

Chaldean Australian Society Inc.

Annual Report 2014



Celebrating 21 Years Serving the Chaldean Community

The Chaldean Australian Society (CAS) serves the Chaldean community in NSW

CAS addresses the settlement needs to the increasing numbers of Chaldeans arriving to Australia under humanitarian entry and family reunion and the majority of them settle in Fairfield, Liverpool, Mount Druitt and South Western Sydney areas

CAS maintains the Chaldean culture and at the same time assists the engagement of Chaldeans with the Australian society

CAS helps the locals and others who in need to its services



CAS Management Committee Members 2013/2014

Younan Yousif President

Petros Mansoor Vice President

Bahir Aziz Treasurer Sabah Nissan Secretary

Dr Emad Arabo Administration Coordinator

Dr Shaba Hurmiz Accountant

Namrod Ishac Social Committee
Yako Gargees Yako Social Committee
Salim Tobia Cultural Committee
Ablahad Stifo Cultural Committee

Samira Hanna Member Aid Matti Member



Ongoing Services

CAS provides free services to our community 3 days a week (Monday, Wednesday, and Friday) by the members of our committee and the volunteers. We help our community by providing:

- Information and advice
- Referral
- Support Letters
- Advocacy
- Case Management
- Assistance with form filling related to Immigration, Citizenship, Housing, Centrelink, Health Services, Enrolling in School and TAFE, etc.

We Help 90-100 Clients Each Month



Connecting with Government

We visit, respond to invitations, and hold meetings to establish relations with parliament members and ministers, federal and state, mayors and councillors to introduce our society and to put them in the picture about the Chaldeans and our views and opinions and to discuss some concerns.

The Chaldean Australian Society met with the following officials at various occasions:

- 1- Hon Scott Morrison MP- Minister for Immigration and Border Protection
- 2- Hon Chris Bowen MP- Federal Member for McMahon, Shadow Treasurer
- 3- Hon Victor Dominello MP- Minister for Citizenship and Communities-NSW
- 4- Mr Guy Zangari MP- Member for Fairfield
- 5- Mr Andrew Rohan MP- Member for Smithfield
- 6- Mr Frank Carbone, Fairfield City Mayor
- 7- Mr George Barcha, Deputy Mayor, Fairfield City Council
- 8- Mr Mazhar Hadid, Deputy Mayor, Liverpool City Council
- 9- Mr Ninos Khoshaba, Councillor, Fairfield City Council
- 10-Mr Zaya Toma, Councillor, Fairfield City Council







Engaging with Communities and Organisations

The Chaldean Australian Society (CAS) has engaged widely with the Chaldean community in Sydney, stayed in contact with local communities, local organisations, and Australian organisations showed to them the size and type of the assistance provided by CAS to the new migrants and entrants, the Chaldean community, and the local community. Also CAS has engaged with organisations to advance community safety, the peace and social harmony in this state and this country.

CAS met with organisations including:

- 1- Refugee Council of Australia
- 2- Community Relations Commission Multicultural NSW
- 3- Fairfield Migrant Resource Centre
- 4- NSW Police
- 5- Many Chaldean and Iraqi Organisations in Sydney







Submissions

CAS provides its opinion, suggestions, and recommendations through submissions, papers, letters, etc. and as follows:

27th January 2014 - Submission about "Australia's 2014-15 Humanitarian Programme" to the Department of Immigration and Border Protection

29th April 2014 - Paper Presented to the Refugee Council of Australia about the situation of Chaldeans in Iraq and Chaldean asylum seekers and refugees in the neighbouring countries to Iraq (in Lebanon, Turkey, Jordan, and Syria)

28th July 2014 - Letter to the Minister for Immigration and Border Protection about Iraqi Christians Crisis in Mosul city – Iraq

18th August 2014 - Letter to the Minister for Immigration and Border Protection about the Australian government policy to increase the intake of Iraqi Christian refugees

1st September 2014 – Working with other Chaldean and Assyrian organizations towards moving a motion in Australian Parliament submitted by the Hon Chris Bowen MP- Federal Member for McMahon, Shadow Treasurer about the Christian minorities in Iraq

22nd **September 2014** – Participating in drafting a joint statement with Community Relations Commission – Multicultural NSW and Iraqi-Australian community leaders about condemnation the terrorism and the importance of community harmony here in Australia.

Social Activities

These are some of our social activities:

- 11th April 2014 The management committee attended an evening organised by "Sawaky" organisation of culture and the arts to honour some of the personalities of artistic, literary, cultural and sports from Iraqis and Arabs. Among the attendees were the consuls of Iraq and Lebanon in Sydney.
- **16th April 2014** The committee attended a condolence ceremony for the rest of the soul of Cardinal Emmanuel III Delly, the Patriarch Emeritus of Babylon of the Chaldeans, held by the Chaldean Catholic Church in Sydney.
- **27th April 2014** The committee attended the festival of Saint George held by Khabour Chaldean Association on the gardens of Chipping Norton, Sydney.
- 17th May 2014 The Chaldean Australian Society held an evening for the occasion of "Mother's Day" at Prairiewood Youth Centre, Prairiewood, NSW 2176.
- **24**th **August 2014** The committee members of Chaldean Australian Society participated in fundraising for the displaced Iraqi Christians from Mosul city. This fundraising was held in Sydney by the Chaldean National Congress with cooperation of our Chaldean Australian Society.





Launching our Website

The Chaldean Australian Society launched its website on the Internet www.chaldeanauss.org.au

The site (which is in English and Arabic languages) includes introduction of the Chaldean Australian Society and its goals, activities and its services to the members of the Chaldean community in Sydney / Australia, particularly in Fairfield, Liverpool, Mount Druitt and South Western Sydney areas. Dr Emad Arabo, the Administration Coordinator, prepared the material for this website and designed its pages.



CAS Members 2013/2014

Jackson Guirguis Abdalahad katoola **Elias Elias Abed Shamoon Emad Arabo Jamal Elishe Jamila Yousif Adel Hanna Eman Zaya Adel Yousif Enas Azziz** Jean Alsaoor Adla Nissan **Endriyous Hedo** Jina Astiru **Aeda Hagoob Jonsin Toma Ethar Gorgees** Aid Matti **Eva Hanna** Joza All-Bnosha **Akram Hanoush Fadia Salmo Karim Bodagh** Alaa Hermiz Fadya Narha Karlo Zooki Alan Rofaeel Faiza Sulaiman Khairia Matti **Albert Warda Faraq Haddad** Khalil Somo Khalil Khali **Alouis Mansoor** Fareed Eskharya **Amal Aesho Farid Dally** Klara Yousif Kristina Rain **Amal Fareda Fartohi Awadis Amal Razouki Faten Shamman Laith Gendo Amani Khmas Ferial Naissan** Landa Jajo **Amar Maioia Firas Toma** Layla Dawood **Amel Toma** Florans Eshaq Lenda Jarjees **Amer Al-Qas Pulus** Liza Tobia Foad Sedi **Amera Toma** Lobna Koka **Fouad Sabbagh Ammanoel Kanon** Foud Ishak Luis Ishac **Andrew Issa Ganem Nissan Luis Ishak Antton Ibraim George Hirmiz Luwlita Esho Armeen Roben Hagop Muradian Mafakher Nasory Haiat Ashak Ather Bashir** Maha Abdulah **Baha Yousif** Halah Zwora **Mairyam Ishac Bahir Aziz Hana Waleed Maisoon Stifo Majida Murad Ban Omar** Hanaa Shaaya Ban Yalda Hanaa Kakooz **Mansor Gorgeey Marausha Numan Basim Matti** Hanna Ishac **Basim Shamaya** Hanna Markala **Mardeny Hirmiz Marleen Shamoon Basma Marcus Hany Yousif Bassam Ghareeb** Harbea Givo **Mary Marcus** Bill Ishac **Harith Garmo** Maykil Kader Birnadat Baki Hayfaa Shabo **Maykil Polus Hekma Aziz Btrus Mansor Maysoon Shammu Butrus Yako Hikmat Zora Maysoon Yousif** Carlo Yousif **Huna Odeesho Meriam Anderios leman Younan** Milad Dkhuka Chandi Butrus **Chrrstine Yousif** lessa Israel **Miran Tooma Ilham Setto Clauclia Yousif Muntana Abboodi Dalia Stifo** Ilham Bidari **Murkus Yousif Dhafer Nasouri Imad Ibraim** Muwafaq Aorfli Diana Shamoon Ismael Dankha **Nabeel Gago** Eftekhar Arabo Israa AL Makho **Nada Hana**

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Nadir Yousif Ronnir Felip Slaiwa Dakko **Nagham Shawkat Rostom Kirob** Sohaila Gago **Najat Putrus** Rouzaz Aodesho Sozan Elia **Najat Koro Rozin Polus Stephanie Matti** Najeeb zoori Saad Hiata **Suada Margouz** Najeeb Alkateb Sabah Nissan **Suda Aal-Tano** Najiba Ibraim **Sundus Gorgees** Sabah Shaaya Namrod Ishac Sabah Dkhora **Sundus Omar** Naseem Rizgou Sabiha Hasoon **Tared Setto Nazhat Sto** Sadeem Zora **Thaar Hanna** Nicklos Muradian Saeedda Yako Thaer Azeez **Niclolss Nissan** Sahar Aziz **Thamer Mikha Thamer Yousif** Nidhal Elea Salam Ayleya Salem Mansoor **Tom Yousif Niet Hanna** Nizar Shammu Salim Tobia **Toma Toma Noiel Yousif Salim Gorgees Tony Nona Noora Eisa** Salma Hanna **Treiza Stepho Nuiel Astiru** Salwa Matti **Treza Kartio** Victoria Mano **Peter Hermez** Same Franso **Petros Mansour** Sameer Shorees **Waad Dawood Petros Petros** Sameerah Aulo **Waad Butros Pkhsaad Hanna** Samer Dano Wafaa Arbo **Pkhsaad Hanna** Samira Hanna Wareena Odeesho **Putris Matti** Samira Abdulrazzag Willy Hanna Sana Yaco **Qaiss Aziz Wisam Hirmiz Qussai Gorgees** Sandra Kader Wisam Anwaia Raad Abdulahad Sandra Yalda Wissam Shamoun Yako Yako **Rabab Francis** Sandy Ngjjar Raefen Toma Sarah Bashir Yasamen Giyo Raghda Polus Sardar Siniawi **Yassmin Shaba** Ragheed Sto Sarmad Yalda **Yoel Dosho** Selma Yako YoielTila Raied Korkes Ramzi Hanna **Shaba Hurmiz Younan Yousif Shadha Hanaa Yousif Marcus** Randa Hakeem **Raniah Polus Shamiram Orah** Zabeet Eeleesha

Shashan Awadis

Siham Muradian

Shoshan Migirdghian

Rasha Tobya

Rayda Hanna

Rita Shito

Zeena Hirmiz

Zina Koka

Financial Report

The Chaldean Australian Society depends financially on government funding, membership fees, and donations. We have received a grant from Department of Social Services under Building Multicultural Communities Program.

Profit and Loss Statement for the Year Ended 30 June 2014

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	stralian Society Loss Account	mo.	
For the Year Ended	30/6/14		
Descriptions	Dr.\$	Cr. \$	
Income			
Donations		484.00	
nterest		6.01	
Membership		2400.00	
Grant from State		9092.50	
Expenses			
PARTIES	300.00		
Donations	100.00		
nsurance	319.10		
M/V Fuel	40.00		
Postage	107.00		
Printing & Station.	542.20		
Rent	1800.00		
Membership	24.20		
Staff Amenities	296.15		
Feleph. & Telex	637.40		
Other Expenses	125.00		
Sport Activities	1952.50		
Website Creating	600.00		
Depreciation			
Office Equipment	346.00		
Preliminary Amortization	0.00		
Net Profit	4792.96	0.00	
Total Total	11982.51	11982.51	
Net Profit	0.00	4792.96	

Statements of Financial Position – 30 June 2014

Chaldean Australian Society Inc. Balance Sheet As at 30/6/14						
Assets	\$	\$	\$	\$		
Current Assets						
Cash at Bank		644.13		547.22		
Cash in hand		337.50		95.45		
Sundry Debtors	0.00		0.00			
Less Bad Debts Provision	-	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Total Current Assets		981.63		642.67		
Non Current Assets						
Land		0.00		0.00		
Buildings	-		0.00			
Office Equipment	9,450.00		9450.00			
Less Accumulated Dep.	8,641.85	808.15	8295.85	1154.15		
Fixture & Fittings	-		0.00			
Furniture	4,800.00		0.00			
Less Accumulated Dep.	-	4800.00	0.00	0.00		
Sundries	-		0.00			
Less Accumulated Dep.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Goodwill	0.00		0.00			
Less Accumulated Amortization.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Preliminary Exp.	0.00		0.00			
Less Accumulated Amortization.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Long term loans		0.00		0.00		
Total Non Current Assets		5608.15		1154.15		
Total Assets		6,589.78		1,796.82		
Liabilities		\$		S		
Current Liabilities						
Bills Payables		0.00		0.00		
Other Creditors		0.00		0.00		
Total Current Liabilities		-		-		
Non-Current Liabilities						
Loans on mortgages		0.00		0.00		
Owners Rights		0.00		0.00		
	0.00	4700.00	0.00	0.00		
Activity Result	0.00	4792.96	0.00			
Drawings	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Provisions	-	0.00		0.00		
Reserves		0.00		0.00		
Accumulated Profits	4000.00	3486.21	1000.00	3486.21		
Accumulated Losses	1689.39	0500 70	1689.39	4700.00		
Owners Rights	10	6589.78		1796.82		
Issued & Paid Up Capital		0.00		0.00		
Total Non-Current Liabilities		0.00		0.00		
Total Liabilities		6,589.78		1,796.82		

Dr.Shaba		Chaldean Australian Society Inc.				
	TRIAL BALANCE As at 30/6/14					
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	DESCRIPTIONS	Dr. \$	Cr. \$			
	Income					
	Donations		484.0			
	Interest		6.0			
	Membership		2400.0			
	Grant from State		9092.5			
	Expenses					
	PARTIES	300.00				
	Donations	100.00				
	Insurance	319.10				
	M/V Fuel	40.00				
	Postage	107.00				
	Printing & Station.	542.20				
	Rent	1800.00				
	Membership	24.20				
	Staff Amenities	296.15				
	Teleph. & Telex	637.40				
	Other Expenses	125.00				
	Sport Activities	1952.50				
	Goods & Services Tax	0.00				
	Website Creating	600.00				
	Depreciation					
	Depreciation Office Equipment	346.00				
	Current Assets					
	Cash at Bank	644.13				
	Cash on hand	337.50				
	Non Current Accets					
	Non-Current Assets	0.450.00				
	Office Equipment Furniture	9,450.00				
	Current Liabilities	4,800.00				
			0.0			
	Trade Creditors		0.0			
	Advanced Income		0.0			
	Non-Current Liabilities	1967.				
	Loan on morgages		0.0			
	Accumulated Dep. Building		-			
	Accumulated Dep.Plant		-			
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	Owners Rights					
	Capital		0.0			
	Reserves		0.0			
	Provisions		0.0			
	Accumulated Profits	/000.05	3486.2			
	Accumulated Losses	1689.39				
	Total	24110.57	24110.5			

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