

Godolphin International Thoroughbred Leadership Programme Limited

Annual report for the year ended 31 December 2023

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Directors and Trustees' report for the year ended 31 December 2023

The Trustees, who are also directors of the company for the purpose of the Companies Act 2006, present their annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023 for Godolphin International Thoroughbred Leadership Programme Limited (the "charity", or the "charitable company") which are also prepared to meet the requirements for a directors' report and financial statements for Companies Act purposes.

The financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the Companies Act 2006, the Memorandum and Articles of Association and Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their financial statements in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (second edition effective 1 January 2020) (the "Charities SORP").

The Trustees have taken advantage of the small companies exemption from preparing a Strategic Report.

Status and administration

The charity is a charitable company limited by guarantee (company registration number 04720461) registered with the Charity Commissioners as a charity on 12 February 2004 (charity registration number 1102074).

Objectives

The primary objective of the charity, as stated in its governing document, is to advance standards and knowledge in the management of thoroughbred horses by the establishment of a programme to train and develop students who wish to pursue a senior management and leadership level career in the thoroughbred horse business and to award successful students with a qualification recognising their achievement.

Overview

The programme is a two year full-time management training course that combines a dynamic range of lectures, visits and hands-on experience. Practical horse management takes place in Ireland, England, USA, Australia and the UAE. Trainees are involved in the running of the thoroughbred breeding and racing operations at each location, which includes daily care of horses along with some exposure to the administration and management aspects involved. There are skills assessments in the areas of horse care and handling, veterinary and farriery as well as a continual assessment which includes appraisals and a challenging series of projects, assignments and examinations on the theoretical and practical material covered. In addition, three individual externships are organised for trainees during the course and there is a significant element of self-study of prescribed course materials. Relationships have been developed with established universities and training providers worldwide who deliver and certify business and equine modules. Trainees who reach the standard required are awarded the Godolphin Flying Start Diploma and the Graduate Certificate in Management (Thoroughbred Industry) accredited by University College Dublin on completion of the course.

Strategies and activities

The strategies adopted to further benefit the public and achieve the charity's goals include the following:

- global recruitment and marketing in order to attract the best candidates for the course
- maintenance of an engaged alumni network to support trainees and graduates
- achievement of the highest academic standards including accreditation by University College Dublin as a Graduate Certificate in Management (Thoroughbred Industry)
- alignment of training with thoroughbred industry best practice and current issues
- building relationships with thoroughbred industry leaders
- awareness of, and appropriate use of, current technologies and research

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Strategies and activities (continued)

The activities undertaken include the following:

- maintenance of a dynamic, informative website and the use of social media as a marketing tool
- industry leaders frequently interact with the trainees and graduates through visits, externships, meetings conferences, the annual graduation ceremony and employment, once the trainees have graduated
- statistical analysis of the performance of the programme and its graduates from 2005 to 2023
- continuous improvement through feedback from course participants, lecturers and thoroughbred industry leaders

Achievements and performance

The year ended 31 December 2023 saw the successful graduation of twelve trainees in June 2023 (2022: 11). All twelve graduates are now pursuing careers within varying aspects of the thoroughbred industry. Graduates of the programme are currently employed in Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, UAE, France, Germany, Hong Kong, India, Ireland, Japan, Malaysia, New Zealand, South Africa, United Kingdom, and USA.

The twenty-first intake of trainees was selected in May 2023. During the first four months of the course from August to December 2023 the trainees completed modules in Equine Anatomy, Physiology and Reproduction, Microsoft Office 365, Communications, the Irish and UK Thoroughbred Industries, Multimedia, Insurance and Legal. They also commenced their practical horse skills experience. They attended race meetings and thoroughbred horse sales in Ireland and the UK.

The Trustees have considered the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit in section 4 of the Charities Act 2011. Those activities undertaken to further the charity's purposes for the benefit of the public are set out above. The Trustees have noted that the programme has to date achieved a graduation rate of 99% (2022: 99%) and that 87% (2022: 88%) of graduates continue to be employed within the thoroughbred industry.

The plan for the future of the charity is to remain current and relevant to the thoroughbred industry, and to deliver the highest quality education and training to the successful scholarship recipients. The programme will be delivered by blended learning using on-line and virtual platforms as well as in person training, workshops and meetings.

Principal funding sources

The charity's donations and gifts in kind were £1,030,363 (2022: £1,099,965) for the year.

The programme is wholly financially supported and administratively managed by Godolphin Management Co. Limited, and related organisations, which are also considered to be responsible for the day to day management of the charitable company. The key components of donations and gifts are highlighted in Note 3 to the financial statements whilst Note 4 describes how almost all expenditure is incurred to further the charitable aims of the charitable company.

Investment policy

Investment powers are governed by the Memorandum of Association of the charity. The charity does not hold investments other than cash on a short term basis. The Trustees consider the rate of return received on these cash balances in the year to be acceptable given the level of funds held.

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Directors and Trustees' report for the year ended 31 December 2023 (continued)

Reserves policy

All reserves are unrestricted. Although the Trustees' policy on reserves is to expend all its free reserves on its charitable objectives, this policy has been set after taking into account the annual undertakings of financial support received from Godolphin Management Co. Limited. As at 31 December 2023 £nil reserves were held by the charitable company (2022: reserves held £nil). It is the Trustees belief that no reserves need to be held by the charitable company due to the fact it maintains the financial support from Godolphin Management Co. Limited.

Guarantors

The charitable company, which has no share capital, is limited by guarantee. In the event of the charitable company being wound up, the liability of each guarantor, being the Trustees of the charitable company, is limited to £10.

Trustees

The Trustees who served during the year and up to the date of signing these financial statements (unless otherwise indicated) were:

E Mahony	H A Anderson
J M Osborne	L-J Graffard
L D Pride (resigned 12 April 2023)	T M Hetherington
G King (appointed 13 December 2023)	

Directors' indemnities

The Trustees (who are also directors of Godolphin International Thoroughbred Leadership Programme Limited for the purposes of company law) have the benefit of a directors' and officers' liability insurance policy which has been maintained throughout the financial year and up to the date of signing these financial statements.

Structure, governance and management

During the year ended 31 December 2023 the Trustees met four times. As part of the ongoing governance of the charity the Trustees review charitable objectives, strategic direction and financial performance against pre-determined budgets and the charity's governing document. Management is delegated with decisions principally with regards to the selection and retention of trainees and to the content and operation of the programme, subject to Trustee review. The Executive Director of the programme is Ms C Kavanagh.

The selection of new Trustees is a unanimous decision by the remaining Trustees with their invitation being based on experience, skills, character and affiliation with the thoroughbred horse business. New Trustees are provided with the Godolphin International Thoroughbred Leadership Programme Terms of Reference and inducted at the next Trustees meeting with a review of the charity's objectives and the relevant performance measures.

Risk management

As part of the risk review process the Trustees discussed the following key risks facing the charity:

- 1) That sufficient funding is available to support the training programme.
- 2) That the most suitable required number of candidates are admitted to the course to ensure its long term success.
- 3) The continuing success of visa applications so that all trainees are able to attend all parts of the course.
- 4) That there is adequate management support to the programme.
- 5) That the teaching material appropriately and comprehensively meets the specified requirements of the course in order to retain accreditation of the University College Dublin.
- 6) Compliance with General Data Protection Regulations.

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Risk management (continued)

The Trustees confirm that the risk areas identified above have been satisfactorily addressed. A risk register has been developed which highlights the risks, potential impact and the mitigation in place. This is reviewed and discussed in the Trustees meetings to ensure that proper procedures are in place to minimise the negative impact upon the charity's objectives from any risks.

Financial risk management

The charitable company utilises the systems of internal financial controls that have been established by Godolphin Management Co. Limited and its related organisations and the Trustees periodically review the reliability of those systems. Bank balances held are generally low as receipt of funding is sought to coincide with the timing of expenditure. The Trustees regularly review expenditure against budget and confirm that expenditure is under control and is generally within budget. The Trustees believe that the charity's financial support will continue to be provided to enable the most recent intake of trainees to complete the two year course.

Statement of Trustees' responsibilities in respect of the financial statements

The Trustees (who are also directors of Godolphin International Thoroughbred Leadership Programme Limited for the purposes of company law) are responsible for preparing the Annual report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulation.

Company law requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the Trustees have prepared the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland", and applicable law (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice). Under company law the Trustees must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of the affairs of the charitable company and of the incoming resources and application of resources, including the income and expenditure, of the charitable company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the Trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities (Second Edition - 2020);
- make judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 102, have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charitable company will continue in business.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charitable company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charitable company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charitable company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The Trustees are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the charitable company's website. Legislation in the United Kingdom governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

Trustees' confirmations

In the case of each Trustee in office at the date the Directors and Trustees' report is approved:

- so far as each Trustee is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the charitable company's auditors are unaware; and

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Disclosure of information to auditors (continued)

- each Trustee has taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as a Trustee in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the charitable company's auditors are aware of that information.

Independent Auditors

An elective resolution has been passed to dispense with the annual obligation to appoint auditors.

By order of the Board:



J Hall
Company Secretary

13 September 2024

Independent auditors' report to the members of Godolphin International Thoroughbred Leadership Programme Limited

Report on the audit of the financial statements

Opinion

In our opinion, Godolphin International Thoroughbred Leadership Programme Limited's financial statements (the "financial statements"):

- give a true and fair view of the state of the charitable company's affairs as at 31 December 2023 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, and cash flows for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland", and applicable law); and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

We have audited the financial statements, included within the Annual Report (the "Annual Report"), which comprise: the balance sheet as at 31 December 2023; the statement of financial activities, and the cash flow statement for the year then ended; and the notes to the financial statements, which include a description of significant accounting policies.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) ("ISAs (UK)") and applicable law. Our responsibilities under ISAs (UK) are further described in the Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Independence

We remained independent of the charitable company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, which includes the FRC's Ethical Standard and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

Conclusions relating to going concern

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the charitable company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from the date on which the financial statements are authorised for issue.

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the trustees' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

However, because not all future events or conditions can be predicted, this conclusion is not a guarantee as to the charitable company's ability to continue as a going concern.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the trustees with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

Reporting on other information

The other information comprises all of the information in the Annual Report other than the financial statements and our auditors' report thereon. The trustees are responsible for the other information. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion or, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in this report, any form of assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify an apparent material inconsistency or material misstatement, we are required to perform procedures to conclude whether there is a material misstatement of the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report based on these responsibilities.

With respect to the Directors' and Trustees' Report, we also considered whether the disclosures required by the UK Companies Act 2006 and Charities Act 2011 have been included.

Based on our work undertaken in the course of the audit, the Companies Act 2006 requires us also to report certain opinions and matters as described below.

Directors' and Trustees' Report

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit the information given in the Directors' and Trustees' Report for the period ended 31 December 2023 is consistent with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

In light of the knowledge and understanding of the charitable company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we did not identify any material misstatements in the Directors' and Trustees' Report.

Responsibilities for the financial statements and the audit

Responsibilities of the trustees for the financial statements

As explained more fully in the Statement of Trustees' responsibilities, the trustees (who are also the directors of the charitable company for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the applicable framework and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. The trustees are also responsible for such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the trustees are responsible for assessing the charitable company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the trustees either intend to liquidate the charitable company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. The extent to which our procedures are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud, is detailed below.

Based on our understanding of the charitable company and its industry, we identified that the principal risks of non-compliance with laws and regulations related to breaches of the UK Charity Commission regulations and we considered the extent to which non-compliance might have a material effect on the financial statements. We also considered those laws and regulations that have a direct impact on the financial statements such as the Companies Act 2006 and the Charities SORP. We evaluated management's incentives and opportunities for fraudulent manipulation of the financial statements (including the risk of override of controls), and determined that the principal risks were related to posting inappropriate journal entries. Audit procedures performed by the engagement team included:

- Held discussions with the Trustees including consideration of known or suspected non-compliance with laws and regulations and fraud;
- Reviewed relevant meeting minutes including those of the board of Trustees for known or suspected instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations and/or fraud;
- Identified and tested journal entries based on our risk assessment
- Incorporated audit procedures to bring elements of unpredictability around the nature, timing or extent of our testing.
- Evaluated the design effectiveness of management's control activities designed to present and detect irregularities; and
- Reviewed the disclosures in the Annual Report against the specific legal requirements.

There are inherent limitations in the audit procedures described above. We are less likely to become aware of instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations that are not closely related to events and transactions reflected in financial statements. Also, the risk of not detecting a material misstatement due to fraud is higher than the risk of not detecting one resulting from error, as fraud may involve deliberate concealment by, for example, forgery or intentional misrepresentations or through collusion.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the FRC's website at: www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditors' report.

Use of this report

This report, including the opinions, has been prepared for and only for the charitable company's members as a body in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving these opinions, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

Other required reporting

Companies Act 2006 exception reporting

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion:

- we have not obtained all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- adequate accounting records have not been kept by the charitable company or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- certain disclosures of trustees' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- the charitable company financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns.

We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.

Entitlement to exemptions

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion, the trustees were not entitled to take advantage of the small companies exemption from preparing a Strategic Report. We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.



Andy Grimby (Senior Statutory Auditor)
for and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP
Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors
Cambridge
13 September 2024

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Statement of financial activities for the year ended 31 December 2023

	Note	2023 £	2022 £
Incoming resources:			
Incoming resources from generated funds			
Donations and gifts in kind	3	1,030,363	1,099,965
Total incoming resources		1,030,363	1,099,965
Resources expended:			
Charitable activities	4	(1,013,284)	(1,082,004)
Governance costs	4	(17,079)	(17,961)
Total resources expended		(1,030,363)	(1,099,965)
Net result for the year		-	-

All activities are continuing. The results above relate entirely to unrestricted funds.


All gains and losses recognised in the year are included in the Statement of financial activities.

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Balance sheet as at 31 December 2023

	Note	2023 £	2022 £
Fixed assets			
Tangible assets	8	-	45
Total fixed assets		-	45
Current assets			
Prepayments and accrued income	9	244,508	659,684
Cash at bank and in hand		6	781
Total current assets		244,514	660,465
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	10	(244,514)	(660,510)
Net current liabilities		-	(45)
Total assets less current liabilities		-	-
Net assets		-	-
The funds of the charity:			
Unrestricted income funds	11	-	-
Total charity funds	11	-	-

The notes on pages 13 to 19 form an integral part of these financial statements. The financial statements on pages 10 to 19 were approved and authorised for issue by the Trustees on **13 September** 2024 and were signed on its behalf by:



Trustee
J M Osborne

Godolphin International Thoroughbred Leadership Programme Limited
Registered number: 04720461
Registered Charity number: 1102074

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Cash flow statement for the year ended 31 December 2023

	Note	2023 £	2022 £
Net cash outflow from operating activities	13	(775)	(386)
Decrease in cash in the year	14	(775)	(386)

	2023 £	2022 £
Cash balance as at 1 January	781	1,167
Decrease in cash in the year	(775)	(386)
Cash balance as at 31 December	6	781

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023

1 Principal accounting policies

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements are as follows:

Basis of preparation

The financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the Companies Act 2006, the Memorandum and Articles of Association, and Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their financial statements in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (second edition effective 1 January 2020) (the Charities SORP).

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis, which assumes that the charitable company will continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future, reflecting the backing of financial support from Godolphin Management Co. Limited.

Incoming resources

Donations are credited to revenue on a receivable basis. Gifts in kind are valued at their gross value to the charity.

Resources expended

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with use of the resources.

Support costs

Support costs relate to the delivery of the programme of the charitable company. This has been wholly included within costs of charitable activities.

Governance costs

Governance costs include the costs incurred by the charitable company for the compliance with constitutional and statutory requirements.

Irrecoverable VAT

Any irrecoverable VAT is charged to the statement of financial activities, or capitalised as part of the cost of the related asset, where appropriate.

Foreign currencies

The charitable company's functional and presentation currency is the pound sterling. Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities are retranslated at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. All differences are taken to the statement of financial activities.

Recognition of liabilities

Liabilities are recognised when an obligation arises to transfer economic benefits as a result of past transactions or events.

Fund structure policy

General funds are unrestricted funds which are available for use at the discretion of the directors in furtherance of the general objectives of the charitable company and which have not been designated for other purposes.

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023 (continued)

1 Principal accounting policies (continued)

Tangible assets

All tangible assets purchased are included at their purchase price together with any incidental expenses of acquisition except that assets with a cost below £500 are not capitalised. Impairment reviews are undertaken when there is an impairment indicator.

The useful economic lives and residual value of tangible assets are reviewed at the end of the accounting period.

Depreciation of tangible assets is calculated so as to write off the cost of tangible assets, less their estimated residual values, over the expected useful economic lives of the assets concerned. The principal annual rate used for this purpose is:

Computer equipment – straight line	33.3%
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Financial instruments

The charitable company does not have any financial instruments other than debtors, creditors and cash at the year end. Due to the short-term nature of these balances, the charitable company considers the carrying value of these items to equal their fair value.

The charitable company has chosen to adopt Sections 11 and 12 of FRS 102 in respect of financial instruments.

Financial assets

Basic financial assets, including trade and other receivables and cash and bank balances are initially recognised at transaction price.

Financial liabilities

Basic financial liabilities, including trade and other payables are initially recognised at transaction price.

Trade payables are obligations to pay for goods or services that have been acquired in the ordinary course of business from suppliers. Accounts payable are classified as current liabilities if payment is due within one year or less. If not, they are presented as non-current liabilities.

Cash at bank and in hand

Cash at bank and in hand includes cash in hand and deposits held at call with banks.

Critical accounting judgements and estimation uncertainty

The charitable company makes estimates and assumptions concerning the future. The resulting accounting estimates will, by definition, seldom equal the related actual results. There are no estimates or assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the financial statements.

2 Legal status of the charitable company

The charitable company is a private company limited by guarantee and has no share capital, the charitable company is incorporated and registered in England, the United Kingdom. In the event of the charitable company being wound up the liability in respect of the guarantee is limited to £10 per member of the charitable company.

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023 (continued)

3 Donations and gifts in kind

	2023 £	2022 £
Donations and gifts in kind:		
Non-charitable organisations	946,363	1,015,965
Gifts in kind	84,000	84,000
	1,030,363	1,099,965

Donations and gifts in kind were made by related party organisations as disclosed in Note 16. Gifts in kind have been recorded at their gross value to the charity.

4 Resources expended

	Support costs £	Other costs £	Depreciation £	2023 £	Support costs £	Other costs £	Depreciation £	2022 £
Charitable activities	929,239	84,000	45	1,013,284	997,818	84,000	186	1,082,004
Governance costs	-	17,079	-	17,079	-	17,961	-	17,961
	929,239	101,079	45	1,030,363	997,818	101,961	186	1,099,965

5 Net incoming resources

	2023 £	2022 £
Net incoming resources is stated after charging/(crediting):		
Depreciation of tangible assets	45	186
(Profit) / loss on exchange	(19,630)	16,297
Auditors' remuneration for:		
Fees payable for the audit	9,708	8,988
Tax compliance services	4,200	4,000

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023 (continued)

6 Employee information

The charitable company had no employees during this or the previous year. Operational duties are fulfilled through provision of gifted services in kind and director involvement. No Trustee received remuneration or expenses from the charitable company during the year (2022: £nil). Trustees did receive remuneration and expenses from employment with a related party and such costs are borne by the related party and duties fulfilled as outlined above.

7 Taxation

The charity is a registered charity, and as such is entitled to certain tax exemptions on income and profits from investments, and surpluses on any trading activities carried on in furtherance of the charitable company's primary objectives, if these profits and surpluses are applied solely for charitable purposes.

The charitable company is not registered for VAT and accordingly, all expenditure is recorded inclusive of any VAT incurred.

8 Tangible assets

	Computer equipment	
	2023	2022
	£	£
Cost		
At 1 January	3,294	3,294
Disposals	-	-
At 31 December	3,294	3,294
Accumulated depreciation		
At 1 January	(3,249)	(3,063)
Charge in the year	(45)	(186)
Disposals	-	-
At 31 December	(3,294)	(3,249)
Net book amount		
At 31 December	-	45

9 Prepayments and accrued income

	2023	2022
	£	£
Amounts falling due within one year		
Prepayments	53,318	24,408
Accrued donations	191,190	635,276
Prepayments and accrued income	244,508	659,684

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023 (continued)

10 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2023 £	2022 £
Related party creditors	218,532	625,629
Accruals and deferred income	25,982	34,881
	244,514	660,510

11 Charity funds

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	2023 £	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	2022 £
Unrestricted income funds						
General reserve	1,030,363	(1,030,363)	-	1,099,965	(1,099,965)	-
Total charity funds	1,030,363	(1,030,363)	-	1,099,965	(1,099,965)	-

12 Analysis of the net assets between funds

All assets relate to unrestricted funds.

13 Reconciliation of net incoming resources to net cash outflow from operating activities

	2023 £	2022 £
Continuing activities		
Net result for the year	-	-
Depreciation of tangible assets	45	186
Decrease / (increase) in debtors	388,741	(317,724)
(Decrease) / increase in creditors	(389,561)	317,152
Net cash outflow from operating activities	(775)	(386)

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14 Analysis of changes in net funds during the year

	2023 £	2022 £
Cash at bank and in hand at 1 January	781	1,167
Decrease in cash in the year	(775)	(386)
Net funds at 31 December	6	781

15 Capital

The charity is a company limited by guarantee. Each member has undertaken to contribute £10 to the assets of the charitable company to meet its liabilities if called on to do so. The total amount guaranteed by Trustees at 31 December 2023 is £60 (2022: £60).

16 Related party transactions

Parties which the directors consider to be related to Godolphin International Thoroughbred Leadership Programme Limited, and the transactions undertaken with each party, are summarised below. The nature of the relationship with each party is common directorship and operational management in relation to the reporting entity. In each case the purchases disclosed relate to the reimbursement of expenses incurred on behalf of the reporting entity.

Godolphin Management Co. Limited

	2023 £	2022 £
Balance as at 31 December		
Creditor	(80,904)	(253,143)
Summary of transactions for the year ended 31 December		
Purchases	388,061	281,696
Donations	946,363	1,022,015

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16 Related party transactions (continued)

Godolphin LLC

	2023 £	2022 £
Balance as at 31 December		
Creditor	(24,390)	(163,831)
Summary of transactions for the year ended 31 December		
Purchases	162,839	189,897

Godolphin Ireland Limited

	2023 £	2022 £
Balance as at 31 December		
Creditor	(7,665)	(47,217)
Summary of transactions for the year ended		
Purchases	61,176	55,937
Gifts in kind	84,000	84,000

Godolphin Australia Pty Limited (previously Darley Australia Pty Limited)

	2023 £	2022 £
Balance as at 31 December		
Creditor	(105,573)	(161,438)
Summary of transactions for the year ended 31 December		
Purchases	176,065	171,682

17 Ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party

The charitable company has no share capital. The charitable company is limited by guarantee and in the event of the charitable company being wound up the liability of each guarantor, being the directors of the charitable company, is limited to £10.

In the opinion of the directors, there is no single individual or entity that can or does exercise ultimate control, over the charitable company.