

Report of the Trustees and
Unaudited Financial Statements
for the Year Ended 31 January 2023
for
LEEDS WEST INDIAN CARNIVAL

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for the year ended 31 January 2023

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**Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of
Leeds West Indian Carnival**

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Leeds West Indian Carnival ('the Company')

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the Company for the year ended 31 January 2023.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity's trustees of the Company (and also its directors for the purposes of company law) you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 ('the 2006 Act').

Having satisfied myself that the accounts of the Company are not required to be audited under Part 16 of the 2006 Act and are eligible for independent examination, I report in respect of my examination of your charity's accounts as carried out under Section 145 of the Charities Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act'). In carrying out my examination I have followed the Directions given by the Charity Commission under Section 145(5) (b) of the 2011 Act.

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Company as required by Section 386 of the 2006 Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do not comply with the accounting requirements of Section 396 of the 2006 Act other than any requirement that the accounts give a true and fair view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination; or
4. the accounts have not been prepared in accordance with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice for accounting and reporting by charities (applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)).

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

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31 August 2023

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Report of the Trustees **for the year ended 31 January 2023**

The trustees who are also directors of the charity for the purposes of the Companies Act 2006, present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 January 2023. The trustees have adopted the provisions of 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 2019).

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The charity is controlled by its governing document, a deed of trust, and constitutes a limited company, limited by guarantee, as defined by the Companies Act 2006.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered Company number

05118504 (England and Wales)

Registered Charity number

1107881

Registered office

82 Sheepscar Street North
Leeds
West Yorkshire
LS7 3AF

Trustees


T A B France Chairperson
S M Bailey Treasurer
N Cannonier
S Howarth
M Zakers
B Albert Vice Chair (resigned 28/2/2022)

Independent Examiner

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This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Approved by order of the board of trustees on 31 August 2023 and signed on its behalf by:



T A B France Chairperson - Trustee

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Statement of Financial Activities **for the year ended 31 January 2023**

	Notes	2023 Unrestricted fund £	2022 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM			
Donations and legacies		107,801	77,932
Investment income	2	16	-
Total		<u>107,817</u>	<u>77,932</u>
 EXPENDITURE ON			
Charitable activities			
Carnival		<u>107,589</u>	<u>111,871</u>
 NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)		228	(33,939)
 RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
Total funds brought forward		74,970	108,909
 TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		<u><u>75,198</u></u>	<u><u>74,970</u></u>

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Balance Sheet 31 January 2023

	Notes	2023 Unrestricted fund £	2022 Total funds £
FIXED ASSETS			
Tangible assets	6	11,861	13,714
CURRENT ASSETS			
Debtors	7	19,316	997
Cash at bank and in hand		45,462	64,759
		<u>64,778</u>	<u>65,756</u>
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due within one year	8	(1,441)	(4,500)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		<u>63,337</u>	<u>61,256</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		75,198	74,970
NET ASSETS		<u>75,198</u>	<u>74,970</u>
FUNDS	9		
Unrestricted funds		75,198	74,970
TOTAL FUNDS		<u>75,198</u>	<u>74,970</u>

The charitable company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 31 January 2023.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 31 January 2023 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for

- ensuring that the charitable company keeps accounting records that comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company as at the end of each financial year and of its surplus or deficit for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the charitable company.

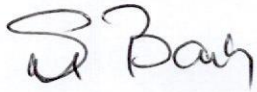
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Balance Sheet - continued

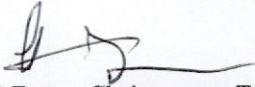
31 January 2023

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to charitable companies subject to the small companies regime.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees and authorised for issue on 31 August 2023 and were signed on its behalf by:



S M Bailey Treasurer - Trustee



T A B France Chairperson - Trustee

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Notes to the Financial Statements **for the year ended 31 January 2023**

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of preparing the financial statements

The financial statements of the charitable company, which is a public benefit entity under FRS 102, have been prepared in accordance with the Charities SORP (FRS 102) '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 2019)', Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' and the Companies Act 2006. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Income

All income is recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities once the charity has entitlement to the funds, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably.

Expenditure

Liabilities are recognised as expenditure as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to that expenditure, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all cost related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Plant and machinery	- 15% on reducing balance
Fixtures and fittings	- 25% on reducing balance
Computer equipment	- 33% on reducing balance

Taxation

The charity is exempt from corporation tax on its charitable activities.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees.

Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is included in the notes to the financial statements.

Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to the Statement of Financial Activities on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

Reserves policy

The trustees of Leeds West Indian Carnival aim to maintain free reserves in unrestricted funds at a level which equates to approximately four months of unrestricted charitable organisational expenditure. The trustees consider that this level will provide sufficient funds to respond to applications for grants and ensure that support and governance costs are covered. The trustees consider that a level of four months is sufficient given the flexibility afforded by the nature of how the organisation functions on a day to day / year to year basis and how we are primarily funded.

The balance held as unrestricted funds at 31st January was £9,177 of which £4,000 is regarded as free reserves. The current level of reserves is therefore higher than is needed and this will be used accordingly for unforeseen events. It is our aim to review the amount of reserves held on an annual basis.

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Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the year ended 31 January 2023

2. INVESTMENT INCOME

	2023	2022
	£	£
Deposit account interest	16	-
	<u>16</u>	<u>-</u>

3. NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)

Net income/(expenditure) is stated after charging/(crediting):

	2023	2022
	£	£
Depreciation - owned assets	2,283	2,657
Venue Hire and Security	15,910	13,821
	<u>18,193</u>	<u>16,478</u>

4. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 31 January 2023 nor for the year ended 31 January 2022.

Trustees' expenses

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 31 January 2023 nor for the year ended 31 January 2022.

5. COMPARATIVES FOR THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted fund £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM	
Donations and legacies	77,932
EXPENDITURE ON	
Charitable activities	
Carnival	111,871
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)	(33,939)
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS	
Total funds brought forward	108,909
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD	<u>74,970</u>

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Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the year ended 31 January 2023

6. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Plant and machinery £	Fixtures and fittings £	Computer equipment £	Totals £
COST				
At 1 February 2022	20,526	1,424	2,439	24,389
Additions	276	154	-	430
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At 31 January 2023	20,802	1,578	2,439	24,819
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DEPRECIATION				
At 1 February 2022	8,101	356	2,218	10,675
Charge for year	1,905	305	73	2,283
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At 31 January 2023	10,006	661	2,291	12,958
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NET BOOK VALUE				
At 31 January 2023	10,796	917	148	11,861
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At 31 January 2022	12,425	1,068	221	13,714
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7. DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2023 £	2022 £
Trade debtors	18,250	-
Prepayments	1,066	997
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	19,316	997
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8. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2023 £	2022 £
Trade creditors	471	-
Accrued expenses	970	4,500
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	1,441	4,500
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9. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS

	At 1/2/22 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31/1/23 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	74,970	228	75,198
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TOTAL FUNDS	74,970	228	75,198
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Notes to the Financial Statements - continued **for the year ended 31 January 2023**

9. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

Net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	107,817	(107,589)	228
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>107,817</u>	<u>(107,589)</u>	<u>228</u>

Comparatives for movement in funds

	At 1/2/21 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31/1/22 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	108,909	(33,939)	74,970
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>108,909</u>	<u>(33,939)</u>	<u>74,970</u>

Comparative net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	77,932	(111,871)	(33,939)
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>77,932</u>	<u>(111,871)</u>	<u>(33,939)</u>

A current year 12 months and prior year 12 months combined position is as follows:

	At 1/2/21 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31/1/23 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	108,909	(33,711)	75,198
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>108,909</u>	<u>(33,711)</u>	<u>75,198</u>

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Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
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9. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

A current year 12 months and prior year 12 months combined net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	185,749	(219,460)	(33,711)
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>185,749</u>	<u>(219,460)</u>	<u>(33,711)</u>

10. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

There were no related party transactions for the year ended 31 January 2023.

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Detailed Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31 January 2023

	2023 £	2022 £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS		
Donations and legacies		
Carnival Income	11,677	-
Donations	6,500	4,000
Grants	89,624	73,932
	<hr/> 107,801	<hr/> 77,932
Investment income		
Deposit account interest	16	-
	<hr/> 107,817	<hr/> 77,932
Total incoming resources		
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EXPENDITURE		
Charitable activities		
Venue hire and security	15,910	13,821
Rates and water	290	383
Licences and insurance	1,207	1,629
Light and heat	3,596	344
Telephone	1,310	600
Postage and stationery	-	260
Publicity	11,351	9,691
Sundries	225	873
Acts and entertainment	16,528	13,550
Refreshments	4,644	2,076
Transport and travelling	4,232	1,020
Costumes and troupes	4,900	2,254
Workshop expenses	-	1,576
Labour	27,271	29,358
Accountancy & professional fee	1,245	2,356
Bank charges	246	57
Sundries	1,035	-
Cleaning & PPE	350	1,001
Property repairs	10,966	13,910
Computer & live streaming	-	14,454
Plant and machinery	1,905	2,193
Fixtures and fittings	305	356
Computer equipment	73	109
	<hr/> 107,589	<hr/> 111,871
Total resources expended	<hr/> 107,589	<hr/> 111,871
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Net income/(expenditure)	<hr/> 228	<hr/> (33,939)