



Belgian Charities

Briefing Book 2020

FOR MEMBERS ONLY

OVERVIEW

In order to familiarize you with the selection process of the charities in consideration for funding in 2020, we've put together this overview. This year we received 14 Belgian applications, 10 being eligible applications. Four applications were rejected because they were not eligible this year based on the criteria (see below). We received 45 International applications for funding. Some were rejected for the two-applications-per-country rule after careful assessment of all the eligible projects of the given country, and a few additional ones were not eligible based on the criteria stated in the application (see below) resulting in 25 eligible applications. The Charity Team and the Board spent many long hours reviewing every application to make sure each charity put before the members was qualified based on the voted upon selection criteria. First, the Charity Team made sure the application arrived by the due date and was complete. Second, the Charity Team 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 for Belgian charities and three complete calendar years for International charities must pass from the date of that Bazaar, before the same organization may reapply to the NCB (for example, an International organization that has benefited from funds raised at the 2020 Bazaar can next apply in 2023).
- 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 Partnership for Peace (PfP) countries, and countries where NATO is currently engaged – 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 by the Board, the Charity Team put together the list of eligible candidates presented in two pre-briefing books e-mailed to members:

- 2020 Belgian Charities Pre-Briefing Book,
- 2020 International Charities Pre-Briefing Book

The content of the Pre-Briefing Books was compiled from the information the charities provided on their funding application. For each charity you could find the focus group, target number, a summary of the project and the amount of money requested.

The Charity Vote was blind. For that reason, we have now put together the Briefing Books with project names and pictures.

Currently there are two amounts for each charity: “Total Project Cost” and “Amount Possible to Fund”. In December, the NCB Board will meet after all funds have been received and the “Donated Amount” will be added to each charity. You will see that sometimes the “Donated Amount” is different from the “Amount Possible to Fund”. If, in reviewing the itemized budget of the project, we see that we can donate a smaller amount than requested and still fund an integral part of the project, we propose the smaller amount.

Each charity was notified in September after the voting by the National Representatives, via email, of a “Possible to Fund” letter. It is our sincere hope that the efforts of the NCB and National Teams will give us the ability to fund every project, at least partially. **In the event that we cannot support every project, the amounts will be disbursed starting with the Belgian and International Charities in their ranked order.** If a charity does not receive funds from this year’s bazaar, they are welcome to reapply, with the same or a new project, next year.

This year we conducted our voting via Survey Monkey

A sample of what it looked like is below. Essentially, the voting process remained the same from previous years. Each National Representative ranked all of the charities: 1-25 for International, and 1-10 for Belgian in order of priority. A number 1 was the highest priority project and a number 25 (International) or 10 (Belgian) was the lowest priority project.

Below you will see an example of how the Belgian Charity Voting List appeared.

* 3. On a scale of **1** through **10** rank the BELGIAN Charities, where **1** is the charity with the *highest priority* and **10** is the charity with the *lowest priority*. Please see the charity briefing booklet for the complete description of each charity.

☰	1	Belgian Charity #3
☰	2	Belgian Charity #10
☰	3	Belgian Charity #9
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☰	5	Belgian Charity #7
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☰	8	Belgian Charity #8
☰	9	Belgian Charity #6
☰	10	Belgian Charity #1

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AMOUNTS PROPOSED

The tables show the amount needed to completely fund each Belgian and International charity.

Belgian Charities

Voting Rank	Charity Organization	Name of Project	Total Project Cost
1	vzw NoNameChild (en abrégé NONA)	HERO ECO (HERO = Hospital Education in Romania)	9.500,00
2	Himalayan Projects vzw	Materials and appliances for a computer class in a public school	5.700,00
3	Belgische Rett Syndroom Vereniging vzw	Rett communicatie for young children	9.828,00
4	Unless ASBL	Food4Friends	10.412,26
5	Iletima vzw	Achat matériel didactique	9.821,69
6	vzw Bijs	Enhancing interaction with our vulnerable youth	5.989,50
7	La Jambette a.s.b.l.	Achat d'une caleche pour les personnes lourdement handicapées ainsi que pour l'intégration des personnes valides et moms valides.	2.177,00
8	AFBT - Association Feminine Belgo-Turque asbl__	Socio-Cultural Integration – New	7.470,56
9	The Angkor Tree Project vzw	Teacher Development Support Centre	6.608,58
10	Stuurkracht-Trefpunt vzw	A Cosy Recreation Room for Stuurkracht 2	9.420,00
	Total		76.927,59

International Charities

Voting Rank	Nation	Charity Organization	Name of Project	Total Project Cost
1	Czech Republic	Centrum LOCIKA, z.ú.	Childhood without violence in Prague	9.160,00
2	Latvia	Foundation Zante family support center	Wooden canopy as a "Outdoor classroom" for children who have suffered from illegal acts"	8.288,500
3	Republic of Serbia	Udruženje "Uvek sa dacom"	Let my hair be your hair	9.000,00
4	Lithuania	Lukrecijos Labdaros ir paramos fondas (Lukrecia Charity and Relief Fund)	Intensive Therapy for Lukrecia	12.000,00
5	BiH	Association "Novi put"	Provision of direct psycho-social assistance to children and women victims of violence	6.000,00
6	Spain	Asociación Sunsita	SUNSITE	5.500,00
7	Romania	Active Kids Oradea Association	Playful Development! Sensory and motor development for children with delayed development and special needs	5.423,00
8	Hungary	Bihari Sebészeti Alapítvány / Bihari Surgical Foundation	Infusion Pump Treatment for Surgery Patients	10.000,00
9	BiH	FOUNDATION CENTER DUGA ART	Purchase of a washing machine and clothes dryer for center for children without parental care	12.253,40
10	Lithuania	Lithuanian Autism Association "Rain Children"	Toward better inclusion of Rain children in Lithuania	12.499,30
11	Kazakhstan	Public Fund Special World	Opening and equipping a sensorydynamic hall for the development of sensorymotor integration in children with various neuropsychiatric disorders and disabilities	8.618,00
12	Denmark	Det Kærlige Måltid (The Loving Meal)	Det Kærlige Måltid new kitchen in Aalborg, Denmark	95.929,92
13	Kazakhstan	Public association Society of Parents of Children with Disabilities "World of Equal Opportunities"	Salamatty Bolashaq	7.761,00
14	Republic of North Macedonia	GAUSS Institute – Foundation for New Technologies, Innovations and Knowledge Transfer	The Unseen Art	10.000,00
15	Netherlands	Stichting Teach Nepal Project	Early Child Development Nepal	9.900,90
16	Latvia	FONDS CERĪBA ĢIMENEI NODIBINĀJUMS (Hope for Families)	Carpentry Training Classroom	37.042,00
17	Croatia	"Nada" – Vrbovec	I will be your friend	9.920,00

International Continued

Voting Rank	Nation	Charity Organization	Name of Project	Total Project Cost
18	Czech Republic	Perinatální hospic Dítě v srdci, z.s. (Perinatal hospice Baby in Heart)	Handmade toys and blankets for Memory Boxes for free distribution to hospitals	2.250,00
19	England	Larchfield Tanzania Homes	Larchfield Tanzania Homes	133.087,00
20	Denmark	100% for Børnene	Bunga Girls' Hostel	7.260,00
21	Hungary	Association for Inclusion	This is my child	7.620,00
22	Spain	FUNDACIÓN OPORTUNITAS	Oportunitas Entrepreneurs Workshop School	14.350,00
23	Romania	BONUS PASTOR FOUNDATION	Celebrating Sobriety	9.900,00
24	Poland	Fundacja Rozwoju Międzykulturowego EBU	Bonding 600	2.350,00
25	England	Never Such Innocence Limited	Giving Children and Young People a Voice on Conflict	12.000,00
		Total:		458,113.02

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1. NONA – NoNameChild

Project name: HERO (Hospital Education in Romania)

URL: www.nonamechild.org



Total Project Cost: € 9.500,00

Amount possible to fund: € 9.500,00

Mission and Project Summary:

The projects consist of two baskets:

1. Renovation of the Hospital School entrance, hall- lack of isolation and rain from the rooftop. Installation of double-glazing. This area will be a room with multiple purposes, educational, play area, exhibitions, meeting space.
2. Reorganization of the Hospital School garden to create a therapeutic, didactic and ecological garden. The aim of this garden is to provide education about nature and ecologic, an experience area for children with mental disabilities.

Target and number of beneficiaries: Children in Bucharest, Romania (hospitalized) →300

2. Himalayan projects

Project name: Computer class “Shree Ambika Secondary school”

URL: www.himalayanprojects.org



Total Project Cost: € 5.700,00

Amount possible to fund: € 5.381,38

Mission and Project Summary:

The Shree Ambika School is a public school – Kindergarten/Primary/Secondary – provides education to +450 children with a poor background (children of farmers living on the hills). Because these children deserve the same changes as “better-off children” (private schools), in the last years, a big effort has been done to provide more possibilities in Secondary school, such as language classes, secretariat and technical classes.

To support these classes, they want to make a computer-class with computer-desks, a projector with screen, printer etc.

Target and number of beneficiaries: Children (poor background) – >450

3. BRSV - Belgische Rett Syndroom Vereniging

Project name: Rett communication for young children

URL: www.rettsyndrome.be



Total Project Cost: € 9.828,00

Amount possible to fund: € 9.828,00

Mission and Project Summary:

Girls with Rett Syndrome are able to learn communicating with their eyes and with the help of eye control computers. Within their existing communication project, they can offer to a group of young children for 1 year a more intensive guidance that gives them the opportunity to fully develop, learn to communicate, learn to express, learn to read and write. They already have the technology but this cannot be used without the support of a professional therapist, so they are looking for funding for this essential support.

Target and number of beneficiaries: Children, people with disabilities – 6 (30h therapy per child for 1 year)

4. Unless

Project name: Food4Friends

URL: www.unls.be



Total Project Cost: € 10.412,26

Amount possible to fund: € 10.000,00

Mission and Project Summary:

With the Food4Friends project, the organization is looking for funds for food (meat, coffee, pasta, oil) and disposable tableware (paper cups, plates, forks, water cups, stirring sticks) for one year. With this they will be able to provide 200 meals/3 x week/year = 31200 meals in total

Target and number of beneficiaries: Homeless persons (man, women, elderly, children) +1500

5. Iletima

Project name: Purchase didactic Material

URL: www.iletima.org



Total Project Cost: € 9.821,69

Amount possible to fund: € 9.821,69

Mission and Project Summary:

They want to buy the workbooks (non-reusable) which goes with the new French and Mathematic theory books (reusable) they already bought. The books will be used by the first and second year of primary schools. Those children do not have enough writing skills to note everything down in a separate book like the ones starting at the third grade and higher. The second part is buying two laptops and a projector which will be used during classes. This material will be used in the fifth and sixth year of primary, to go get the children familiar with those kind of teaching methods and prepare them to secondary school.

Target and number of beneficiaries: Children (poor background), 480 (>1000)

6. BIJS

Project name: Enhancing interaction with our vulnerable youth

URL: www.bijs.b



Total Project Cost: € 5.989,50

Amount possible to fund: € 5.989,50

Mission and Project Summary:

Interaction remains one of the difficulties in dealing with young people with mental disabilities. To avoid letting them slip into their own world and end up in isolation, the need to encourage interaction is very high. The CRDL (cradle) is an interactive care tool that enables a contact by translating touch between people into sound. By approaching physical contact in a playful and investigative way, the CRDL stimulates interaction. The CDRL makes contact possible for children and adults who struggle with communicating and social interaction (for example, people with dementia, autism or learning disabilities) and those in their environment (care takers, family).

Target and number of beneficiaries: People with disabilities, children and adults, 69

7. La Jambette

Project name: The horse-drawn carriage

URL: www.lajambette.be



Total Project Cost: € 2.177,00

Amount possible to fund: € 2.177,00

Mission and Project Summary:

Hippo therapy is the accompaniment to the relationship between a human being and a horse that stimulates the supported person to go a little bit further in this experience. To do this, the hippo therapist arouses curiosity and envy through various playful and creative proposals. The organization offers sessions to people with physical, mental, motor and / or behavioral disabilities. During the courses, they offer children various activities including horseback rides. Due to stability problems this is not possible for children with heavier physical disabilities. The horse-drawn carriage they want to purchase will make these classes also to accessible for these children and improve their physical and mental conditions.

Target and number of beneficiaries: People with disabilities, children and adults, + 80/week

8. Association Feminine Belgo-Turque

Project name: Socio-cultural Integration - NEW HORIZONS

URL: <https://www.facebook.com/AFBT-asbl-852919158079201>



Total Project Cost: € 7.470,56

Amount possible to fund: € 7.470,56

Mission and Project Summary:

This project aims to achieve social inclusion through awareness and developing initiatives for greater integration of women and children. To avoid the risk of poverty and social exclusion, they focus on social, cultural, educational, and professional integration. They empower them by apprising and facilitating their active participation in opportunities in education, employment, or volunteering. The organization creates a platform to promote socio-cultural exchange and direct exemplary interaction with local communities by organizing shared activities to improve their lifestyle. Expected outcomes are language courses, homework assistance, empowerment and mentoring sessions, arts, crafts, and socio-cultural activities to help foster relations networks and communities.

Target and number of beneficiaries: Women, children; – 570 (directly women and children) + minimum 1710 people (indirectly all family members and relatives, assuming average 4 people family size in the target community) + a larger impact to the community of the participants

9. The Angkor Tree Project

Project name: Teacher Development Support Centre - Cambodia

URL: www.theangkortreeproject.org



Total Project Cost: € 6.608,58

Amount possible to fund: € 6.608,58

Mission and Project Summary:

Project: the number of students increased over the years and the school infrastructure is no longer sufficient. The aim of this project is to adapt the school infrastructure, something that has become even more urging by the Corona crises. They want to build an extra larger training room, to be able to work safely and secure the social distance. They will build it up out of material that is easy to disinfect (floors, walls, furniture) and provide and set up an area at the entrance to wash and disinfect hands before entrance the room.

Target and number of beneficiaries: Children (Teachers in Cambodia), > 300 (>1000)

10. Stuurkracht-Trefpunt

Project name: A Cozy Recreation Room for Stuurkracht 2

URL: www.stuurkracht2.be



Total Project Cost: € 9.420,00

Amount possible to fund: € 9.420,00

Mission and Project Summary:

The Centre founded in 1995 offers tailored labor activities to people with a psychosocial vulnerability or with an impairment due to a psychiatric illness. These people need daily structure, social contact and sense of meaningfulness. Employment and labor care can provide an answer to these needs. Employment reduces relapse of psychiatric illness.

Over the years, the organization noticed that for some people labor activities is too demanding, so they opened a second center to provide activity of social encounter. This center offers an array of activities without pressure and meaningful peer-contact. Their existing cafeteria (multipurpose room – cafeteria – dining room – relaxation area) that exist for the moment out of a miss match of old damaged furniture and no storage options, need an urgent makeover, to turn it onto a nice and cozy room modern furniture, board games and a football table.

Target and number of beneficiaries: People with disabilities, 67