



UJAMAA GRANDMAS

Annual Report

For the Year

January 1 to December 31, 2014

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President's Report

2014 was a year of growth and a time for UJAMAA GRANDMAS to enhance each of our projects. Our membership numbers are significant and that brings a high level of skills, expertise and creativity to the organization. Our diversity continues to enrich all we endeavor to accomplish, whether it is fundraising or awareness. And our third goal of nurturing our members is a give and take relationship that makes UJAMAA GRANDMAS a very special organization for and about women.

Our needs and goals are reflections of the needs and goals of our African Grandmothers. They inspire us and we are highly motivated to work on their behalf. We realize that women helping women, and in particular, the Grandmothers Campaign of The Stephen Lewis Foundation, is a unique and dynamic entity. We are powerful in purpose and results.

Our major fundraisers, the Handcraft Sale and the Fabric and Yarn Sale, along with our Fashion Show, Justice Film Festival Bake sale and Partnership Day with Ten Thousand Villages, have all made significant contributions to help us reach our goals and were best ever successes.

In order to reach a wider spectrum of women as well as giving us a presence beyond our group, our Facebook launch in February has continued to be a platform for communicating with an ever broader audience. And while technology plays a huge part in our communication, with our website and enews, the person to person connections are the best format for sharing our work and informing the community of our events.

We were honoured to have Alison Longson chosen as one of the 22 Grandmothers who went on the foundation's Grandmothers Campaign tour of the projects in Africa and participated in the Go-Go Olympics. Alison has fulfilled her commitment to share her experience with Grandmothers groups and community organizations in Southern Alberta. She has done many more presentations than the number requested by the foundation and kept her promise to our African Grandmothers by telling their stories.

In keeping with supporting other Grandmothers groups in Alberta, we had a good representation at the annual provincial gathering in Edmonton. Our handcraft committee brought many of our wares to the Marketplace that was part of the gathering. They were well received and we had good sales. As part of the gathering, we were also able to see the DVD made about the Tribunal in Vancouver the previous September. When the foundation arranged for the special screening of the film in November here in Calgary, we had a contingent of volunteers to meet and greet the invited guests and help the foundation's staff. We also had a good turnout of our membership in support.

Each committee has made significant changes and efforts to refine and improve how we work, how we take care of our members, and how each event functions. From recycling and shopper safety at our fabric sale to a monthly handcraft bulletin and a Friday opening for our handcraft sale, from a quick switch in partnership and silent auction for the fashion show to Kazuri sales being there during Alison

Longson's presentations about the Grandmother's African tour, from the awareness that each connection and presentation by the Speakers Bureau makes to the diverse groups in our community to the delicious homemade baking we provide at the Justice Film Festival, from our Knit in Public day participation to our partnership with Ten Thousand Villages with their similar goals, there has been growth, change and success.

And while we focus on our members, we work to form connections with our surrounding city and its many communities. Working alongside Cubs, Youth Central Volunteers and two corporate teams for the fabric sale is a prime example of community involvement. Connecting with corporate sponsors to defray costs and maximize our donations to the foundation from our handcraft sale has made a difference. Reaching out to other groups in the community with Alison's presentations and those of the Speakers Bureau including an annual school conference mean that many hear about the needs and the work of the foundation.

Growth, learning and action were also key in the work by the board in the area of GST and Income tax issues. We became aware of the necessity to be in compliance in these areas from an outside source and immediately took action to research and bring UG up to date in these areas of our business. It means that we are still in the process of changing our business practices to meet the rules and regulations of the Canada Revenue Agency. This was possible because of the hard work and commitment of our Board members.

UJAMAA GRANDMAS is able to blend the talents of many for successful support, fundraising and awareness for The Stephen Lewis Foundation. We are a team with many ideas and we rely on each other as we work to achieve our goals. Together we can!

Carla Lorfing

President, UJAMAA GRANDMAS

Handcraft Committee Report

The Handcrafts Committee is the support group for UJAMAA GRANDMAS handcrafters. Our primary responsibility is the organization and execution of Bags, Babies & Beyond Sale which was October 17th and 18th, 2014. The committee supports the efforts of the hand crafters and works to maximize the value of the products that are created for the sale. In order to do this, each year we evaluate what sold in the last sale and what might potentially be a best seller for the next sale. The 2014 sale had a wide diversity of wonderful, beautiful products. The Silent Auction and Sealed Bid Auction were very successful with pirates, llamas, quilts and purses as items for sale.

Thanks to the volunteers, handcrafters, and committee members we raised over \$50,000 at the 2014 sale.

The committee is organized with product, yarn and fabric custodians. As our sales have increased we have increased the number of members on the committee and 2014 saw more than 12 committee members serving in a variety of roles. We welcomed some new members as other members of our committee moved on to new positions.

The committee supports the members with a variety of workshops, demos and work days. We encourage our members to work together and have fun. We really support our motto of "Make What You Like, Make What You Like to Make and Like What You Make". A workshop to create purses was very successful and created some marvelous purses. Demos on fabric flowers and bowls encouraged the creation of many items for our sale. The Clay Workshop created many beautiful buttons and pendants for the sale. Knit in Public Day was a successful event in June.

Our first Fabric Open House was held in August and it was a successful way to get fabric and kits out to our members. We continued to bring kits, fabric, patterns and ideas to our gatherings. The fabric custodian role was expanded to include being a liaison between the Fabric Sale Committee and the Handcraft Committee.

Our Handcrafts Monthly Newsletter continued to be an excellent source of information. The "Sew What" and "Knit Notes" gave information about what sells and new ideas about products to create. This page also gives a wealth of information about product and tag guidelines as well as a link to patterns.

Thank you to all the members of UJAMAA GRANDMAS for making 2014 so successful

Submitted by Dawn Bolger, Committee Chair for 2014

Fabric and Yarn Sale Committee Report

The Fabric Sale of 2014 was a tremendous success, both monetarily as well as from a community aspect.

We followed a similar formula to previous years but also needed to address some of the issues which had mainly arisen due to the success of the sale. Our committee had managed to attract some new blood so it was a mixture of old and new ideas, which is a very healthy way to operate. For the first time, we had the addition of corporate support, in the form of volunteers, who proved to be an invaluable asset.

Once again the church was very generous in offering not only the basement but also the upstairs foyer, which we were able to put to very good use for our pattern and book section. We noticed a huge increase in sales in that area as customers were able to browse and thus purchase. Our recommendation would be to continue this practice. The set up downstairs remained much the same as previous years. The one problem area was once again the home décor which was housed in the choir room. This became an issue for us when the choir came looking for materials for the upcoming church service and we had to dismantle our shelving. Our recommendation would be to change the location of the home décor, possibly switching with the notions room and also to limit the amount of donations as it seems to be a poor seller but involves many volunteer hours.

The major issue which we needed to address was overcrowding which had, the previous year, become dangerous. Bearing that in mind, we put several things in place. First, we decided to open the sale on Friday at 4:30 thus running it for 2 days, hoping to spread out the customers. We also limited the number of people in the church and had volunteers counting people entering and exiting. While it did create a little unrest, people understood and appreciated the opportunity to actually look at fabric and other items. We believe it increased our sales considerably. We also introduced an entrance fee of \$1 which appeared to cause little or no comment. Our recommendation is to continue this practice as well as the Friday opening, perhaps having the Saturday hours shorter, as well as the crowd control measures. While opening on Friday gave us less time to finish the sorting and set up, our volunteers rose to the occasion but the addition of our corporate volunteers also made it possible. The tidying up on Friday evening after the sale, made Saturday's opening very pleasant for everyone, both customer and volunteer.

Our practice of attempting to recycle is a constant headache. With the best intentions in the world, it seems to create nothing but problems. We would recommend we lower the expectations and focus our recycling efforts on cardboard, which we use for shelving, and which is our greatest issue.

Our teen volunteers once again were there to help us. While they do need constant supervision, many work very hard and it is good for all of us to have them part of the process. Funnily enough, due to some

miss-communication, we also had a troop of scouts involved. Their young legs made them great little gophers and the reward of goodies from the kitchen seemed to be all they needed.

The issue of leftovers is also somewhat of a headache but the committee made some valiant efforts to address this. The truck from Women In Need was a real boon and once again, the willingness of volunteers to deal with things at the end of the day ensured a tidy space for church services the next day.

The total raised at this sale was \$31,000. It appears we provide a valuable service in this city, one which does not appear to be diminishing. Our own volunteers enjoy both the opportunity to shop as well as to converse with one another. Our Handicraft Committee is able to provide materials to turn into product for their sale. It appears to be a winning situation for all. However, like any successful venture, we must draw in new blood and new ideas and move with the times in which we live.

Fashion Show

SUCCESS - the 2014 UJAMAA GRANDMAS' Fashion Show

An exciting afternoon was planned for the 120 guests and 15 of our very own UG members and friends, who were models/dressers, on Saturday, April 5th! The Varsity Hall at the Varsity Community Centre was elegantly decorated with vivid and colourful African cloths, along with stunning floral arrangements from Enchanted Florists Ltd, to frame the walkway for the models. As is usual for UJAMAA GRANDMAS events, we thank the 4 dozen or so volunteers who made this event such a success. This was a wonderful venue for education and awareness of the UGs and the Stephen Lewis Foundation. The profits from this event were close to \$3500 - plus those from the sales of Kazuri Jewellery and donations made directly to the Stephen Lewis Foundation.

Tickets for this event were ordered on-line through Event-brite or by phone, or could be purchased at the door on the day of the event. We hope that these options were helpful to members and friends.

We are so grateful for the enthusiasm and commitment of Victoria Ballinger and Valerie Burke-Harland from Talbots, Market Mall who partnered with us for this fundraiser. The models ("real women") had a most enjoyable time choosing outfits that were extremely comfortable and which made them feel so special as they highlighted 30 of Talbot's Spring fashionable outfits and accessories. The models felt pampered when their make-up and hair was done by the very keen students from the DelMar College of Hair and Esthetics.

Louise Breadner, Grandmothers to Grandmothers Campaign Group Regional Liaison for Southern Alberta, opened the afternoon with an overview of the plight of African grandmothers caring for their orphaned grandchildren and other children. She highlighted how the UJAMAA GRANDMAS have donated more than \$600,000 to the Stephen Lewis Foundation to support these grandmothers and their projects. Thank you, Louise.

Our thanks also to the Silent Auction donors (Jeff Turner, Leslie Buckle, Patty Cucman, Bonnie MacPherson and Irene Farah) as well as those who sponsored certain aspects of the Fashion Show (Eleanor Landry, Dianne Dodsworth and Jeff Turner, and Jan Geggie). Jeff Turner was also our lively photographer who has produced some wonderful photos of the preparations and the afternoon's Fashion Show. Tali Schtelzer prepared the background slide-show of the UJAMAA GRANDMAS and the Stephen Lewis Foundation, as well as the "Thank you" slideshow for all those who contributed to the afternoon. Thank you, Jeff and Tali.

And, of course, a successful event such as this doesn't happen without much discussion and planning! I'd like to personally thank the Fashion Show Planning Committee for the endless hours and creative efforts they gave over the past year - Dianne Dodsworth, Barbara Foster, Susan Johnston, Eleanor Landry and Julie Martini.

Jan Geggie
Chair of the 2014 UJAMAA GRANDMAS Fashion Show

Kazuri Jewellery Report

Total Sales for 2014 = \$6222

Donation to SLF Grandmothers to Grandmothers Campaign = \$2928

Sales to date for 2015 = \$664

Donation to SLF G to G Campaign = \$157 plus (don't have amount for last 4 sales yet)

Since our AGM June 2014 we have had 16 sales events & 4 private sales.

These figures do not include donations given to the SLF by people who did not buy jewellery but wanted to make a donation. These were sent by our Treasurer from UJAMAA GRANDMAS unless a receipt by the donor was requested. Total = \$125

Our sales have been at: a quilters Guild, a lodge meeting, a book club, church bazar, sorority meeting, senior's group, Marda Loop Justice Film Festival, twice following a Sunday church service, Alison's speaking engagement @ Lakeview, three different church women's groups & one city wide church women's group AGM.

We have at least two more sales events planned between now & June.

Report from the Grandmothers Connection:

2014 contributions to the SLF Grandmothers to Grandmothers Campaign from the sale of Kazuri Jewellery = \$57,907

Since 2007 contributions to the SLF G to G Campaign = \$743,510

There will be no more sales by Grandmother Groups of Kazuri Jewellery after August 31, 2015.

Submitted by,

Marilyn Simmons

Bake Sale Committee Report

The Bake Sale was held again in conjunction with the Marda Loop Justice Film Festival in the NGO Village on November 21-23 at River Park Church. It was organized for the first time as a Bake Sale Committee consisting of Heather McKenzie and Mieke Van Dijk, assisted by Louise Breadner, Donna Taylor and Cathy O'Gradie.

We had many volunteers helping with the bake sale and Kazuri Jewellery Sale with one person from the committee always present. Most of the volunteers brought in generous donations of baking as well.

We had many members and friends bring in baking mainly on the Friday and Saturday. We had donations of bread, cupcakes, squares, cookies, caramel popcorn, pies, jams, and much more. We had a few savory treats and gluten-free baking as well. We sent out requests via email for baking and had many generous donations. They sold very well, and most were gone by 4:30PM on Sunday.

The proceeds of the bake sale resulted in \$1950 and addition funds from the Kazuri Jewellery. For the first time customers were able to use credit cards to pay for the baking if they spent a minimum amount of \$20.

The jewellery and bake sale were a great success again both in terms of money for and awareness of the Stephen Lewis Foundation's effort to help African Grandmothers.

On behave of Heather and I, I would like to express my heartfelt thanks to the board, all members, their families, and friends for supporting us for the past three years in raising funds for the Stephen Lewis Foundation.

Respectfully submitted,

Mieke Van Dijk

Membership and Communication Report

The membership of UJAMAA GRANDMAS continues to grow. There were fifty-five individuals who signed on as members of UJAMAA GRANDMAS between January 1 and December 31, 2014 and nineteen individuals signed on as customers. At the end of December 2014 there were 415 members and 286 customers.

In March of 2014, the board of UJAMAA GRANDMAS made a decision to amalgamate those individuals that had previously signed on as friends with those who signed on as members. One hundred thirteen emails were sent to individuals listed as friends who had previously submitted their full information on the survey and ninety seven who had previously only submitted their email addresses. Forty-four individuals indicated that they wanted to be members. Sixteen responded by providing further information about themselves. Those that did not respond by May 1 were assumed to be okay with being added to the members list.

At every UJAMAA GRANDMAS event members of the Speaker's Bureau are available to greet individuals, handout printed materials both about UJAMAA GRANDMAS and the Stephen Lewis Foundation and answer questions. Potential members and customers are encouraged to complete the on-line survey on the UJAMAA GRANDMAS' website indicating their preference to become either a member or a customer.

The membership survey provides a useful way to search for individuals that express an interest in volunteering to assist with specific events and tasks.

New members receive a welcome email and are provided with information about the links to The Stephen Lewis website as well as the Grandmothers Campaign website. Members are encouraged to sign up for the Granny Bulletin as well as the Grassroots newsletter. Members receive the UJAMAA GRANDMAS monthly E-News as well as other important updates.

Customer also receive a welcome email outlining the types of information that they will receive – notifications about the Bags, Babies and Beyond Sale, the Fashion Show and the Fabric and Yarn sale.

UJAMAA GRANDMAS continues to be a dynamic, growing organization made up of caring and dedicated women with an array of diverse skills and interests but with a common goal of contributing to the lives of grandmothers and children in Africa.

Submitted by Susan Plesuk

Membership and Communication Coordinator

Fundraising Co-ordinator's Report

The major fundraising efforts for UJAMAA GRANDMAS continue to be two large sales: the Fabric and Yarn Sale and the Bags, Babies and Beyond Sale. In addition, there were several other fundraisers this year, including the Justice Film Festival Bake Sale, Kazuri Jewellery sales, the tea cozy sales at the Banff Tea Company, and the partnership day at Ten Thousand Villages. This year, as in previous years, we received a donation from Rotary Club of Calgary Heritage Park, which covers the major part of the hall rental for the Bags, Babies and Beyond sale.

From time to time, new fundraising ideas are brought to the Board of Directors for guidance and approval. At the current time, there is a new ad hoc committee exploring the possibility of a plant sale in the near future.

Janice Meeking

Fundraising Coordinator

Speakers Bureau Report

Activities of the Speaker's Bureau for this past year have concentrated on ways to most effectively disseminate information about UJAMAA GRANDMAS and the work of the Stephen Lewis Foundation. We have done revisions on the education page of the website plus our slide presentation and reached out to community groups who might be interested in a presentation. Participating in the committee over the year have been Susan Plesuk, Sharon Wildwind, Alice Campbell, Sally Shah, and Anne Taylor. This year has been unique because following the Canadian grandmothers tour to Africa in the spring, Alison Longson, one of the participants, has been doing the bulk of our presentations and we would like to underline what a contribution this has been to spreading our message.

Following is a listing of presentations for 2014

My World junior high conference - talked with 300+ students (Susan and Anne)
ARC Resources - 20 staff who will volunteer at fabric sale (Anne)
Shaganappi book club - 8 members (Louise Breadner)
Woodcliff United Church - 12 (Susan)
St. Peter's Anglican Church - 20 - (Anne and Alison)
Signature Park senior's residence - (Susan and Alice)

The following were presentations by Alison:

Medicine Hat Grannies - 25
Cochrane Kujali Bibi grandmothers - 60
St. Laurence Anglican Church - 35
UJAMAA GRANDMAS annual general meeting - 40
open to public at St. Laurence church X2 - 64
St. James study group - 9
Unitarian Church - 40
Edmonton regional gathering - ++
Bow Valley Quilters guild - 60
Sons of Norway - 25
Calgary Association of Lifelong Learners - 30
Silver Springs book club - 18
Highwood Seniors - 21
Lethbridge Harambee Grandmas - 65

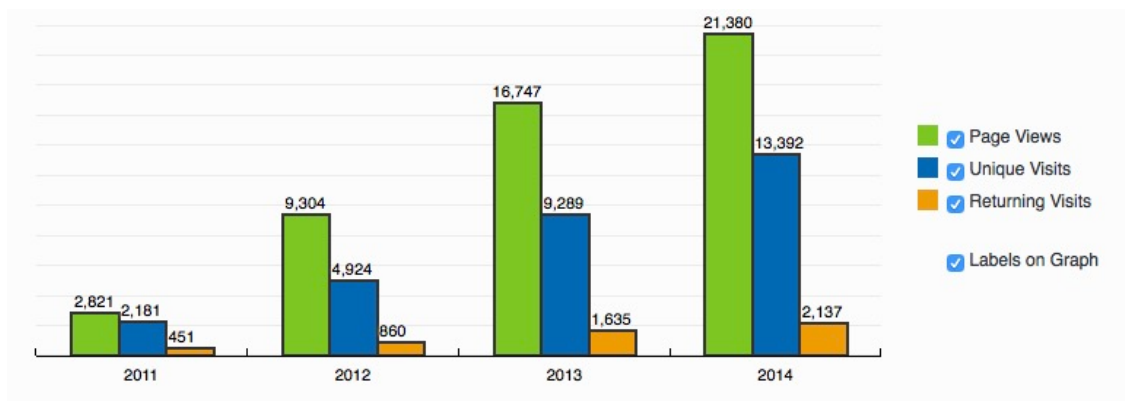
Submitted by Anne Taylor March 2015

Webmaster's Report

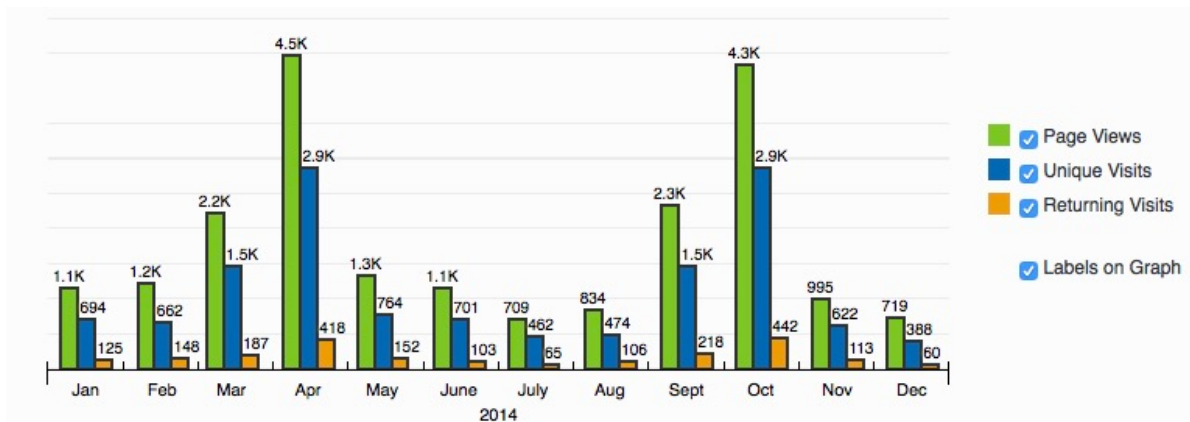
The primary functions of the web site are to provide regular communication to Members, online Membership registration and Workshop and Event sign up.

In May 2014, an online system was utilized via the web site to change our Membership structure. The category "Friend" was eliminated and about 90% of those who originally signed on as Friends became Members. A small percentage relinquished their membership due to moves and the remainder became Customers. All this was accomplished via the web-based sign up process.

No significant functional or cosmetic changes were made to the web site in 2014. Web traffic continued to show steady growth. Since the 2011 launch, the web site has improved its reach to Members and the public year over year. In 2014 there were 13,400 unique visits to the website compared to about 9300 visits in 2013, just under 5,000 in 2012 and 2,000 in 2011.



Month on month, traffic to the web site remains steady with an average of 1100 unique visits per month including April and October. These months and the month prior to each see exceptional traffic because of FABRIC & YARN SALE in April and BAGS, BABIES & BEYOND in October.



The top five pages by number of visits to the site include:

- HOME, where Members can check the Calendar and Bulletin Board
- FUNDRAISING, where information on the various events and the funds raised and ways to donate can be accessed;
- HANDCRAFTS, a resource for handcrafters providing feedback on what sells, links to patterns, past issues of Handcrafts Monthly and the workshops calendar

Submitted by Patty Cucman

Ujamaa Grandmas 2014 Financial Statements

(Unaudited)

Date: 2015-04-14

Balance Sheet 2014					
	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	
Assets					
TD Bank Account	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,950.88	\$ 3,082.83	
ATB Bank Account	\$ 52,267.50	\$ 1,410.17	\$ -	\$ -	
2015 Prepaid Expense BBB Rent deposit	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 376.69	\$ 430.06	
2014 Prepaid Expense Fashion Show deposit	\$ -	\$ 150.00			
	\$ -	\$ -			
Total Assets	\$ 52,767.50	\$ 2,060.17	\$ 2,327.57	\$ 3,512.89	
Liabilities					
Total Liabilities	\$ -	\$ -			
Total Equity	\$ 52,767.50	\$ 2,060.17	\$ 2,327.57	\$ 3,512.89	

Income Statement 2014					
	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	
Income					
Bags, Babies and Beyond Sale	\$ 50,582.79	\$ 40,112.03	\$ 34,449.50	\$ 33,814.96	
Fabric and Yarn Sale	\$ 32,583.25	\$ 28,824.35	\$ 19,382.66	\$ 20,455.80	
Fashion Show	\$ 5,282.79	\$ -	\$ 6,528.00	\$ -	
Raffles	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,492.00	\$ 1,003.00	
Kazuri Jewellery Sales	\$ 7,238.00	\$ 3,713.00	\$ 8,714.98	\$ 5,875.00	
Bake Sale at Justice Film Festival	\$ 1,974.25	\$ 1,835.35	\$ 2,438.75	\$ 1,512.35	
Miscellaneous Donations	\$ 5.97	\$ 1,804.00	\$ 164.00	\$ 430.00	
Miscellaneous Sale during year	\$ -	\$ 65.00	\$ 158.00	\$ 116.00	
Ten Thousand Villages	\$ 1,599.00	\$ -	\$ 780.94	\$ 874.57	
Speaker's Bureau	\$ 127.00	\$ 1,105.00	\$ 220.00	\$ 565.00	
Change / Pennies for Change	\$ 98.09	\$ 1,167.99	\$ 1,124.00	\$ -	
Milestone Birthdays	\$ 80.00	\$ 115.00	\$ 300.00	\$ -	
You can't take it with you Workshop	\$ -	\$ 425.00			
Alberta Gathering	\$ 125.00	\$ 5,437.00			
Banff Tea Company	\$ 2,234.62	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Walk in the Park	\$ 690.00	\$ -			
SLF Calendars	\$ 260.00				
Tribunal Film ticket sales at door	\$ -				
School Project			\$ -	\$ 1,291.23	
Workshops			\$ -	\$ 49.75	
Total Income	\$ 102,880.76	\$ 84,603.72	\$ 75,752.83	\$ 65,987.66	
Expenses					
Stephen Lewis Foundation Donations	\$ 35,200.00	\$ 70,090.00	\$ 58,420.00	\$ 59,142.00	
Bags, Babies and Beyond Sale	\$ 2,180.17	\$ 2,906.75	\$ 2,227.72	\$ 2,529.04	
Fabric and Yarn Sale	\$ 1,141.44	\$ 1,427.08	\$ 988.29	\$ 1,273.37	
Fashion Show	\$ 1,787.02	\$ -	\$ 3,881.75	\$ -	
Kazuri Jewellery payments	\$ 7,238.00	\$ 3,708.00	\$ 8,715.00	\$ 5,888.00	
Alberta Gathering	\$ -	\$ 3,535.40			
Admin, Supplies, Materials & Website	\$ 266.80	\$ 150.68	\$ 437.10	\$ 611.85	
Bank Charges	\$ 80.52	\$ 163.36	\$ 60.40	\$ 59.40	
Moneris Monthly Fees	\$ 407.90	\$ 143.13	\$ 194.00	\$ 197.00	
Insurance	\$ 1,646.00	\$ 1,521.00	\$ 1,705.00	\$ 195.00	
Public Awareness Materials	\$ 3.96	\$ 252.32	\$ 258.94	\$ -	
Expenses qualified against raffle proceeds	\$ 1,050.48	\$ 1,043.47			
SLF Calendars	\$ 260.00				
Walk in the Park	\$ 690.00				
Miscellaneous expense	\$ 221.66	\$ 100.00	\$ 50.00	\$ -	
Total Expense	\$ 52,173.95	\$ 85,041.19	\$ 76,938.20	\$ 69,895.66	
Income less expenses	\$ 50,706.81	-\$ 437.47	-\$ 1,185.37	\$ 3,908.00	

Summary of Major Fund Raisers - Net Income					
Bags, Babies and Beyond Sale	\$ 48,402.62	\$ 37,205.28	\$ 32,221.78	\$ 31,285.92	
Fabric and Yarn Sale	\$ 31,441.81	\$ 27,397.27	\$ 18,394.37	\$ 19,182.43	
Alberta Gathering	\$ 125.00	\$ 1,901.60			
Fashion Show	\$ 3,495.77	\$ -	\$ 2,646.25	\$ -	

Raffle money that needs to be spent			
Oct 2011 raffle Money - balance needs to be spent by Oct 2013	Complete	\$ -	
Sep/Oct 2012 raffle Money - balance needs to be spent by Oct 2014	Complete	\$ 0.00	
No Raffle held in 2013		\$ -	

Total transfers to SLF - to date including 2014 transfers	2006 - 2013	\$ 589,630.53	\$ 114,502.80	\$ 704,133.33
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Financial Report for the Fiscal Year January 1 - December 31, 2014

Treasurer's Statement

As Treasurer of the organization, I certify that the information in the attached Financial Report is a true and complete accounting of the financial activities and assets of the Ujamaa Grandmas for the fiscal year January 1 - December 31, 2014.

Name: *Lynette Johnston* Date: *Apr. 10, 2015*

Signature: *L. Johnston*

Financial Reviewers' Report

As the appointed financial reviewers, we have reviewed the Financial Report of the Ujamaa Grandmas for the fiscal year January 1 - December 31, 2014. The review included examination of the financial records and supporting documentation as provided to us in the course of the review.

In our opinion, this report fairly presents the results of the Ujamaa Grandmas organization for the fiscal year and its financial position at December 31, 2014, on an accounting basis consistent with that of the preceding year. We have made a number of recommendations for presentation to the Board of Directors, and are available for further consultation with the Treasurer.

Name: *MONA JONES*

Date: *Apr 10/15*

Signature: *Mona Jones*

Name: *Yasmin Jamani*

Date *Apr 10/15*

Signature: *Y. Jamani*