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REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER: 1141729

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES AND
UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022
FOR
LITTLE RAINDROPS

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REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

TRUSTEES	D E Rogers (resigned 11.10.2021) J Davey N Joyce (resigned 11.10.2021) C Tooth (appointed 11.10.2021) R Wallis (appointed 11.10.2021) (resigned 24.3.2022)
COMPANY SECRETARY	S Raggett
REGISTERED OFFICE	Chapple Drive Haverhill Suffolk CB9 0DU
REGISTERED COMPANY NUMBER	07295944
REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER	1141729
INDEPENDENT EXAMINER	Hackett Griffey LLP Chartered Certified Accountants 31 High Street Haverhill Suffolk CB9 8AD

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REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

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 2022. 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

Objectives and aims

The charity's objective is to enhance the development and education of children primarily under statutory school age for the benefit of the community.

Public benefit

The charity constitutes a public benefit entity as defined by FRS102.

The trustees have complied with the duty in Section 4 of the 2006 Charities Act with regard to the public benefit requirement.

ACHIEVEMENT AND PERFORMANCE

Charitable activities

The charitable activity of the company is the operation of a pre school in accordance with the objective.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Principal funding sources

The principal funding sources for the charity are by way of fees rendered and local authority grants.

Reserves policy

The funds of the charity are applied in furtherance of its objectives and aims. It is the policy of the charity to maintain unrestricted funds, which are the free reserves of the charity, at a level to provide sufficient funds to cover temporary timing differences in grant claims and to cover moderate shortfalls.

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.

Recruitment and appointment of new trustees

The directors of the company are also charity trustees for the purposes of charity law. The recruitment and appointment of new trustees are in accordance with the constitution of the charity and re-elected at the Annual General Meeting.

Approved by order of the board of trustees on 8 September 2022 and signed on its behalf by:

S Raggett - Secretary

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF LITTLE RAINDROPS

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Little Raindrops ('the Company')

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2022.

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.

Jonathan Griffey FCCA CTA
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13 September 2022

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted funds £	2022 Total funds £	2021 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM					
Donations and legacies		250	-	250	-
Charitable activities					
Local authority grants		133,653	-	133,653	99,987
Fees		57,489	-	57,489	33,938
Other trading activities	2	1,251	-	1,251	347
Investment income	3	6	-	6	34
Other income		4,000	-	4,000	14,000
Total		<u>196,649</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>196,649</u>	<u>148,306</u>
EXPENDITURE ON					
Charitable activities					
Operation costs of pre-school		164,830	-	164,830	153,340
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)		<u>31,819</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>31,819</u>	<u>(5,034)</u>
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS					
Total funds brought forward		<u>135,306</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>135,306</u>	<u>140,340</u>
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		<u><u>167,125</u></u>	<u><u>-</u></u>	<u><u>167,125</u></u>	<u><u>135,306</u></u>

The notes form part of these financial statements

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION 31 MARCH 2022

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted funds £	2022 Total funds £	2021 Total funds £
FIXED ASSETS					
Intangible assets	7	950	-	950	-
Tangible assets	8	12,161	-	12,161	13,512
		<u>13,111</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>13,111</u>	<u>13,512</u>
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	9	1,014	-	1,014	464
Cash at bank and in hand		156,345	-	156,345	125,299
		<u>157,359</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>157,359</u>	<u>125,763</u>
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due within one year	10	(3,345)	-	(3,345)	(3,969)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		<u>154,014</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>154,014</u>	<u>121,794</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		167,125	-	167,125	135,306
NET ASSETS		<u>167,125</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>167,125</u>	<u>135,306</u>
FUNDS	11				
Unrestricted funds				167,125	135,306
TOTAL FUNDS				<u>167,125</u>	<u>135,306</u>

The charitable company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 31 March 2022.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2022 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.

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION - continued
31 MARCH 2022

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 8 September 2022 and were signed on its behalf by:

J Davey - Trustee

C Tooth - Trustee

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

Basis of preparing the financial statements

Income

Expenditure

Tangible fixed assets

Fixtures and fittings - 10% on reducing balance

The policy of the charity is to capitalise fixed asset expenditure greater than £500.

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.

Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits

The charitable company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions payable to the charitable company's pension scheme are charged to the Statement of Financial Activities in the period to which they relate.

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

2. OTHER TRADING ACTIVITIES

	2022	2021
	£	£
Fundraising events	1,071	347
Miscellaneous income	180	-
	<u>1,251</u>	<u>347</u>

3. INVESTMENT INCOME

	2022	2021
	£	£
Deposit account interest	6	34
	<u>6</u>	<u>34</u>

4. NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)

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

	2022	2021
	£	£
Depreciation - owned assets	1,351	1,501
Patents and licences amortisation	50	-
	<u>1,401</u>	<u>1,501</u>

5. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 31 March 2022 nor for the year ended 31 March 2021.

Trustees' expenses

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 31 March 2022 nor for the year ended 31 March 2021.

6. STAFF COSTS

The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows:

	2022	2021
Childcare & administration	8	8
	<u>8</u>	<u>8</u>

No employees received emoluments in excess of £60,000.

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

7. INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Patents and licences £
COST	
Additions	1,000
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AMORTISATION	
Charge for year	50
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NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31 March 2022	950
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At 31 March 2021	-
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8. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Fixtures and fittings £
COST	
At 1 April 2021 and 31 March 2022	27,782
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DEPRECIATION	
At 1 April 2021	14,270
Charge for year	1,351
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At 31 March 2022	15,621
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NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31 March 2022	12,161
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At 31 March 2021	13,512
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9. DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2022	2021
	£	£
Prepayments	1,014	464
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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

10. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2022 £	2021 £
Trade creditors	205	-
Accruals and deferred income	3,140	3,969
	<u>3,345</u>	<u>3,969</u>

11. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS

	At 1.4.21 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31.3.22 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	135,306	31,819	167,125
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>135,306</u>	<u>31,819</u>	<u>167,125</u>

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

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	196,649	(164,830)	31,819
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>196,649</u>	<u>(164,830)</u>	<u>31,819</u>

Comparatives for movement in funds

	At 1.4.20 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31.3.21 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	140,340	(5,034)	135,306
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>140,340</u>	<u>(5,034)</u>	<u>135,306</u>

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

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	148,306	(153,340)	(5,034)
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>148,306</u>	<u>(153,340)</u>	<u>(5,034)</u>

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

11. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

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

	At 1.4.20 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31.3.22 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	140,340	26,785	167,125
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>140,340</u>	<u>26,785</u>	<u>167,125</u>

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	344,955	(318,170)	26,785
TOTAL FUNDS	<u>344,955</u>	<u>(318,170)</u>	<u>26,785</u>

12. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

There were no related party transactions for the year ended 31 March 2022.

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DETAILED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

	2022 £	2021 £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS		
Donations and legacies		
Donations	250	-
Other trading activities		
Fundraising events	1,071	347
Miscellaneous income	180	-
	<hr/> 1,251	<hr/> 347
Investment income		
Deposit account interest	6	34
Charitable activities		
Fees	57,489	33,938
Grants	133,653	99,987
	<hr/> 191,142	<hr/> 133,925
Other income		
Employment Allowance	4,000	4,000
West Suffolk Council Covid 19 Business Grant	-	10,000
	<hr/> 4,000	<hr/> 14,000
Total incoming resources	<hr/> 196,649	<hr/> 148,306
EXPENDITURE		
Charitable activities		
Wages	129,939	122,724
Social security	8,613	8,021
Pensions	3,898	3,666
Rates and water	1,380	903
Insurance	1,740	1,779
Light and heat	1,864	1,366
Telephone	270	267
Postage and stationery	743	640
Sundries	535	1,042
Trips, prizes & gifts	58	138
Consumables	2,164	2,058
Equipment purchases	2,543	1,849
Food & Snacks	3,177	2,117
Repairs & maintenance	2,252	1,969
Subscriptions & training	1,306	1,260
Amortisation	50	-
Depreciation	1,351	1,501
	<hr/> 161,883	<hr/> 151,300

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DETAILED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

	2022 £	2021 £
Support costs		
Finance		
Bank charges	92	60
Governance costs		
Accountancy fees	2,080	1,980
Legal fees	775	-
	<hr/> 2,855	<hr/> 1,980
Total resources expended	<hr/> 164,830	<hr/> 153,340
Net income/(expenditure)	<hr/> <hr/> 31,819	<hr/> <hr/> (5,034)

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