

Mid-Suffolk Light Railway Company

Annual Report of the Board of Trustees from 1st October 2022 to 30th September 2023.

Introduction

The Mid-Suffolk Light Railway Company is a company limited by guarantee managed by a board of trustees elected by its members. Membership is open to all on payment of an annual subscription or as a life member. The company is also a registered educational charity.

The principal objects of the company are defined in its memorandum of association which states:

The company is established to advance the education of the public with regard to a history of Suffolk, and the Mid-Suffolk Light Railway in particular, by collecting, preserving, interpreting and documenting material evidence and associated information by the maintenance of a museum for items of historic railway interest, and by the restoration, maintenance and operation of a demonstration railway and the display and demonstration of railway equipment, operations and engineering crafts and in the furtherance of the foregoing objective the company will be vested with the powers of operation of the Mid-Suffolk Light Railway.

To fulfil these aims the company administers the Mid-Suffolk Light Railway Museum at Brockford Station, Wetheringsett, Stowmarket, Suffolk. The museum site together with just over nine hundred metres of former railway route is currently held on a thirty-year lease signed on the 1st November 2012 and now has just 18years 5months to run.

The company is a member of the Heritage Railway Association, the Association of Independent Museums, the Association of Suffolk Museums and Community Action Suffolk

Personnel and management

The Board of Trustees met six times during the above period.

At the 2021-22 AGM meeting held on 3rd June 2023 there were no trustees requiring re-election. Mr Pete Connor was elected to the board.

Following the meeting the Board consisted of 9 trustees.

There were two resignations from the Board during the reporting period, Mr Steven Davies, and Mr John Stark.

Following the Annual General Meeting the Trustees were:

Mr I. Meigh	Chairman
Mr D. Bates	Vice Chairman
Mr. D. Clayton	Company Secretary
Mr. J. Price	Treasurer.
Mr. C. Baddeley	
Mr. J. Holmes	
Mr J. Reeve	
Mr W. Wicks	
Mr P. Connor	

The board continues to complete its short-, medium- and long-term plans to advance the company objectives. Railway track construction and maintenance, locomotive and rolling stock restoration and maintenance and the maintenance of the railway buildings continue to be led by project leaders operating to a budget and reporting to the board on a regular basis.

Membership

Following a review of life-members Membership numbers have reduced slightly to 497. Existing members have generally continued to renew their membership, often including generous donations with their subscriptions.

The scheme providing local residents, on application, special tickets giving free entry to the museum, except for special events has continued to be operated.

Finance

The company's gross income including donations, restoration appeals, and legacy payments was £118,798.00.

The Middy Trading Company transferred £38,999 from their trading profits for the year.

The company operated without a financial reserve.

A Summary of Accounts for the year ended 30th September 2023 is provided separately.

Achievements

We were fortunate to be one of the recipients of a generous legacy and in September 2017 received an interim payment of £99,450 with the final payments still to be made.

The Santa Specials operated on six days in 2022, the 2nd, 3rd, 9th, 10th, 16th, & 17th of December in spite of some very cold sub-zero weather and our crews and volunteers must be commended for ensuring all trains ran if a little off timetable. Total visitor numbers were increased from 2021 figures at a total of 1,615 attendees showing an overall profit of £14,924.41

The operating year 2022 - 2023 saw steam locomotives running, with the TRAM 2525, Hudswell Clarke 1700 Wissington and Peckett 0-4-0T "Marcia" operating the public services which ran throughout the 2022 Santa specials, 2023 Easter and summer events programme. The boiler overhaul for Y7 985 has continued off site by a contractor appointed by the Y7 Locomotive Trust. The diesel locomotives have proved invaluable for shunting and works trains, with the Ruston 165 and Fowler being available. They have also acted as back up when issues with Wissington meant that the Tram was called into service and needed help on some steam days. Maintenance work was carried out on all operating locomotives throughout the year, and work on 1604 Hudswell Clarke's boiler has continued at the contractor's works and will soon be returned.

Members continue to donate towards the cost of renting the industrial unit at Brockford where it provides essential workshop and storage space, enabling restoration work to be carried out under cover.

The workshop team have now completed restoration of the 5 bar gates 40 and 39 along the line extension and carried out repairs to the public footpath crossing gates ensuring that the close properly on both sides. The team have also constructed a gas bottle cage, repaired the gates on the back of the Mid-Suffolk brake van and have been heavily involved in the installation of the metal post and wire fence being erected along-side the track extension. Tools and equipment continue to be acquired, some by donation, to assist with the restoration work.

Carriage & Wagon. Vehicles 12 & 13 were used throughout the year on passenger services. Towards the end of the season the roof of 13 started to show signs that water was getting in, and the decision has been taken to replace the roof before 2023 Santa specials. The Toad brake van and MSLR brake were used on occasion to increase capacity of the train. Following the previous incumbent's resignation the railway needs to appoint a new carriage and wagon manager and in the interim maintenance was carried out by volunteers.

The restoration shed and engineering team has spent a large part of their time identifying and resolving issues with Wissington and the tram to ensure that events could proceed. They are all highly

commended for their efforts. Unfortunately, this meant that progress on Hudswell Clarke loco number 1604 was delayed although the boiler has now been returned and is waiting to be lifted on to its frame, The underframe of the Y7 locomotive has been returned to the restoration shed and will be cleaned and painted some weeks before the overhauled boiler is returned from the NNR (currently expected to be Q2 2024). The loco water tanks and boiler cladding have been cleaned and repainted. All other components removed have been overhauled and cleaned as required.

The Bagnall locomotive had reached the end of its 10-year boiler ticket and the owners family arranged for it to be removed and transferred to the North Norfolk Railway where it be a static asset for their junior club.

The tram loco did sustain some frost related damage during December 2022 cracking a valve casing which was successfully repaired and has been kept available for use for the summer events if needed.

The PW routine maintenance of fish plates, points, chairs, and keys was completed along with any repairs or replacements.

Sleeper replacements continued as necessary both within the Brockford station area and at Dovebrook including the siding. Dovebrook storage area has continued to be sorted and tidied up and a storage shed installed. Plans have been proposed for a second siding at Dovebrook to increase our rolling stock storage capacity.

As a result of the hard work and planning from the Permanent way team and their manager Mr T Siemers between 16th and 31st January 2023 TES 2000 were able to complete laying the track extension to the site that will be Aspal Halt station. This was a major operation that was years in the planning and once opened for public trains will be a real difference to the railway.

The web site continued to be maintained by Mr J. Reeve as webmaster.

The Museum accreditation by the Arts Council remains in place although we will be asked to renew shortly, probably during 2024 and will have 6 months to complete the application. The new museum team of archivist/manager, display manager and assistant continue to manage the Museum's collection in conformance with the SPECTRUM standards and have been able to work on improving documentation and procedures, as well as answering queries from researchers.

The management structure, with six management committees reporting to the Board, involves more of the volunteers in the operation of the organisation. Scheduled Trustee meetings have occurred on alternate months throughout this reporting period, and they review the reports from each management group. A new monthly managers meeting has also been set up to improve cross department communication and cooperation.

The refreshment room, bar and shop were open during the 2022 season and are an essential part of our site facilities.

The running of the 100 Plus Club has been taken over by Mr R. Boardman and continues to be supported by the members and has been raising funds for many years.

The 2022-23 maintenance programme included the installation of a 21m access ramp at Dovebrook. The ramp was designed, and the parts made by an outside company and then delivered to our site as a kit to be constructed in 3 main sections. Large concrete pads were prepared in advance and part of Dovebrook platform widened to allow for wheelchairs to exit the guards van. The whole kit was transported by flatbed wagon from Brockford to Dovebrook to be manhandled into position and assembled. This structure has given access to our picnic site and photographic area to those with mobility issues and pushchairs. The fencing was also repaired and painted with new removable sections installed to facilitate Santa's wagons. There has been the ever-present battle against the invasion of brambles and weeds, trees, shrubs and bushes that insist on growing on and across the track, and Nigel Pulham and his LANTRA trained volunteers have continued with this fight.

Middy Trading Company

The Middy Trading Company is an incorporated company and maintains its own accounts which MSLR do not receive. However, as its purpose is to raise funds by various means including

commercial activities to provide funding support for the Mid-Suffolk Light Railway the Board of Trustees thank them for their continued support and donations. The Santa Specials are formally run by the MTC under licence from the MSLR.

During the reporting period the Middy Trading Company continued to transfer funds to the Mid-Suffolk Light Railway Company. The Board of Trustees values greatly the vital contribution that the Middy Trading Company makes to the success of the Mid-Suffolk Light Railway Company.

Conclusion

The years 2022/2023 have seen the company make progress in spite of some very difficult issues not least the very cold weather of December 2022 and January 2023 and issues that developed with Wissington. The Board wish to express their gratitude to all of our volunteers who worked so hard to ensure that our visitors had a great experience.

The Santa Specials in December 2022 helped bring in additional sources of income which, along with the generous donations, membership subscriptions and the sleeper & locomotive restoration appeals, have provided essential funding for work on the line extension and enhancement of the Museum. Visitor numbers are starting to recover, slowly, but with prudent financial management and support from our membership the railway remains financially secure.

The rental of an industrial unit continues to facilitate restoration and storage of artefacts and is a facility that can be expanded upon. The restoration of our steam locomotive, 1604 continues in the Restoration Shed and is progressing well.

Relationship with the local communities remains good and the scheme to provide local residents with free entry continues to enhance this relationship, with Friday night bars a great community asset.

The continued progress of the museum is dependent on the support of the members and especially on the active volunteers and the Board again wish to record their thanks. It is also vital for our future development that we attract new members and that more choose to become active volunteers. The planned projects and expansion of events impose a heavy load on the existing volunteers and unless more can be found, particularly those willing to take on the responsible management roles, future expansion of the railway will be difficult. Currently there are around one hundred active volunteers, who gave 13,850 recorded hours of their time. There is, however, always more to do and new volunteers would be very welcome.

Mid Suffolk Light Railway Company Ltd		Charity No	1063635		
		Company No	3244631		
Annual accounts for the period					
Period start date	01/10/22	To	Period end date	30/09/23	

Section A Statement of financial activities (including summary income and expenditure account)

Recommended categories by activity	Guidance Note	Unrestricted funds	Restricted income funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Prior year funds
		£	£	£	£	£
		F01	F02	F03	F04	F05
Income (Note 3)						
Income and endowments from:						
Donations and legacies	S01	86,524	8,345	-	94,869	91,773
Charitable activities	S02	32,144	-	-	32,144	29,400
Other trading activities	S03		-	-	-	
Investments	S04	129	-	-	129	10
Separate material item of income	S05		-	-	-	
Other	S06	-	-	-	-	-
Total	S07	118,797	8,345	-	127,142	121,183
Expenditure (Notes 6)						
Expenditure on:						
Raising funds	S08	27,624	-	-	27,624	36,371
Charitable activities	S09	17,597	78,316	-	95,913	70,073
Separate material expense item	S10					
Other	S11	35,941	-	-	35,941	34,704
Total	S12	81,162	78,316	-	159,478	141,148
Net income/(expenditure) before tax for the reporting period	S13	37,635	- 69,971	-	- 32,336	37,132
Tax payable	S14	-	-	-	-	-
Net income/(expenditure) after tax before investment gains/(losses)	S15	37,635	- 69,971	-	- 32,336	37,132
Net gains/(losses) on investments	S16	-	-	-	-	-
Net income/(expenditure)	S17	37,635	- 69,971	-	- 32,336	37,132
Extraordinary items	S18	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers between funds	S19	-	-	-	-	-
Other recognised gains/(losses):						
Gains and losses on revaluation of fixed assets for the charity's own use	S20	-	-	-	-	-
Other gains/(losses)	S21	-	-	-	-	-
Net movement in funds	S22	37,635	- 69,971	-	- 32,336	37,132
Reconciliation of funds:						
Total funds brought forward	S23	198,720	- 53,972	-	144,748	164,713
Total funds carried forward	S24	236,355	- 123,943	-	112,412	144,748

Section B Balance sheet

	Guidance Note	Unrestricted funds £ F01	Restricted income funds £ F02	Endowment funds £ F03	Total this year £ F04	Total last year £ F05
Fixed assets						
Intangible assets (Note 15)	B01	-	-	-	-	-
Tangible assets (Note 14)	B02	137,666	-	-	137,666	141,494
Heritage assets (Note 16)	B03	-	-	-	-	-
Investments (Note 17)	B04	-	-	-	-	-
Total fixed assets	B05	137,666	-	-	137,666	141,494
Current assets						
Stocks (Note 18)	B06	-	-	-	-	-
Debtors (Note 19)	B07	482	-	-	482	6,094
Investments (Note 17.4)	B08	-	-	-	-	-
Cash at bank and in hand (Note 24)	B09	107,770	-	-	107,770	142,062
Total current assets	B10	108,252	-	-	108,252	148,156
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year (Note 20)	B11	740	-	-	740	12,137
Net current assets/(liabilities)	B12	107,512	-	-	107,512	136,019
Total assets less current liabilities	B13	245,178	-	-	245,178	277,513
Creditors: amounts falling due after one year (Note 20)	B14	-	-	-	-	-
Provisions for liabilities	B15	-	-	-	-	-
Total net assets or liabilities	B16	245,178	-	-	245,178	277,513
Funds of the Charity						
Endowment funds (Note 27)	B17	-	-	132,765	132,765	132,765
Restricted income funds (Note 27)	B18	-	123,943	-	123,943	53,972
Unrestricted funds	B19	236,356	-	-	236,356	198,720
Revaluation reserve	B20	-	-	-	-	-
Fair value reserve	B21	-	-	-	-	-
Total funds	B22	236,356	123,943	132,765	245,178	277,513

The company was entitled to exemption from audit under s477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to small companies subject to the small companies regime and in accordance with FRS102 SORP.

Signed by one or two trustees/directors on behalf of all the trustees/directors

Print Name	Date of approval dd/mm/yyyy
John Stark	14/06/23

Signature of director authenticating accounts being sent to
Companies House

Signature	Date dd/mm/yyyy
	20/06/23
John Price	Print name

Section C**Notes to the accounts****Note 1 Basis of preparation**

This section should be completed by all charities.

1.1 Basis of accounting

These accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to these accounts.

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with:

- and with*

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 the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) issued on 16 July 2014
- and with*

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 the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)
- and with the Charities Act 2011.

The charity constitutes a public benefit entity as defined by FRS 102.*

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* -Tick as appropriate

1.2 Going concern

If there are material uncertainties related to events or conditions that cast significant doubt on the charity's ability to continue as a going concern, please provide the following details or state "Not applicable", if appropriate:

An explanation as to those factors that support the conclusion that the charity is a going concern;

Disclosure of any uncertainties that make the going concern assumption doubtful;

Where accounts are not prepared on a going concern basis, please disclose this fact together with the basis on which the trustees prepared the accounts and the reason why the charity is not regarded as a going concern.

1.3 Change of accounting policy

The accounts present a true and fair view and no changes have been made to the accounting policies adopted in note { }.

Yes*

✓

No*

✓

* -Tick as appropriate

Please disclose:

<i>(i) the nature of the change in accounting policy;</i>	
<i>(ii) the reasons why applying the new accounting policy provides more reliable and more relevant information; and</i>	

<i>(iii) the amount of the adjustment for each line affected in the current period, each prior period presented and the aggregate amount of the adjustment relating to periods before those presented, 3.44 FRS102 SORP.</i>	
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1.4 Changes to accounting estimates

No changes to accounting estimates have occurred in the reporting period (3.46 FRS102 SORP).

Yes*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	* -Tick as appropriate
No*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

Please disclose:

<i>(i) the nature of any changes;</i>	
<i>(ii) the effect of the change on income and expense or assets and liabilities for the current period; and</i>	
<i>(iii) where practicable, the effect of the change in one or more future periods.</i>	

1.5 Material prior year errors

No material prior year error have been identified in the reporting period (3.47 FRS102 SORP).

Yes*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	* -Tick as appropriate
No*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

Please disclose:

<i>(i) the nature of the prior period error;</i>	
<i>(ii) for each prior period presented in the accounts, the amount of the correction for each account line item affected; and</i>	
<i>(iii) the amount of the correction at the beginning of the earliest prior period presented in the accounts.</i>	

Note 2 Accounting policies

This standard list of accounting policies has been applied by the charity except for those deleted. Where a different or additional policy has been adopted then this is detailed in the box below.

2.1 RECONCILIATION WITH PREVIOUS GENERALLY ACCEPTED ACCOUNTING PRACTICE

Please provide a description of the nature of each change in accounting policy

Reconciliation of funds per previous GAAP to funds determined under FRS 102

	Start of period £	End of period £
Fund balances as previously stated		
Adjustments:		

Fund balance as restated _____

Reconciliation of net income/(net expenditure) per previous GAAP to net income/(net expenditure) under FRS 102

	End of period £
Net income/(expenditure) as previously stated	
Adjustments:	

Previous period net income/(expenditure) as restated _____

Note 2
2.2 INCOME

Recognition of income

These are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SoFA) when:

- the charity becomes entitled to the resources;
- it is more likely than not that the trustees will receive the resources;
- the monetary value can be measured with sufficient reliability.

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Offsetting

There has been no offsetting of assets and liabilities, or income and expenses, unless required or permitted by the FRS 102 SORP or FRS 102.

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Grants and donations

Grants and donations are only included in the SoFA when the general income recognition criteria are met (5.10 to 5.12 FRS102 SORP).

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

In the case of performance related grants, income must only be recognised to the extent that the charity has provided the specified goods or services as entitlement to the grant only occurs when the performance related conditions are met (5.16 FRS 102 SORP).

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Legacies

Legacies are included in the SOFA when receipt is probable, that is, when there has been grant of probate, the executors have established that there are sufficient assets in the estate and any conditions attached to the legacy are either within the control of the charity or have been met.

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Government grants

The charity has received government grants in the reporting period

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Tax reclaims on donations and gifts

Gift Aid receivable is included in income when there is a valid declaration from the donor. Any Gift Aid amount recovered on a donation is considered to be part of that gift and is treated as an addition to the same fund as the initial donation unless the donor or the terms of the appeal have specified otherwise.

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Contractual income and performance related grants

This is only included in the SoFA once the charity has provided the related goods or services or met the performance related conditions.

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Donated goods

Donated goods are measured at fair value (the amount for which the asset could be exchanged) unless impractical to do so.

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

The cost of any stock of goods donated for distribution to beneficiaries is deemed to be the fair value of those gifts at the time of their receipt and they are recognised on receipt. In the reporting period in which the stocks are distributed, they are recognised as an expense at the carrying amount of the stocks at distribution.

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Donated goods for resale are measured at fair value on initial recognition, which is the expected proceeds from sale less the expected costs of sale, and recognised in 'Income from other trading activities' with the corresponding stock recognised in the balance sheet. On its sale the value of stock is charged against 'Income from other trading activities' and the proceeds from sale are also recognised as 'Income from other trading activities'.

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Goods donated for on-going use by the charity are recognised as tangible fixed assets and included in the SoFA as incoming resources when receivable.

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Gifts in kind for use by the charity are included in the SoFA as income from donations when receivable.

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Donated services and facilities

Donated services and facilities are included in the SOFA when received at the value of the gift to the charity provided the value of the gift can be measured reliably.

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Donated services and facilities that are consumed immediately are recognised as income with an equivalent amount recognised as an expense under the appropriate heading in the SOFA.

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Support costs

The charity has incurred expenditure on support costs.

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Volunteer help

The value of any voluntary help received is not included in the accounts but is described in the trustees' annual report.

Yes*	No*	N/a*
✓	✓	✓

Income from interest, royalties and dividends	This is included in the accounts when receipt is probable and the amount receivable can be measured reliably.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Income from membership subscriptions	Membership subscriptions received in the nature of a gift are recognised in Donations and Legacies.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Membership subscriptions which gives a member the right to buy services or other benefits are recognised as income earned from the provision of goods and services as income from charitable activities.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Settlement of insurance claims	Insurance claims are only included in the SoFA when the general income recognition criteria are met (5.10 to 5.12 FRS102 SORP) and are included as an item of other income in the SoFA.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Investment gains and losses	This includes any realised or unrealised gains or losses on the sale of investments and any gain or loss resulting from revaluing investments to market value at the end of the year.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

2.3 EXPENDITURE AND LIABILITIES

Liability recognition	Liabilities are recognised where it is more likely than not that there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to pay out resources and the amount of the obligation can be measured with reasonable certainty.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Governance and support costs	Support costs have been allocated between governance costs and other support. Governance costs comprise all costs involving public accountability of the charity and its compliance with regulation and good practice.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Support costs include central functions and have been allocated to activity cost categories on a basis consistent with the use of resources, eg allocating property costs by floor areas, or per capita, staff costs by the time spent and other costs by their usage.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Grants with performance conditions	Where the charity gives a grant with conditions for its payment being a specific level of service or output to be provided, such grants are only recognised in the SoFA once the recipient of the grant has provided the specified service or output.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Grants payable without performance conditions	Where there are no conditions attaching to the grant that enables the donor charity to realistically avoid the commitment, a liability for the full funding obligation must be recognised.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Redundancy cost	The charity made no redundancy payments during the reporting period.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Deferred income	No material item of deferred income has been included in the accounts.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Creditors	The charity has creditors which are measured at settlement amounts less any trade discounts	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Provisions for liabilities	A liability is measured on recognition at its historical cost and then subsequently measured at the best estimate of the amount required to settle the obligation at the reporting date	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Basic financial instruments	The charity accounts for basic financial instruments on initial recognition as per paragraph 10.7 FRS102 SORP. Subsequent measurement is as per paragraphs 11.17 to 11.19, FRS102 SORP.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

2.4 ASSETS

Tangible fixed assets for use by charity	These are capitalised if they can be used for more than one year, and cost at least			
	They are valued at cost.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	The depreciation rates and methods used are disclosed in note 14.			
Intangible fixed assets	The charity has intangible fixed assets, that is, non-monetary assets that do not have physical substance but are identifiable and are controlled by the charity through custody or legal rights. The amortisation rates and methods used are disclosed in note 15.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	They are valued at cost.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Heritage assets	The charity has heritage assets, that is, non-monetary assets with historic, artistic, scientific, technological, geophysical or environmental qualities that are held and maintained principally for their contribution to knowledge and culture. The depreciation rates and methods used as disclosed in note 16.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	They are valued at cost.	Yes*	No*	N/a*
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Investments	Fixed asset investments in quoted shares, traded bonds and similar investments are valued at initially at cost and subsequently at fair value (their market value) at the year end. The same treatment is applied to unlisted investments unless fair value cannot be	Yes*	No*	N/a*

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Stocks and work in progress	Stocks held for sale as part of non-charitable trade are measured at the lower or cost or net realisable value.	<table border="0"> <tr> <td>Yes*</td> <td>No*</td> <td>N/a*</td> </tr> <tr> <td> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table> </td> <td> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table> </td> <td> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table> </td> </tr> </table>	Yes*	No*	N/a*	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	✓	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	✓	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	✓
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Debtors	Debtors (including trade debtors and loans receivable) are measured on initial recognition at settlement amount after any trade discounts or amount advanced by the charity. Subsequently, they are measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be received.	<table border="0"> <tr> <td>Yes*</td> <td>No*</td> <td>N/a*</td> </tr> <tr> <td> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table> </td> <td> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table> </td> <td> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table> </td> </tr> </table>	Yes*	No*	N/a*	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	✓	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	✓	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>✓</td> </tr> </table>	✓
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Note 3

Income

Analysis of income		Unrestricted funds	Restricted income funds	Endowment funds	Total funds £	Prior year £
Donations and legacies:	Donations and gifts	50,785	7,540		58,325	59,184
	Gift Aid	2,605	805		3,410	5,037
	Legacies	27,482			27,482	13,133
	General grants provided by government/other charities	1,000			1,000	9,001
	Membership subscriptions and sponsorships which are in substance donations	4,652			4,652	5,418
	Donated goods, facilities and services	-	-	-	-	-
	Other	-	-	-	-	-
Total		86,524	8,345	-	94,869	91,773
Charitable activities:	Admissions	29,424			29,424	23,336
	Other sales hiring	2,426			2,426	5,912
	Recycling	294			294	152
	Other	-	-	-	-	-
Total		32,144	-	-	32,144	29,400
Other trading activities:		-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-
	Other	-	-	-	-	-
Total		-	-	-	-	-
Income from investments:	Interest income	129	-	-	129	10
	Dividend income	-	-	-	-	-
	Rental and leasing income	-	-	-	-	-
	Other	-	-	-	-	-
Total		129	-	-	129	10
Separate material item of income		-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-
Total		-	-	-	-	-
Other:	Conversion of endowment funds into income	-	-	-	-	-
	Gain on disposal of a tangible fixed asset held for charity's own use	-	-	-	-	-
	Gain on disposal of a programme related investment	-	-	-	-	-
	Royalties from the exploitation of intellectual property rights	-	-	-	-	-
	Other	-	-	-	-	-
	Total	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL INCOME		118,797	8,345	-	127,142	121,183

Other information:

All income in the prior year was unrestricted except for: (please provide description and amounts)

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Where any endowment fund is converted into income in the reporting period, please give the reason for the conversion.

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Within the income items above the following items are material:
(please disclose the nature, amount and any prior year amounts)

Where sums originally denominated in foreign currency have been included in income, explain the basis on which those sums have been translated into sterling (or the currency in which the accounts are drawn up).

Note 4

Analysis of receipts of government grants

	Description	This year £	Last year £
Government grant 1			-
Government grant 2		-	-
Government grant 3		-	-
Other		-	-
	Total	-	-

Please provide details of any unfulfilled conditions and other contingencies attaching to grants that have been recognised in income.

Please give details of other forms of government assistance from which the charity has directly benefited.

Note 5 Donated goods, facilities and services

	This year £	Last year £
Seconded staff	-	-
Use of property	-	-
Other	-	-
	-	-

Please provide details of the accounting policy for the recognition and valuation of donated goods, facilities and services.

Please provide details of any unfulfilled conditions and other contingencies attaching to resources from donated goods and services not recognised in income.

Please give details of other forms of other donated goods and services not recognised in the accounts, eg contribution of unpaid volunteers.

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Note 6 Expenditure

	Analysis of expenditure	Unrestricted funds	Restricted income funds	Endowment funds	Total funds £	Prior year £
Expenditure on raising funds:	Incurred seeking donations	1,967			1,967	1,285
	Incurred seeking legacies				-	
	Incurred seeking grants				-	
	Operating membership schemes and social lotteries	1,754			1,754	1,087
	Staging fundraising events	20,723			20,723	30,181
	Fundraising agents				-	
	Operating charity shops				-	
	Operating a trading company undertaking non-charitable trading activity				-	
	Advertising, marketing, direct mail and publicity	3,180			3,180	3,818
	Start up costs incurred in generating new source of future income				-	
	Database development costs				-	
	Other trading activities				-	
	Investment management costs:				-	
	Portfolio management costs				-	
	Cost of obtaining investment advice				-	
	Investment administration costs				-	
	Intellectual property licencing costs				-	
	Rent collection, property repairs and maintenance charges				-	
					-	
	Total expenditure on raising funds	27,624	-	-	27,624	36,371
Expenditure on charitable activities	Other	17,597	78,316		95,913	70,073
		-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-
	Total expenditure on charitable activities	17,597	78,316	-	95,913	70,073
Separate material item of expense		-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-
	Total	-	-	-	-	-
Other	Admin	32,113			32,113	30,011
	Depreciation	3,828			3,828	4,683
	Loss on sale of container					
		-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-
	Total other expenditure	35,941	-	-	35,941	34,694

TOTAL EXPENDITURE

81,162	78,316	-	159,478	141,138
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Other information:

Analysis of expenditure on charitable activities

Activity or programme	Activities undertaken directly	Grant funding of activities	Support Costs	Total this year	Total prior year
	£	£	£	£	£
Activity 1					
Activity 2					
Other					
Total					

Prior year expenditure on charitable activities can be analysed as follows:

Within the expenditure items above the following items are material: (please disclose the nature, amount and any prior year amounts)

Where sums originally denominated in foreign currency have been included in expenditure, explain the basis on which those sums have been translated into sterling (or the currency in which the accounts are drawn up).

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Note 7 Extraordinary items

Please explain the nature of each extraordinary item occurring in the period.

	Description	This year £	Last year £
Extraordinary item 1		-	-
Extraordinary item 2		-	-
Extraordinary item 3		-	-
Extraordinary item 4		-	-
Total extraordinary items		-	-

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Note 8

Funds received as agent

8.1 Please complete this note if the charity has agreed to administer the funds of another entity as its agent. Note: If a charity is acting as an agent, it should not recognise the income in the Statement of Financial Activities or the Balance Sheet.

Description/name of party	Related party (Yes or No)	Amount received		Amount paid out		Balance held at period end	
		This year	Last year	This year	Last year	This year	Last year
		£	£	£	£	£	£
		-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-	-
Total		-	-	-	-	-	-

8.2 Where a consortia or similar arrangement exists whereby 2 or more charities co-operate to achieve economies in the purchase of goods or services, please disclose details of any balances outstanding between any participating members.

Description/name of party	Balance held at period end	
	This year	Last year
	£	£
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-
Total	-	-

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Note 9 Support Costs

Please complete this note if the charity has analysed its expenses using activity categories and has support costs.

Support cost (examples)	Raising funds	Activity 1	Activity 2	Activity 3	Grand total	Basis of allocation
	£	£	£	£	£	(Describe method)
Governance	-	-		-	-	
	-	-		-	-	
	-	-		-	-	
	-	-		-	-	
Other	-	-		-	-	
Total	-	-		-	-	

Please provide details of the accounting policy adopted for the apportionment of costs between activities and any estimation techniques used to calculate their apportionment.

Section C**Notes to the accounts****Note 10** **Details of certain types of expenditure****Note 10.1 Fees for examination of the accounts**

Please provide details of the amount paid for any statutory external scrutiny of accounts and other services provided by your independent examiner. If nothing was paid please enter '0' in the appropriate box(es).

Independent examiner's fees

Assurance services other than independent examination

Tax advisory fees

Other fees (for example: financial advice, consultancy, accountancy services) paid to the independent examiner

This year £	Last year £
0	0
0	0

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Note 11 Paid employees

Please complete this note if the charity has any employees (transactions with Trustees dealt with in Note 28)

11.1 Staff Costs

	This year £	Last year £
Salaries and wages	-	2,145
Social security costs	-	-
Pension costs (defined contribution pension plan)	-	-
Other employee benefits	-	-
Total staff costs	-	2,145

Please provide details of expenditure on staff working for the charity whose contracts are with and are paid by a related party

Please give details of the number of employees whose total employee benefits (excluding employer pension costs) fell within each band of £10,000 from £60,000 upwards. If there are no such transactions, please enter 'true' in the box provided.

No employees received employee benefits (excluding employer pension costs) for the reporting period of more than £60,000

Band	Number of employees
£60,000 to £69,999	
£70,000 to £79,999	
£80,000 to £89,999	
£90,000 to £99,999	
£100,000 to £109,999	

Please provide the total amount paid to key management personnel (includes trustees and senior management) for their services to the charity. For specific amounts paid to trustees, see Note 28.

11.2 Average head count in the year

The parts of the charity in which the employees work

	This year Number	Last year Number
Fundraising	-	-
Charitable Activities	-	-
Governance	-	-
Other	-	-
Total	-	-

11.3 Ex-gratia payments to employees and others (excluding trustees)

Please complete if an ex-gratia payment is made.

Please explain the nature of the payment

Please state the legal authority or reason for making the payment

Please state the amount of the payment (or value of any waiver of a right to an asset)

11.4 Redundancy payments

Please complete if any redundancy or termination payment is made in the period.

Total amount of payment

The nature of the payment (cash, asset etc.)

The extent of redundancy funding at the balance sheet date

Please state the accounting policy for any redundancy or termination payments

Note 12

Defined contribution pension scheme or defined benefit scheme accounted for as a defined contribution scheme.

12.1 Please complete this note if a defined contribution pension scheme is operated.

Amount of contributions recognised in the SOFA as an expense	
Please explain the basis for allocating the liability and expense of defined contribution pension scheme between activities and between restricted and unrestricted funds.	

12.2 Please complete this section where the charity participates in a defined benefit pension plan but is unable to ascertain its share of the underlying assets and liabilities.

Please confirm that although the scheme is accounted for as a defined contribution plan, it is a defined benefit plan.	
Please provide such information as is available about the plan's surplus or deficit and the implications, if any, for the reporting charity	

12.3 Please complete this section where the charity participates in a multi-employer defined benefit pension plan that is accounted for as a defined contribution plan.

Describe the extent to which the charity can be liable to the plan for other entities' obligations under the terms and conditions of the multi-employer plan	
Explain how any liability arising from an agreement with a multi-employer plan to fund a deficit has been determined.	

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Note 13Grantmaking

Please complete this note if the charity made any grants or donations which in aggregate form a material part of the charitable activities undertaken.

13.1 Analysis of grants paid (included in cost of charitable activities)

Analysis	Grants to institutions	Grants to individuals	Support costs	Total
Activity or project 1			£	£
Activity or project 2			-	-
Activity or project 3			-	-
Activity or project 4			-	-
Total	-	-	-	-

Please enter “Nil” if the charity does not identify and/or allocate support costs.

13.2 Grants made to institutions

My charity has made grants to particular institutions that are material in the context of its grantmaking. Details of the institution supported, purpose of the grant and total paid to each institution is available on the charity’s web site.

Yes	Please provide details of charity’s URL.
No	Provide details below

Names of institution	Purpose	Total amount of grants paid £
		-
		-
		-
		-
		-
		-
		-
		-
		-
		-
		-
Total grants to institutions in reporting period		-
Other unanalysed grants		-
TOTAL GRANTS PAID		-

Note 14 Tangible fixed assets*Please complete this note if the charity has any tangible fixed assets***14.1 Cost or valuation**

	Buildings	Track and Rolling Stock	Tools and Equipment	Heritage Assets	Total
	£	£	£	£	£
At the beginning of the year	160,973	28,912	13,878	3,097	206,860
Additions					-
Revaluations	-	-	-	-	-
Disposals	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers *	-	-	-	-	-
At end of the year	160,973	28,912	13,878	3,097	206,860

14.2 Depreciation and impairments

**Basis	SL	RB	RB	RB	SL or RB	Straight Line ("SL") or Reducing Balance ("RB")
** Rate	2	10	25	15		

At beginning of the year	26,310	24,822	11,276	2,958	65,366
Disposals					-
Depreciation	3,219	368	226	15	3,828
Impairment	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers*	-	-	-	-	-
At end of the year	29,529	25,190	11,502	2,973	69,194

14.3 Net book value

Net book value at the beginning of the year	134,633	4,090	2,602	139	141,494
Net book value at the end of the year	131,444	3,722	2,376	124	137,666

14.4 Impairment

Please provide a description of the events and circumstances that led to the recognition or reversal of an impairment loss.

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14.5 Revaluation

If an accounting policy of revaluation is adopted, please provide:

the effective date of the revaluation

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the name of independent valuer, if applicable

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the methods applied and significant assumptions

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the carrying amount that would have been recognised had the assets been carried under the cost model.

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14.6 Other disclosures

(i) Please state the amount of borrowing costs, if any, capitalised in the construction of tangible fixed assets and the capitalisation rate used.

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(ii) Please provide the amount of contractual commitments for the acquisition of tangible fixed assets.

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(iii) Details of the existence and carrying amounts of property, plant and equipment to which the charity has restricted title or that are pledged as security for liabilities.

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**** The "transfers" row is for movements between fixed asset categories.***

***** Please indicate the method of depreciation by deleting the method not applicable***

Note 15 Intangible assets*Please complete this note if the charity has any intangible assets***15.1 Cost or valuation**

	Project development costs	Patents and trademarks	Other	Total
	£	£	£	£
At beginning of the year	-	-	-	-
Additions	-	-	-	-
Disposals	-	-	-	-
Revaluations	-	-	-	-
Transfers *	-	-	-	-
At end of the year	-	-	-	-

15.2 Amortisation and impairments

**Method of amortisation	SL or RB	SL or RB	SL or RB	SL or RB	Straight Line ("SL") or Reducing Balance ("RB")
** Rate					
At beginning of the year	-	-	-	-	-
Disposals	-	-	-	-	-
Amortisation	-	-	-	-	-
Impairment	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers*	-	-	-	-	-
At end of year	-	-	-	-	-

15.3 Net book value

Nat book value at the beginning of the year	-	-	-	-
Net book value at the end of the year	-	-	-	-

15.4 Accounting policy*Please disclose the accounting policy for intangible fixed assets including:**Reasons for choosing amortisation rates**Policies for the recognition of any capital development***15.5 Impairment***Please provide a description of the events and circumstances that led to the recognition or reversal of an impairment loss.*

15.6 Revaluation

If an accounting policy of revaluation is adopted, please provide:

<i>the effective date of the revaluation</i>	
<i>the name of independent valuer, if applicable</i>	
<i>the methods applied</i>	
<i>the carrying amount that would have been recognised had the assets been carried under the cost model.</i>	

15.7 Other disclosures

<i>(i) If your intangible asset was acquired by way of grant, provide value on initial recognition and carrying amount of the asset.</i>	
<i>(ii) Details of the carrying amounts of any intangible assets to which the charity has restricted title or that are pledged as security for liabilities.</i>	
<i>(iii) Please provide the amount of contractual commitments for the acquisition of intangible assets.</i>	
<i>(iv) State the amount of research and development expenditure recognised as expenditure in the year.</i>	
<i>(v) Please detail the headings in the SOFA in which a charge for amortisation of intangible assets is included.</i>	
<i>(vi) For any material intangible assets, please provide a description, its carrying amount and any remaining amortisation period.</i>	

** The "transfers" row is for movements between fixed asset categories.*

*** Please indicate the method of depreciation by deleting the method not applicable (SL = straight line; RB = reducing balance). Also please indicate the rate of depreciation: for straight line, what is the anticipated life of the asset (in years); for reducing balance, what is the percentage annual deduction*

Note 16 Heritage assets

Please complete this note if the charity has heritage assets

16.1 General disclosures for all charities holding heritage assets

(i) Explain the nature and scale of heritage assets held.

(ii) Explain the policy for the acquisition, preservation, management and disposal of heritage assets.

16.2 Cost or valuation

	Heritage asset 1	Heritage asset 2	Heritage asset 3	Heritage asset 4	Total
	£	£	£	£	£
At beginning of the year	-	-	-	-	-
Additions	-	-	-	-	-
Disposals	-	-	-	-	-
Revaluations	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers *	-	-	-	-	-
At end of the year	-	-	-	-	-

16.3 Depreciation and impairments

**Basis	SL or RB	SL or RB	SL or RB	SL or RB	SL or RB	Straight Line ("SL") or Reducing Balance ("RB")
** Rate						

At beginning of the year	-	-	-	-	-
Disposals	-	-	-	-	-
Depreciation	-	-	-	-	-
Impairment	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers*	-	-	-	-	-
At end of year	-	-	-	-	-

16.4 Net book value

Nat book value at the beginning of the year	-	-	-	-	-
Net book value at the end of the year	-	-	-	-	-

16.5 Impairment

Please provide a description of the events and circumstances that led to the recognition or reversal of an impairment loss.

16.6 Revaluation

If an accounting policy of revaluation is adopted, please provide:

the effective date of the revaluation

the name of independent valuer, if applicable

qualifications of independent valuer

the methods applied and significant assumptions

any significant limitations on the valuation

16.7 Analysis of heritage assets by class or group distinguishing those at cost and those at valuation

	At valuation Group A	At cost Group B	Total
	£	£	£
Carrying amount at the beginning of the period	-	-	-
Additions	-	-	-
Disposals	-	-	-
Depreciation/impairment	-	-	-
Revaluation	-	-	-
Carrying amount at the end of period	-	-	-

16.8 Heritage assets (where heritage assets are not recognised on the balance sheet)

(i) Explain the reason why heritage assets have not been recognised on the balance sheet.

(ii) Describe the significance and nature of heritage assets.

(iii) Disclose information that is helpful in assessing the value of heritage assets.

(iv) Explain the reason why it is not practicable to obtain a valuation of heritage assets.

16.9 Five year summary of heritage assets transactions

	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
	£	£	£	£	£
Purchases					
Group A	-	-	-	-	-
Group B	-	-	-	-	-
Group C	-				
Other	-				
Donations					
Group A	-	-	-	-	-
Group B	-	-	-	-	-
Group C	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-
Total additions	-	-	-	-	-
Charge for impairment					
Group A	-	-	-	-	-
Group B	-	-	-	-	-
Group C	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-
Total charge for impairment	-	-	-	-	-
Disposals					
Group A - carrying amount	-	-	-	-	-
Group B - carrying amount	-	-	-	-	-
Group C	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-
Total disposals	-	-	-	-	-

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Note 17 Investment assets

Please complete this note if the charity has any investment assets.

17.1 Fixed assets investments (please provide for each class of investment)

	Cash & cash equivalents	Listed investments	Investment properties	Social investments	Other	Total
Carrying (fair) value at beginning of period	-	-	-	-	-	-
Add: additions to investments during period*	-	-	-	-	-	-
Less: disposals at carrying value	-	-	-	-	-	-
Less: impairments	-	-	-	-	-	-
Add: Reversal of impairments	-	-	-	-	-	-
Add/(deduct): transfer in/(out) in the period	-	-	-	-	-	-
Add/(deduct): net gain/(loss) on revaluation	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carrying (fair) value at end of year	-	-	-	-	-	-

*Please specify additions resulting from acquisitions through business combinations, if any.

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Please note that Fair Value in this context is the amount for which an asset could be exchanged between knowledgeable and willing parties in an arm's length transaction. For traded securities, the fair value is the value of the security quoted on the London Stock Exchange Daily Official List or equivalent. For other assets where there is no market price on a traded market, it is the trustees' or valuers' best estimate of fair value.

17.2 Please provide a breakdown of investments shown above agreeing with the balance sheet row B04 differentiating between those held at fair value and those held at cost less impairment.

Analysis of investments

	Fair value at year end	Cost less impairment
	£	£
Cash or cash equivalents	-	-
Listed investments	-	-
Investment properties	-	-
Social investments	-	-
Other investments	-	-
Total	-	-
Grand total (Fair value at year end+Cost less impairment)		

17.3 If your charity holds investment properties, please complete the following note:

- (i) Explain the methods and significant assumptions in determining the fair value of investment property held by the charity
- (ii) Name or independent valuer, if applicable, and relevant qualifications
- (iii) Provide details of any restrictions on the ability to realise investment property or on the remittance of income or disposal proceeds
- (iv) Explain any contractual obligations for the purchase, construction or development of investment property or for repairs, maintenance or enhancements

17.4 Please provide a breakdown of current asset investments, if applicable, agreeing with the balance sheet.

Analysis of current asset investments

Cash or cash equivalents
 Listed investments
 Investment properties
 Social investments
 Other investments
 Total

This year	Last year
£	£
-	-
-	-
-	-
-	-
-	-
-	-

17.5 Guarantees

Please provide details and amount of any guarantee made to or on behalf of a third party

Name of the entity or entities benefitting from those guarantees

Please explain how the guarantee furthers the charity's aims

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17.6 Concessionary loans

Amount of concessionary loans made (Multiple loans made may be disclosed in aggregate provided that such aggregation does not obscure significant information).

Description	This year £	Last year £
Total		

Amount of concessionary loans received (Multiple loans received may be disclosed in aggregate provided that such aggregation does not obscure significant information).

Description	This year £	Last year £
Total		

Terms and conditions eg interest rate, security provided

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Value of any concessionary loans which have been committed but not taken up at the reporting date

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Amounts payable within 1 year

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Amounts payable after more than 1 year

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Amounts receivable within 1 year

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Amounts receivable after more than 1 year

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17.7 Additional information

Please provide information about the significance of investments to the charity's financial position or performance eg. terms and conditions of loans or the use of hedging to manage financial risk.

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For all investments measured at fair value, the basis for determining the value, including any assumptions applied when using a valuation technique.

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Where a charity or its subsidiary has provided financial assets as a form of security, the carrying amount of the financial asset pledged as security and the terms and conditions relating to its pledge.

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Section C

Notes to the accounts

Note 18

Stocks

Please complete this note if the charity holds any stock items

18.1 Please state the carrying amount of stock and work in progress analysed between activities.

	Stock		Donated goods		Work in progress
	For distribution	For resale	For distribution	For resale	
	£	£	£	£	£
Charitable activities:					
<i>Opening</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Added in period</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Expensed in period</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Impaired</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Closing</i>	-	-	-	-	-
Other trading activities:					
<i>Opening</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Added in period</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Expensed in period</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Impaired</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Closing</i>	-	-	-	-	-
Other:					
<i>Opening</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Added in period</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Expensed in period</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Impaired</i>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Closing</i>	-	-	-	-	-
Total this year	-	-	-	-	-
Total previous year	-	-	-	-	-

**18.2 Please specify the carrying amount of any
stocks pledged as security for liabilities**

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Section C**Notes to the accounts****(cont)****Note 19 Debtors and prepayments**

Please complete this note if the charity has any debtors or prepayments.

19.1 Analysis of debtors

	This year £	Last year £
Trade debtors	482.0	6,094.0
Prepayments and accrued income	-	-
Other debtors	-	-
Total	482.0	6,094.0

Complete 19.2 where a material debtor is recoverable more than a year after the reporting date.

19.2 Disclosure of debtors recoverable in more than 1 year (included in debtors above)

	This year £	Last year £
Trade debtors	-	-
Prepayments and accrued income	-	-
Other debtors	-	-
Total	-	-

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Note 20 **Creditors and accruals**

Please complete this note if the charity has any creditors or accruals.

20.1 Analysis of creditors

	Amounts falling due within one year		Amounts falling due after more than one year	
	This year £	Last year £	This year £	Last year £
Accruals for grants payable	-	-	-	-
Bank loans and overdrafts	-	-	-	-
Trade creditors	740	12,137	-	-
Payments received on account for contracts or performance-related grants	-	-	-	-
Accruals and deferred income	-	-	-	-
Taxation and social security	-	-	-	-
Other creditors	-	-	-	-
Total	740	12,137	-	-

20.2 Deferred income

Please complete this note if the charity has deferred income.

Please explain the reasons why income is deferred.

Movement in deferred income account

Balance at the start of the reporting period

Amounts added in current period

Amounts released to income from previous periods

Balance at the end of the reporting period

This year £	Last year £
-	-
-	-
-	-
-	-

Note 21 Provisions for liabilities and charges

You should complete this note if you have included in the charity expenditure any provisions. A provision is made when the charity has a liability of uncertain timing or amount.

21.1 Please provide:

- a brief description of any obligations on the balance sheet and the expected amount and timing of resulting payments;
- an indication of the uncertainties about the amount or timing of those outflows; and
- the amount of any expected reimbursement, stating the amount of any asset that has been recognised for that expected reimbursement.

21.2 Movements in recognised provisions and funding commitment during the period

Balance at the start of the reporting period

Amounts added in current period

Amounts charged against the provision in the current period

Unused amounts reversed during the period

Balance at the end of the reporting period

This year £	Last year £
-	-
-	-
-	-
-	-
-	-

21.3 For any funding commitment that is not recognised as a liability or provision, provide details of commitment made, the time frame of that commitment, any performance-related conditions and details of how the commitment will be funded (with contracts for capital expenditure separately identified)..

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21.4 Where unrestricted funds have been designated to a fund commitment, please disclose the nature of any amounts designated and the likely timing of that expenditure.

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Note 22 Other disclosures for debtors, creditors and other basic financial instruments

22.1 Please provide information about the significance of financial instruments (eg. debtors, creditors, investments etc) to the charity's financial position or performance, for example, the terms and conditions of loans or the use of hedging to manage financial risk.

22.2 If the charity has provided financial assets as a form of security, the carrying amount of the financial assets pledged as security and the terms and conditions related to its pledge should be given here.

Note 23 Contingent liabilities and contingent assets**23.1 Contingent liabilities**

Where the charity has contingent liabilities, please complete the following section unless the possibility of their existence is remote.

Description of item including its legal nature. Please describe any security provided in connection to the liability.	Estimate of financial effect

23.2 Contingent assets

Where the charity has contingent assets, please complete the following section when their existence is probable

Description of item	Estimate of financial effect

23.3 Other disclosures for contingent assets and/or liabilities

Please provide the following information where practicable:

Explain any uncertainties relating to the amount or timing of settlement; and the possibility of any reimbursement

Where it is not practical to make one or more of these disclosures, please state this fact

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Note 24 Cash at bank and in hand

Short term cash investments (less than 3 months maturity date)
Short term deposits
Cash at bank and on hand
Other
Total

This year £	Last year £
-	-
-	-
107,770	142,062
-	-
107,770	142,062

Note 25 **Fair value of assets and liabilities**

25.1 Please provide details of the charity's exposure to credit risk (the risk of incurring a loss due to a debtor not paying what is owed) , liquidity risk (the risk of not being able to meet short term financial demands) and market risk (the risk that the value of an investment will fall due to changes in the market) arising from financial instruments to which the charity is exposed at the end of the reporting period and explain how the charity manages those risks.

25.2 Please give details of the amount of change in the fair value of basic financial instruments (debtors, creditors, investments (see section 11, FRS102 SORP)) measured at fair value through the SoFA that is attributable to changes in credit risk.

Note 26 **Events after the end of the reporting period**

Please complete this note where events (not requiring adjustment to the accounts) have occurred after the end of the reporting period but before the accounts are authorised which relate to conditions that arose after the end of the reporting period.

Please provide details of the nature of the event

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Provide an estimate of the financial effect of the event or a statement that such an estimate cannot be made

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Note 27 **Charity funds**

27.1 Details of material funds held and movements during the CURRENT reporting period

Please give details of the movements of material individual funds in the reporting period together with a balancing figure for 'Other funds' (which should include revaluation reserve and fair value reserve, if applicable). The 'Total funds' figure below should reconcile to 'Total funds' in the balance sheet.

** Key: PE - permanent endowment funds; EE - expendable endowment funds; R - restricted income funds, including special trusts, of the charity; and U - unrestricted funds*

Fund names	Type PE, EE R or UR *	Purpose and Restrictions	Fund balances brought forward £	Income £	Expenditure £	Transfers £	Gains and losses £	Fund balances carried forward £
CAPITAL RESERVE	EE	RESERVES CREATED ON	132,765	-	-	-	-	132,765
		132,765----132,765	-	-	-	-	-	-
		CAPITALISATION OF WORKS-----	-	-	-	-	-	-
		COMPLETED BY THIS CHARITY-----	-	-	-	-	-	-
		OF £105339 AND £27426 WHEN THE	-	-	-	-	-	-
		CHARITY WAS INCORPORATED1	-	-	-	-	-	-
			-	-	-	-	-	-
			-	-	-	-	-	-
			-	-	-	-	-	-
			-	-	-	-	-	-
Other funds (balancing figure)	N/a	N/a	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Funds as per balance sheet			132,765	-	-	-	-	132,765

Fund balances carried forward include assets and liabilities denominated in a foreign currency	Yes*	No*
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

<p><i>If yes, please state the basis on which the assets and/or liabilities have been translated into sterling (or the currency in which the accounts are drawn up).</i></p>	
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Note 27 **Charity funds**

27.2 Details of material funds held and movements during the PREVIOUS reporting period

Please give details of the movements of material individual funds in the reporting period together with a balancing figure for 'Other funds' (which should include revaluation reserve and fair value reserve, if applicable). The 'Total funds' figure below should reconcile to 'Total funds' in the balance sheet.

** Key: PE - permanent endowment funds; EE - expendable endowment funds; R - restricted income funds, including special trusts, of the charity; and U - unrestricted funds*

Fund names	Type PE, EE R or UR *	Purpose and Restrictions	Fund balances brought forward £	Income £	Expenditure £	Transfers £	Gains and losses £	Fund balances carried forward £
			-	-	-	-	-	-
			-	-	-	-	-	-
			-	-	-	-	-	-
			-	-	-	-	-	-
			-	-	-	-	-	-
			-	-	-	-	-	-
			-	-	-	-	-	-
			-	-	-	-	-	-
			-	-	-	-	-	-
			-	-	-	-	-	-
			-	-	-	-	-	-
Other funds (balancing figure)	N/a	N/a	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Funds as per balance sheet			-	-	-	-	-	-

Fund balances carried forward include assets and liabilities denominated in a foreign currency	Yes*	No*	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

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Note 27 **Charity funds (cont)**

27.3 Transfers between funds

	Reason for transfer and where endowment is converted to income, legal power for its conversion	Amount
Between unrestricted and restricted funds		
Between endowment and restricted funds		
Between endowment and unrestricted funds		

27.4 Designated funds

Planned use	Purpose of the designation	Amount

Note 28 Transactions with trustees and related parties

If the charity has any transactions with related parties (other than the trustee expenses explained in guidance notes) details of such transactions should be provided in this note. If there are no transactions to report, please enter “True” in the box or “False” if there are transactions to report.

28.1 Trustee remuneration and benefits

None of the trustees have been paid any remuneration or received any other benefits from an employment with their charity or a related entity (True or False)

1

In the period the charity has paid trustees remuneration and benefits. Please give the amount of, and legal authority for, any remuneration or other benefits paid to a trustee by the charity or any institution or company connected with it.

Name of trustee	Legal authority (eg order, governing document)	Amounts paid or benefit value					
		This year					Last year
		Remuneration	Pension contribution	Redundancy (including loss of office)/ex gratia payment	Other	TOTAL	
		£	£	£	£	£	

Please give details of why remuneration or other employment benefits were paid.

Where an ex gratia payment has been made to a trustee, provide an explanation of the nature of the payment.

If a third party has been reimbursed for providing one or more trustees, state the nature of the payment and amount of the reimbursement.

State the number of trustees to whom retirement benefits are accruing under a defined contribution pension scheme.

28.2 Trustees' expenses

If the charity has paid trustees expenses for fulfilling their duties, details of such transactions should be provided in this note. If there are no transactions to report, please enter “True” in the box below. If there are transactions to report, please enter “False”.

No trustee expenses have been incurred (True or False)

1

Type of expenses reimbursed	This year	Last year
	£	£
Travel		
Subsistence		
Accommodation		
Other (please specify):		
TOTAL		

Please provide the number of trustees reimbursed for expenses or who had expenses paid by the charity

28.3 Transaction(s) with related parties

Please give details of any transaction undertaken by (or on behalf of) the charity in which a related party has a material interest, including where funds have been held as agent for related parties. If there are no such transactions, please enter 'true' in the box provided.

There have been no related party transactions in the reporting period (True or False)

Name of the trustee or related party	Relationship to charity	Description of the transaction(s)	Amount		Balance at period end	Provision for bad debts at period end	Amounts written off during reporting period
			£		£	£	£

In relation to the transactions above, please provide the terms and conditions, including any security and the nature of any payment (consideration) to be provided in settlement.

For any related party, please provide details of any guarantees given or received.

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Note 29	Additional Disclosures
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The following are significant matters which are not covered in other notes and need to be included to provide a proper understanding of the accounts. If there is insufficient room here, please add a separate sheet.

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CHARITY COMMISSION FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/
members of

Charity Name
Mid - Suffolk Light Railway Company

On accounts for the year
ended

30 September 2023

Charity no
(if any)

1063635

Set out on pages

1 - 47

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 30 09 2023

Responsibilities and
basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Trust, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent
examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention (other than that disclosed below *) in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Act or
- the accounts do not accord with the accounting records

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

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

Signed:

Date:

1st August 2024

Name:

Christopher F Thomas

Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body
(if any):

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Certified
Book-keepers

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Section B

Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

**Give here brief details of
any items that the
examiner wishes to
disclose.**