

**REGISTERED COMPANY NUMBER: 06316554 (England and Wales)**  
**REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER: 1124771**

**Report of the Trustees and**  
**Unaudited Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 March 2024**  
**for**  
**R.A.S.C.A.L. (Regeneration Association**  
**Somerton Community at Large)**

**R.A.S.C.A.L. (Regeneration Association  
Somerton Community at Large)**

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for the Year Ended 31 March 2024**

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**R.A.S.C.A.L. (Regeneration Association  
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**Report of the Trustees  
for the Year Ended 31 March 2024**

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 March 2024. 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).

**Objectives and activities**

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R.A.S.C.A.L is a group made up of volunteers that work in partnership with the Communities 1st team and other service providers to help improve the lives of Somerton residents. The centre delivers: youth clubs, boxing sessions, dancing, drama, parenting groups, bingo, PCSO surgery, food co-op, community café, workshops, IT courses, sporting and youth sessions.

**Public benefit**

We have referred to the guidance contained in the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit when reviewing our aims and objectives and in planning our future activities. We review our aims, objectives and activities each year. This review looks back at what we achieved and the outcomes of our work in the previous year. This review helps us ensure our aims, objectives and activities are mainly focused on our stated purposes.

**Achievement and performance**

**Charitable activities**

Youth Sessions  
Sports Sessions  
Bingo  
Breakfast Club  
Learning - Courses  
Young Parents Group  
Dancing  
Boxing  
External room hire  
Community Cafe  
Bowls  
Cookery Sessions  
Crèche Provision  
Community Events  
Councillor/PCSO Surgeries  
Onsite gym  
Job Clubs  
Meetings  
Polling Station  
Flying Start provision

**Financial review**

**Results**

The net incoming resources for the year amounted to £3,724 (2023: outgoing resources of £22,690). The unrestricted fund has achieved a profit for the year of £17,151 (2023: deficit of £9,263). The restricted fund deficit is due to the annual depreciation charge on those assets, the cost of which was funded and recognised as income in an earlier accounting period. As no related income was received in this financial year this cost is reducing the unspent balance brought forward from the previous accounting period.

Unrestricted funds have increased the accumulated fund from (£4,399) to £12,752. The level of restricted funds carried forward amounts to £484,501 which relates to buildings and other fixed assets purchased with the aid of grant funding. These funds are being reduced each year in accordance with the Charity's depreciation policy.

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**Financial review**

**Reserves policy**

The reserves policy of the charity recognises the need to hold reserves to ensure funds are available to continuing to run the activities of the Centre should the income levels fall. Reserves are also required to meet the future maintenance programme for the Centre building thus ensuring the facilities offered to service users is kept to a proper standard. A minimum level of reserves needs to be retained to ensure the trustees can operate their exit strategy and meet its legal commitments should the Charity be unable to continue due to a lack of a sustainable income stream.

**Future plans**

Youth Sessions  
Sports Sessions  
Bingo  
Breakfast Club  
Learning - Courses  
Young Parents Group  
Dancing  
Boxing  
External room hire  
Community Café  
Bowls  
Cookery Sessions  
Crèche Provision  
Community Events  
Councillor/PCSO Surgeries  
Onsite gym  
Job Clubs  
Meetings  
Polling Station  
Flying Start provision  
Digital Inclusion sessions  
Kung-fu

**Structure, governance and management**

**Legal Status**

R.A.S.C.A.L. is a charitable company limited by guarantee. The Charity is registered with the Charity Commission, number 1124771, is incorporated, number 06316554, and is regulated by its Constitution. The Charity was incorporated on 18 July 2007 and transferred its activities from the unincorporated entity on 1st August 2008.

**Appointment of new trustees**

The Trustees are appointed at the Annual General Meeting and are appointed from persons interested in furthering the Objectives of the Charity.

**Organisational structure**

The Trustees are responsible for the operational decisions, day to day running and administration of the Charity. The Charity is dependent upon the use of volunteers to provide support in running the activities of the centre. These volunteers are provided with the necessary training to enable them to carry out this function.

**Induction and training of new trustees**

New trustees are given details of the Charity by the existing trustees and further training as and when required.

**Financial controls**

Control over the charity's affairs is effected by an inspection by the Trustees.

**Related parties**

There are no related party transactions.

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for the Year Ended 31 March 2024**

**Reference and administrative details**

**Registered Company number**

06316554 (England and Wales)

**Registered Charity number**

1124771

**Registered office**

The Rascal Hope Centre  
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Newport  
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**Trustees**

D Clark  
L Davies  
M Holland  
P A Moore  
S Dennis  
D Griffiths

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**Bankers**

Lloyds bank  
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Newport

Approved by order of the board of trustees on .....<sup>25/03/2025</sup> and signed on its behalf by:

**D. Clark**

.....  
D Clark - Trustee

**Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of  
R.A.S.C.A.L. (Regeneration Association  
Somerton Community at Large)**

**Independent examiner's report to the trustees of R.A.S.C.A.L. (Regeneration Association Somerton Community at Large) ('the Company')**

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2024.

**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.

Victoria Carter

Haines Watts Wales LLP  
7 Neptune Court  
Vanguard Way  
Cardiff  
CF24 5PJ

Date: .....

**R.A.S.C.A.L. (Regeneration Association  
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**Statement of Financial Activities  
(Incorporating an Income and Expenditure Account)  
for the Year Ended 31 March 2024**

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted funds £	2024 Total funds £	2023 Total funds £
<b>Income and endowments from Charitable activities</b>					
Core Funding		44,663	-	44,663	47,576
Investment income	2	31	-	31	5
<b>Total</b>		<u>44,694</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>44,694</u>	<u>47,581</u>
<b>Expenditure on Charitable activities</b>					
Core Funding		<u>27,543</u>	<u>13,427</u>	<u>40,970</u>	<u>70,271</u>
<b>NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)</b>		17,151	(13,427)	3,724	(22,690)
<b>Reconciliation of funds</b>					
Total funds brought forward		(4,399)	497,928	493,529	516,219
<b>Total funds carried forward</b>		<u><u>12,752</u></u>	<u><u>484,501</u></u>	<u><u>497,253</u></u>	<u><u>493,529</u></u>

The notes form part of these financial statements

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**Balance Sheet  
31 March 2024**

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted funds £	2024 Total funds £	2023 Total funds £
<b>Fixed assets</b>					
Tangible assets	6	1,826	484,500	486,326	500,194
<b>Current assets</b>					
Debtors	7	4,216	-	4,216	3,109
Cash at bank		10,141	-	10,141	2,411
		<u>14,357</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>14,357</u>	<u>5,520</u>
<b>Creditors</b>					
Amounts falling due within one year	8	(3,430)	-	(3,430)	(12,185)
<b>Net current assets</b>		<u>10,927</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>10,927</u>	<u>(6,665)</u>
<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>		<u>12,753</u>	<u>484,500</u>	<u>497,253</u>	<u>493,529</u>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>		<u>12,753</u>	<u>484,500</u>	<u>497,253</u>	<u>493,529</u>
<b>Funds</b>	9				
Unrestricted funds				12,753	(4,399)
Restricted funds				484,500	497,928
<b>Total funds</b>				<u>497,253</u>	<u>493,529</u>

The charitable company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 31 March 2024.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2024 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for

- (a) ensuring that the charitable company keeps accounting records that comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- (b) 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.

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

25/03/2025

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

**D. Clark**

.....  
D Clark - Trustee

The notes form part of these financial statements



**R.A.S.C.A.L. (Regeneration Association  
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**Notes to the Financial Statements  
for the Year Ended 31 March 2024**

**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.

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis. The Trustees have reviewed and considered relevant information, including the annual budget and future cash flows in making their assessment. Based on these assessments, given the measures that could be undertaken to mitigate the current adverse conditions, and the current resources available, the Trustees have concluded that they can continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the annual report and accounts.

**Income**

Donations are recognised where this is entitlement, certainty of receipt and the amount can be measured with sufficient reliability.

Investment income is recognised when received.

Income from charitable activities include income received in advance of specified service or purchase is deferred until criteria for income recognition is met.

Grant income provides funding to support programme activities and the purchase of fixed assets and is recognised where there is entitlement, certainty of receipt and the amount can be measured with sufficient reliability.

**Expenditure**

Liabilities are recognised as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to the expenditure. All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to the category.

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

**Support costs**

Support costs include central functions and have been allocated to activity cost categories on a basis consistent with the use of resources, for example, allocating property costs by floor areas, or per capita, staff costs by the time spent and other costs by their usage.

**Tangible fixed assets**

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

Long leasehold	- 2% on cost
Fixtures and fittings	- 20% on cost and 10% on cost
Computer equipment	- 33.3% and 10% on cost

Individual fixed assets costing £300 or more are initially recorded at cost.

**Taxation**

The company is a registered charity whose income this year contains no non-primary purpose income.

**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.

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**Notes to the Financial Statements - continued  
for the Year Ended 31 March 2024**

**1. Accounting policies - continued**

**Fund accounting**

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

**2. Investment income**

	<b>2024</b>	<b>2023</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Deposit account interest	31	5
	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>

**3. Net income/(expenditure)**

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

	<b>2024</b>	<b>2023</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Depreciation - owned assets	13,868	14,351
	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>

**4. Trustees' remuneration and benefits**

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 31 March 2024 nor for the year ended 31 March 2023.

**Trustees' expenses**

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 31 March 2024 nor for the year ended 31 March 2023.

**5. Comparatives for the statement of financial activities**

	<b>Unrestricted fund £</b>	<b>Restricted funds £</b>	<b>Total funds £</b>
<b>Income and endowments from Charitable activities</b>			
Core Funding	47,576	-	47,576
Investment income	5	-	5
<b>Total</b>	<u>47,581</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>47,581</u>
<b>Expenditure on Charitable activities</b>			
Core Funding	56,844	13,427	70,271
<b>NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)</b>	(9,263)	(13,427)	(22,690)
<b>Reconciliation of funds</b>			
Total funds brought forward	4,864	511,355	516,219
<b>Total funds carried forward</b>	<u>(4,399)</u>	<u>497,928</u>	<u>493,529</u>

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**Notes to the Financial Statements - continued  
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**6. Tangible fixed assets**

	Long leasehold £	Fixtures and fittings £	Computer equipment £	Totals £
<b>Cost</b>				
At 1 April 2023 and 31 March 2024	671,372	51,166	33,011	755,549
<b>Depreciation</b>				
At 1 April 2023	173,445	50,901	31,009	255,355
Charge for year	13,428	81	359	13,868
At 31 March 2024	186,873	50,982	31,368	269,223
<b>Net book value</b>				
At 31 March 2024	484,499	184	1,643	486,326
At 31 March 2023	497,927	265	2,002	500,194

**7. Debtors: amounts falling due within one year**

	2024 £	2023 £
Trade debtors	1,328	2,495
Prepayments and accrued income	2,888	614
	4,216	3,109

Debtors include amounts owed to the charity for the provision of goods and services or amounts the charity has paid in advance for the goods and services it will receive. Debtors are measured at their recoverable amounts.

**8. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year**

	2024 £	2023 £
Social security and other taxes	-	963
Other creditors	-	8,341
Accruals and deferred income	3,430	2,881
	3,430	12,185

Liabilities are amounts due to creditors and any provision made as a result of an obligation to transfer economic benefits, usually in the form of a cash payment, to a third party. Liabilities are measured at their settlement amount and recognised for the amount that the charity anticipates it will pay to settle the debt.

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**Notes to the Financial Statements - continued  
for the Year Ended 31 March 2024**

**9. Movement in funds**

	<b>At 1.4.23 £</b>	<b>Net movement in funds £</b>	<b>At 31.3.24 £</b>
<b>Unrestricted funds</b>			
General fund	(4,399)	17,152	12,753
<b>Restricted funds</b>			
Arena Network	281,421	(7,658)	273,763
CFAP Ex	216,507	(5,770)	210,737
	<u>497,928</u>	<u>(13,428)</u>	<u>484,500</u>
<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>	<u><u>493,529</u></u>	<u><u>3,724</u></u>	<u><u>497,253</u></u>

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

	<b>Incoming resources £</b>	<b>Resources expended £</b>	<b>Movement in funds £</b>
<b>Unrestricted funds</b>			
General fund	44,694	(27,542)	17,152
<b>Restricted funds</b>			
Arena Network	-	(7,658)	(7,658)
CFAP Ex	-	(5,770)	(5,770)
	<u>-</u>	<u>(13,428)</u>	<u>(13,428)</u>
<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>	<u><u>44,694</u></u>	<u><u>(40,970)</u></u>	<u><u>3,724</u></u>

**Comparatives for movement in funds**

	<b>At 1.4.22 £</b>	<b>Net movement in funds £</b>	<b>At 31.3.23 £</b>
<b>Unrestricted funds</b>			
General fund	4,864	(9,263)	(4,399)
<b>Restricted funds</b>			
Arena Network	289,078	(7,657)	281,421
CFAP Ex	222,277	(5,770)	216,507
	<u>511,355</u>	<u>(13,427)</u>	<u>497,928</u>
<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>	<u><u>516,219</u></u>	<u><u>(22,690)</u></u>	<u><u>493,529</u></u>

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**Notes to the Financial Statements - continued  
for the Year Ended 31 March 2024**

**9. Movement in funds - continued**

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

	<b>Incoming resources £</b>	<b>Resources expended £</b>	<b>Movement in funds £</b>
<b>Unrestricted funds</b>			
General fund	47,581	(56,844)	(9,263)
<b>Restricted funds</b>			
Arena Network	-	(7,657)	(7,657)
CFAP Ex	-	(5,770)	(5,770)
	<u>-</u>	<u>(13,427)</u>	<u>(13,427)</u>
<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>	<u>47,581</u>	<u>(70,271)</u>	<u>(22,690)</u>

General funds are general funds that are available for use at the trustees' discretion in furtherance of the objectives of the charity.

CFAP Ex - Money received for building extension, internal fixtures and fittings at HOPE centre

Arena Network - provided the grant to fund the new building construction costs.

**10. Related party disclosures**

There were no related party transactions for the year ended 31 March 2024 (2023: no related party transactions).

**11. Members liability**

The charity is a private company limited by guarantee and consequently does not have share capital. Each of the members is liable to contribute an amount not exceeding £1 towards the assets of the charity in the event of liquidation.