



British Friends of ORR SHALOM

Children's Homes

Registered Charity No: 1112387

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British Friends of Orr Shalom Annual Report for 2023

During the year we received substantial donations from two long standing supporters of Orr Shalom which were forwarded to Orr Shalom. We also continued to receive monthly donations from the Embrace A Child initiative which generated £3,660. We are hugely grateful to our supporters.

We have held discussions with Orr Shalom in Israel to find innovative, different, ways of raising funds which do not rely upon holding events. The time necessarily required and the cost associated with organising events is, we find, disproportionate to the sums raised albeit that it raises awareness. We are agreed that we need to pool our resources with Orr Shalom to achieve more together.

At the time of writing Israel has seen and is continuing to see the most horrific attacks on its civilians which have resulted in more deaths than at any time since the Holocaust. The resultant events unfolding are devastating for both Israelis and Palestinians. More children than ever require trauma therapy, care, and much more besides. We shall be working with Orr Shalom to try to make a small difference to some children's lives.

We started the year with a bank balance of £6,248. Our overall income for calendar year 2022 was £36,600. We sent a total of £33,500 to Orr Shalom in Israel in 2022 leaving a reserve carried forward of £9,358.

Signed: Sandra Parnell,

Sandra Parnell
Chair of Trustees
22nd October 2023



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Accounts for the year ended 31st December 2022

£

Donations	33,000
Embrace A Child	<u>3,660</u>
	36,660
Bank Charges	<u>50</u>
	<u>(50)</u>
Surplus for the year before transfer of funds to Orr Shalom, Israel	36,610
Transfer of funds in the year to Orr Shalom, Israel	<u>(33,500)</u>
	3,110
Brought forward bank balances at 1 January 2021	<u>6,248</u>
Carried forward bank balance at 31 December 2021	<u>9,358</u>

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Providing loving homes for children at risk



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/
members of

Charity Name
BRITISH FRIENDS OF ORR SHALOM

On accounts for the year
ended

31ST DECEMBER 2022

Charity no
(if any)

1112387

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I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31/12/2022.

Responsibilities and
basis of report

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

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

Independent
examiner's statement

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

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

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

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

Signed:

Date:

22nd October 2022

Name:

Mr A S Granatt

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

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

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