

OneSky Foundation Limited



# Annual Report 2023





# ORGANIZATION OVERVIEW 機構簡介

Year of Establishment	2006
Registration Type	Registered under Companies Ordinance Company Limited by Guarantee (Ref no. :1031802)
Tax Exempted Charitable Institute	Yes (IRD File No.: 91/8103)
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No. of Service Centers/Units	1
No. of Staff	25



# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE 機構管治

## Vision

With quality early care, all children can thrive, no matter the circumstances they are born to.

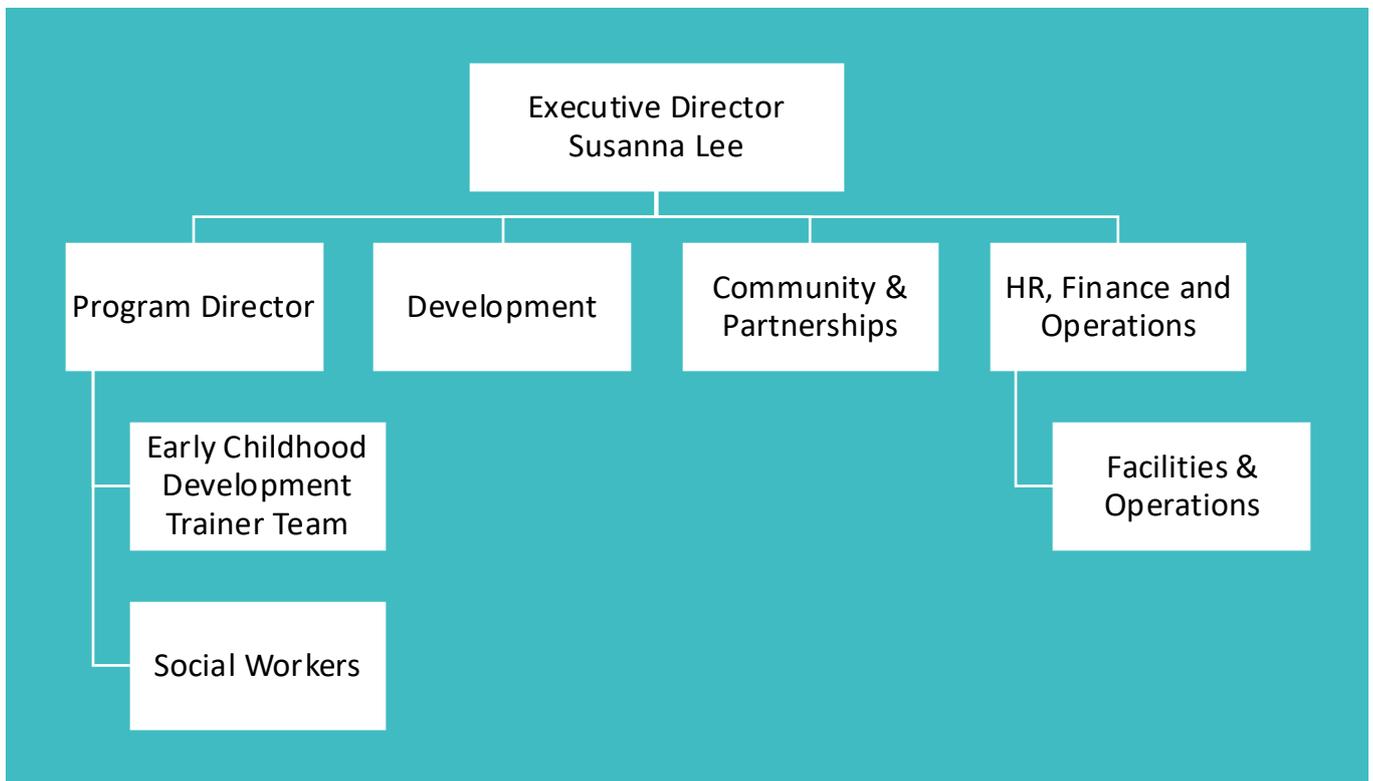
## Mission

OneSky aims to empower caregivers with children aged between 0-6 from low-income families through parenting and early childhood care so as to help foster their children's growth.

# Description on Organizational Structure

**Board of Director**      Jenny Bowen  
                                 Timothy Scott Huxley  
                                 Morgan Hurley Lance

**Executive Director**      Susanna Lee





# MAJOR BUSINESSES AND ACITIVITIES

## 年度主要會務及活動

2023 marked a significant milestone for the P. C. Lee OneSky Global Centre with the launch of Hong Kong's first *Community Living Room* for underprivileged families with young children. Initiated and sponsored by the Chow Tai Fook Charity Foundation and further supported by the Partnership Fund for the Disadvantaged of HKSARG, all 18 services are now fully operational.

By empowering adult caregivers from low-income families to provide responsive care, foster nurturing learning environments, and build supportive networks, OneSky aims to ensure that all children can thrive, regardless of the circumstances they were born into.



An opening ceremony followed by an exclusive family reunion dinner with vulnerable families was held. A total of 150 guests, including government officials, community partners, representatives and guests from sponsors, media and OneSky families joined to celebrate the establishment.

Four pillars of services have been launched to support low-income families with children aged between 0 – 6 years old. Services include (1) Caregivers support: parental guidance workshops and talks, caregiver support groups, counseling and relaxing space called Caregiver Lounge; (2) Parent-child activities : facilitated play, singing, storytelling, parent-child activities, intergeneration activities, baby massages; (3) Family Services: napping room, community cafeteria with luncheon, sibling temporary care and activities. Also, we kicked off “Community Helpers Program” to encourage caregivers to be Community Helpers, share their experiences and give back to other caregivers in low-resourced communities.



Community Helpers actively assist in parent-child programs.



We continued to collaborate with like-minded organizations, strengthening a supportive network for early childhood development. In 2023, we organized two NGO Community Fun Fairs, which received an overwhelming response. A total of 12 community partners participated, engaging over 350 families and 880 individuals. These events provided a valuable opportunity for our beneficiaries to explore community resources that support their needs.

We aim to support underprivileged families with children aged between 0-6 years old in Hong Kong. In 2023,



**834 families** have been reached



**1,253 caregivers** were trained



**1,444 children** were benefitted

# Brief Description on Major Service, Events and Projects

## I. CAREGIVER SUPPORT

OneSky provides interactive parental guidance to enhance caregivers' childcare knowledge and techniques to support their children's development. We also offer physical and mental health resources and assist caregivers in establishing a social network.

Services include Parenting Skills Training Program, parenthood education and seminars, caregiver emotional support groups, consultations, referrals and counselling and a caregiver lounge, a relaxing space for caregivers to get away from their hectic lives and connect with each other.



## II. PARENT-CHILD ACTIVITIES

Early Childhood Development Trainers help caregivers strengthen parent-child relationships through early learning opportunities.

Activities including festive parties, cross-generational activities and baby massage classes enhance learning opportunities among children of different ages, and improve harmony and relationship in families.



Families learn through play and establish a closer parent-child relationship during facilitated play sessions. We also foster young children's physical, mental and emotional development by utilizing music and storytelling.



### III. FAMILY SERVICES

To meet the constant care needs of families, we provide services to maintain health and wellness.



#### Community Cafeteria

Provide affordable and nutritious meals to help families stay healthy while enjoying a space to gather and share stories and experiences.



#### Sibling Care

Short-term childcare service for older children (aged 7-12) during parent-child activities for younger children.



#### Napping Room

Provide caregivers and children with a quiet and comfortable space to rest.

### IV. COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

Community partnerships play a vital role in expanding our impact and fostering a supportive network for underprivileged families. Through **community outreach**, we collaborate with like-minded NGOs to create synergy and provide mutual support, organizing events that welcome beneficiaries from various organizations to explore available resources.

Besides, our **Community Training Program** equip community nannies, students, and volunteers from diverse backgrounds with the skills to support young children and caregivers. By strengthening these partnerships, we build a more inclusive and resourceful community that empowers families and enhances early childhood development.





## IMPACT OF SERVICES 服務成效

Since the establishment of the Community Living Room, OneSky's services have made a meaningful impact on low-income families with young children, despite running for only a few months. A key focus of our work is empowering caregivers through **parental guidance** and training, which is central to our mission. Providing caregivers with the knowledge, confidence, and tools to offer responsive care, we help strengthen parent-child bonds and promote healthier child development. Our training equips caregivers with the skills to create nurturing environments that support children's growth and well-being. In addition to parental guidance, families have accessed vital resources such as counselling, temporary care, and community connections, helping to alleviate stress and improve overall well-being.

Parents like Kathy – a mother of a 5-year-old son Ron and 2-year-old daughter Ying-ying - sees OneSky as her second home. Like many other toddlers who were largely affected by the pandemic these two years, Ron missed crucial opportunities to develop his language and interpersonal abilities since he was three. Kathy felt completely helpless to find a solution for these developmental challenges facing her son, and cope with the anxiety caused by financial difficulties and the family's health.

Kathy recalled the caring and loving environments the ECD Trainers have created, "When I first joined the facilitated play sessions, Suki the ECD Trainer, noticed us and took the initiative to speak with me. It was only when I shared my circumstances with her, that I realized I had been using all my efforts to endure and survive all these problems that I had never had a moment to look after myself. I was so grateful for her love and care because I have not felt valued or understood for a very long time." With Suki's recommendation, Kathy joined caregiver training and eagerly put her learning into practice which benefitted Ron's development significantly.



As a shy and quiet Mom, Kathy made a huge effort to socialize with other families with some encouragement of our Family Mentors, and made good friends at OneSky! She witnessed the development of her children, and even herself as she formed a new social circle. "It wasn't easy, yet I know how valuable it has been, especially seeing the transformation on all three of us," says the happy Mom.

## FUTURE PLANS AND DEVELOPMENT

### 未來計劃及發展

Looking ahead, OneSky is focused on refining and expanding the 18 services currently in operation. We will continue to assess and improve these offerings to ensure they meet the specific needs of low-income families. Our plans include expanding our community connections, actively seeking new partnerships with local organizations, and increasing access to resources for families.

We are exploring the possibility of introducing **respite care services**, providing caregivers with short-term relief while ensuring children are engaged in safe, stimulating activities. As we expand our program offerings, OneSky aims to create a more comprehensive support system for families, empowering caregivers and helping children thrive in their early years.

# FINANCIAL SITUATION

## 財務狀況

Period covered by the latest available audited Annual Financial Statements:  
January 2023 – December 2023

The latest annual financial statements including the report of the auditors and the report of the directors have been submitted to Companies Registry.

*Onesky Foundation Limited*  
*Financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023*

### STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

	Note	2023 HK\$	2022 HK\$
<b>Income</b>	5	<b>17,633,158</b>	14,024,798
Program expenses		<b>(17,993,120)</b>	(20,309,073)
Other income	6	<b>408,888</b>	529,320
Administrative and other operating expenses		<b>(4,466,521)</b>	(4,057,446)
Finance costs	7	<b>(544,338)</b>	(840,938)
<b>Deficit before tax</b>	8	<b>(4,961,933)</b>	(10,653,339)
Income tax expense	10	-	-
<b>Deficit for the year</b>		<b>(4,961,933)</b>	(10,653,339)
Other comprehensive income for the year		-	-
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>		<b>(4,961,933)</b>	(10,653,339)

The accompanying Accounting Policies and Explanatory Notes form an integral part of, and should be read in conjunction with, these financial statements.

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