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1090701

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04190545

**FRIEND IN NEED COMMUNITY CENTRE**  
[A company limited by guarantee]

Trustee Report and Financial Statements  
for the year ended 31 March 2021



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## **Introduction**

The Trustees present their annual report and accounts for the year ended 31 March 2021

The Trustees are satisfied with the performance of the charity during the year in question.

The full name of the charity is Friend in Need Community Centre and is also known by the acronym: FIN.

The legal registration details:

Date of incorporation: 29 March 2001

Charity registration number: 1090701

The registered office is:

East Barnet Baptist Church

Crescent Road

East Barnet

Herts

EN4 8PS

Company registration number: 04190545

### **Bankers:**

NatWest

120 High Street

Barnet

Herts.

EN5 5FF

### **Auditors:**

Alexander & Associates

5 Braemore Court

Cockfosters Road

Cockfosters

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EN4 0AE

The accounting recommendations of this SORP do not apply to charities preparing cash-based receipts and payments accounts. Charities preparing cash-based receipts and payments accounts must refer to the regulatory requirements of their jurisdiction(s) of registration regarding the format and content requirements for receipts and payments accounts and the trustees' annual report.

Charities in the UK and the Republic of Ireland must apply FRS 102 when preparing their accounts on an accruals basis unless eligible for, and opting to, prepare their accounts using the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (FRSSE).

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An eligible charity opting to apply the FRSSE when preparing its accounts must refer to the recommendations of the separate SORP applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the FRSSE.

## Management Committee and Governance

The members of the Board of Trustees during the year ended 31 March 2021 were:

Rev R Lazar – Chairman	Mrs Gwen Jones
Mr Raj Phillips - Treasurer	Mrs Victoria Small
Ms Evelyn Cornell	Mrs Joanna Tambouridou – resigned Oct. 2020

The directors of the company are also trustees of the charity and their responsibilities include all the responsibilities of directors under the Companies Acts and of trustees under the Charities Act. Not all trustees are directors.

At the Annual General Meeting all retire, but are eligible for reappointment. The appointment is for one year.

### Nature of the governing document and the constitution of the charity

The organisation is a charitable company limited by guarantee, incorporated on 29 March 2001 and registered as a charity on 19 February 2002. The company was established under a Memorandum of Association that established the objects and powers of the charitable company and is governed by its Articles of Association. In the event of the company being wound up, members are required to contribute an amount not exceeding £1.

### The methods and procedures for the recruitment and appointment of new trustees

New trustees are recruited through networking with local partners and from users and volunteers. Appointments are the decision of the serving trustees or the Annual General Meeting.

The Management Committee comprises:

The Chairman;

Eight nominated members who shall be three members of East Barnet Baptist Church nominated by members of the Church in General Meeting ("The Church Members"); up to three persons nominated from churches who are in membership of Churches Together in New and East Barnet; one person nominated by a voluntary organisation working within our catchment area and one nominated by LBB.

The Right to Co-opt as stated in the Constitution is as follows:

- (c) The Secretary and Treasurer of FIN shall be appointed annually by the Management Committee, which shall give preference in making such appointments to its own members, but if none shall be willing to accept, it may co-opt any person or persons in sympathy with the aims of FIN.
- Not more than two persons co-opted pursuant to sub-rule (c) of this clause.

Not more than three persons, who shall be users or volunteers, may be co-opted by a two-thirds majority of the Management Committee present and voting.

**The policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees**

Induction at FIN is generic and training of trustees occurs under the umbrella of various support organisations e.g. the Charity Commission and Stewardship.

**The organisational structure of the charity and how decisions are made**

General management is the responsibility of the Director of the Community Centre in consultation with the Chairman. Strategy and the fulfilment of the charitable objectives is vested in the Management Committee and decisions needing to be made are discussed in committee, with each trustee having a single vote, the Chairman having a casting vote. In order to achieve the Aims and Objectives of the charity, the Director delegates responsibility to the Co-ordinators for the successful management of their departments.



## **Statement of Public Benefit**

### **Objectives, aims and activities of the charity**

**A summary of the objectives of the charity as set out in its governing document.**

The primary purpose is to relieve poverty, distress and sickness; in particular, by providing activity services for the elderly and housebound, neighbourhood care, support for carers, and community schemes, and to develop other services as deemed necessary from time to time.

### **The charity's aims including the changes or differences it seeks to make through its activities.**

The aims are very much the same as the objectives. Some of the changes and differences that we aim to achieve include, but are not exclusively limited to, prolonged habitation of clients in their own homes, as part of continued independent living and maintenance of as high a standard of living as possible; reduction in social isolation. The activities such as yoga and Tai Chi and seated exercise are to encourage a more active life style.

### **An explanation of the charity's strategies for achieving its stated objectives.**

To keep in place adequate paid and volunteer staff to meet the needs of FIN clients in all areas of operation and for maintaining its fleet of vehicles to a standard that they are always available for use by our clients. Have a variety of services and activities to entice clientele to live more positively through participation in less sedentary pursuits.

Maintain working relationships with our partners and inform them of noticeable changes to the health and welfare of mutual clients.

Apply to grant making trusts for funding to enhance the services on offer.

### **The Charity's grant making policies**

FIN Community Centre does not give grants.

### **Social or programme related investment**

No direct financial investments are made, but investment in the lives of our clients is made through the services offered by FIN.

The activities offered by Friend in Need are designed to help people [it's clients] maintain a healthy lifestyle, through various forms of exercise, social activities around a cup of tea and a piece of cake, as well as cooked meals; the provision of information and advice concerning nutrition, financial affairs [benefits]etc. We refer to other organisations, when necessary.

## **The contribution of volunteers**

FIN would not be able to operate without its dedicated volunteers. FIN has approximately 100 volunteers working across all areas of service delivery, from cleaning up, to one to one interaction with clients, for example. There are also volunteers in schools to enhance the reading competency of students. Volunteers give as much time as they are able and even one hour per week is welcome, although we ask for a minimum commitment of 6 months. Moreover, like all voluntary organisations, we are constantly in need of new people. This is particularly so, as many of our long serving volunteers are inevitably ageing. Volunteers work as administrators, activity facilitators [play games, lead quizzes etc.] serve refreshments and meals, drivers, befrienders etc.

Volunteer drivers, on reaching the age of 70, cannot drive a minibus without undergoing a medical which is not available on the NHS.

## **Summary of the main activities of the charity in relation to its objectives**

The Active Day Care was cut to 4 days per week as a means of reducing expenditure. The Saturday service had a low level of client attendance for some time. Therefore, it was thought prudent to close that service. The remaining 4 days of service continue to help decrease social isolation and gives respite to carers, by having the "cared for person" at the centre. With Dementia increasing, we find that those affected need to be cared for on an individual basis i.e. Dementia affects people in innumerable ways. Hence, when responding to the needs of our clients, the staff must be creative. Clients continue to enjoy themselves and return to us, notwithstanding illness, hospital appointments, etc. The daily charge continues to increase in the light of continuing cuts to funding. Friend in Need had its sub-contract funding, from AgeUK Barnet, stopped at the end of September 2020. For reasons of further funding cuts by the local authority.

The daily activities include Yoga, Tai Chi, dance, reading, alternative therapies [various types of massage; foot care, acupuncture: by special appointment]. There is a monthly rolling programme of activities each afternoon.

People with disabilities, benefit by being able to get out and about using our vehicles



The name of the shopping service was changed from Helping Hands to FINshopping+ to show the type of service that is available.

Some clients are gaining the confidence to operate their bank accounts online. This is useful, as the Government continues to believe that everybody does everything online. We continue to facilitate cash handling for clients unable to access their bank accounts. The scheme enjoys an almost 100% satisfaction rate. This demonstrates the skill and care of the staff



**Friend in Need continues to receive praise for the level of care given to all our Service Users.**



-  The services are, in themselves, acts of a charitable nature in that the full cost of providing these services is not recovered from the client. Services were offered at a lower than commercial rate, but since the loss of the sub-contract and the fact that we have been using our reserves to support the services, it was deemed extremely prudent to reassess the financial position and make changes to put the organisation on a more sustainable path.
-  These services continue to be offered year on year because they are required. New services are introduced as needs are identified.

## **Fundraising activities**

These were somewhat curtailed because of the advent of a little sickness called Covid and the lockdowns and measures instituted to curtail the disease.

The charity continues to receive grant aid from donors as listed on pg10. The support of these grant-making organisations is greatly appreciated by the service users, volunteers and staff.

## **Factors relevant to the achievement of the charity's objectives**

-  A contented and motivated staff team [paid and voluntary];
-  Continued financial support by grant making bodies;
-  Increasing charges for services;
-  The fund raising team focussing on wider horizons;
-  A Board of Trustees positively focussed on the aims and objectives;
-  The path of the Covid-19 virus.

The considered opinion of the Voluntary Sector is that people will deteriorate quicker as the financing of preventative services reduces.

## **Employment of disabled persons**

FIN has had both paid and unpaid staff with some form of disability, who have progressed in many ways since joining Friend in Need. Part of the ethos of Friend in Need Community Centre is to assist in the rehabilitation of people who have suffered in some way. It would be difficult for us to employ physically disabled people because of the age and frailty of some of our clientele.

## **Relationships with other groups, charities and individuals**

Friend in Need has working relationships with like-minded organisations to be able to achieve its Aims and Objectives. FIN is a provider of services on behalf of the local authority and Barnet-based organisations. Individuals interact with FIN as employees, volunteers, friends or service users –



 all-encompassing term: stakeholders.

FIN also works with educational establishments to provide a suitable setting for students to gain work experience and fulfil particular academic requirements for their courses. Our clients enjoy interacting with the young people, but some of our clients do find the numbers overwhelming. FIN does not have any subsidiaries.

## **Financial Review**

### **The major risks to which the charity is exposed and reviews and systems to mitigate risks**

There is a risk to the service by the local authority contracting solely with another organisation.

As the income from grant giving trusts has reduced, there is greater pressure on these organisations because more applications are made for [to] a decreased "funding pot." Covid has exasperated this situation. The Trustees consider it prudent to have a reserve to cover three months salaries as redundancy pay, upon dissolution of the charity. FIN applies to various grant-making organisations to fund activities and seek funds to supplement its reserves for the replacement of capital equipment.

The continuing volatility in the economy and despite talk of an improvement, the "man in the street" [us] has yet to see this improvement. Only so many services are transformable into social businesses. People, having been promised care "from cradle to grave", are extremely resistant to paying for services that have been free.

Covid has had a dramatic effect on all sorts of organisations, but thankfully we are not one of the organisations that has succumbed to the consequences of Covid.

With the arrival of Covid and people being advised to remain at home, to distance themselves from others, it was necessary to curtail our services and then close all but the essential shopping service and office services because of the national lockdown, which meant most sources of income stopped literally overnight. The furlough scheme mitigated some loss of income

This was the order of play for most of the financial year. The charity was essentially open for just 45 days during the financial year of this report.

**And yet here we are!**

## **Trustees' Responsibilities**

### **Policies on reserves**

Designated reserves are unrestricted funds set aside by the Trustees for a particular purpose. The aim of each designated fund is set out in the notes to the financial statements. The charity will, when available, set aside designated funds of up to £5 000 per annum for replacement of vehicles and equipment and a further sum of £35 000 is set aside for redundancy payments in the event the centre ceases to operate. In the light of the Living Wage, the introduction of compulsory work based pensions, the sum set aside was reviewed and increased.

### **Principal funding sources and how expenditure in the year under review has supported the key objectives of the charity.**

Mrs A Bradford
Ms E Cornell
The London Borough of Barnet
Many anonymous residents of East Barnet its surrounds
Sub-contractor to AgeUK for Neighbourhood Services on behalf of the Borough of Barnet [until September 2020]

FIN Community Centre is in partnership with East Barnet Baptist Church.

### **Share Capital**



 Friend in Need is a company Limited by Guarantee and therefore has no share capital.

### **Plans for future periods**

 Continue to provide suitable services to the older population of Barnet;





## Statement as to disclosure of information to auditors

The Trustees, in their capacity as Directors, state that, as far as each of them, at the time of approving this report, is aware:

-  there is no audit information of which the auditors are unaware;
-  the Trustees have taken all steps necessary to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and establish that the auditors are aware of that information.

## Statement of Directors' and Trustees' Responsibilities

Charity Law and the Companies Acts require the Board to prepare financial statements for each financial year that give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity at the end of the financial year and of the surplus or deficit of the charity. In preparing those financial statements, the Board is required to:-

-  select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
-  make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
-  prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis, unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in business;
-  state whether applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice have been followed; subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements.

The Trustees are also responsible for maintaining proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy, at any time, the financial position of the charity and which are sufficient to show and explain the charity's transactions and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985 [and amendments]. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The Trustees are also responsible for the contents of the Trustees' Report. The responsibility of the auditors in relation to the Trustees' Report is limited to examining the report, and ensuring that, on the face of the report, there are no inconsistencies with the figures disclosed in the financial statements.



John Wilks  
Secretary

Date: 19/10/21

**Friend In Need Community Centre**  
**Independent Examiner's Report to the trustees of the charity**

**Report of the Independent Examiner to the trustees**  
**on the accounts of the Charity for the year ended 31 March 2021**

I report on the financial statements of the Charity for the year ended 31 March 2021, which are set out on pages 14 to 24.

The trustees are satisfied that the audit requirement of Section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the Act) does not apply and that the accounts do not require an audit in accordance with Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006 and that no member or members have requested an audit pursuant to section 476 of the Companies Act 2006, and that there is no requirement in the governing document or constitution of the Charity for the conducting of an audit. As a consequence, the trustees have elected that the financial statements be subject to independent examination.

Having satisfied myself that the charity is not subject to audit under company law, or otherwise, and is eligible for independent examination, it is my responsibility to:-

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

**Basis of opinion and scope of work undertaken**

I conducted my examination in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners for England & Wales setting out the duties of an independent examiner issued by the Charity Commissioners in relation to the conducting of an independent examination, referred to above. An independent examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the Charity and of the accounting systems employed by the Charity and a comparison of the financial statements presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the financial statements, and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning such matters. The purpose of the examination is to establish as far as possible that there have been no breaches of the Charities legislation and that the financial statements comply with the Statement of Recommended Practice issued by the Charity Commissioners for England & Wales, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.

The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and information supplied by the trustees in the course of the examination is not subjected to audit tests or enquiries, and consequently I do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the financial statements, and in particular, I express no opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view of the affairs of the charity, and my report is limited to the matters set out in the statement below.

I planned and performed our examination so as to satisfy myself that the objectives of the independent examination are achieved and before finalising the report I obtain written assurances from the trustees of all material matters.



**Independent Examiner's Statement, report and opinion**

Subject to the limitations upon the scope of my work as detailed above, in connection with my examination, I can confirm that

1) no matter has come to my attention in connection with my examination which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:

(i) to keep accounting records in accordance with section 386 of the Companies Act 2006;

(ii) to prepare financial statements which accord with the accounting records and comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the Companies Act 2006 and;

(iii) that the financial statements be prepared in accordance with the methods and principles set out in the Statement of Recommended Practice - Accounting and Reporting by Charities

have not been met; or

(2) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in my report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.



Atul Dave

The Examiner's relevant professional qualification or body: ICAEW

Alexander Dave  
Chartered Accountants  
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Herts EN4 0AE

The date upon which my opinion is expressed is :- 15 Nov 2021

**Friend In Need Community Centre**  
**Statement of Financial Activities**  
**for the year ended 31 March 2021**

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total Funds	Last Year Total Funds
Notes	2021 £	2021 £	2021 £	2020 £
<b>Income</b>				
Donations and legacies	57,614	266	57,880	20,725
Other trading activities	5,859	-	5,859	17,304
Investment Income	411	-	411	221
Charitable activities	49,057	22,530	71,587	190,436
<b>Total income</b>	<b>112,941</b>	<b>22,796</b>	<b>135,737</b>	<b>228,686</b>
<b>Costs of charitable activities</b>	<b>163,396</b>	<b>29,761</b>	<b>193,157</b>	<b>257,447</b>
<b>Governance costs</b>	<b>3,100</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3,100</b>	<b>3,500</b>
<b>Total expenditure</b>	<b>166,496</b>	<b>29,761</b>	<b>196,257</b>	<b>260,947</b>
<b>Net expenditure</b>	<b>(53,555)</b>	<b>(6,965)</b>	<b>(60,520)</b>	<b>(32,261)</b>
<b>Transfers between funds</b>	<b>1,084</b>	<b>(1,084)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Net movement in funds</b>	<b>(52,471)</b>	<b>(8,049)</b>	<b>(60,520)</b>	<b>(32,261)</b>
<b>Reconciliation of funds</b>				
<b>Total funds brought forward</b>	<b>252,668</b>	<b>9,033</b>	<b>261,701</b>	<b>293,962</b>
<b>Total Funds carried forward</b>	<b>200,197</b>	<b>984</b>	<b>201,181</b>	<b>261,701</b>

The net movement in funds referred to above is the net incoming resources as defined in the Statement of Recommended Practice for Accounting and Reporting issued by the Charity Commission for England & Wales and is reconciled to the total funds as shown in the Balance Sheet on page 16 as required by the said statement.

All activities derive from continuing operations


The recognised losses for the year are £65,520.

The notes on pages 15 to 23 form an integral part of these accounts.

**Friend In Need Community Centre  
Balance Sheet  
as at 31 March 2021**

	Notes	2021 £	2020 £
<b>The assets and liabilities of the charity :</b>			
<b>Fixed assets</b>			
Tangible assets	9	27,679	34,009
<b>Total fixed assets</b>		27,679	34,009
<b>Current assets</b>			
Debtors	10	2,930	29,072
Cash at bank and in hand		175,817	210,316
<b>Total current assets</b>		178,747	239,388
<b>Creditors:-</b>			
amounts due within one year	11	(5,245)	(11,696)
<b>Net current assets</b>		173,502	227,692
<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>		201,181	261,701
<b>Creditors:-</b>			
amounts due after more than one year		-	-
<b>Provisions for liabilities and charges</b>		-	-
<b>Net assets including pension asset / liability</b>		201,181	261,701
<b>The funds of the charity :</b>			
<b>Unrestricted income funds</b>			
Unrestricted revenue accumulated funds	45,113	86,541	
Designated revenue funds	20,053	25,000	
<b>Unrestricted capital funds</b>			
Designated fixed asset funds	135,031	141,127	
<b>Total unrestricted funds</b>		200,197	252,668
<b>Restricted income funds</b>			
Restricted revenue accumulated funds	984	9,033	
<b>Restricted capital funds</b>			
<b>Total restricted funds</b>		984	9,033
<b>Total charity funds</b>		201,181	261,701

The Trustees are satisfied that the company is entitled to exemption from the requirement to obtain an audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 and that members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Act. The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts. The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the provisions in Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

Trustee 

Trustee

Approved by the trustees on

19/10/2021

The notes on pages 15 to 23 form an integral part of these accounts.



**Friend In Need Community Centre**  
**Notes to the Accounts**  
**for the year ended 31 March 2021**

**1 Accounting policies**

***Basis of preparation of the accounts***

- a) The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102 - effective 1 January 2015) - (Charities SORP FRS 102) and the Companies Act 2006.

The charitable company meets the definition of a public benefit entity under FRS 102. Assets and liabilities are initially recognised at historical cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant accounting policy or note.

The charity has taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard No 1 from the requirement to produce a cash flow statement.

The particular accounting policies adopted are set out below.

**b) Going concern**

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the charitable company's ability to continue as a going concern. Key judgements that the charitable company has made which have a significant effect on the accounts include estimating the liability from multi-year grant commitments. The trustees do not consider that there are any sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting date that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next reporting period.

**c) Income**

Income is accounted for on a receivable basis when the charity is entitled to all the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

- Voluntary income is received by way of grants, donations and gifts and is included in full when receivable. Grants, where entitlement is not conditional on delivery of a specific performance by the charity, are recognised when the charity becomes unconditionally entitled to the grant.
- Donated services and facilities are included at the value to the charity where this can be quantified. The value of services provided by volunteers has not been included in these accounts.
- Incoming resources from grants, where related to performance and specific deliverables, are accounted for as the charity earns the right to consideration by its performance.

**d) Investment Income**

Bank interest is included in the income and expenditure account on a receivable basis.

**e) Deferred income**

In accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice for Accounting and Reporting issued by the Charity Commissioners for England & Wales grants received in advance and specified by the donor as relating to specific accounting periods or alternatively which are subject to conditions which are still to be met, and which are outside the control of the charity or where it is uncertain whether the conditions can or will be met, are deferred on an accruals basis to the period to which they relate. Such deferrals are shown in the notes to the accounts and the sums involved are shown as creditors in the accounts.

**f) Recognition of liabilities**

Liabilities are recognised on the accruals basis in accordance with normal accounting principles, modified where necessary in accordance with the guidance given in the Statement of Recommended Practice for Accounting and Reporting issued by the Charity Commissioners for England & Wales.



**Friend In Need Community Centre**  
**Notes to the Accounts**  
**for the year ended 31 March 2021**

**g) Expenditure**

The policy for including items within the relevant activity categories of resources expended is on accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is reported as part of the expenditure to which it relates.

In particular the policy for including items within costs of generating funds, charitable activities and governance costs is

**Costs of generating funds**

Costs of generating funds comprise of costs associated with attracting voluntary income and costs of trading for fundraising purposes.

**Charitable activities**

Charitable expenditure comprise of those costs incurred by the charity in the delivery of its activities and services for its beneficiaries. It includes costs that can be allocated directly to such activities and those costs of an indirect nature necessary to support them.

**Governance costs**

Governance costs include those costs associated with meeting the constitutional and statutory requirements of the charity and include the audit fees and costs linked to the strategic management of the charity.

**Allocation of costs within types of resources expended**

The methods and principles for the allocation and apportionment of all costs between the different activity categories of resources set out above are :-

Direct costs- Costs relating to a particular activity are allocated directly .

Support costs- These costs are allocated and apportioned as follows :

- Staff cost is based on staff time.
- Premises costs is based on floor areas
- Other costs are based on usage.

Resources expended include attributable VAT which cannot be recovered.

**h) Unrealised and realised gains**

Realised gains and losses are included in the accounts on the date at which a contractual obligation is entered into.

Unrealised gains and losses are computed by reference to the market value of the investments at the balance sheet date, compared to the brought forward cost or valuation, and gains and losses arising on similar categories of investments are netted off.

**f) Fixed assets and depreciation**

All tangible fixed assets, except freehold land and buildings, are stated at cost less depreciation. Freehold land and buildings are stated at a valuation arrived at by a professionally qualified firm of valuers, who valued the assets on the basis of open market value in current use.

Items of less than £500 are not capitalised.

Depreciation has been provided at the following rates in order to write off the assets (less their expected residual value ) over their estimated useful economic lives.

Equipment	10% straight line
Vehicles	25% straight line
Photocopier & Computers	25% straight line
Leasehold Improvements	Over life of the lease

A regular annual review of the likelihood of asset impairment is undertaken.

**Friend In Need Community Centre**  
**Notes to the Accounts**  
**for the year ended 31 March 2021**

**i) Capital grants**

The board of trustees consider that, in order to comply with the Statement of Recommended Practice for Accounting and Reporting issued by the Charity Commissioners for England & Wales, gifts of tangible fixed assets or grants of a capital nature given for specific purposes and fully utilised in the furtherance of the objects of the charity should be credited to the relevant fixed asset fund after the sums have been properly expended on the restricted purpose. The related asset is shown in the balance sheet at the full cost of acquisition or subsequent revaluation.

If the related assets are subject to restrictions by the grant making organisation on their use and disposal, then these restrictions are noted in the fixed asset section of these accounts. In such circumstances, the fixed asset fund created is treated as a restricted fixed asset fund. As the related assets are depreciated, then a transfer is made from restricted fixed asset funds to unrestricted revenue reserves to reflect the diminution in the asset subject to the restriction. In this year, a sum of Nil was transferred from restricted fixed asset funds to unrestricted revenue reserves.

If the related assets are not subject to restrictions by the grant making organisation on their use and disposal, then the fixed asset fund created is treated as a designated fixed asset fund. As the related assets are depreciated, then a transfer is made from designated fixed asset funds to unrestricted revenue reserves to reflect the diminution in the asset. In this year, a sum of Nil was transferred from designated fixed asset funds to unrestricted revenue reserves.

Any residual liability to the donor arising from, for example, the asset's future sale, is disclosed as a contingent liability unless the event that would trigger repayment of the grant becomes probable in which case a liability for repayment is recognised.

Insofar as this policy relates to Government grants and to the extent that it may be a departure from the Statement of Standard Accounting Practice Number 4, such departure is justified on the basis that it is in order to comply with the Statement of Recommended Practice for Accounting and Reporting issued by the Charity Commissioners for England & Wales.

**j) Taxation**

As a registered charity, the company is exempt from income and corporation tax to the extent that its income and gains are applicable to charitable purposes only. Value Added Tax is not recoverable by the company, and is therefore included in the relevant costs in the Statement of Financial Activities.

**k) Finance and operating leases**

Rentals payable in respect of operating leases where substantially all the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged to the Statement of Financial Activities as incurred.

Finance leases are accounted for in accordance with the requirements of the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (FRS102 1A).

**l) Funds structure policy**

The charity maintains a general unrestricted fund which represents funds which are expendable at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of the objects of the charity. Such funds may be held in order to finance both working capital and capital investment.

Restricted funds have been provided to the charity for particular purposes, and it is the policy of the board of trustees to carefully monitor the application of those funds in accordance with the restrictions placed upon them.

A fixed asset fund is maintained which represents the written down value of tangible fixed assets, and is divided into a restricted fixed asset fund representing the written down value of those assets subject to restrictions, with the balance being in a designated fund representing the written down value of those assets free of restrictions. The detailed operation of these funds is described under the accounting policy 'Capital grants'. The charity also maintains a designated fixed asset fund which is an unrestricted fixed assets fund set aside to meet the future capital investments.

There is no formal policy of transfer between funds or on the allocation of funds to designated funds, other than that described above.

Any other proposed transfer between funds would be considered on the particular circumstances.

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**m) Accounting for Legacies**

Legacies are recognised when the charity becomes entitled to it. The income or assets received will be treated as restricted or unrestricted depending upon the exact nature and conditions of the legacy.

**n) Recognition of pension costs and pension assets and liabilities**

The Company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions are charged to the Income and Expenditure Account as they become payable in accordance with the rules of the

all debts and liabilities, the assets represented by the accumulated fund shall be transferred to

**2 Winding up or dissolution of the charity**

If upon winding up or dissolution of the charity there remain any assets, after the satisfaction of all debts and liabilities, the assets represented by the accumulated fund shall be transferred to some other charitable body or bodies having similar objects to the charity.

<b>3 Deficit for the financial year</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>This is stated after crediting :-</b>		
<b>Revenue Turnover from ordinary activities</b>	135,326	228,465
<b>and after charging:-</b>		
Depreciation of owned fixed assets	8,574	4,249
Rentals under operating leases	15,420	18,120
Pension costs	3,291	4,404
Independent Examiner's Fees	3,100	3,500

Funds belonging to the charity have not been used for the purchase of insurance to protect the charity from loss arising from the neglect or defaults of its trustees, employees or agents, or to indemnify its trustees, employees or agents, against the consequences of any neglect or default on their part.

**4 Statement that no expenses were paid to trustees or connected persons**

No expenses were paid to trustees or persons connected with them.

**5 Detailed analysis of certain transactions required by the 2015 the Statement of Recommended Practice for Accounting and Reporting issued by the Charity Commissioners for England & Wales (effective Jan 2015)**

Various items which are required by the 2015 revision to the Statement of Recommended Practice for Accounting and Reporting issued by the Charity Commissioners for England & Wales (effective Jan 2015) to be disclosed in the notes to the accounts are set out in the Detailed Schedule to the Statement of Financial Activities .

<b>6 Investment Income</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Bank deposit interest received	411	221

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**7 Deferred Incoming Resources & Reserves- Restricted funds**

	Opening Deferrals	Released from prior years	Received less released in year	Deferred at year end
	£	£	£	£
AGE (UK)	1,714	1,714	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<u>1,714</u>	<u>1,714</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

	2021 £	2020 £
<b>These deferrals are included in creditors</b>	<u>1,714</u>	<u>7,917</u>

The deferrals included in creditors relate to those grants and donations specified by the donors as relating to specific periods and represent those parts of the grants or donations which relate to periods subsequent to the accounting year end and are treated as grants in advance, or alternatively where there are conditions which must be fulfilled prior to entitlement or use of the grant or donation by the charity.

**8 Staff Costs and Emoluments**

	2021 £	2020 £
Gross Salaries	128,272	144,436
Employer's National Insurance	4,873	6,374
Pension Contributions	<u>3,291</u>	<u>4,404</u>
	<u>136,436</u>	<u>155,214</u>

	2021	2020
Average number of employees	10	12
	<u>10</u>	<u>12</u>

There were no fees or other remuneration paid to the trustees  
There were no employees with emoluments in excess of £60,000 per annum

Neither the trustees nor any persons connected with them have received any remuneration, either in the current year or the prior year.

**9 Tangible functional fixed assets**

	Plant, Machinery & Vehicles £	Total £
<b>Asset cost, valuation or revalued amount</b>		
At 1 April 2020	108,339	108,339
Additions	-	-
Disposals	<u>2,244</u>	<u>2,244</u>
At 31 March 2021	<u>110,583</u>	<u>110,583</u>
<b>Accumulated depreciation and impairment provisions</b>		
At 1 April 2020	74,330	74,330
Eliminated on disposals	-	-
Charge for the year	<u>8,574</u>	<u>8,574</u>
At 31 March 2021	<u>82,904</u>	<u>82,904</u>
<b>Net book value</b>		
At 31 March 2021	<u>27,679</u>	<u>27,679</u>
At 31 March 2020	<u>34,009</u>	<u>34,009</u>

All assets are used for direct charitable purposes and there are no inalienable or heritage assets



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<b>10 Debtors</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Trade debtors	189	3,974
Other Debtors	-	14,196
Prepaid expenses	2,741	3,902
Accrued income	-	7,000
	<u>2,930</u>	<u>29,072</u>
<b>11 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Trade creditors	-	432
Accrued expenses	4,100	7,300
PAYE and NI	888	2,250
Deferred income and grants in advance (see note 7)	-	1,714
	<u>5,245</u>	<u>11,696</u>

**12 Related party transactions**

Some of trustees are also members of East Barnet Baptist Church and Friend In Need operates from the church's property for which it pays rents and contributions towards repairs, improvements, cleaning, light and heat. In 2021 it paid East Barnet Baptist Church the sum of £24,000 (2020: £28,200).

<b>13 Other financial commitments</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Total future payments under non-cancellable operating leases	1,777	4,081
	<u>1,777</u>	<u>4,081</u>

<b>14 Analysis of the Net Movement in Funds</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Net movement in funds from Statement of Financial Activities	(60,520)	(32,261)

The net resources applied on functional fixed assets and the net investment in programme related investments represents the cost of additions less proceeds of any disposals.

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**15 Particulars of Individual Funds and analysis of assets and liabilities representing funds**  
**At 31 March 2021**

	Unrestricted funds	Designated funds	Restricted funds	Total Funds
	£	£	£	£
Tangible Fixed Assets	27,679	-	-	27,679
Current Assets	22,679	155,084	984	178,747
Current Liabilities	(5,245)	-	-	(5,245)
	<u>45,113</u>	<u>155,084</u>	<u>984</u>	<u>201,181</u>
	£	£	£	£

**At 1 April 2020**

	Unrestricted funds	Designated funds	Restricted funds	Total Funds
	£	£	£	£
Tangible Fixed Assets	34,009	-	-	34,009
Current Assets	64,228	166,127	9,033	239,388
Current Liabilities	(11,696)	-	-	(11,696)
	<u>86,541</u>	<u>166,127</u>	<u>9,033</u>	<u>261,701</u>

The individual funds included above are :-

	Funds at 2020	Movements in Funds as below	Transfers Between funds	Funds at 2021
	£	£	£	£
Unrestricted Reserves	86,541	(53,555)	12,127	45,113
Designated Buildings Funds	141,127	-	(6,096)	135,031
Helping Hands Restricted Fund	9,033	(6,965)	(1,084)	984
Designated Redundancy Fund	25,000	-	(4,947)	20,053
	<u>261,701</u>	<u>(60,520)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>201,181</u>

Analysis of movements in funds as shown in the table above

	Incoming Resources	Outgoing Resources	Gains & Losses	Movement in funds
	£	£	£	£
Community Centre	112,941	166,496	-	(53,555)
Helping Hands	22,796	29,761	-	(6,965)
	<u>135,737</u>	<u>196,257</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(60,520)</u>

**16 Endowment Funds**

The charity had no endowment funds in the year ended 2021 or in the year ended 2020.

**17 Share Capital**

The charity is incorporated under the Companies Act 1985 and is limited by guarantee, each member having undertaken to contribute such amounts not exceeding one pound as may be required in the event of the company being wound up whilst he or she is still a member or within one year thereafter

There are 5 members of the company ( 2020 - 5 members)

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**Schedule to the Statement of Financial Activities**  
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**Status of this schedule to the Statement of Financial Activities**

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	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total Funds	Prior Period Total Funds
	2021	2021	2021	2020
	£	£	£	£
<b>Income</b>				
Legacies receivable	1,000	-	1,000	-
Donations and grants	56,614	266	56,880	20,725
<b>Total Grants, Legacies &amp; Donations Received</b>	<b>57,614</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>57,880</b>	<b>20,725</b>
<b>Other trading activities /generating funds</b>				
Fundraising activities	5,859	-	5,859	13,304
Inter company management charges for services	-	-	-	4,000
	<b>5,859</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5,859</b>	<b>17,304</b>
<b>Investment Income</b>				
Bank deposit interest received	411	-	411	221
	<b>411</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>411</b>	<b>221</b>
<b>Charitable activities</b>				
Contractual payments from public authorities	35,107	11,998	47,105	92,928
Other ancillary trading to benefit beneficiaries	13,950	10,532	24,482	97,508
	<b>49,057</b>	<b>22,530</b>	<b>71,587</b>	<b>190,436</b>
<b>Total income</b>	<b>112,941</b>	<b>22,796</b>	<b>135,737</b>	<b>228,686</b>
<b>Charitable expenditure</b>				
<i>Support costs of charitable activities</i>				
<i>Direct support costs</i>				
Gross wages and salaries - charitable activities	100,034	28,238	128,272	143,468
Employers' NI - Charitable activities	4,519	354	4,873	6,374
Pension contributions charitable employees	3,054	237	3,291	4,404
Volunteers' and casual staff Costs	1,054	-	1,054	544
Staff training	263	-	263	793
Project and other activities expenses	-	-	-	968
Travel and Subsistence - Charitable Activities	-	932	932	3,001
Other costs of Activity Centre	232	-	232	4,415
	<b>109,156</b>	<b>29,761</b>	<b>138,917</b>	<b>163,967</b>

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	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total Funds	Prior Period Total Funds
	2021	2021	2021	2020
	£	£	£	£
<b>Premises Costs</b>				
Rent payable	15,420	-	15,420	18,120
Insurance	780	-	780	670
Light and heat	6,130	-	6,130	7,200
Cleaning	2,450	-	2,450	2,880
Premises repairs and renewals	713	-	713	863
	<b>25,493</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>25,493</b>	<b>29,733</b>
<b>General administrative expenses:</b>				
Telephone and fax	3,016	-	3,016	3,273
Stationery and printing	2,056	-	2,056	521
Subscriptions	936	-	936	689
Equipment expenses	-	-	-	2,908
Computer Expenses	2,784	-	2,784	5,029
Advertising and PR	-	-	-	4,305
Bank charges	183	-	183	4
Sundry expenses	772	-	772	1,983
	<b>9,747</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9,747</b>	<b>18,712</b>
<b>Professional fees in support of charitable activities</b>				
Payroll costs	602	-	602	905
Other professional fees	2,472	-	2,472	2,701
Project management	-	-	-	4,000
	<b>3,074</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3,074</b>	<b>7,606</b>
<b>Other support costs</b>				
Depreciation of assets used for charitable purposes	8,574	-	8,574	4,249
Transport Expenses	5,389	-	5,389	7,546
Meals and Refreshments	909	-	909	12,003
Therapies and relief	1,054	-	1,054	13,631
	<b>15,926</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15,926</b>	<b>37,429</b>
<b>Total Support costs</b>	<b>163,396</b>	<b>29,761</b>	<b>193,157</b>	<b>257,447</b>
<b>Governance costs that are not direct management functions inherent in generating funds, service delivery and programme or project work (including management and administration costs)</b>				
<b>Specific governance costs</b>				
Independent Examiner's Fees	3,100	-	3,100	3,500
Depreciation of fixed assets used for governance	-	-	-	-
<b>Total governance costs</b>	<b>3,100</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3,100</b>	<b>3,500</b>