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Scott McDonald and David Gloury from Financial Wisdom present a cheque to Glenn Einsiedel from Save the Children.

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We would like to thank all of our staff and sponsors who have given so generously at our study tours over the years to support the work of Save the Children, Australia's leading independent emergency relief and development organisation for children.

Financial Wisdom has been supporting Save the Children for many years, and with this year's contribution we will have now donated almost \$250,000. Since 2010 we have specifically focused on funding the Children's Emergency Fund. With up to 175 million of children predicted to be affected every year by natural disasters and conflict over the next decade, we feel that it is an area that needs our support.

Financial Wisdom's General Manager, Mark Ballantyne will again recognise your support by generously matching every donation dollar for dollar. This means that your donation will be doubled, which in turn will go towards helping more children following an emergency. All donations are tax deductible.

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Children's Emergency Fund

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Save the Children is committed to reducing children's vulnerability to emergencies, ensuring their right to survival and development after an emergency and providing the support they and their families need to quickly recover and re-establish their lives.

When we do respond to emergencies, we provide shelter, food and nutrition, relief items, clean water, child protection, health services and education in emergencies. These activities are critical to saving lives, relieving suffering, and helping to normalise children's lives after a traumatic event.

By supporting our Children's Emergency Fund, you are allowing us to help children when they need it most. We are working to reach over 700,000 people in Syria and across the region. Save the Children is on the ground:

- Distributing food and essential items such as soap, towels, blankets and toothbrushes to children and families arriving in refugee camps.
- Providing safe spaces for children to play and recover from the trauma they have experienced.
- Providing toolkits with equipment and supplies for families to supplement and protect their shelters.
- Providing cash transfers to help families buy food, water and other essential items.
- Providing educational support and assistance to help children catch-up on what they have missed and continue their education.

**“Children are the
UNTOLD STORY of
this terrible crisis.”**

Australian aid worker Roger Hearn is leading Save the Children's response in the Syria region.

“Before the conflict, Syria was a middle income country where the population was generally well educated and quite healthy. Now, people don't have basic shelter, don't have basic sanitation supplies, and don't have access to education or health services. Children are seeing family members killed in front of them, are seeing their houses destroyed and are being forced to flee their homes. Children are having their lives completely turned upside down. Many children have been out of school for more than two years. All of this creates huge trauma for children.

“We've had situations where children literally stop talking, the trauma is so great. But we've also seen some positive situations where children, after they've had the chance to spend time in our Child Friendly Spaces, start to express themselves a little bit more and start to open up about what they have been through. Through drawings, through talking to other children and through play, children can slowly start to recover.”

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