

STEP-CHANGERS INTERNATIONAL

England & Wales · Charity number 1137337

Details

Status Registered

Legal form Trust

Registered 2010-08-09

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

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Activities

Objects: THE PREVENTION OR RELIEF OF POVERTY IN KENYA (AND OTHER DEVELOPING NATIONS) BY PROVIDING OR ASSISTING IN THE PROVISION OF EDUCATION, TRAINING, HEALTHCARE PROJECTS AND ALL THE NECESSARY SUPPORT DESIGNED TO ENABLE YOUNG PEOPLE TO DEVELOP THEIR SKILLS, CAPACITIES AND CAPABILITIES TO ENABLE THEM TO PARTICIPATE IN SOCIETY AS MATURE AND RESPONSIBLE INDIVIDUALS.

Activities: The majority of the income is spent on providing staff salaries, (which is way below the minimum required) and providing one meal a day for the approx 200 children. Any remaining will go towards replacing the existing classrooms - it is hoped to raise £200k for a two storey 8 classroom block. Designated funds are sent for poverty relief and supporting children in Romania.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Other Finance
- **What:** Education/training, The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives, The Prevention Or Relief Of Poverty, Overseas Aid/famine Relief
- **Who:** Children/young People, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** KENYA
- Kenya
- Romania

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£19,027	£18,740	-	-
2024-03-31	£28,090	£28,178	-	-
2023-03-31	£17,386	£17,130	-	-
2022-03-31	£15,996	£15,809	-	-
2021-03-31	£14,391	£13,327	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
john swift	Chair	
Chege Mwangi		2015-08-01
RACHEL GARLAND		
ROGER CARTWRIGHT		

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Accounts



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From April 1st 2023 To March 31st 2024

Charity name: Step-Changers International

Charity registration number: 1137337

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	Poverty relief in Kenya and other places, including assisting with provision of education and training
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	Continued support to provide teachers' salaries, provide a meal each day for the 200 children. This current year to provide funds for the replacement of six dilapidated classrooms.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	Guidance is circulated on receipt from the C.C

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	Former corrugated iron classrooms which were 14 years old and dilapidated and subject to flooding have been replaced. New pupils continue to be amongst those who lived on the streets and recently some refugees from South Sudan. Teaching staff and support staff continue to be employed to the benefit of the wider community.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	No policy
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	None
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	All monies received are used to pay bills and support the school
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	None
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	None

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	Monthly donations by approx. 10 persons. Occasional one-off gifts by others
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	None
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	None

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed , royal charter)	Para 1.25	Trust deed
How is the charity constituted? (e.g. unincorporated association , CIO)	Para 1.25	Unincorporated association
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Shoulder tapping of interested and contributing persons

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	None
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	Day to day/month to month income & expenditure managed by chair of trustees. Contact with trustees as and when necessary, plus annual trustees meeting.
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	Regular e-mail contact with school in Kenya, including photos for website/facebook page.
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Step-Changers International
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1137337
Charity's principal address	105 The Gills, LS21 2BY

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	J Swift			
2	R Cartwright			
3				
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5				
6				
7				
8				

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity. **No property**

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others - none

Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

No staff employed

Declarations

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)	<i>J Swift</i>	<i>R. Cartwright</i>
Full name(s)	JOHN D SWIFT	R CARTWRIGHT
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair	TRUSTEE

Date 1 August 2024



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Charity Name Step-Changers International	No (if any) 1137337
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Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	Period start date 01-Apr-23	To	Period end date 31-Mar-24
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Non gift-aidable	588	-	-	588	920
Gift-aidable	21,252	-	-	21,252	13,631
Gift aid	6,250	-	-	6,250	1,991
Sponsored events	-	-	-	-	317
From savings	-	-	-	-	340
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	28,090	-	-	28,090	17,199
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
None	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	28,090	-	-	28,090	17,199
A3 Payments					
Bank charges	253	-	-	253	323
Kenya School staff salaries	17,100	-	-	17,100	12,100
Kenya school - building replace/repair	10,825	-	-	10,825	1,440
School equipment/materials	-	-	-	-	2,330
Poverty relief	-	-	-	-	936
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	28,178	-	-	28,178	17,129
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
None	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	28,178	-	-	28,178	17,129
Net of receipts/(payments)	- 88	-	-	- 88	70
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	256	-	-	256	186
Cash funds this year end	168	-	-	168	256

No further assets or liabilities. (Section B)

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	168	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets	None	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets	None		-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	None		-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities	None		-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
<i>John D. Swift</i>	JOHN D. SWIFT	15-6-24
<i>R Cartwright</i>	R. CARTWRIGHT	15-6-24



Section A Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/ members of

Charity Name Step-Changers International

On accounts for the year ended

31st March 2024 Charity no (if any) 1137337

Set out on pages

1 (remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31/03/2024.

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").

Independent examiner's statement

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.

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: M E Daly Date: 30th July 2024

Name: MICHAEL DALY

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

FCCA

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