

A REPORT on  
Annual General Meeting (AGM) 2011



Non-Resident Nepali Association  
National Coordination Council, FINLAND

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# 1. Annual General Meeting

The second Annual General Meeting of (AGM) of NRNA-Finland was successfully held in Helsinki, Finland on 15 May 2011. Following general members were present:

1. Devi Dutt Sharma
2. Sushil Gyanwali
3. Kulmani Bhandari
4. Gopal Aryal
5. Jiban Kharel
6. Mohammad Shabbir
7. Ram Prasad Aryal
8. Pratigya Khanal
9. Bimala K.C.
10. Ranjana Piya
11. Krishna Bhandari
12. Suman Khadka
13. Bishwas Hamal
14. Bal Krishna Shrestha
15. Sijan Shrestha
16. Suman Aryal
17. Sudeep Bhusan Aryal
18. Gautam Raj Moktan
19. Prem Raj Adhikari
20. Bhawani Chamlagain
21. Ganesh Newpane
22. Bishnu Bahadur Thapa
23. Dharma Raj Bhandari
24. Deepak Gautam
25. Dinesh Sharma
26. Shrawan Khanal
27. Sushil Gautam
28. Manju Sharma
29. Arun Pokhrel
30. Byoma Tamrakar
31. Basanta Ghimire

Legitimacy of the meeting and presence of a quorum: **Yes**

Invitees: **None**

Venue: **Työpajankatu 2 D, Helsinki (premises of Moniheli)**

Date: **Sunday, 2011.05.15**

Time: **10:30 AM -12:30 PM**

Chair: **Mr. Shrwan Khanal**

Secretary: **Mr. Prem Raj Adhikari**

Minute Checkers: Mr. Bhawani Chamlagain and Mr. Sushil Gautam

## **Agendas**

1. Opening
2. Selection of Chair for the meeting
3. Selection of Secretary for the meeting
4. Selection of Checkers for checking Minutes of AGM
5. Presentation of Annual Report 2010
6. Presentation of Financial Report 2010
7. Activity Plan for year 2011
8. Budget Plan for year 2011
9. Exemption of current board from liabilities
10. Auditors for the year 2011
11. Membership fee
12. Election
  - Chairman
  - ICC Representative
  - Board Members
13. Closing of the meeting

## Decisions:

1. Current acting chairperson of NRNA-Finland Ms. Byoma Tamrakar officially opened the meeting at 10:30 AM.
2. The meeting unanimously selected Mr. Shrawan Khanal as the chair for the meeting. After the selection of the chair, the chair of the meeting was handed over to Mr. Shrawan Khanal.
3. Mr. Prem Raj Adhikari was unanimously selected as the secretary for the annual general meeting.
4. Mr. Bhawani Chamlagain and Mr. Sushil Gautam were also unanimously selected as the checkers of minutes of the AGM to be written by Mr. Prem Raj Adhikari.
5. Current acting chairperson of the NRNA-Finland Ms. Byoma Tamrakar presented the annual report of NRNA-Finland for the year 2009-10 (cf. section 2, page 8-14). The highlights of the presentation were that the elected chairperson in August 2009 election was not active because of his business and personal reasons. Hence, Ms. Byoma Tamrakar was appointed as the acting chairperson by the board. The objectives of NRNA-Finland were elucidated in a broader context. Some of the objectives included accessing the ways to help Nepal in different areas. She said that NRNA-Finland plans to help students but since the organization is an NGO, it can not officially provide support to the students especially regarding official matters. Acting chairperson acknowledged that all the promises of the present board were not fulfilled. Since, this was the first officially elected board; they had many hindrances in working in general. However, they have set the directions and gathered many experiences and newly formed board can utilize those experiences and work better. She especially focused on financial problems of NRNA-Finland. Out of €10 collected from the members as membership fees, \$3 is to be paid to the NRN international co-ordination council. She said that the members should be mainly focus on what they can do for NRN rather than thinking what NRNA can do for them. There are three Nepali organizations in Finland: NRNA-Finland, Suomalais-nepalilainen yhdistys ry and Suomi-Nepal Seura. They had a meeting and decided on three proposals: a. Constructing Nepali Temple b. Celebrating Nepali festivals and c. Running Nepali school. However, major success was not achieved in any of the three proposals because of the lack of resources. Joint organization of Dashain celebration with Suomalais-nepalilainen yhdistys ry, organization of sports activities like football and volleyball, organization of summer picnics, and promotion of Nepal tourism year with an event organized in presence of Manisha Koirala, the Bollyhood actress of Nepali origin were the major achievements of NRNA-Finland. NRNA-Finland is searching for ways to help students in different ways but has not yet found solutions to the problems such as visa renewal and unavailability of work. Sushil Gyawali presented the part of the report containing the ICC relationships.

**Discussions:** Mr. Gautam Raj Moktan raised the issue regarding changing the objectives of the organization so that it differs from other Nepali organizations here in Finland. Sushil

Gautam raised the issue about not involving the general members in raising and spending funds for the library project in Nepal. Representatives from the current board Mr. Krishna Bhandari, Mr. Sushil Gyawali and Mr. Arun Pokhrel answered the questions raised by the members. Mr. Krishna Bhandari is coordinating the library project in Nepal, so interested members can contact him directly. The annual report was unanimously approved.

6. Current treasurer of NRNA-Finland Mr. Arun Pokhrel presented the financial report (cf. section 3, page 16-21). Financial report was also unanimously approved by the AGM.
7. Current acting chairperson of NRNA-Finland Ms. Byoma Tamrakar presented the activity plan for the year 2011 (cf. section 4. page 15). The activity included sports, summer picnics and already accomplished work such as honoring of the graduates. Activity plan was also unanimously approved.
8. Current treasurer of NRNA-Finland Mr. Arun Pokhrel proposed the budget for the year 2011 of € 11,000 (cf. section 3, page 21).

**Discussions:** Mr. Devi Dutt Sharma questioned the budget as the planned expenses were €11,000 but the current account of NRNA-Finland only has €1,700 in the form of assets. Mr. Suman Aryal questioned the budget planned for sports activities were €1,200 but last year's expenses were only around €160. Mr. Arun Pokhrel answered the queries saying that NRNA-Finland would organize some fund raising activities to collect the fund and apply to different funding agencies for the funds as well as the sponsors. Regarding the expenses of for sports activities, Mr. Pokhrel said that expenses would be around €1,000 but the bills were payed only in year 2011 so the expenses would be included in the financial report for the year 2011. Mr. Suman Khadka answered about the rise in the cost for sports activities is because NRNA-Finland plans to have grassy outfield this year instead of muddy outfield used last year so the cost would increase. Financial report was also unanimously approved by AGM. Suman Aryal also raised the issue about the presentation for the winners of sports activities. His suggestion that prizes should be something concrete such as medals and souvenirs was unanimously approved. Also the suggestion that beers should not be given as prizes were unanimously approved as the participants for the sports activities could be below 18 years of age.

9. Mr. Sushil Gyawali proposed exemption of liabilities for current board as new board is going to be elected. The proposal was unanimously passed by AGM.
10. The AGM also unanimously passed a vote of thanks to Chief financial officer of cancer society of Finland Mr. Eero Keränen for auditing the account of NRNA-Finland free of cost. Mr. Keränen was also unanimously approved as the auditor for the year 2011.
11. Byoma Tamrakar raised the proposal about the changes in the membership fees. Mr. Bal Krishna Shrestha proposed the plan to decrease the membership fees for the students. Many board members discussed the issue and since no unanimous decision could be reached, the chair of the meeting Mr. Shrawan Khanal put the motion on the floor for voting. The motion was "Should any changes be made to the current membership fees structure?". The AGM with a majority voted against making any changes to the current membership fees. The

results were 21-8-2 where 21 members voted that there should be no changes to the current fees structure, 8 voted that there should be some changes where as 2 members remained neutral on the issue.

12. In among other decisions; Mr. Shrwan Khanal was unanimously chosen as the official link to the media for NRNA-Finland activities. He would be contacted by current board for distribution of news in future.
13. Election committee chair Mr. Gautam Raj Muktan presented the election procedures and results. The election result is also included in this report (cf. section 5, page 22). Election committee member Prem Raj Adhikari discussed the election procedures especially with regard to the election of ICC representative. Since the NRN-Finland's charter was silent on the election of ICC-representative, Mr. Sushil Gyawali proposed amendment to the current NRN Finland's charter that ICC-representative be directly elected from the AGM. The AGM unanimously decided to amend the NRNA-Finland's constitution. The chair of the meeting Mr. Shrwan Khanal officially called off the meeting at 12:30 PM.

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Shrwan Khanal  
Chair

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Prem Raj Adhikari  
Secretary

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Bhawani Chamlagain  
Minutes Checker

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Sushil Gautam  
Minutes Checker

## 2. Annual Report 2009-2010

### Overview

Year 2009 and 2010 have been active years for the Non-Resident Nepali Association (NRNA) in Finland. During these two years, it has successfully carried out various activities in accordance to its objectives. The yearly activities began with a co-operational meeting with three Finnish-Nepalese organizations: Suomi-Nepal-seura, Suomalais-Nepalilainen yhdistys and the Non-Resident Nepali Association, Finland. The objective of the meeting was to discuss how these organizations could work together and pool their resources. NRNA, Finland also organized various other events to promote Nepal and Nepalese Interests, which included fund raising for a library project in Nepal, sports activities, Dashain/New Year celebration, felicitating Nepalese graduates, promoting Nepal Tourism Year, and networking with other organizations among others.

### Objectives

NRNA Finland is part of a global network of NRN organizations. The primary objectives of NRN organizations are to promote the interests of the Nepalese living abroad, to ensure coordination among Nepalese communities and organizations for socio-economic development of Nepal and to uphold and promote Nepalese culture and tourism abroad. These objectives are achieved through various events, networking and facilitation of dialogues.

Being a part of a global network of NRN organizations, NRNA Finland has its objectives to promote cultural, academic and social interaction between Finns and Nepalese as well as friendly and confidential relations between Finland and Nepal. The organization also aims to unite Nepalese living in Finland and to help them adapt to the Finnish society.



## **Executive Committee, 2009-2011**

- Jyoti Prakash Kharel (Chair)
- Byoma Tamrakar (Acting Chair)
- Bijendra Neupane (Vice-Chair)
- Sushil Gyanwali (ICC Representative)
- Arun Pokharel (Treasurer)
- Shabbir Mohammad (General Secretary)
- Sudeep Bhusan Aryal (Secretary)
- Jaganath Kafle (Joint Secretary)
- Suman Khadka (Youth Representative)
- Pratigya Khanal (Women Representative)
- Binas Timsina
- Bishwas Hamal
- Devi Dutta Sharma
- Dilu Sapkota
- Gopal Aryal
- Jiban Kharel
- Krishna Bhandari
- Laxmipati Bhandari
- Manoj Kumal
- Mohan Aryal
- Ram Prasad Aryal
- Teeka Kharel

## **Activities**

### **Meeting of three organizations**

There are three Finnish-Nepalese organizations in Finland which have similar objectives of helping foster integration, helping the Nepalese community in Finland and contributing to the development of Nepal. These three organizations are: Suomi-Nepal seura, Suomalais-Nepalilainen yhdistys and the Non-Resident Nepali organization, Finland (NRN).

In late November of 2009, the governing bodies of these three organizations (as well as other interested gentry) met in Pasila in order to discuss and see how the organizations could work together and pool their resources.

It was decided that one way to achieve this was by each body taking responsibility of a project or activity and managing that activity on behalf of all three organizations. During the meeting various "projects" were put forward. However the three projects that emerged as being most desirable to all (as well as their owners) were Creation of a Nepalese "temple", a unified approach to teaching Nepali Language to the Nepalese Children in Finland and a combined Nepalese New year party, Out of these the combined new year party was successfully held.

### **Promotion of 'Nepal Tourism Year 2011'**

NRNA Finland hosted a promotional event of Nepal Tourism Year 2011 and an informal dinner program with famous Bollywood actress from Nepal, Manisha Koirala, her husband Samrat Dahal and first Finnish woman to climb Mt. Everest, Carina Rähä in Helsinki on 19 July 2010.

The main objective of the event was to campaign 'Nepal Tourism Year' in Finnish media through a celebrity. During the event, Manisha Koirala invited Finns to visit beautiful Nepal and make 'Tourism Year' grand a success. Similarly, Carina Rähä shared her experiences of Mt. Everest and Nepal. This event was run by Reijo Härkönen, Nepal Tourism Board, Representative in Finland. Participants of the event were Finnish media representatives, Nepal Tourism Board representative and Board members of NRNA Finland. The event was well covered in Finnish media, such as Finnish state news agency YLE, largest selling national daily Helsingin Sanomat, only English weekly of country; Helsinki Times. The news also got good coverage in leading Nepalese media such as Nagarik, Kantipur etc.

### **Fund Raising project**

NRNA, Finland collected 2800 Euros for the library project in Nepal. The fund was transferred to Nepal Library Foundation (NLF) from NCC- Finland on December 16, 2010 as its' contribution for the development a library in Ranpal Lower Secondary School in Morang District of Nepal. The work was carried out in accordance with a project proposal submitted to NCC Finland by NLF in November, 2011. The library project consisted of purchasing Books and computers for e-library purposes.

### **Open University Nepal Initiative**

ICC member, Pramod Dhakal has prepared the initial document as a preliminary Business Plan for Open University Nepal Initiative (OUNI). The Steering Committee meeting decided to use this document as an interim plan until a full-fledged and comprehensive business

plan is prepared for OUNI. NRNA Finland has been following the development and contributed in filing the application for fund raising efforts through some donor agencies.

## **Sports Activities**

NRNA Finland organized sport events in summer of 2010 in Helsinki. The main objective of the sports events was to unite all the Nepalese through sports and enhance brotherhood among Nepalese living all over Finland. Football and Volleyball tournaments attracted many sports lovers. It was also good way to enjoy short beautiful summer time. Awards and certificates were distributed by NRNA board members and members in the closing ceremony.

### ***Football***

NRNA Finland organized NRNA Cup Football 2010 in Helsinki. The event took place at Herttoniemi Football Ground in Helsinki in 14- 29.08.2010. Total eight teams fought hard for the cup where Helsinki based Gaule Football club clinched the title beating 2-0 in final to another club of Helsinki Danfe Club.

Pujendra Joshi of Danfe FC received the highest goal scorer honor of the tournament by scoring 5 goals. Tournament was played in knock out system. Similarly, goalkeeper of Gurkha Football Team Turku was awarded best player of the tournament for outstanding performance. The participating teams were Danfe FC Helsinki, Ekata Club Helsinki, FC Gaule Helsinki, Young Star U-16 Helsinki, FC Khukuri Helsinki, Gurkha Football Team Turku, Riihimäki Club, Porvoo Football Team.

### ***Volleyball***

NRNA Finland organized Volleyball tournament in Helsinki in 19 August 2010. Total five teams participated where Everest Yuwa Pariwar Helsinki clinched the title. The tournament took place in Herttoniemi Volleyball court. Five teams that participated in event were Gaule Club, Fast and Furious Team, Rara Club, Everest Yuwa Pariwar and Helsinki Yuwa Club. Everest Yuwa Pariwar defeated Helsinki Yuwa Club in final of best of five. Naran Magar of Fast and Furious team was awarded best player of the tournament.

## **New Year and Dashain celebration**

NRNA Finland along with Suomi-Nepal seura and Suomalais-Nepalilainen yhdistys jointly organized a party to commemorate Nepalese New Year 2066. It was the first time where such an event was organized in a joint effort. Nearly 300 Nepalese and Finns attended the party and the event was a huge success.

Similarly, NRNA Finland along with Suomalais-Nepalilainen yhdistys organized another party to celebrate the Dashain festival on 17th October 2010. Large number of Nepalese turned up to celebrate the event together. Lok Dohori, old Nepalese songs and dramas were performed to give the culture touch to the event. This event also was a big success.

## Summer picnics

Non-Resident Nepali Association (NRNA), Finland organized three picnic programs among Nepali/Finnish communities during summer (June-August) 2010 in Helsinki in co-ordination with other Nepali associations in Finland; Suomi-Nepal seura and Suomalainen-Nepalilais yhdistys. First picnic was held on 17 June at Seurasaari, the open-air museum located on a beautiful green island just a few kilometers from the heart of Helsinki. Despite the chilly weather, quite large number of people participated at the picnic. It was a “potluck” picnic such that a person/family supposed to bring some (home made) food, drinks and share among others. There were some fun games for children and also for adults. At the end, a song competition, popularly known as “Antakchheri program” between two groups, was organized. Picnic started at 13.00 and formally ended at 18.00.



(Seurasaari picnic 2010, photo courtesy: Arun Pokhrel)

Second picnic was held on 19<sup>th</sup> July at Hietaniemi beach, a popular sand beach located in the [Töölö](#) district in Helsinki next to the Hietaniemi Cemetery. The beach is the most popular in central Helsinki. Being close to the city center, the beach is nowadays a popular summer destination for locals and tourists. It is also a popular place for playing beach volleyball. It was a hot sunny day. People enjoyed swimming and playing beach volley-ball. At the end, varieties of delicious Nepali/Finnish food were shared among each other. Some fun games such as “Rumal Lukaune” and “Ghaito Phutaune” were played among people. Picnic started at 13.00 and ended at 18.00.

Similarly, the third picnic was held on 21<sup>st</sup> August at Pikkukoski, a small but relatively famous picnic spot outside the city center, on the riverside of the Vantaa. It was little cloudy weather, but sufficient people attended this last picnic of the season. People were climbing up to the cliffs to enjoy beautiful view over the river. Some were lying down in the beach. Besides beach volleyball, basket ball and pétanque, other fun games such as “Anthakcheri” were played. Delicious Nepalese food was shared among each other. The picnic started at 13.00 and ended at 18.00.

## Graduation Ceremony

NRNA Finland organized an event on 22 March 2011 to commemorate the Nepalese students who have successfully graduated from various educational institutions in Finland. The actual felicitation of the graduates was part of the Biannual NRN meeting presided by Finland’s Minister of Immigration and European Affairs, Ms. Astrid Thors, who distributed the certificates to the graduates. The event was held under the chairmanship of the acting chairperson of NRNA Finland and was conducted by the ICC Representative. A total of 33 Graduate certificates were distributed. The event has been extensively reported in various news articles as well.

## Moniheli Participation

Krishna Bhandari, nominated by NRNA-Finland was elected on the board of Moniheli, the networked organization of immigrant organizations in Helsinki metropolitan area. Similarly, Shabbir Mohammad, nominated by NRNA-Finland and other organizations was elected as the Chairperson of Moniheli. Youth representative and Women Representative of NRNA Finland Suman Khadka and Pratigya Khanal are participating in Moniheli Youth and Women groups respectively.

## KEPA Membership

An effort was made to contact KEPA – The Finnish Service Centre for Development Cooperation, an umbrella organization for Finnish civil organizations that work with development cooperation or are otherwise interested in global affairs. The membership was

applied in February 11, 2011 and board meeting of KEPA held on 28 February 2011, accepted the Non-Resident Nepali Association (NRNA)-Finland as its member organization. Dr. Arun Pokhrel has been assigned to be a contact person from NRNA-Finland and activities related to the KEPA for the time being.

For more details, please visit KEPA website:<http://www.kepa.fi/jasensivut/jasenrekisteri-1>

## **ICC Report**

The ICC Representative of a national NRN association is to work as a liaison between the executive body of the ICC organization and the National NRN organization. In this regard all activities of the ICC representative for Finland are related to being the interface between these two bodies.

One of the first was the attendance in the Fourth NRN Global Conference held in Kathmandu, Nepal from 13-15 October 2009. ICC representative presented an update of NRNA Finland activities. However since the conference was held soon after the elections, the presentation that was made consisted of activities of the previous ad hoc. The conference update was given to NCC Finland executive board. As a result of which NRNA Finland adopted and became part of the Charity project related to Danghighat Library which is covered elsewhere in this report.

Following the Global conference, ICC adopted a proposal to have a monthly telephone conference of all ICC representatives. However after a few such telephone conferences it became apparent that the logistics of having a conference call of over 30-40 people who all wanted to share information was quite difficult. During the initial phase of the meeting, ICC Representative of Finland conveyed the decision of NRNA Finland board to support of full dual citizenship proposal. In addition to above there have been updates made to ICC on activities of NRNA Finland, when needed.

## **Conclusion**

NRNA has been quite successful in raising its profile in the Nepalese and Finnish community in Finland within very short span of time through its numerous and successful activities. The association, in the future, will aspire to improve on this successful performance through a wider range of activities. To ensure that this happens, the NRN board seeks help from its members.

## 3. Activity Plan 2011-2012

### Actions in Nepal

NRNA Finland will carry out charity projects in Nepal and it will be done according to the plans prepared by the central body NRN organisations. In addition, NRNA, Finland will continue to follow up the Open University Initiatives and seek ways to support/facilitate its activities.

### Sports

NRNA Finland will organise football and volleyball tournaments during summer. These tournaments will be organised among the Nepalese living all over Finland. In addition, NRNA Finland will also explore the possibilities of establishing a cricket club.

### Events

Summer picnic/picnics are one of the regular events of NRNA Finland and it will organise at least one picnic each summer. NRNA will also support and help the annual cultural events organised by Suomalais-Nepalilais Yhdystys and Suomi-Nepal seura.

### Fund Raising

NRNA Finland will plan projects and events to promote Nepal and Nepalese interests both in Nepal and in Finland. In order to launch its' projects, it will explore and tap funding organisations. It will also continue to network with various other organisations and seek other opportunities.

## 4. Financial Report 2009-2010

### Summary

1. Total income in 2009 was 4770.36 EUR. The only source of income was membership fee (from 388 members). A sum of 2005.96 EUR was expensed in 2009, in which a large proportion of the expenses were related to payments to NRNA secretariat, Kathmandu, Nepal. A total 796.60 EUR (3 USD per paid member) was paid to NRNA secretariat in 2009 as a part of membership contribution. Total surplus by the end of 2009 was 2764.40 EUR.
2. Total income in 2010 was 5237.93 EUR and the main sources of income were cultural program (1240 EUR) and donations (3394 EUR). Main expenses in 2010 were for contribution to Nepal Library Project (2800 EUR) and cultural program (1408 EUR). The total surplus in the year 2010 was 2567.09 EUR.
3. The balance sheet and details on the income/expenditures are attached as part of the financial report. A list of persons who made their valuable donation for the library project and sports activity is also attached.
4. The NRNA-Finland would like to thank Mr. Eero Keränen for his contribution in auditing. Mr. Keränen also agreed to be an Auditor for NRNA-Finland's financial accounts for next year. Auditor's report for 2009-2010 is attached.
5. A draft financial budget for the current year has been proposed. In 2011, the total revenue (income) is estimated to be 11,067 EUR whereas expenditure would be nearly 10,000 EUR.

**Dr. Arun Pokhrel,**  
Treasurer, NRNA-Finland



## Balance Sheet as of December 31, 2010

<b>Assets</b>	<b>31/12/2010</b>	<b>31/12/2009</b>
	€	€
<b><u>Current Assets</u></b>		
Cash at Bank	2567.09	2764.40
Advance and Receivable	0.00	0.00
Total Current Assets	2567.09	2764.40
<b><u>Fixed Assets</u></b>		
Office Equipments/Furniture	0.00	0.00
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Total Assets	2567.09	2764.40
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<b>Liabilities and Fund</b>	<b>31/12/2010</b>	<b>31/12/2009</b>
Surplus	2567.09	2744.40
Account Payables	0.00	20.00
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<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>2567.09</b>	<b>2764.40</b>

**Dr. Arun Pokhrel**  
Treasurer, NRNA-Finland

**Mrs. Byoma Tamrakar**  
Act. Chairman, NRNA-Finland

**Mr. Eero Keränen**  
Auditor

## **Income and Expenditure Account (1st January 2009 - 31 December 2010)**

Particulars	2010	2009
	€	€
<b>Income</b>		
General Membership		3890.00
Election Candidates		560.00
ICC Membership		250.00
Conference participation		68.42
Bank Interest	5.66	1.94
Donations (library project and sports)	3394.51	
Registration (Sports)	400.00	
Cultural Program	1240.45	
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>5040.62</b>	<b>4770.36</b>
<b>Expenditures</b>		
Contribution to NRNA Secretariat, Kathmandu, Nepal		
General membership (386*3\$)		796.60
ICC membership (1*250 €)		250.00
Conference participation (1*100\$)		68.42
Election Expenses		423.65
Bank Charges and Service	111.70	241.29
Registration (Patentti ja Rekisteri Hallitus)		10.00
Website (Domain & Web-Hosting)	374.00	216.00
Due payments (Previous year)	20.00	
Sports	168.31	
Picnic Expenses	53.78	
Membership to Other Organizations	20.00	
Cultural program	1408.90	
Banner, NRNA-Finland	281.24	
Nepal Library Project	2800.00	
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>5237.93</b>	<b>2005.96</b>
Income Over Expenditure	-197.31	2764.40
Liabilities (Up to Previous Years)	2764.40	0.00
<b>Total Surplus (Transfer to Balance Sheet)</b>	<b>2567.09</b>	<b>2764.40</b>

**Dr. Arun Pokhrel**  
Treasurer, NRNA-Finland

**Mrs. Byoma Tamrakar**  
Act. Chairman, NRNA-Finland

**Mr. Eero Keränen**  
Auditor

## Donations in 2009-2010

	2010	2009
Particulars	€	€
<b>A. Donation for Library Project</b>	<b>2944.51</b>	
Dila Sapkota	105.00	
Biswas Hamal	10.00	
Manoj Kumal	25.00	
Sushil Gyanwali	150.00	
Pratigya Khanal	21.00	
Laxmipati Bhandari	25.00	
Krishna Bhandari	100.00	
Arun Pokhrel	51.00	
Jiba Nath Kharel	15.00	
Sudeep Bhusan Aryal	51.00	
Gopal Aryal	5.51	
Devi Dutt Sharma	70.00	
Mohan Aryal	150.00	
Yogendra Timsina	51.00	
Suman Khadka	50.00	
Jagannath Kafle	10.00	
Ram Prasad Aryal	105.00	
Niki and Binay OY	1950.00	
<b>B. Donation for Sports Events</b>	<b>450.00</b>	
Devi Duta Sharma	150.00	
Hemraj Sharma	150.00	
Ram Aryal	150.00	
<b>Total</b>	<b>3394.51</b>	<b>0.00</b>

**Dr. Arun Pokhrel**  
Treasurer, NRNA-Finland

**Mrs. Byoma Tamrakar**  
Act. Chairman, NRNA-Finland

**Mr. Eero Keränen**  
Auditor

## **Auditors Report**

### **Executive Committee**

#### **Non-Resident Nepali Association, Finland R.y.**

I have audited the accompanying balance sheet of Non-Resident Nepali Association, Finland R.y as of December 31, 2010 and the related statements of income, retained earnings, and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the NRNA-Finland's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Non-Resident Nepali Association, Finland as of December 31, 2010 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in Finland.

**Mr. Eero Keränen**  
**Auditor**

## NRNA-FINLAND, BUDGET 2011 (proposed)

Annual operating and Fundraising	Revenue	Expenditure
	2011	

### *Income*

Surplus (from previous year)	2,567 €
Membership	2,000 €
Donations	3,000 €
Fund raising/Grants	2,000 €
Other income	1,500 €

### *Cost*

FNCCI- NRNA Kathmandu,Membership)	500 €
Charity project in Nepal	3,000 €
Open University Initiatives	1,000 €
Summer picnics	200 €
Sports activity	1,200 €
Website, Domain cost	400 €
Accounting and Auditing	400 €
Bank charges, government fees,	350 €
Membership fee (other organizations)	150 €
Meeting, conference	500 €
Office supplies	300 €
Other expenses	2,000 €

<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11,067 €</b>	<b>10,000 €</b>
<b>Surplus</b>		<b>1067</b>

**Dr. Arun Pokhrel**  
Treasurer, NRNA-Finland

**Mrs. Byoma Tamrakar**  
Act. Chairman, NRNA-Finland

**Mr. Eero Keränen**  
Auditor

## 5. Election of NRNA-Finland 2011

The NRNA Finland Election committee 2011 announced the following people to be elected unanimously as the next board members and ICC Representative for NRNA Finland. Their term lasts till December 31<sup>st</sup> 2012.

### Chair Person:



Name: Dr. Arun Pokhrel,

Address: Kilonpuistonkatu, Espoo

Profession: Scientific Researcher, Cancer Society of Finland.

### ICC Representative:



Name: Mr. Suman Khadka

Address: Damaskuksentie, Helsinki

Profession: Wärtsilä Solution's Expert

### Board Members:



1: Name: Ms. Byoma Tamrakar

Address: Tasankotie, Helsinki

Profession: Manager, Competence Development, at Fintra Oy.



2: Name:Mr. Basanta Ghimire

Address:Satakielentie, Porvoo

Profession: Restaurateur , Khukuri Ravintola



3: Name: Mr. Bal Krishna Shrestha

Address: Orvidenkatu, Tampere

Profession: Employed at Iomine Oy



4: Name: Mr. Bishnu Bahadur Thapa

Address: Petter Wetterintie, Helsinki

Profession: Employed at Catarnet Finland Oy.



5: Name: Mr. Bijendra Neupane

Address:Ratsintie, Helsinki

Profession: Student



6: Name: Mr. Sudeep Bhusan Aryal

Address: Hakastaronkaru, Salo

Profession: Restaurateur, Himalaja Raviontolat Oy.



7: Name: Mr. Devi Dutta Sharma

Address: Virvatulentie, Helsinki

Profession: Restaurateur / Entrepreneur



8: Name: Mr. Ganesh Neupane

Address: Servin Maijantie, Espoo

Profession: Student of Electrical Engineering at Aalto University



9: Name: Bimala KC

Address: Hopeatie, Helsinki

Profession: Student at University of Eastern Finland, Kuopio



10: Name: Sijan Shrestha

Address: Ohratie, Vantaa

Profession: IT Student



11: Name: Hari Keshab Pathak

Address: Merkureuksenkatu, Riihimäki

Profession: Student at Hamk UAS



12: Name: Kulmani Bhandari



Address: kiilijankuja, Helsinki

Profession: Self Employed at Yeti Nepal Restaurant



13: Name: Suman Aryal

Address: Vuotie, Helsinki

Profession: Employee at Ravintola, Mt. Everest



14: Name: Ms. Ranjana Piya

Address: Postipuuntie, Helsinki

Profession: Employed at O.K. Palvelut

Kind regards,

Election Committee 2011,  
NRNA Finland

**Undersigned on 15<sup>th</sup> May 2011 by:**

Gautam Raj Moktan (Chair)

Bhawani Chamlagain(Member)

Prem Raj Adhikari(Member)

Shrwan Khanal(Member)

Sushil Gautam(Member)

## 6. Executive Committee of NRNA Finland 2011-2012

The first meeting of newly elected members of NRNA Finland held on 15 May 2012 in Helsinki decided to form an Executive Committee for 2011-2012 as follows:

Sn.	Name	Designation	Email
1	Dr. Arun Pokhrel	Chairperson	arun.pokhrel@nrna.fi
2	Mr. Devi Dutt Sharma	Vice-chairperson	devi.sharma1@gmail.com
3	Mrs. Byoma Tamrakar	Vice-chairperson	tamrakar.byoma@gmail.com
4	Mr. Suman Khadka	ICC Coordinator	suman.khadka@nrna.fi
5	Mr. Sijan Shrestha	Secretary	sijan.shrestha@nrna.fi
6	Mr. Sudeep Bhusan Aryal	Treasurer	sudeepbhusan@gmail.com
7	Mr. Bijendra Neupane	Youth representative	kiran402@hotmail.com
8	Ms. Bimala KC	Joint secretary	bimala.kc@nrna.fi
9	Mr. Bishnu Thapa	Member	bishnut@gmail.com
10	Mr. Ganesh Neupane	Member	ganesh.neupane@nrna.fi
11	Mr. Bal Krishna Shrestha	Member	bal.shrestha@nrna.fi
12	Mr. Kul Mani Bhandari	Member	kulmanib@hotmail.com
13	Mr. Hari Keshav Pathak	Member	spbestaryan@gmail.com
14	Mrs. Ranjana Piya	Women representative	i_m_ranju@hotmail.com
15	Mr. Basanta Ghimire	Member	basantaghimire@gmail.com
16	Mr. Suman Aryal	Member	smnaryal@hotmail.com

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Dr. Arun Pokhrel (Chairperson),  
Mr. Sijan Shrestha (Secretary)  
Mr. Suman Khadka (ICC representative)

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