

# NORTHERN TAMIL ASSOCIATION (UK)

England & Wales - Charity number 1130579

## Details

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**Status** Registered

**Legal form** Other

**Registered** 2009-07-16

**Register** [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

## Contact

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## Activities

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**Objects:** 1. THE ADVANCEMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE TAMIL LANGUAGE AND CULTURE, DANCE AND OTHER SUBJECTS 2. THE PROVISION OR ASSISTANCE IN THE PROVISION OF FACILITIES FOR THE EDUCATION, RECREATION AND LEISURE TIME OCCUPATION OF TAMIL PEOPLE LIVING IN THE UK 3. TO ADVANCE THE EDUCATION OF CHILDREN IN THE TAMIL LANGUAGE AND CULTURE

**Activities:** NTA (UK) organises Tamil New Year and Deepavali Celebrations annually for the benefit of Tamil families living in the UK. It helps to promote Tamil language and Culture especially amongst the children of Tamil origin by supporting Tamil schools, and arts, music and dance in the events it organises. NTA (UK) donates money to charities both in the UK and abroad whenever it can.

## Classification

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- **How:** Other Charitable Activities
- **What:** General Charitable Purposes, Arts/culture/heritage/science
- **Who:** People Of A Particular Ethnic Or Racial Origin, Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies, The General Public/mankind

## Geography

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- Area of benefit: THE UK
- Throughout England

## Finances

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Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	£14,484	£22,656	-	-
2023-12-31	£59,029	£53,250	-	-
2022-12-31	£32,954	£38,959	-	-
2021-12-31	£22,333	£24,529	-	-
2020-12-31	£27,771	£35,584	-	-

## Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Joseph Karuna Rajendran	Chair	2024-06-06
ALAGAPPAN CHIDAMBARAM		
DR ARUTCHELVAM VIJAYARAMAN MD, MRCP		
DR ASOKAN KRISHNAIER		
Dr RAMANATHAN KANDASAMY		
Dr SUBBARAMAN VARADHARAJAN		
Inbaraj Baskara		2025-04-14
Kalyana Raman Venkatraman		2013-04-28
Kavitha Sethumadhavan		2023-06-17
Kavithamani Saraswathi		2023-02-01
Madhu Shankar Balasubramaniam		2024-06-06
Ram Vinayagam		2017-04-01
Ravi Natarajan		2025-04-14
Santhanakrishnan Balasubramaniam		2018-04-01
Siva shankar		2015-10-15
Sivabalan Balachandran		2021-04-18
Sureshkumar Shanmugasundaram		2024-06-06
VENKAT SRINIVASAN		

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**Year ended 31 December 2023**

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	<b>£</b>
Ticket sales	51,626
Sponsorships	6,100
Memberships	1,255
Amazon	48
<b>Total income for the year</b>	<b><u>59,030</u></b>
<b>Expenditure</b>	
Hall hire	9,979
Event expenses	41,861
Bank charges	57
Printing and stationery	302
Virtual office	81
Donations - UK	730
Accountancy fee	240
<b>Total expenditure for the year</b>	<b><u>53,250</u></b>
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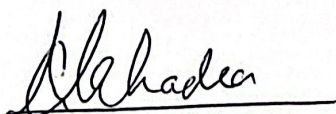
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Hall hire	4,594
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Bank charges	102
Insurance	376
Webhosting and communication costs	146
Donations - UK	380
Accountancy fee	240
<b>Total expenditure for the year</b>	<b><u>38,959</u></b>
<b>Net loss for the year</b>	<b><u><u>(6,005)</u></u></b>
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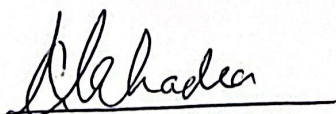


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# Charity activities during COVID-19

S.No	Supported Organisation / Individuals
1.	<b>Albany Theatre, Coventry, UK</b> <i>Their volunteer programme supports the local people to build skills</i>
2.	<b>Our Paanai, Srilanka</b> <i>Supporting the charity feeding hungry children in Sri Lanka</i>
3.	<b>Adyar Cancer Institute, Chennai, India</b> <i>To support the Institute to continue with their cancer treatment</i>
4.	<b>Supporting families in Chennai via playback singer Chinmayi</b> <i>To help the poor families affected by lockdown</i>
5.	<b>Supporting University Students during lockdown in Middlesbrough, UK</b> <i>To support students stuck in UK due to lockdown</i>
6.	<b>Supporting Women Self-help group in Madurai, India</b> <i>Provision of groceries to women and their families</i>
7.	<b>Supporting daily wage labourers and their families, Tirunelveli, India</b> <i>Provision of groceries to their families</i>
8.	<b>Supporting Gypsies group in Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India</b> <i>Provision of groceries to their families</i>
9.	<b>Help to labourers near Tiruvannamalai via Bava Chelladurai, India</b> <i>Supporting Charity work by Bava Chelladurai</i>
10.	<b>All the Children Trust orphanage home, Chennai, India</b> <i>Contribution to the orphanage for their food during the pandemic</i>
11.	<b>Sairam Old Age Home Trust, Chennai, India</b> <i>Supporting the home with financial aid</i>
12.	<b>Tamil Traditional Folk Performing Artists in Tamil Nadu, India</b> <i>Fundraiser program for the revival of Folk artists in Tamil Nadu</i>



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Donations	2,450
<b>Total income for the year</b>	<b><u>42,944</u></b>
<b>Outgoings</b>	
Hall hire and associated costs	7,722
Artist fees and travel costs	24,541
Catering expenses	5,466
Printing, postage and stationery	61
Trophies and prizes	400
Insurance	399
Bank charges	51
Donations paid	2,465
Website costs	530
Accountancy fee	240
<b>Total outgoings for the year</b>	<b><u>41,875</u></b>
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