

# LITTLE STANNEY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

England & Wales · Charity number 1021789

## Details

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**Status** Registered

**Legal form** Other

**Registered** 1993-06-04

**Register** [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

## Contact

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## Activities

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**Objects:** TO ENABLE WOMEN TO TAKE AN EFFECTIVE PART IN RURAL LIFE AND DEVELOPMENT

**Activities:** community support

## Classification

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- **How:** Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Education/training, Arts/culture/heritage/science, Amateur Sport, Environment/conservation/heritage, Economic/community Development/employment, Recreation
- **Who:** Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies, The General Public/mankind

## Geography

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- Cheshire West & Chester

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-09-30	£9,236	£9,145	-	-
2023-09-30	£31,908	£29,343	-	-
2022-09-30	£21,057	£20,454	-	-
2021-09-30	£1,620	£1,368	-	-
2020-09-30	£25,160	£25,238	-	-

## Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Janet Tomlinson	Chair	2015-10-01
CHRISTINE ANN HYDE		
Cynthia Ann West		2022-10-25
Lorna Watts		2013-03-14

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# Accounts

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Original Year

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Charity number (if registered)  
Federation

LITTLE STANNEY
1021789
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**FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

For the period

from 1-10-22

to 30.09.23

**Section A**

**Receipts and Payments**

A1 Receipts	Total £	Last year £	A2 Payments	Total £	Last year £
Receipts at meetings	559.64	442.05	Meeting expenses	2598.35	1529.76
Subscriptions (WI share)	1756.65	1730.40	Committee Members' expenses	104.74	530.49
Gift Aid		61.00	Pooling of fares / expenses	41.00	16.00
Publications			Publications		
Activities & events	29247.50	18314.20	Activities & events	26463.00	17785.17
WI Fundraising	321.10	481.94	WI fundraising		
Interest received			Insurance	22.00	19.00
Paid into current account					
Paid into deposit account					
Grants and donations	23.20		Donations made	103.50	20.00
Other income		27.00	Other payments	10.00	554.00
WI-owned hall - total receipts			WI-owned hall - total payments		
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>31908.09</b>	<b>21056.59</b>	<b>Total Payments</b>	<b>29342.59</b>	<b>20454.42</b>

A3 Restricted funds included in total receipts			A4 Restricted funds included in total payments		
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**Total Receipts less Total Payments (Surplus/Deficit for the year)**

2565.50

**A5 Total cash funds brought forward from last year (equals last year's total at B1)**

2660.67

**A6 Total cash funds carried forward at this year end**

5226.17

**A7 Total restricted funds at year end included in total cash funds above**

**The main purposes of the Women's Institute organisation are:**

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(b) to promote sustainable development for the public benefit by: (i) educating people in the preservation, conservation and protection of the environment and the prudent use of natural resources; and (ii) promoting sustainable means of achieving economic growth and regeneration;

(c) to advance health for the public benefit; and

(d) to advance citizenship for the public benefit by the promotion of civic responsibility and volunteering.

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Section B

Statement of assets and liabilities at the year end

B1 Cash funds

Total

Last year

£

£

B1.1	Final bank balance as per Account Book, including uncleared items	5467.82	2660.67
B1.2	Reconciliation of final bank balance from Account Book to bank statement		
	Bank statement total at year end	5834.84	
	Plus amounts paid in but not cleared		
	Less cheques written but not cleared	362.00	
	Less any cheques still uncleared from last year	5.02	
	Total (enter total at B1.1)	5467.82	
B1.3	Savings / deposit account balance		
B1.4	Petty cash in hand		
B1.5	Less any funds held as agent for federation/NFWI, i.e. subscriptions received but not yet paid over - enter as a negative amount	-241.65	
	Total cash funds	5226.17	2660.67

B2 Investments (if any)

Empty box for investments

B3 Other monetary assets (e.g. any money owed to the WI)

Empty box for other monetary assets

B4 Other assets held by the WI

e.g. WI owned hall, other equipment

Value (optional)\*

Original cost (optional)\*

	Value (optional)*	Original cost (optional)*

\* cost / value should only be completed if meaningful information is available

B5 Liabilities

Payments due immediately but not paid, or due at a future date, e.g. loans

Date due (optional)\*

Amount due (optional)\*

	Date due (optional)*	Amount due (optional)*

\* amount / date due should only be completed if meaningful information available

Signed on behalf of all the trustees (WI Committee members)

Signature

Handwritten signatures of D.M. Dikworth and C. West

Name

D.M. DIKWORTH  
C. WEST.

Date of approval

07.11.2023 President  
7.11.23 Treasurer

Independent financial examiner's initials:

Handwritten initials in a box

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LITTLE STANNEY

Section C

Notes to the financial statement

C1 Funds received and paid as agent

Complete this section with total amounts received and paid over to the federation in the year

	Receipts this year £	Payments this year £	Any balance held at year end £
Federation / NFWI share of subscriptions	1818.85	1532.20	286.65
Federation event bookings by individual members	437.00	482.00	- 45.00
NFWI and / or federation raffle	30.00	30.00	NIL
<b>Total</b>	<b>2285.85</b>	<b>2014.20</b>	<b>241.65</b>

C2 Details of restricted funds

Complete this section if the WI had any restricted funds during the year

Name or description of restricted fund:	Receipts this year £	Payments this year £	Any balance held at year end £
<b>Total</b>			

C3 Further details of WI activities /fundraising /other

Include additional details that would be helpful to WI members or other readers of the financial statement

Activities & events (description)	Receipts this year £	Payments this year £
Great days xmas lunch	852.00	957.00
Seathend trip	22496.00	22496.00
GB Newcastle boat trip	2695.00	2695.00
Coronation tea + coasted for each member	630.00	1048.00
<b>Total WI activities</b>	<b>26673.00</b>	<b>27196.00</b>
<b>WI fundraising description)</b>		
Pennies for friendship box	1.50	
Anonymous donation	21.70	
Book sales	48.95	
Donations in lieu of xmas cards (Dec 2022)	71.00	
Ham Stratten literary afternoon tea (Jan 23)	250.00	
<b>Total WI fundraising</b>	<b>393.25</b>	
<b>Grants &amp; donations</b>		
Hospice of the Good Shepherd (in memory of Lindsay Wielding) Voted for by members funded from Book sales = 76.75		103.50
<b>Total grants &amp; donations Pennies for friendship = 26.75</b>		<b>103.50</b>
<b>Other income and expenditure</b>		
<b>Total other income / expenditure</b>		

Independent financial examiner's initials: 

# INDEPENDENT FINANCIAL EXAMINER'S REPORT

To the Trustees of  
Charity No (if registered)

LITTLE STANNEY
1021789

WI

I report on the Receipts and Payments Accounts set out on the attached Financial Statement pages 1-3 for the above named WI for the year ended .....

### Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

Having satisfied myself that the charity is eligible for independent examination, it is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act;
- follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act; and
- state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

### Basis of Independent Examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the general Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair view' and the report is limited to those matters set out in the next statement.

### Independent Examiner's Statement

In connection with my examination no matter has come to my attention, (other than disclosed below\*):

1. which gives me reasonable cause to believe that, in any material respect, the requirements:
  - to keep accounting records in accordance with Section 130 of the Charities Act 2011; and
  - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with the accounting requirements of the Charities Acthave not been met; or
2. to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

\*Please delete the words in brackets if they do not apply.

Comments:

Signed:

*A Beckett*

Date: 3/11/23

Name:

ANN BECKETT

Address:

BRINDLEY, BRERETON HEATH LANE,  
BRERETON HEATH, CONGLETON CW12 4SY

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## Report for Little Stanney W.I. 2020

The average monthly attendance while we were still meeting in person was 57 and the average monthly attendance using Zoom was 28. The total membership this year is 71 plus 1 joint member.

This past year started normally, with Dominoes sessions most weeks and our monthly Lunch Club meals. Our Book Club continued with monthly meetings in a member's home. There were monthly craft sessions at Store First and our highly successful "Our Show" in the Village Hall, where members showed a fabulous array of crafts and produce for judging. Members got involved with the green hearts for climate change and we made Xmas baubles for the Cheshire Show and a Xmas wreath.

We had a High Tea party in September at Saughall and a Christmas Beatles Show Party at The Queens Hotel, Chester during November.

We planted a tree at Bridge Wellness Gardens to commemorate Cheshire Federation's centenary year. The Mayor, Jean Harding (CFWI Chairman) and some of our members helped with the ceremony of tree planting.

We had our monthly meeting in November with speaker Judith Popley. Our December meeting was our Christmas Party and in January we had speaker Paul Stockton. February saw us being entertained by the Nordic Scouse ladies. March was an informative talk by Paul Loughnane about New Ferry Butterfly Farm.

**THEN** Covid-19 arrived in the UK in late March and everything had to come to a stop. We were not able to hold our April meeting or indeed, hold anything in person for the rest of the year.

All the speakers and events planned had to be cancelled. When we realised what was happening, members agreed that we pay for the Pro Package of Zoom and continued on line. We began weekly Zoom coffee mornings and fortnightly Quiz's. We continued with monthly Book Club sessions.

For those of us not willing or able to join in on Zoom but had internet access, there were frequent emails giving details of everything that was going on, including a quiz. We helped those not familiar with the internet to get on Zoom.

Twice monthly, there was a mailing for those of us not on email, which included minutes, quizzes, newsletters etc.

For May & June, we made our own entertainment on Zoom and introduced speakers. In July we had a talk on stem cell donation, August saw us listening to Anne Davies from Bridge Wellness Gardens and in September, it was Donavon Lewis of the Blue Planet.

For our October meeting, we had Fiona Barry & Hilary Robinson from CFWI give us a talk about Climate Change which gave us a lot of food for thought.

Many of our members joined in with a project knitting blanket strips for a local charity and knitting bonnets for new babies at our local hospital.

Many of us were able to fill Christmas shoe boxes for the usual charity.

Some of our members also took on the maintenance of the entrance flower beds at our local charity – Bridge Wellness Gardens. We have made a real difference to the kerb appeal for them. These are things we could do whilst being locked down due to the virus.

We have done our absolute best to keep in touch with all of our members and continue to do so.

Joan Day, secretary

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Charity number (if registered)  
Federation

Little Stanney
102 1789
Cheshire



**FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

For the period

from 01/09/19

to 30.9.20

**Section A**

**Receipts and Payments**

A1 Receipts	Total £	Last year £	A2 Payments	Total £	Last year £
Receipts at meetings	237.80	369.67	Meeting expenses	1,325.45	1,606.07
Subscriptions (WI share)	1,581.30	1,506.76	Committee Members' expenses	338.84	93.15
Gift Aid	129.45	110.05	Pooling of fares / expenses	56.00	88.00
Publications	131.40	72.80	Publications	144.00	127.60
Activities & events	23,017.00	14,165.60	Activities & events	23,017.35	13,278.90
WI fundraising	63.67	20.00	WI fundraising	-	-
Interest received			Insurance	17.00	16.00
Paid into current account	-				
Paid into deposit account					
Grants and donations	-	42.78	Donations made	91.32	472.78
Other income	-	18.21	Other payments	248.02	58.95
		26.50			
WI-owned hall - total receipts			WI-owned hall - total payments		
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>25,160.62</b>	<b>16,332.37</b>	<b>Total Payments</b>	<b>25,237.98</b>	<b>15,741.45</b>

<b>A3</b> Restricted funds included in total receipts			<b>A4</b> Restricted funds included in total payments		
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**Total Receipts less Total Payments (Surplus/Deficit for the year)**

- 77.36

**A5** Total cash funds brought forward from last year (equals last year's total at B1)

1,874.06

**A6** Total cash funds carried forward at this year end

1,796.70

**A7** Total restricted funds at year end included in total cash funds above

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Little Stanney

10/22/20

Date: 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2020

To:

The Treasurer

Little Stanney

From:

Jane Percival

14 Well Bank

Sandbach

Cheshire

CW11 1FQ

Independent Financial Examiner's Review of Accounts and Financial Statement for Little Stanney for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> September 2020.

Total Due:.....£25.00

Please make the cheque payable to J Percival

Thank you

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