed 5% of its common shares outstanding. All fixed income issues shall be investment grade or better as rated by S&P or Moodys.

Strategies, Objectives and Spending Policies

All of the investment objectives and strategies are in place to achieve the Organization's mission. Distributions are in accordance with the endowment document and considers

NOTE F - ENDOWMENT - CONTINUED

both the short and long-term expected returns of the endowment fund. Overall, the Board's policy is to protect and preserve the assets and appropriate amounts necessary and allowable in accordance with the terms of the endowment document. The Board appropriates spending through the budget process. The investment policy contemplates a distribution of approximately 10% of the average asset market values for the most recent three fiscal years.

For the years ended August 31, 2013 and 2012, the Organization had the following endowment-related activities, (all of which are permanently restricted):

	2013	2012	
Beginning Balance	\$ 179,455	\$ 191,421	
Investment return			
Investment income	4,265	4,445	
Net appreciation (depreciation) of value	756	7,810	
Appropriated for expenditure	(22,840)	(24,221)	
Ending Balance	<u>\$ 161,636</u>	<u>\$ 179,455</u>	

NOTE G - RETIREMENT PLAN

Effective January 1, 2003, the Organization instituted a deferred variable annuity plan under Section 403(b) of the Internal Revenue Code. Under provisions of the plan, employees may defer a portion of their salaries up to a maximum amount as allowed under the Internal Revenue Code. The Organization may make a discretionary matching contribution as determined by the Board of Directors. During 2012, the Organization matched 100% of participant contributions up to 3% of the participant's gross wages. On January 1, 2013 the discretionary matching contribution was suspended. Matching contributions totaled \$10,895 and \$32,913 for 2013 and 2012, respectively.

NOTE H - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Easter Seals Southwest Florida Foundation, Inc. (Foundation) was organized in 1995 for the purpose of supporting the Organization. An independent Board of Trustees directs the Foundation.

During the fiscal year ended August 31, 2013 the Organization received support from the Foundation in the amount of \$1,097,341. This amount represented contributions of \$547,591 for operations, development, and capital, as well as \$29,868 for marketing, \$115,669 for wages, \$20,977 for benefits, and \$1,958 for supplies, \$1,542 for board expenses, and \$379,736 as a distribution of a beneficial interest in a perpetual trust which was dissolved by the trustee.

The offices of the Foundation are located in the building, which is owned and occupied by the Organization. The value of the office space is immaterial to these financial statements.

NOTE H - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS - CONTINUED

The Organization, a beneficiary of permanent transfers made to the Foundation, has reported an asset for its interest in the net assets of the Foundation in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

Basically, if the specified beneficiary is financially interrelated to the recipient organization, the beneficiary must recognize its interest in the net assets of the recipient organization. The Organization is financially interrelated to the Foundation and therefore, is required to report its beneficial interest in the net assets of the Foundation.

The interest in the net assets of the Foundation is considered a part of permanently restricted net assets. At August 31, 2013 and 2012, the Organization's interest in the net assets of the Foundation was \$7,060,931 and \$7,566,843, respectively.

The Organization's change in interest in the net assets of the Foundation has been recorded as a change to permanently restricted net assets in the Statement of Activities for the years ended August 31:

	2013	2012
Adjustment for change in interest	¢ (E0E 012)	¢ (202.252)
In net assets of Foundation	<u>\$ (505,912</u>)	<u>\$ (392,253</u>)

The Foundation has approved a \$500,000 line-of-credit to the Organization to cover operating costs. The line does not contemplate interest and must be paid to a \$-0-balance at least once during each year. At August 31, 2013 and 2012, there was no outstanding balance on the line-of-credit.

NOTE I - RENT

The Organization has signed an agreement to rent a portion of its facility to the Manatee County School Board under an operating lease agreement. The lease expired on July 1, 2013 and was not renewed.

Current year rental income under this agreement was \$89,233.

NOTE J - CONTINGENCIES

The Organization is currently involved in litigation with various parties. The outcome of these matters and potential losses to the Organization cannot be determined. As a result, no liability has been recorded in these financial statements. It is at least reasonably possible that additional liabilities could result in the near term.

NOTE K - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Management has evaluated subsequent events through January 6, 2014 the date on which the financial statements were available to be issued.