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## Press Release

Attention Arts and Features Editors

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### ***Children's Creative Arts Exhibition - The Eyes of a Child***

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Osage Art Foundation is pleased to host the 9<sup>th</sup> "Children's Creative Arts Exhibition" presented by Hong Kong Christian Service. The theme for this year is "The Eyes of a Child". The exhibition presents more than 100 two-dimensional and three-dimensional artworks by children aged from four to six from different units of Hong Kong Christian Service nursery schools.

Children's art pieces always radiate joy, love and warmth, the most satisfied smiles and the most touching vitality. Everything that happens in their life is incredible and fantastic! "Tale" tells our grew up memories accompanied by Hong Kong local street snacks and traditional festivals; the "Sensation" of giving the poor stray dog a bone; the "Imagination" of sleeping on the dazzling stone bed in the Starfish Palace; as well as the "Dream" of becoming a professional racecar driver...

Every art piece is created according to our children's unique tastes. The way they handle shapes, colors and space are very different from the grown-ups. Through exaggerated facial expressions and proportions, and whimsical ideas, our children have expressed their experiences and feelings boldly and authentically.

If you look at life with “the eyes of a child”, you will discover that their world is simple and without any hypocrisy or pretence. One would only find happy companions, loving families and a heart of gratitude towards man and nature.

Works shown in this exhibition, as agreed by the parents, will be available for sale and all proceeds will be donated to the Hong Kong Christian Service Children’s Art Development Fund to support children art education.

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#### **ABOUT THE EYES OF A CHILD**

Venue:	Osage Open
Address:	4/F, Union Hing Yip Factory Bldg, 20 Hing Yip St, Kwun Tong, Hong Kong
Exhibition Duration:	1 August 2012 till 15 August 2012
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Tour:	For guided tour please contact Sybil Kot at 2793 4817 or <a href="mailto:sybilkot@osageartideas.com">sybilkot@osageartideas.com</a>

**PRESS IMAGES:**



*My Best Beloved*  
Lam Ka Hong (5 years)  
Acrylic on panel  
25 cm x 36 cm



*Little Jello*  
Chan Cheuk Yin (6 years)  
Mixed media on panel  
30 cm x 30 cm



*Undersea Adventure*  
Huang Ka Ming (6 years)  
Acrylic on panel  
25 cm x 36 cm



*Family of Crowned Ducks*  
Chloe Wong  
Acrylic on panel  
30 cm x 40cm

## **ABOUT OSAGE ART FOUNDATION**

The Osage Art Foundation (OAF), established in 2004, works in the areas of cultural exchange, educational outreach and the building of knowledge. And since 2005, OAF has been promoting cross cultural understanding through art exhibitions between Hong Kong, China, Japan, Singapore, the Philippines, Myanmar and Thailand. OAF exhibitions develop from substantial research, aim to make strong statements about significant as well as emerging artists, and to provide regional platforms for innovative curatorial perspectives. While the arts from Asia have become increasingly visible both within this part of the world, and globally, OAF recognises that more needs to be done to develop the cultural conversations happening within Asia. Even today, the exchanges between artists in Asia are too often mediated by global centre in Europe and North America.

Osage Art Foundation is part of the Osage Group encompassing the Osage Gallery, Osage Art Consultancy and Osage Design.

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## **About the Hong Kong Christian Service**

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