

## YARMOUTH GROUP HOLDS ANNUAL COMMUNITY DAY AND HELPS KIDSXPRESS

Sydney, Friday 13 April 2012

Sydney-based Yarmouth Group has conducted its annual Community Day today and assisted KidsXpress. Yarmouth Community day is an annual company event where Yarmouth staff and partners assist community groups instead of attending Yarmouth offices.

KidsXpress, a Social Impact Program, provides a dynamic expressive therapy program that offers a non-threatening and creative environment to children. It provides children with positive, healthy coping mechanisms to face the challenges and stresses that life presents.

Yarmouth Managing Director Andrew McNeil joined in with other Yarmouth team members to celebrate Community Day. Mr McNeil commented how proud Yarmouth Group and its staff and partners are in supporting Community Day and KidsXpress. "Yarmouth is so excited to be able to assist KidsXpress by coming into the KidsXpress offices in Moore Park and volunteering our time for the day."

Executive Director and CEO of KidsXpress Margo Ward explained that "KidsXpress is for children between the ages of 4 to 14 years who are experiencing difficulty, loss, challenge or trauma. KidsXpress provides a safe place for children to express their fears and anxieties with highly trained and experienced therapists."

Ms Ward also commented about how important corporate support is to KidsXpress. Ms Ward said "we are grateful to our corporate partners and thank them for their ongoing support. We welcome any corporate groups who are interested in our work and invite them to be involved."

Mr McNeil said how impressed Yarmouth is with the KidsXpress program. "The team at KidsXpress are so impressive. They empower children by providing a creative opportunity to identify, express, enjoy and enhance positive strategies for their lives. These skills seek to significantly increase the self-esteem and resilience of the children and will contribute to their development to healthy adulthood."

The programs at KidsXpress allow children to express themselves in a way that they usually wouldn't with their parents, family, teachers or friends. Interfacing music, art, dance and drama therapies assist the children to develop tools for life and grow into confident young people and adults.

### ABOUT YARMOUTH GROUP

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- corporate advisory
- real estate investment advisory
- private equity
- corporate governance
- management consulting

We target small to medium sized enterprises seeking independent and professional corporate advice.

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### ABOUT KIDSXPRESS

KidsXpress is a Social Impact Program established to provide a dynamic expressive therapy program that offers a non-threatening and creative environment to children. It provides children with positive, healthy coping mechanisms to face the challenges and stresses that life presents. KidsXpress empowers children by providing a creative opportunity to identify, express, enjoy and enhance positive strategies for their lives. These skills will significantly increase the self-esteem and resilience of children and will contribute to their development to healthy adulthood.

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