

CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS THAT RECEIVED CONTRIBUTIONS

Introduction

Reminder of the Foundation's objectives as they appear in the legal documents:

1. To help troubled teens
2. To support teens stricken by severe illness or disease
3. To promote musical education

Because Simple Plan is an internationally-acclaimed rock band that is also well-anchored in its home community, the Foundation considers it should be implicated in the following sectors: international, national, provincial and local.

INTERNATIONAL

War Child Canada

Simple Plan is already a proud supporter of War Child Canada, a registered Canadian charity. It is part of a worldwide network of independent organizations helping children affected by the consequences of war. This year, The Simple Plan Foundation will make a donation specifically targeted to help the children and teens of West Darfur (*The Darfur Livelihoods Project*). This project includes vocational training and educational programs that will not only allow them to overcome the psychological trauma of war but will also contribute to building their confidence and giving them hope for the future through a vocation.

NATIONAL

Kids Help Phone - Jeunesse, J'écoute

It is the only national helpline providing toll free, bilingual, phone or internet counseling services for young people across Canada. Beyond giving financial support, The Simple Plan Foundation endorses the mission of this organization on a national and provincial level.

Children's Wish Foundation - Fondation Rêves d'Enfants

Simple Plan has collaborated on many occasions with this organization dedicated to fulfilling the wishes of children afflicted with high risk, life-threatening illnesses. Apart from the band members occasionally making themselves available, The Simple Plan Foundation wishes to contribute to the fulfillment of a dream for one or many children from Quebec and Canada. This year, their donation will sponsor the dreams of two young people from Montreal. The first will have the chance to meet the members of Simple Plan and the second will visit Thailand with his family.

PROVINCIAL

LEUCAN

LEUCAN's mission is to enhance the well-being of children and teens with cancer, to provide support for their families and to pursue clinical research in pediatric oncology. And now, in conjunction with The Simple Plan Foundation, LEUCAN will create the "Simple Plan Fund". This Fund will allow the organization to respond to the many needs not addressed by their regular programs and for which no emergency funds are available.

On the Tip of the Toes Foundation - La Fondation Sur la pointe des pieds

This organization aims at making nature accessible to teenagers living with cancer by providing them and their families the opportunity to experience unique and stimulating adventures in a therapeutic setting. The Simple Plan Foundation will sponsor their annual excursions.

Portage

A leader in substance abuse rehabilitation, Portage is a non-profit organization that offers free services to the residents of Quebec and is dedicated to the social rehabilitation of substance abusers. The Simple Plan Foundation will contribute to one of their specialized programs, notably dedicated to teenagers.

Les Ateliers Art-Go

Since one of the main objectives of The Simple Plan Foundation is to promote the learning and playing of music, it will support Art-Go's latest project "Repercussion", a percussion-making workshop, accompanying with rhythm classes, leading to the eventual production of live performances. Mr. Jean Beaulieu's latest projects with Art-Go include his work with street kids on the creation of stained-glass windows depicting the history of Trois-Rivières and Quebec, as well as transposing the drawings of sick children onto stained glass windows for the St-Justine Hospital's Ronald McDonald House.

Les Auberges du cœur

The Auberges du Cœur Foundation provides financial support for the 29 Auberges du Cœur located in 11 regions throughout Quebec. Everyday, 24 hours a day, they provide shelter to troubled and homeless teens, as well as offering them professional support and guidance towards social reintegration. A "Simple Plan Foundation Grant" will be established, enabling one of the Auberges to purchase musical instruments, offer music workshops and hold a contest, rewarding the best performer of the show "D'Amour et de Cœur".

LOCAL

Le Garde-Manger pour tous

Le Garde-Manger's mission is to make nutritious food widely available to those in need by providing daily meals to underprivileged children and teens and by distributing food to various community groups. On the heels of Simple Plan's participation at recent benefits for le Garde-Manger, The Simple Plan Foundation will make an even greater contribution this year to help young Montrealers suffering the effects of poverty.

The Oasis - L'Oasis, unité mobile d'intervention pour les jeunes

The organization's main goal is to help young people from Laval, right on their own environment.

It offers frontline guidance in a safe place where young people can find a sympathetic ear, some immediate assistance or referrals, as well as information on youth rights and responsibilities. The donation from The Simple Plan Foundation will contribute to the maintenance and development of this invaluable service.

The Lighthouse, Children and Families - Le Phare, Enfants et Familles

The mission of the Lighthouse is to provide free-of-charge respite services to parents with seriously ill children, or terminal children requiring complex treatments and pediatric palliative care. This respite service is offered either in the family's home or at Maison André Gratton which, thanks to The Simple Plan Foundation, will now offer a music therapy program to the children during their stay.

Jeunes au travail

"Jeunes au travail" is dedicated to the betterment of Laval's underprivileged teens and young adults (16 to 25 years old). It offers a professionally led program of social reintegration to those who have dropped out of school and/or are unemployed. In order to better reach these youth and to inform them as to the services offered by "Jeunes au travail", The Simple Plan Foundation will finance the updating of their web site.

Les Grands Amis de la région de Matane

This valuable service which matches a troubled teen with a special friend is vital to the young people of this region who are too often dealing with isolation and socio-adaptive difficulties.

The Simple Plan Foundation will contribute to a "Special Friends" recruitment project by funding a commercial made for, and by, the region's youth and whose soundtrack will be inspired by a song from Simple Plan.

La Maison des jeunes de Rimouski (music program)

This youth center favors music as the best way to engage teenagers and give them a reason to smile. It provides a supporting place to meet where young people from 11 to 17 years old can come and fulfill their dream of playing and recording music. There is a constant need for replacing and repairing equipment and so The Simple Plan Foundation will contribute to the maintenance and development of the music program.

La Maison de jeunes Kekpart

This South shore organization has a very special project: « La Relève ». It is a cultural center promoting non-profit, socio-cultural organizations while also doubling as a school for young people who want to study performing arts technology. The Simple Plan Foundation wants to encourage the cultivation of experts in the field of live performance.

École Jean-Piaget

Jean Piaget is a specialized regional institution for children who are moderately to severely challenged intellectually. The school hopes to build a music library for therapeutic purposes.

The Simple Plan Foundation, in association with Warner Music Canada will donate several hundred CDs, the complete discography of Simple Plan, as well as a financial contribution to allow for future additions to the collection.

Collège Beaubois

In recognition of Mr. Robert Montpetit, the music teacher who taught 4 of the Simple Plan band members, The Simple Plan Foundation is making a donation dedicated to the purchase of musical instruments, or to the furthering of musical education at Collège Beaubois.