

Wirral Society of the Blind and Partially Sighted



**CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES**

Trustees' annual report (including Directors' report) for the period

From: 1 April 2022 To: 31 March 2023

Charity name: Wirral Society of the Blind and Partially Sighted

Charity registration number: 1147170

Company number: 07982870

Objectives and activities

The objectives of the charity are to provide services, facilities and support to blind and partially sighted people in the Metropolitan Borough of Wirral, for public benefit. We promote and encourage self-help and independence by empowering people and removing the barriers they face.

The Society provides a wide range of services and facilities to address the needs of our clients, including the following:

- A Resource Centre equipped with low vision and daily living aids
- Outreach Support service
- Advocacy Service
- Drop in support
- Creative and Social activities
- Computer technology training courses
- Audio Book Library
- Hospital Liaison service based at The University Teaching Hospital
- Service user support groups

The Society is named 'Of the Blind and Partially Sighted'. This gives ownership to those requiring and using our services. We work with our clients to ensure we meet the needs of the group of people we support.

The trustees are aware of the Commission's guidance on public benefit, and consider that the purposes of the charity are for the public benefit.

Achievements and performance

From April 2022 we have continued to work to bring the Charity back from the impact of COVID19, increase partnerships and strengthen our capacity to increase provision. We have worked well with our partnership with the Wirral Health and Well Being consortium brought about through a local authority contract. This was to bring together separate organisations where provision would benefit from pooled expertise and resources to enhance the efficiency and quality of service provision. In partnership with the CIC, we were successful in winning this contract leading to WSBPS working in partnership with Merseyside Society for Deaf People (MSDP), enabling us to provide support for dual sensory loss. We have made modifications to our Resource Centre to accommodate the increase in service provision and facilitate groups and activities for deaf blind people.

We have demonstrated strength and resilience through working alongside partners to increase funding streams through joint events and applications.

WSBPS has always looked to the future regarding service provision. We have been successful, in the past, in securing grants and support from local agencies to help us do our work, but we recognise that the funding climate is rapidly changing. We work to develop internal mechanisms and systems to help us recognise wider opportunities and aspects of fundraising.

We have received support and encouragement from independent funders, statutory bodies and corporate connections. We are grateful for this support that has helped us to maintain our services coming through some of the most difficult times the Charity has faced and take a positive approach to future developments.

Our funding and development strategy runs over the next three years where we have identified areas of development with a focus on increasing provision and support to our children and young people. We aim to work with young people in building their confidence, awareness of ability in building a positive approach to visual impairment. We see this as an important element of growth and development through supporting our younger generations to take lead roles in recognising changing needs and future provision.

We continue to work with Wirral NHS Trust, and our new contract with Wirral Borough Council and partnership with MSDP will work to build strong links with wider community health care providers and strengthen our sensory service provision. We will continue to build on these partnerships increasing referral pathways to support across Wirral.

We aim to work with a range of differing funding organisations to enable us to meet current and future service needs. Our whole ethos has been developed and built through working with and not for our beneficiaries. We ensure that their views and experiences are actively listened to and taken account of as part of how the Charity operates in facilitating engagement and communication. We work to make positive differences to the lives of people with sight loss, encouraging individuals to focus on what they can achieve, influence positive changes, and live independent and fulfilled lives.

Financial review

Income levels, with respect to both unrestricted donations and restricted funding grants, has remained relatively steady, thanks to the work of the fundraising team and development officer in attracting new funders, and to the many kind donations and legacies received over the period.

The annual deficit of just over £31,000 is mostly a result of increased expenditure, notably in energy costs and repair work.

Reserves at 31 March 2023 are £92,974, and this is anticipated to represent approximately six months' worth of costs.

It is, as always, crucial that further funding is obtained in order for the society to continue providing the current level of services to the community, and the employees and volunteers are working hard to achieve this.

Structure, governance and management

The organisation is a charitable company limited by guarantee, incorporated on 8 March 2012 and registered as a charity on 9 May 2012. The company was established under a Memorandum of Association which established the objects and powers of the charitable company and is governed under its Articles of Association. In the event of the company being wound up members are required to contribute an amount not exceeding £10.

The directors of the company are also charity trustees for the purposes of charity law, and under the company's Articles are known as members of the Management Committee. Under the requirements of the Memorandum and Articles of Association the members of the Management Committee are elected to serve for a period of three years after which they must be re-elected at the next Annual General Meeting. All members of the Management Committee give their time voluntarily and receive no benefits from the charity.

The financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the Companies Act 2006, the Memorandum and Articles of Association, and 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).

Reference and administrative details

| | |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Charity name | Wirral Society of the Blind and Partially Sighted |
| Other name the charity uses | |
| Registered charity number | 1147170 |
| Charity's principal address | Ashville Lodge, Ashville Road, Birkenhead CH41 8AU |

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) |
|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| Alan Brown | Chairperson | | |
| Gary Hodgson | | 4 Jul 2022 – 31 Mar 2023 | |
| Adele Law | | | |
| John Bolderson | | 1 Apr 2022 – 28 Feb 2023 | |
| Michael Jones | | | |
| Charlotte Simister | | 4 Jul 2022 – 31 Mar 2023 | |
| Edward Lamb | | 1 Apr 2022 – 10 Oct 2022 | |

Declarations

The company has taken advantage of the small companies' exemption in preparing the report above.

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report (including directors' report) above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees/directors

| | |
|-----------|--------------------|
| Signature | <i>Alan Brown</i> |
| Full name | Alan Brown |
| Position | Director and Chair |
| Date | 4/7/23 |

Registered Number 7982870

WIRRAL SOCIETY OF THE BLIND

AND PARTIALLY SIGHTED

(a company limited by guarantee)

Trustees' Annual Report and Financial Statements

For the period ended 31 March 2023

Charity Number 1147170

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|---|------------|----------|-----------------|------------|
| Wirral Society of the Blind and Partially Sighted | Charity No | 1147170 | | |
| | Company No | 07982870 | | |
| Annual accounts for the period | | | | |
| Period start date | 01/04/2022 | To | Period end date | 31/03/2023 |

Section A Statement of financial activities (including summary income and expenditure account)

Recommended categories by activity

Income (Note 3)

Income and endowments from:

Donations and legacies

Charitable activities

Other trading activities

Investments

Separate material item of income

Other

Total

Expenditure (Notes 6)

Expenditure on:

Raising funds

Charitable activities

Separate material expense item

Other

Total

Net income/(expenditure) before tax for the reporting period

Tax payable

Net income/(expenditure) after tax before investment gains/(losses)

Net gains/(losses) on investments

Net income/(expenditure)

Extraordinary items

Transfers between funds

Other recognised gains/(losses):

Gains and losses on revaluation of fixed assets for the charity's own use

Other gains/(losses)

Net movement in funds

Reconciliation of funds:

Total funds brought forward

Total funds carried forward

Guidance Note

| | Unrestricted funds £ F01 | Restricted income funds £ F02 | Endowment funds £ F03 | Total funds £ F04 | Prior year funds £ F05 |
|-----|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|
| S01 | 57,586 | - | - | 57,586 | 66,205 |
| S02 | 12,440 | 98,926 | - | 111,366 | 98,185 |
| S03 | 1,581 | - | - | 1,581 | 8,950 |
| S04 | - | - | - | - | - |
| S05 | - | - | - | - | - |
| S06 | - | - | - | - | - |
| S07 | 71,607 | 98,926 | - | 170,533 | 173,340 |
| S08 | 2,024 | 23,852 | - | 25,876 | 33,303 |
| S09 | 100,619 | 75,074 | - | 175,693 | 148,677 |
| S10 | | | | | |
| S11 | - | - | - | - | - |
| S12 | 102,643 | 98,926 | - | 201,569 | 181,980 |
| S13 | - 31,036 | - | - | - 31,036 | - 8,640 |
| S14 | - | - | - | - | - |
| S15 | - 31,036 | - | - | - 31,036 | - 8,640 |
| S16 | - | - | - | - | - |
| S17 | - 31,036 | - | - | - 31,036 | - 8,640 |
| S18 | - | - | - | - | - |
| S19 | - | - | - | - | - |
| S20 | - | - | - | - | - |
| S21 | - | - | - | - | - |
| S22 | - 31,036 | - | - | - 31,036 | - 8,640 |
| S23 | 124,010 | - | - | 124,010 | 132,650 |
| S24 | 92,974 | - | - | 92,974 | 124,010 |

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| Wirral Society of the Blind and | Charity No | 1147170 |
| Partially Sighted | Company No | 07982870 |

Section B Balance sheet

| | Guidance Note | | | | | |
|---|---------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | | Unrestricted funds | Restricted income funds | Endowment funds | Total this year | Total last year |
| | | £ F01 | £ F02 | £ F03 | £ F04 | £ F05 |
| Fixed assets | | | | | | |
| Intangible assets (Note 15) | B01 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Tangible assets (Note 14) | B02 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Heritage assets (Note 16) | B03 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Investments (Note 17) | B04 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total fixed assets | B05 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Current assets | | | | | | |
| Stocks (Note 18) | B06 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Debtors (Note 19) | B07 | 4,977 | - | - | 4,977 | 4,383 |
| Investments (Note 17.4) | B08 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Cash at bank and in hand (Note 24) | B09 | 91,589 | - | - | 91,589 | 135,274 |
| Total current assets | B10 | 96,566 | - | - | 96,566 | 139,657 |
| Creditors: amounts falling due within one year (Note 20) | B11 | 3,592 | - | - | 3,592 | 15,647 |
| Net current assets/(liabilities) | B12 | 92,974 | - | - | 92,974 | 124,010 |
| Total assets less current liabilities | B13 | 92,974 | - | - | 92,974 | 124,010 |
| Creditors: amounts falling due after one year (Note 20) | B14 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Provisions for liabilities | B15 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total net assets or liabilities | B16 | 92,974 | - | - | 92,974 | 124,010 |
| Funds of the Charity | | | | | | |
| Endowment funds (Note 27) | B17 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Restricted income funds (Note 27) | B18 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Unrestricted funds | B19 | 92,974 | - | - | 92,974 | 124,010 |
| Revaluation reserve | B20 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Fair value reserve | B21 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total funds | B22 | 92,974 | - | - | 92,974 | 124,010 |

The company was entitled to exemption from audit under s477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to small companies subject to the small companies regime and in accordance with FRS102 SORP.

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

| Signature | Date of approval |
|-------------------|------------------|
| <i>Alan Brown</i> | |
| Alan Brown | 04/07/2023 |

Signature of director authenticating accounts being sent to Companies House

| Signature | Date |
|-------------------|------------|
| <i>Alan Brown</i> | |
| Alan Brown | 04/07/2023 |

Note 1 **Basis of preparation****1.1 Basis of accounting**

These accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to these accounts.

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with:

the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) effective from 1 January 2015.

the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and with the Charities Act 2011.

The charity constitutes a public benefit entity as defined by FRS 102.

1.2 Going concern

If there are material uncertainties related to events or conditions that cast significant doubt on the charity's ability to continue as a going concern, please provide the following details or state "Not applicable", if appropriate:

An explanation as to those factors that support the conclusion that the charity is a going concern;

Disclosure of any uncertainties that make the going concern assumption doubtful;

Where accounts are not prepared on a going concern basis, please disclose this fact together with the basis on which the trustees prepared the accounts and the reason why the charity is not regarded as a going concern.

Not applicable

Not applicable

Not applicable

1.3 Change of accounting policy

The accounts present a true and fair view and no changes have been made to the accounting policies adopted in note 2.

1.4 Changes to accounting estimates

No changes to accounting estimates have occurred in the reporting period (3.46 FRS102 SORP).

1.5 Material prior year errors

No material prior year error have been identified in the reporting period (3.47 FRS102 SORP).

Note 2 Accounting policies

This standard list of accounting policies has been applied by the charity except for those deleted. Where a different or additional policy has been adopted then this is detailed in the box below.

2.1 RECONCILIATION WITH PREVIOUS GENERALLY ACCEPTED ACCOUNTING PRACTICE

Please provide a description of the nature of each change in accounting policy

N/A

Reconciliation of funds per previous GAAP to funds determined under FRS 102

| | Start of period £ | End of period £ |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Fund balances as previously stated | | |
| <i>Adjustments:</i> | | |

Fund balance as restated _____

Reconciliation of net income/(net expenditure) per previous GAAP to net income/(net expenditure) under FRS 102

| | End of £ |
|--|-------------|
| Net income/(expenditure) as previously stated | |
| <i>Adjustments:</i> | |

Previous period net income/(expenditure) as
restated _____

| Section C | | Notes to the accounts | (cont) | | | |
|---|---|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Note 2 | | Accounting policies | | | | |
| 2.2 INCOME | | | | | | |
| Recognition of income | These are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SoFA) when: | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">the charity becomes entitled to the resources;it is more likely than not that the trustees will receive the resources;the monetary value can be measured with sufficient reliability. | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Offsetting | There has been no offsetting of assets and liabilities, or income and expenses, unless required or permitted by the FRS 102 SORP or FRS 102. | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Grants and donations | Grants and donations are only included in the SoFA when the general income recognition criteria are met (5.10 to 5.12 FRS102 SORP). | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| | In the case of performance related grants, income must only be recognised to the extent that the charity has provided the specified goods or services as entitlement to the grant only occurs when the performance related conditions are met (5.16 FRS 102 SORP). | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Legacies | Legacies are included in the SOFA when receipt is probable, that is, when there has been grant of probate, the executors have established that there are sufficient assets in the estate and any conditions attached to the legacy are either within the control of the charity or have been met. | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Government grants | The charity has received government grants in the reporting period | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Tax reclaims on donations and gifts | Gift Aid receivable is included in income when there is a valid declaration from the donor. Any Gift Aid amount recovered on a donation is considered to be part of that gift and is treated as an addition to the same fund as the initial donation unless the donor or the terms of the appeal have specified otherwise. | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Contractual income and performance related grants | This is only included in the SoFA once the charity has provided the related goods or services or met the performance related conditions. | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Donated goods | Donated goods are measured at fair value (the amount for which the asset could be exchanged) unless impractical to do so. | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| | The cost of any stock of goods donated for distribution to beneficiaries is deemed to be the fair value of those gifts at the time of their receipt and they are recognised on receipt. In the reporting period in which the stocks are distributed, they are recognised as an expense at the carrying amount of the stocks at distribution. | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| | Donated goods for resale are measured at fair value on initial recognition, which is the expected proceeds from sale less the expected costs of sale, and recognised in 'Income from other trading activities' with the corresponding stock recognised in the balance sheet. On its sale the value of stock is charged against 'Income from other trading activities' and the proceeds from sale are also recognised as 'Income from other trading activities'. | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| | Goods donated for on-going use by the charity are recognised as tangible fixed assets and included in the SoFA as incoming resources when receivable. | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| | Gifts in kind for use by the charity are included in the SoFA as income from donations when receivable. | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Donated services and facilities | Donated services and facilities are included in the SOFA when received at the value of the gift to the charity provided the value of the gift can be measured reliably. | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| | Donated services and facilities that are consumed immediately are recognised as income with an equivalent amount recognised as an expense under the appropriate heading in the SOFA. | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Support costs | The charity has incurred expenditure on support costs. | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Volunteer help | The value of any voluntary help received is not included in the accounts but is described in the trustees' annual report. | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Income from interest, royalties and dividends | This is included in the accounts when receipt is probable and the amount receivable can be measured reliably. | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |
| | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Income from membership | Membership subscriptions received in the nature of a gift are recognised in Donations | | Yes* | No* | N/a* | |

subscriptions and Legacies.

Membership subscriptions which gives a member the right to buy services or other benefits are recognised as income earned from the provision of goods and services as income from charitable activities.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| ✓ | | |
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| ✓ | | |

Settlement of insurance claims Insurance claims are only included in the SoFA when the general income recognition criteria are met (5.10 to 5.12 FRS102 SORP) and are included as an item of other income in the SoFA.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ |

Investment gains and losses This includes any realised or unrealised gains or losses on the sale of investments and any gain or loss resulting from revaluing investments to market value at the end of the year.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ |

2.3 EXPENDITURE AND LIABILITIES

Liability recognition Liabilities are recognised where it is more likely than not that there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to pay out resources and the amount of the obligation can be measured with reasonable certainty.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| ✓ | | |

Governance and support costs Support costs have been allocated between governance costs and other support. Governance costs comprise all costs involving public accountability of the charity and its compliance with regulation and good practice.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| ✓ | | |

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

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| ✓ | | |

Grants with performance conditions Where the charity gives a grant with conditions for its payment being a specific level of service or output to be provided, such grants are only recognised in the SoFA once the recipient of the grant has provided the specified service or output.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ |

Grants payable without performance conditions Where there are no conditions attaching to the grant that enables the donor charity to realistically avoid the commitment, a liability for the full funding obligation must be recognised.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ |

Redundancy cost The charity made no redundancy payments during the reporting period.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| ✓ | | |

Deferred income No material item of deferred income has been included in the accounts.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| ✓ | | |

Creditors The charity has creditors which are measured at settlement amounts less any trade discounts

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ |

Provisions for liabilities A liability is measured on recognition at its historical cost and then subsequently measured at the best estimate of the amount required to settle the obligation at the reporting date

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| ✓ | | |

Basic financial instruments The charity accounts for basic financial instruments on initial recognition as per paragraph 10.7 FRS102 SORP. Subsequent measurement is as per paragraphs 11.17 to 11.19, FRS102 SORP.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| ✓ | | |

2.4 ASSETS

Tangible fixed assets for use by charity These are capitalised if they can be used for more than one year, and cost at least

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| | | |
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ |

They are valued at cost.

The depreciation rates and methods used are disclosed in note 14.

Intangible fixed assets The charity has intangible fixed assets, that is, non-monetary assets that do not have physical substance but are identifiable and are controlled by the charity through custody or legal rights. The amortisation rates and methods used are disclosed in note 15.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ |

They are valued at cost.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ |

Heritage assets The charity has heritage assets, that is, non-monetary assets with historic, artistic, scientific, technological, geophysical or environmental qualities that are held and maintained principally for their contribution to knowledge and culture. The depreciation rates and methods used as disclosed in note 16.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ |

They are valued at cost.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ |

Investments Fixed asset investments in quoted shares, traded bonds and similar investments are valued at initially at cost and subsequently at fair value (their market value) at the year end. The same treatment is applied to unlisted investments unless fair value cannot be measured reliably in which case it is measured at cost less impairment.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ |

Investments held for resale or pending their sale and cash and cash equivalents with a maturity date of less than 1 year are treated as current asset investments

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ |

Stocks and work in progress Stocks held for sale as part of non-charitable trade are measured at the lower or cost or net realisable value.

| | | |
|------|-----|------|
| Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ |

| | | | | |
|---|--|------|-----|------|
| | Goods or services provided as part of a charitable activity are measured at net realisable value based on the service potential provided by items of stock. | Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | | | ✓ |
| | Work in progress is valued at cost less any foreseeable loss that is likely to occur on the contract. | Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | | | ✓ |
| Debtors | Debtors (including trade debtors and loans receivable) are measured on initial recognition at settlement amount after any trade discounts or amount advanced by the charity. Subsequently, they are measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be received. | Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ | | |
| Current asset investments | The charity has investments which it holds for resale or pending their sale and cash and cash equivalents with a maturity date less than one year. These include cash on deposit and cash equivalents with a maturity of less than one year held for investment purposes rather than to meet short-term cash commitments as they fall due. | Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ | | |
| | They are valued at fair value except where they qualify as basic financial instruments. | Yes* | No* | N/a* |
| | | ✓ | | |
| POLICIES ADOPTED ADDITIONAL TO OR DIFFERENT FROM THOSE ABOVE | NOT APPLICABLE | | | |

| Section C | Notes to the accounts | (cont) |
|-----------|-----------------------|--------|
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Note 3 **Income**

| Analysis of income | | Unrestricted funds | Restricted income funds | Endowment funds | Total funds £ | Prior year £ |
|---|--|--------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Donations and legacies: | Donations and gifts | 18,573 | - | - | 18,573 | 31,652 |
| | Gift Aid | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Legacies | - | - | - | - | - |
| | General grants provided by government/other charities | 38,953 | - | - | 38,953 | 34,443 |
| | Membership subscriptions and sponsorships which are in substance donations | 60 | - | - | 60 | 110 |
| | Donated goods, facilities and services | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Other | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | | 57,586 | - | - | 57,586 | 66,205 |
| Charitable activities: | Sale of Low Vision Aids | 8,610 | - | - | 8,610 | 7,051 |
| | Activities Income | 3,830 | - | - | 3,830 | 3,746 |
| | Grants | - | 98,926 | - | 98,926 | 87,388 |
| | Other | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | | 12,440 | 98,926 | - | 111,366 | 98,185 |
| Other trading activities: | Fundraising | 1,581 | - | - | 1,581 | 8,270 |
| | Rent of Facilities | - | - | - | - | 680 |
| | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Other | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | | 1,581 | - | - | 1,581 | 8,950 |
| Income from investments: | Interest income | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Dividend income | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Other | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | | - | - | - | - | - |
| Separate material item of income | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other: | Conversion of endowment funds into income | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Gain on disposal of a tangible fixed asset held for charity's own use | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Gain on disposal of a programme related investment | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Royalties from the exploitation of intellectual property rights | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Other | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Total | - | - | - | - | - |
| TOTAL INCOME | | 71,607 | 98,926 | - | 170,533 | 173,340 |

Other information:

All income in the prior year was unrestricted except for: (please provide description and amounts)

Grants and funding received of £87,388 specifically for the provision of services as part of charitable activities

Where any endowment fund is converted into income in the reporting period, please give the reason for the conversion.

N/A

Within the income items above the following items are material: (please disclose the nature, amount and any prior year amounts)

N/A

Where sums originally denominated in foreign currency have been included in income, explain the basis on which those sums have been translated into sterling (or the currency in which the accounts are drawn up).

N/A

Note 4 Analysis of receipts of government grants

| | Description | This year £ | Last year £ |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Government grant 1 | NHS Wirral CCG | 2,305 | 9,221 |
| Government grant 2 | NHS Hospital Trust | 30,067 | 22,936 |
| Government grant 2 | Wirral Health and Well-Being | 29,100 | - |
| Other (non-Government grants) | Unrestricted Grants from Charities | 38,953 | 34,443 |
| Other (non-Government grants) | Restricted Grants from Charities | 37,454 | 55,231 |
| | Total | 137,879 | 121,831 |

Please provide details of any unfulfilled conditions and other contingencies attaching to grants that have been recognised in income.

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| NONE |
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Please give details of other forms of government assistance from which the charity has directly benefited.

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| NONE |
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Note 5 Donated goods, facilities and services

| | This year £ | Last year £ |
|-----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Seconded staff | - | - |
| Use of property | - | - |
| Other | - | - |

Please provide details of the accounting policy for the recognition and valuation of donated goods, facilities and services.

Please provide details of any unfulfilled conditions and other contingencies attaching to resources from donated goods and services not recognised in income.

Please give details of other forms of other donated goods and services not recognised in the accounts, eg contribution of unpaid volunteers.

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Note 6

Expenditure

| Analysis of expenditure | | Unrestricted funds | Restricted income funds | Endowment funds | Total funds £ | Prior year £ |
|---|---|--------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Expenditure on raising funds: | Incurred seeking donations | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Incurred seeking legacies | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Incurred seeking grants | - | 23,852 | - | 23,852 | 24,029 |
| | Operating membership schemes and social lotteries | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Staging fundraising events | 1,343 | - | - | 1,343 | 8,612 |
| | Fundraising agents | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Operating charity shops | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Operating a trading company undertaking non-charitable trading activity | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Advertising, marketing, direct mail and publicity | 681 | - | - | 681 | 662 |
| | Start up costs incurred in generating new source of future income | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Database development costs | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Other trading activities | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Investment management costs: | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Portfolio management costs | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Cost of obtaining investment advice | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Investment administration costs | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Intellectual property licencing costs | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Rent collection, property repairs and maintenance charges | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Other office support costs | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Total expenditure on raising funds | 2,024 | 23,852 | - | 25,876 | 33,303 |
| Expenditure on charitable activities | Expenditure on charitable activities | 100,619 | 75,074 | - | 175,693 | 148,677 |
| | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Total expenditure on charitable activities | 100,619 | 75,074 | - | 175,693 | 148,677 |
| Separate material item of expense | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Total | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - |
| | Total other expenditure | - | - | - | - | - |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURE | | 102,643 | 98,926 | - | 201,569 | 181,980 |

Other information:

Analysis of expenditure on charitable activities

| Activity or programme | | Activities undertaken directly | Grant funding of activities | Support Costs allocation | Total this year | Total prior year |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| | | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Activity 1 | Outreach and Hospital Liaison | 51,754 | - | 39,350 | 91,104 | 75,989 |
| Activity 2 | Resource Centre and Shop | 8,084 | - | 16,819 | 24,903 | 19,818 |
| Activity 3 | Creative / Social Activities | 27,719 | - | 25,218 | 52,937 | 46,340 |
| Activity 4 | IT Training | 2,310 | - | 4,438 | 6,748 | 6,530 |
| | | - | - | | - | |
| Total | | 89,867 | - | 85,826 | 175,693 | 148,677 |

Prior year expenditure on charitable activities can be analysed as follows:

Directly allocated costs contribute £83,859, and Support costs apportioned to the activities total £64,818

Within the expenditure items above the following items are material: (please disclose the nature, amount and any prior year amounts)

N/A

Where sums originally denominated in foreign currency have been included in expenditure, explain the basis on which those sums have been translated into sterling (or the currency in which the accounts are drawn up).

N/A

Note 7 Extraordinary items

Please explain the nature of each extraordinary item occurring in the period.

| | Description | This year £ | Last year £ |
|---------------------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|
| Extraordinary item 1 | | - | - |
| Extraordinary item 2 | | - | - |
| | | - | - |
| Extraordinary item 3 | | - | - |
| | | | |
| Extraordinary item 4 | | - | - |
| Total extraordinary items | | - | - |

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Funds received as agent

8.1 Please complete this note if the charity has agreed to administer the funds of another entity as its agent. Note: If a charity is acting as an agent, it should not recognise the income in the Statement of Financial Activities or the Balance Sheet.

| Description/name of party | Related party (Yes or No) | Amount received | | Amount paid out | | Balance held at period end | |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|----------------------------|-----------|
| | | This year | Last year | This year | Last year | This year | Last year |
| | | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total | | - | - | - | - | - | - |

8.2 Where a consortia or similar arrangement exists whereby 2 or more charities co-operate to achieve economies in the purchase of goods or services, please disclose details of any balances outstanding between any participating members.

| Description/name of party | Balance held at period end | |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|-----------|
| | This year | Last year |
| | £ | £ |
| | - | - |
| | - | - |
| | - | - |
| | - | - |
| | - | - |
| Total | - | - |

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Note 9

Support Costs

Please complete this note if the charity has analysed its expenses using activity categories and has support costs.

| Support cost | Raising funds £ | Activity 1 £ | Activity 2 £ | Activity 3 £ | Activity 4 £ | Grand total £ | Basis of allocation |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------------------|
| | | Outreach and Hospital Liaison | Resource Centre and Shop | Creative / Social Activities | IT Training | | |
| Management and Admin salaries | 1,362 | 2,650 | 11,087 | 5,562 | 2,800 | 23,461 | Time |
| Office expenses | - | 17,159 | 2,680 | 9,190 | 766 | 29,796 | In line with Direct Costs |
| Repairs and Maintenance | - | 17,901 | 2,796 | 9,587 | 799 | 31,083 | In line with Direct Costs |
| Legal & Professional fees | - | 726 | 113 | 389 | 32 | 1,260 | In line with Direct Costs |
| Insurance | - | 915 | 143 | 490 | 41 | 1,588 | In line with Direct Costs |
| Other | | | | | | - | |
| Total | 1,362 | 39,350 | 16,819 | 25,218 | 4,438 | 87,188 | |

Please provide details of the accounting policy adopted for the apportionment of costs between activities and any estimation techniques used to calculate their apportionment.

Costs have been directly allocated to Raising Funds activities. Costs related to charitable activities have been directly allocated where appropriate. This includes salaries of staff employed in a particular activity, as well as other costs that relate to specific activities. General support costs have been apportioned consistently with the prior year, with management and administration staff salaries based on estimated time spent on the various charitable activities, and other costs in line with the direct costs of those activities.

Section C**Notes to the accounts****Note 10** Details of certain types of expenditure**Note 10.1** Fees for examination of the accounts

Please provide details of the amount paid for any statutory external scrutiny of accounts and other services provided by your independent examiner. If nothing was paid please enter '0' in the appropriate box(es).

Independent examiner's fees

Assurance services other than independent examination

Tax advisory fees

Other fees (for example: financial advice, consultancy, accountancy services) paid to the independent examiner

| This year £ | Last year £ |
|----------------|----------------|
| - | - |
| - | - |
| - | - |
| - | - |

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Note 11

Paid employees

Please complete this note if the charity has any employees (transactions with Trustees dealt with in Note 28)

11.1 Staff Costs

| | This year £ | Last year £ |
|---|----------------|----------------|
| Salaries and wages | 107,504 | 103,239 |
| Social security costs | 1,525 | 2,010 |
| Pension costs (defined contribution pension plan) | - | - |
| Other employee benefits | - | - |
| Total staff costs | 109,029 | 105,249 |

Please provide details of expenditure on staff working for the charity whose contracts are with and are paid by a related party

None

Please give details of the number of employees whose total employee benefits (excluding employer pension costs) fell within each band of £10,000 from £60,000 upwards. If there are no such transactions, please enter 'true' in the box provided.

No employees received employee benefits (excluding employer pension costs) for the reporting period of more than £60,000

TRUE

| Band | Number of employees |
|----------------------|---------------------|
| £60,000 to £69,999 | |
| £70,000 to £79,999 | |
| £80,000 to £89,999 | |
| £90,000 to £99,999 | |
| £100,000 to £109,999 | |
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Please provide the total amount paid to key management personnel (includes trustees and senior management) for their services to the charity. For specific amounts paid to trustees, see Note 28.

None

11.2 Average head count in the year

The parts of the charity in which the employees work

| | This year Number | Last year Number |
|-----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Fundraising | 1 | 1 |
| Charitable Activities | 4 | 4 |
| Governance | 2 | 2 |
| Other | - | - |
| Total | 7 | 7 |

11.3 Ex-gratia payments to employees and others (excluding trustees)

Please complete if an ex-gratia payment is made.

Please explain the nature of the payment

Please state the legal authority or reason for making the payment

Please state the amount of the payment (or value of any waiver of a right to an asset)

11.4 Redundancy payments

Please complete if any redundancy or termination payment is made in the period.

Total amount of payment

The nature of the payment (cash, asset etc.)

The extent of redundancy funding at the balance sheet date

Please state the accounting policy for any redundancy or termination payments

Redundancy payments are made in line with statutory requirements

Note 12 Defined contribution pension scheme or defined benefit scheme accounted for as a defined contribution scheme.

12.1 Please complete this note if a defined contribution pension scheme is operated.

Amount of contributions recognised in the SOFA as an expense

N/A

Please explain the basis for allocating the liability and expense of defined contribution pension scheme between activities and between restricted and unrestricted funds.

12.2 Please complete this section where the charity participates in a defined benefit pension plan but is unable to ascertain its share of the underlying assets and liabilities.

Please confirm that although the scheme is accounted for as a defined contribution plan, it is a defined benefit plan.

Please provide such information as is available about the plan's surplus or deficit and the implications, if any, for the reporting charity

12.3 Please complete this section where the charity participates in a multi-employer defined benefit pension plan that is accounted for as a defined contribution plan.

Describe the extent to which the charity can be liable to the plan for other entities' obligations under the terms and conditions of the multi-employer plan

Explain how any liability arising from an agreement with a multi-employer plan to fund a deficit has been determined.

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Note 13

Grantmaking

Please complete this note if the charity made any grants or donations which in aggregate form a material part of the charitable activities undertaken.

13.1 Analysis of grants paid (included in cost of charitable activities)

| Analysis | Grants to institutions | Grants to individuals | Support costs | Total |
|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|-------|
| Activity or project 1 | | | £ | £ |
| Activity or project 2 | | | - | - |
| Activity or project 3 | | | - | - |
| Activity or project 4 | | | - | - |
| Total | - | - | - | - |

Please enter "Nil" if the charity does not identify and/or allocate support costs.

13.2 Grants made to institutions

My charity has made grants to particular institutions that are material in the context of its grantmaking. Details of the institution supported, purpose of the grant and total paid to each institution is available on the charity's web site.

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| Yes | Please provide details of charity's URL. |
| No | Provide details below |

| Names of institution | Purpose | Total amount of grants paid £ |
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| | | - |
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| | | - |
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| | | - |
| Total grants to institutions in reporting period | | - |
| Other unanalysed grants | | - |
| TOTAL GRANTS PAID | | - |

Note 14 Tangible fixed assets*Please complete this note if the charity has any tangible fixed assets***14.1 Cost or valuation**

| | Freehold land & buildings | Other land & buildings | Plant, machinery and motor vehicles | Fixtures, fittings and equipment | Total |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|---|--|-------|
| | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| At the beginning of the year | - | - | - | - | - |
| Additions | - | - | - | - | - |
| Revaluations | - | - | - | - | - |
| Disposals | - | - | - | - | - |
| Transfers * | - | - | - | - | - |
| At end of the year | - | - | - | - | - |

14.2 Depreciation and impairments

| **Basis | SL or RB | SL or RB | SL or RB | SL or RB | SL or RB | Straight Line ("SL") or Reducing Balance ("RB") |
|----------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|---|
| ** Rate | | | | | | |

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|-----------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| At beginning of the year | - | - | - | - | - |
| Disposals | - | - | - | - | - |
| Depreciation | - | - | - | - | - |
| Impairment | - | - | - | - | - |
| Transfers* | - | - | - | - | - |
| At end of the year | - | - | - | - | - |

14.3 Net book value

| | | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|
| Net book value at the beginning of the year | - | - | - | - | - |
| Net book value at the end of the year | - | - | - | - | - |

14.4 Impairment

Please provide a description of the events and circumstances that led to the recognition or reversal of an impairment loss.

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14.5 Revaluation

If an accounting policy of revaluation is adopted, please provide:

the effective date of the revaluation

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the name of independent valuer, if applicable

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the methods applied and significant assumptions

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the carrying amount that would have been recognised had the assets been carried under the cost model.

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14.6 Other disclosures

(i) Please state the amount of borrowing costs, if any, capitalised in the construction of tangible fixed assets and the capitalisation rate used.

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(ii) Please provide the amount of contractual commitments for the acquisition of tangible fixed assets.

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(iii) Details of the existence and carrying amounts of property, plant and equipment to which the charity has restricted title or that are pledged as security for liabilities.

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* The "transfers" row is for movements between fixed asset categories.

** Please indicate the method of depreciation by deleting the method not

Section C**Notes to the accounts****Note 15 Intangible assets***Please complete this note if the charity has any intangible assets***15.1 Cost or valuation**

| | Project development costs | Patents and trademarks | Other | Total |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|-------|-------|
| | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| At beginning of the year | - | - | - | - |
| Additions | - | - | - | - |
| Disposals | - | - | - | - |
| Revaluations | - | - | - | - |
| Transfers * | - | - | - | - |
| At end of the year | - | - | - | - |

15.2 Amortisation and impairments

| **Method of amortisation | SL or RB | SL or RB | SL or RB | SL or RB | Straight Line ("SL") or Reducing Balance ("RB") |
|---------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|---|
| ** Rate | | | | | |
| At beginning of the year | - | - | - | - | - |
| Disposals | - | - | - | - | - |
| Amortisation | - | - | - | - | - |
| Impairment | - | - | - | - | - |
| Transfers* | - | - | - | - | - |
| At end of year | - | - | - | - | - |

15.3 Net book value

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Nat book value at the beginning of the year | - | - | - | - |
| Net book value at the end of the year | - | - | - | - |

15.4 Accounting policy*Please disclose the accounting policy for intangible fixed assets including:**Reasons for choosing amortisation rates**Policies for the recognition of any capital development*

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15.5 Impairment*Please provide a description of the events and circumstances that led to the recognition or reversal of an impairment loss.*

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15.6 Revaluation

If an accounting policy of revaluation is adopted, please provide:

the effective date of the revaluation

the name of independent valuer, if applicable

the methods applied

the carrying amount that would have been recognised had the assets been carried under the cost model.

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15.7 Other disclosures

(i) If your intangible asset was acquired by way of grant, provide value on initial recognition and carrying amount of the asset.

(ii) Details of the carrying amounts of any intangible assets to which the charity has restricted title or that are pledged as security for liabilities.

(iii) Please provide the amount of contractual commitments for the acquisition of intangible assets.

(iv) State the amount of research and development expenditure recognised as expenditure in the year.

(v) Please detail the headings in the SOFA in which a charge for amortisation of intangible assets is included.

(vi) For any material intangible assets, please provide a description, its carrying amount and any remaining amortisation period.

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* The "transfers" row is for movements between fixed asset categories.

** Please indicate the method of depreciation by deleting the method not applicable (SL = straight line; RB = reducing balance). Also please indicate the rate of depreciation: for straight line, what is the anticipated life of the asset (in years); for reducing balance, what is the percentage annual

Note 16 Heritage assets

Please complete this note if the charity has heritage assets

16.1 General disclosures for all charities holding heritage assets

(i) Explain the nature and scale of heritage assets held.

(ii) Explain the policy for the acquisition, preservation, management and disposal of heritage assets.

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16.2 Cost or valuation

| | Heritage asset 1 £ | Heritage asset 2 £ | Heritage asset 3 £ | Heritage asset 4 £ | Total £ |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------|
| At beginning of the year | - | - | - | - | - |
| Additions | - | - | - | - | - |
| Disposals | - | - | - | - | - |
| Revaluations | - | - | - | - | - |
| Transfers * | - | - | - | - | - |
| At end of the year | - | - | - | - | - |

16.3 Depreciation and impairments

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|----------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|--|
| **Basis | SL or RB | SL or RB | SL or RB | SL or RB | SL or RB | Straight Line ("SL") or Reducing Balance |
| ** Rate | | | | | | |

| | | | | | |
|--------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| At beginning of the year | - | - | - | - | - |
| Disposals | - | - | - | - | - |
| Depreciation | - | - | - | - | - |
| Impairment | - | - | - | - | - |
| Transfers* | - | - | - | - | - |
| At end of year | - | - | - | - | - |

16.4 Net book value

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Nat book value at the beginning of the year | - | - | - | - | - |
| Net book value at the end of the year | - | - | - | - | - |

16.5 Impairment

Please provide a description of the events and circumstances that led to the recognition or reversal of an impairment loss.

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16.6 Revaluation

If an accounting policy of revaluation is adopted, please provide:

the effective date of the revaluation

the name of independent valuer, if applicable

qualifications of independent valuer

the methods applied and significant assumptions

any significant limitations on the valuation

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16.7 Analysis of heritage assets by class or group distinguishing those at cost and those at valuation

| At valuation Group A | At cost Group B | Total |
|-------------------------|--------------------|-------|
| | | |

| | £ | £ | £ |
|--|---|---|---|
| Carrying amount at the beginning of the period | - | - | - |
| Additions | - | - | - |
| Disposals | - | - | - |
| Depreciation/impairment | - | - | - |
| Revaluation | - | - | - |
| Carrying amount at the end of period | - | - | - |

16.8 Heritage assets (where heritage assets are not recognised on the balance sheet)

(i) Explain the reason why heritage assets have not been recognised on the balance sheet.

(ii) Describe the significance and nature of heritage assets.

(iii) Disclose information that is helpful in assessing the value of heritage assets.

(iv) Explain the reason why it is not practicable to obtain a valuation of heritage assets.

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16.9 Five year summary of heritage assets transactions

| | 2015 | 2014 | 2013 | 2012 | 2011 |
|------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Purchases | | | | | |
| Group A | - | - | - | - | - |
| Group B | - | - | - | - | - |
| Group C | - | | | | |
| Other | - | | | | |
| Donations | | | | | |
| Group A | - | - | - | - | - |
| Group B | - | - | - | - | - |
| Group C | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total additions | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | | | | |
| Charge for impairment | | | | | |
| Group A | - | - | - | - | - |
| Group B | - | - | - | - | - |
| Group C | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total charge for impairment | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | | | | |
| Disposals | | | | | |
| Group A - carrying amount | - | - | - | - | - |
| Group B - carrying amount | - | - | - | - | - |
| Group C | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total disposals | - | - | - | - | - |

Note 17 Investment assets

Please complete this note if the charity has any investment assets.

17.1 Fixed assets investments (please provide for each class of investment)

| | Cash & cash equivalents | Listed investments | Investment properties | Social investments | Other | Total |
|--|-------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-------|-------|
| Carrying (fair) value at beginning of period | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Add: additions to investments during period* | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Less: disposals at carrying value | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Less: impairments | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Add: Reversal of impairments | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Add/(deduct): transfer in/(out) in the period | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Add/(deduct): net gain/(loss) on revaluation | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Carrying (fair) value at end of year | - | - | - | - | - | - |

*Please specify additions resulting from acquisitions through business combinations, if any.

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Please note that Fair Value in this context is the amount for which an asset could be exchanged between knowledgeable and willing parties in an arm's length transaction. For traded securities, the fair value is the value of the security quoted on the London Stock Exchange Daily Official List or equivalent. For other assets where there is no market price on a traded market, it is the trustees' or valuers' best estimate of fair value.

17.2 Please provide a breakdown of investments shown above agreeing with the balance sheet row B04 differentiating between those held at fair value and those held at cost less impairment.

Analysis of investments

| | Fair value at year end | Cost less impairment |
|---|------------------------|----------------------|
| | £ | £ |
| Cash or cash equivalents | - | - |
| Listed investments | - | - |
| Investment properties | - | - |
| Social investments | - | - |
| Other investments | - | - |
| Total | - | - |
| Grand total (Fair value at year end+Cost less impairment) | | |

17.3 If your charity holds investment properties, please complete the following note:

- (i) Explain the methods and significant assumptions in determining the fair value of investment property held by the charity
- (ii) Name or independent valuer, if applicable, and relevant qualifications

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(iii) Provide details of any restrictions on the ability to realise investment property or on the remittance of income or disposal proceeds

(iv) Explain any contractual obligations for the purchase, construction or development of investment property or for repairs, maintenance or enhancements

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17.4 Please provide a breakdown of current asset investments, if applicable, agreeing with the balance sheet.

Analysis of current asset investments

Cash or cash equivalents

Listed investments

Investment properties

Social investments

Other investments

Total

| This year | Last year |
|-----------|-----------|
| £ | £ |
| - | - |
| - | - |
| - | - |
| - | - |
| - | - |
| - | - |

17.5 Guarantees

Please provide details and amount of any guarantee made to or on behalf of a third party

Name of the entity or entities benefitting from those guarantees

Please explain how the guarantee furthers the charity's aims

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17.6 Concessionary loans

Amount of concessionary loans made (*Multiple loans made may be disclosed in aggregate provided that such aggregation does not obscure significant information*).

| Description | This year £ | Last year £ |
|--------------|----------------|----------------|
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| Total | | |

Amount of concessionary loans received (*Multiple loans received may be disclosed in aggregate provided that such aggregation does not obscure significant information*).

| Description | This year £ | Last year £ |
|--------------|----------------|----------------|
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| Total | | |

Terms and conditions eg interest rate, security provided

Value of any concessionary loans which have been committed but not taken up at the reporting date

Amounts payable within 1 year

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Amounts payable after more than 1 year

Amounts receivable within 1 year

Amounts receivable after more than 1 year

17.7 Additional information

Please provide information about the significance of investments to the charity's financial position or performance eg. terms and conditions of loans or the use of hedging to manage financial risk.

For all investments measured at fair value, the basis for determining the value, including any assumptions applied when using a valuation technique.

Where a charity or its subsidiary has provided financial assets as a form of security, the carrying amount of the financial asset pledged as security and the terms and conditions relating to its pledge.

Section C**Notes to the accounts****Note 18****Stocks**

Please complete this note if the charity holds any stock items

18.1 Please state the carrying amount of stock and work in progress analysed between activities.

| | Stock | | Donated goods | | Work in progress |
|----------------------------------|------------------|------------|------------------|------------|------------------|
| | For distribution | For resale | For distribution | For resale | |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ | |
| Charitable activities: | | | | | |
| <i>Opening</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
| <i>Added in period</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
| <i>Expensed in period</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
| <i>Impaired</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
| <i>Closing</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Other trading activities: | | | | | |
| <i>Opening</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
| <i>Added in period</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
| <i>Expensed in period</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
| <i>Impaired</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
| <i>Closing</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Other: | | | | | |
| <i>Opening</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
| <i>Added in period</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
| <i>Expensed in period</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
| <i>Impaired</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
| <i>Closing</i> | - | - | - | - | - |
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| Total this year | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total previous year | - | - | - | - | - |

18.2 Please specify the carrying amount of any stocks pledged as security for liabilities

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Note 19 Debtors and prepayments

Please complete this note if the charity has any debtors or prepayments.

19.1 Analysis of debtors

| | This year £ | Last year £ |
|--------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Trade debtors | - | - |
| Prepayments and accrued income | 4,977 | 4,383 |
| Other debtors | - | - |
| Total | 4,977 | 4,383 |

Complete 19.2 where a material debtor is recoverable more than a year after the reporting date.

19.2 Disclosure of debtors recoverable in more than 1 year (included in debtors above)

| | This year £ | Last year £ |
|--------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Trade debtors | - | - |
| Prepayments and accrued income | - | - |
| Other debtors | - | - |
| Total | - | - |

Note 20 Creditors and accruals

Please complete this note if the charity has any creditors or accruals.

20.1 Analysis of creditors

| | Amounts falling due within one year | | Amounts falling due after more than one year | |
|--|-------------------------------------|----------------|--|----------------|
| | This year £ | Last year £ | This year £ | Last year £ |
| Accruals for grants payable | - | - | - | - |
| Bank loans and overdrafts | - | - | - | - |
| Trade creditors | 625 | 1,929 | - | - |
| Payments received on account for contracts or performance-related grants | - | 11,373 | - | - |
| Accruals and deferred income | 900 | 900 | - | - |
| Taxation and social security | 2,067 | 1,445 | - | - |
| Other creditors | - | - | - | - |
| Total | 3,592 | 15,647 | - | - |

20.2 Deferred income

Please complete this note if the charity has deferred income.

Please explain the reasons why income is deferred.

N/A

Movement in deferred income account

| | This year £ | Last year £ |
|---|----------------|----------------|
| Balance at the start of the reporting period | - | - |
| Amounts added in current period | - | - |
| Amounts released to income from previous periods | - | - |
| Balance at the end of the reporting period | - | - |

Note 21 Provisions for liabilities and charges

You should complete this note if you have included in the charity expenditure any provisions. A provision is made when the charity has a liability of uncertain timing or amount.

21.1 Please provide:

- a brief description of any obligations on the balance sheet and the expected amount and timing of resulting payments;
- an indication of the uncertainties about the amount or timing of those outflows; and
- the amount of any expected reimbursement, stating the amount of any asset that has been recognised for that expected reimbursement.

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21.2 Movements in recognised provisions and funding commitment during the period

Balance at the start of the reporting period

Amounts added in current period

Amounts charged against the provision in the current period

Unused amounts reversed during the period

Balance at the end of the reporting period

| This year £ | Last year £ |
|----------------|----------------|
| - | - |
| - | - |
| - | - |
| - | - |
| - | - |

21.3 For any funding commitment that is not recognised as a liability or provision, provide details of commitment made, the time frame of that commitment, any performance-related conditions and details of how the commitment will be funded (with contracts for capital expenditure separately identified)..

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21.4 Where unrestricted funds have been designated to a fund commitment, please disclose the nature of any amounts designated and the likely timing of that expenditure.

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Note 22 Other disclosures for debtors, creditors and other basic financial instruments

22.1 Please provide information about the significance of financial instruments (eg. debtors, creditors, investments etc) to the charity's financial position or performance, for example, the terms and conditions of loans or the use of hedging to manage financial risk.

22.2 If the charity has provided financial assets as a form of security, the carrying amount of the financial assets pledged as security and the terms and conditions related to its pledge should be given here.

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Note 23 Contingent liabilities and contingent assets**23.1 Contingent liabilities**

Where the charity has contingent liabilities, please complete the following section unless the possibility of their existence is remote.

| Description of item including its legal nature. Please describe any security provided in connection to the liability. | Estimate of financial effect |
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23.2 Contingent assets

Where the charity has contingent assets, please complete the following section when their existence is probable

| Description of item | Estimate of financial effect |
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23.3 Other disclosures for contingent assets and/or liabilities

Please provide the following information where practicable:

Explain any uncertainties relating to the amount or timing of settlement; and the possibility of any reimbursement

Where it is not practical to make one or more of these disclosures, please state this fact

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Section C**Notes to the accounts****(cont)****Note 24 Cash at bank and in hand****Short term cash investments (less than 3 months maturity date)****Short term deposits****Cash at bank and on hand****Other****Total**

| This year £ | Last year £ |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| - | - |
| - | - |
| 91,589 | 135,274 |
| - | - |
| 91,589 | 135,274 |

Note 25 Fair value of assets and liabilities

25.1 Please provide details of the charity's exposure to credit risk (the risk of incurring a loss due to a debtor not paying what is owed) , liquidity risk (the risk of not being able to meet short term financial demands) and market risk (the risk that the value of an investment will fall due to changes in the market) arising from financial instruments to which the charity is exposed at the end of the reporting period and explain how the charity manages those risks.

The trustees consider such risks as very low.

25.2 Please give details of the amount of change in the fair value of basic financial instruments (debtors, creditors, investments (see section 11, FRS102 SORP)) measured at fair value through the SoFA that is attributable to changes in credit risk.

None

Note 26

Events after the end of the reporting period

Please complete this note where events (not requiring adjustment to the accounts) have occurred after the end of the reporting period but before the accounts are authorised which relate to conditions that arose after the end of the reporting period.

Please provide details of the nature of the event

N/A

Provide an estimate of the financial effect of the event or a statement that such an estimate cannot be made

N/A

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| Section C | Notes to the accounts | (cont) |
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Note 27 **Charity funds**

27.1 Details of material funds held and movements during the CURRENT reporting period

Please give details of the movements of material individual funds in the reporting period together with a balancing figure for 'Other funds' (which should include revaluation reserve and fair value reserve, if applicable). The 'Total funds' figure below should reconcile to 'Total funds' in the balance sheet.

** Key: PE - permanent endowment funds; EE - expendable endowment funds; R - restricted income funds, including special trusts, of the charity; and UR - unrestricted funds*

| Fund names | Type PE, EE R or UR * | Purpose and Restrictions | Fund balances brought forward £ | Income £ | Expenditure £ | Transfers £ | Gains and losses £ | Fund balances carried forward £ |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|---|-------------|------------------|----------------|--------------------------|---|
| Awards for All | R | | - | 9,800 | - 9,800 | - | - | - |
| NHS Trust | R | | - | 30,068 | - 30,068 | - | - | - |
| The Eye Fund | R | | - | 3,000 | - 3,000 | - | - | - |
| Wirral CCG | R | | - | 2,305 | - 2,305 | - | - | - |
| John Moores | R | | - | 3,333 | - 3,333 | - | - | - |
| Henry Smith Charity | R | | - | 19,133 | - 19,133 | - | - | - |
| Morgan Foundation | R | | - | 2,187 | - 2,187 | - | - | - |
| WHWB (Wirral Health) | R | | - | 29,100 | - 29,100 | - | - | - |
| General Funds | UR | | 124,010 | 71,607 | - 102,643 | - | - | 92,974 |
| Other funds (balancing figure) | N/a | N/a | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total Funds as per balance sheet | | | 124,010 | 170,533 | - 201,569 | - | - | 92,974 |

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| Fund balances carried forward include assets and liabilities denominated in a foreign currency | Yes* No* <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 40px; height: 20px;"></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 40px; height: 20px; text-align: center;">✓</div> </div> |
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| If yes, please state the basis on which the assets and/or liabilities have been translated into sterling (or the currency in which the accounts are drawn up). | |
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| Section C | Notes to the accounts | (cont) |
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Note 27 **Charity funds**

27.2 Details of material funds held and movements during the PREVIOUS reporting period

Please give details of the movements of material individual funds in the reporting period together with a balancing figure for 'Other funds' (which should include revaluation reserve and fair value reserve, if applicable). The 'Total funds' figure below should reconcile to 'Total funds' in the balance sheet.

** Key: PE - permanent endowment funds; EE - expendable endowment funds; R - restricted income funds, including special trusts, of the charity; and U - unrestricted funds*

| Fund names | Type PE, EE R or UR * | Purpose and Restrictions | Fund balances brought forward £ | Income £ | Expenditure £ | Transfers £ | Gains and losses £ | Fund balances carried forward £ |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|---|-------------|------------------|----------------|--------------------------|---|
| Albert Hunt Trust | R | | - | 2,000 | - 2,000 | - | - | - |
| NHS Trust | R | | - | 22,936 | - 22,936 | - | - | - |
| The Eye Fund | R | | - | 9,000 | - 9,000 | - | - | - |
| Wirral CCG | R | | - | 9,221 | - 9,221 | - | - | - |
| John Moores | R | | - | 1,667 | - 1,667 | - | - | - |
| Henry Smith Charity | R | | - | 32,800 | - 32,800 | - | - | - |
| Price Parry | R | | - | 961 | - 961 | - | - | - |
| PH Holt | R | | - | 3,333 | - 3,333 | - | - | - |
| Community Refurbishment | R | | - | 2,998 | - 2,998 | - | - | - |
| WHWB (Wirral Health) | R | | - | 2,472 | - 2,472 | - | - | - |
| General Funds | UR | | 132,650 | 85,952 | - 94,592 | - | - | 124,010 |
| Other funds (balancing figure) | N/a | N/a | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total Funds as per balance sheet | | | 132,650 | 173,340 | - 181,980 | - | - | 124,010 |

Fund balances carried forward include assets and liabilities denominated in a foreign currency

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| Yes* | No* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

| Section C | Notes to the accounts | (cont) |
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Note 27 **Charity funds (cont)**

27.3 Transfers between funds

| | Reason for transfer and where endowment is converted to income, legal power for its conversion | Amount |
|---|--|--------|
| Between unrestricted and restricted funds | | |
| Between endowment and restricted funds | | |
| Between endowment and unrestricted funds | | |

27.4 Designated funds

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Note 28 Transactions with trustees and related parties

If the charity has any transactions with related parties (other than the trustee expenses explained in guidance notes) details of such transactions should be provided in this note. If there are no transactions to report, please enter "True" in the box or "False" if there are transactions to report.

28.1 Trustee remuneration and benefits

None of the trustees have been paid any remuneration or received any other benefits from an employment with their charity or a related entity (True or False)

TRUE

In the period the charity has paid trustees remuneration and benefits. Please give the amount of, and legal authority for, any remuneration or other benefits paid to a trustee by the charity or any institution or company connected with it.

| Name of trustee | Legal authority (eg order, governing document) | Amounts paid or benefit value | | | | | Last year |
|-----------------|--|-------------------------------|----------------------|---|-------|-------|-----------|
| | | This year | | | | | |
| | | Remuneration | Pension contribution | Redundancy (including loss of office)/ex gratia | Other | TOTAL | |
| | | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | |
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Please give details of why remuneration or other employment benefits were paid.

Where an ex gratia payment has been made to a trustee, provide an explanation of the nature of the payment.

If a third party has been reimbursed for providing one or more trustees, state the nature of the payment and amount of the reimbursement.

State the number of trustees to whom retirement benefits are accruing under a defined contribution pension scheme.

28.2 Trustees' expenses

If the charity has paid trustees expenses for fulfilling their duties, details of such transactions should be provided in this note. If there are no transactions to report, please enter "True" in the box below. If there are transactions to report, please enter "False".

No trustee expenses have been incurred (True or False)

TRUE

| Type of expenses reimbursed | This year | Last year |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| | £ | £ |
| Travel | | |
| Subsistence | | |
| Accommodation | | |
| Other (please specify): | | |
| | | |
| TOTAL | | |

Please provide the number of trustees reimbursed for expenses or who had expenses paid by the charity

28.3 Transaction(s) with related parties

Please give details of any transaction undertaken by (or on behalf of) the charity in which a related party has a material interest, including where funds have been held as agent for related parties. If there are no such transactions, please enter 'true' in the box provided.

There have been no related party transactions in the reporting period (True or False)

TRUE

| Name of the trustee or related party | Relationship to charity | Description of the transaction(s) | Amount | | Balance at period end | Provision for bad debts at period end | Amounts written off during reporting period |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|--|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| | | | £ | | £ | £ | £ |
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In relation to the transactions above, please provide the terms and conditions, including any security and the nature of any payment (consideration) to be provided in settlement.

For any related party, please provide details of any guarantees given or received.

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| Section C | Notes to the accounts | (cont) |
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| Note 29 | Additional Disclosures |
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The following are significant matters which are not covered in other notes and need to be included to provide a proper understanding of the accounts. If there is insufficient room here, please add a separate sheet.



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the
trustees/directors/
members of

Charity Name

Wirral Society of the Blind and Partially Sighted

On accounts for the year
ended

31 March 2023

Charity no.:

1147170

Company no.:

07982870

Set out on pages

(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2021.

Responsibilities and
basis of report

As the charity's trustees of the Company (who are also the directors of the company 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 for this year 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.

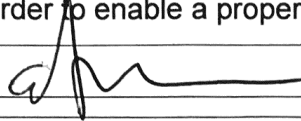
Independent
examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention which gives me cause to believe that:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 386 of the Companies Act 2006; or
- the accounts do not accord with such records; or
- the accounts do not comply with relevant accounting requirements under section 396 of the Companies Act 2006 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
- the accounts have not been prepared in accordance with the Charities SORP (FRS102).

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.

Signed:



Date:

22/1/2024

Name:

CHRISTOPHER ARMOUR

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

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Section B

Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material 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.

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