

Al- Baseera Bristol Center

Legal Chart

Al Baseera Bristol Centre is constituted as charitable trust registered with the Charity commission in July 2002 under charity commission number 1092781. The charity and its property are governed by a deed of trust last updated on 30 October 2015.

Organisational Structure

Trustees

Al Baseera Trustees are responsible for the overall Charity, they have the legal responsibility over the charity, they report directly to the charity commission which regulate all charities in England and Wales, the charity committee is therefore the top of the organizational authority for all charities in England and Wales. The Trustees meet minimum twice a year, which is the requirements of the regulator, in those meetings the trustees fulfil its legal obligations, such as financial and annual reporting to the charity commission. Also any legal decision that affects the charity is taken in this annual meetings and reports sent to the regulator to make them public on the charity commission website.

Management Committee

The trustee and the management committee are volunteers, they do not receive any compensation or other financial benefits from the jobs they carry for the community. The Management committee is responsible for the day to day running of the charity and its facilities. The management committee meet at least twice a month to discuss various issues that arise daily, whether it is operational, management or financial which needs decision taking.

The trustees have set up three sub-committees that facilitate certain activities of the charity's work. The sub-committees are:

- Sub-committee for the youth and sport activities

This sub committee keeps our youth busy around the year, organising various activities during the bank holidays and Eid Festivals, for boys the football tournaments have been a huge success, where boys from the age of 12 up to 16 compete in groups. Also, they organise swimming activities, trips to other seminars, lectures. These activities are vital for our next generation youth.

- Sub-committee for the Dawa and Quran lessons

dawa sub committee organises events that take place at al baseera building, they also go out and hold information desk in town popular street about the correct and authentic islam to clarify to non muslims about the true and authentic version of islam free from extreem and violence.

- Sub-committee for the day to day management of the charity's premises.

Above sub-committees are chaired a member of the trustees whose membership reflects the particular skills that trustee s can bring to the work of subcommittees. The sub-committees meet twice a month, and report back to the trustee chairman.

Policies and procedures

Following Charity Commission's visit to the Charity in September 2014 and the report that followed, the trustees have fully considered the charity commission's regulatory advices and guidance that the report has brought to their attention. Existing policies has been revisited, and new policies have been drafted. The trustees are now in final process for consultation and ratification for various policies and procedures.

Objectives

Our objectives are to promote the benefits of the inhabitants of the city of Bristol in particular but of those of Somali descent, by associating together the inhabitants and the local authorities, voluntary and other organisations to advance education, social welfare and leisure time occupation.

Activities

Albaseera Bristol Centre is situated near the city centre of Bristol. It gives easy access to Muslims working in the central Bristol as well as the highly populated Easton, Barton Hill and St Paul's areas. The centre facilitates 300+ worshippers.

It is our aim to make the centre a welcoming venue for the Somali youth in Bristol. We organise dedicated lessons, seminars, sermons and workshops for them. We are fortunate to have a sub-committee that looks after the youth problems. We are delighted to have women only sessions, where our sisters can gather together to learn about their religion and worship. The centre offers facilities for all women who want pray at all times. Helping those who are vulnerable within our community is very important to us. We try to help those who have moved to Bristol recently as well as those who have been living long time in the city.

Our long term aims is to have a centre that provides a facility where all Muslims can worship, where all parts of our community can gather together, and we are part of a peaceful, Vibrant and harmonious city.

Achievement and Performance

There are wide ranges of activities that take place in our centre in pursuance of its charitable aims. The trustees believe that these activities provide benefit both to those who use our centre and the wider community of Bristol. During the year under review, we offered following activities and services:

Prayers: The centre is open every day for daily and Friday prayers. More than 200 people visit the centre every week for their daily pray, and over 500 attend regularly Friday prayers.

Ramadan: We prepare food during Ramadan for those attending our centre who wishes to break their fast together. During these blessed days, over 100 people, male and female, visit the centre to pray the Tarawiih every evening. Due to number of visitor on the Eid days, we hired both Eids St Pauls Sport centre, so all families can enjoy their festive days.

Community Centre Halls and class rooms: Our halls and class rooms are available for use to local communities. For the year under review only, our facilities have been used for Various Aqiiqa (Child birth celebration) and wedding parties. Various committees both within Albaseera and outside Albaseera use our venues for their regular meetings. There are no charges for our facilities when it is used for common good.


AL-BASEERA BRISTOL CENTRE

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH MAY 2023


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We, the undersigned, hereby approve the attached Statement of Accounts for and on behalf of the Al-Baseera Bristol Centre and confirm that they are in accordance with the records and information supplied

Abdi Mohamed Djams 

Authorised Members

ABDIRAHMAN MEAD 

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MUSTAFA AHMED 

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McKENZIE ALLEN
Accountants

AL-BASEERA BRISTOL CENTRE

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30TH MAY 2023

2022		2023
		£ £
	<u>FIXED ASSETS</u>	
738,806	Per Notes (Per note 1)	737,159
	<u>CURRENT ASSETS</u>	
96,336	Bank Account (Per Note 2)	136,527
100	Petty Cash	100
-	Debtor	-
96,436		136,627
	<u>CURRENT LIABILITIES</u>	
-	Creditors & Accruals	-
96,436	<u>NET CURRENT ASSETS/(LIABILITIES)</u>	136,627
£ 835,242		£ 873,786
	Represented By: -	
£ 835,242	Capital Account (Per note 3)	£ 873,786

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STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH MAY 2023

2022		2023
		£ £
	RECEIPTS	
61,798	Subscriptions and Donations Received	87,595
-	Add: - Other Income (Bristol City Grant)	-
61,798	TOTAL RECEIPTS	87,595
	LESS: - EXPENSES	
12,040	Wages	17,200
76	Business Rates	1,715
3,696	Water and Sewage Rates	2,665
10,411	Light & Heating Costs	5,094
1,042	Telephone & Internet	1,294
849	Stationery & Printing Costs	121
788	Repairs and Maintenance	6,461
-	Facilities Hire & Community Welfare	-
882	Insurance Costs	775
-	Cleaning Costs	1,273
-	IT Costs & Charges	1,135
1,179	Other Admin & General Expenses	-
1,704	Bank & Transactions Charges	2,311
-	Donations	7,360
32,667	Total Expenses	47,404
1,880	Depreciation for Year	1,647
34,547		49,051
£ 27,251	NET SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR	£ 38,544

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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH MAY 2023

1. FIXED ASSETS

	Book Value 30.05.22	Additions At cost	Depreciation for year	Book Value 30.05.23
Building Premises	714,892	-	-	714,892
Land	10,000	-	-	10,000
Fixtures & Fittings	8,816	-	882	7,934
Computer Equipment	309	-	46	263
General Equipment	623	-	94	529
Security Systems	2,569	-	385	2,184
CCTV Cameras	1,597	-	240	1,357
	738,806	-	1,647	737,159

2. BANK ACCOUNT

Balances B/FWD 31.05.2022

- Operating Account (1)	112
- Operating Account (2)	77,833
- Buildings Account	9,863
- Other Account	8,528

96,336

<u>Add: - Subscriptions</u>	87,595
Donations for Capital Expenses	40,003

127,598

223,934

<u>Less: - Total Operating Expenses</u>	47,404
Capital Expenses Funds placed on Deposit	40,003

87,407

Balance C/FWD 30.05.2023

£ 136,527

Made up as: -

- Operating Account (1)	41,716
- Operating Account (2)	72,206
- Buildings Account	12,932
- Other Account	9,673

£ 136,527

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NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (Continued)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH MAY 2023

3. CAPITAL ACCOUNT

Balance B/FWD 31.05.2022	835,242
<u>Add: - Surplus/(Deficit) for year</u>	<u>38,544</u>
	835,242
Less: - Adjustments	0
	<u>£ 873,786</u>
Balance C/FWD 30.05.2023	


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