

THE RICHARD DARTON TENNIS FOUNDATION

England & Wales · Charity number 1152767

Details

Other names RICHARD DARTON TENNIS FOUNDATION, RDTF

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2013-07-08

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

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Activities

Objects: (A) TO ADVANCE THE EDUCATION, IN SPORT, OF YOUNG PEOPLE BY THE PROVISION OF SUPPORT, ASSISTANCE AND ENCOURAGEMENT;(B) TO ADVANCE THE EDUCATION, DEVELOPMENT AND IMPROVEMENT OF YOUNG PEOPLE (MAINLY) THROUGH THE PROVISION OF SPORTING PROGRAMMES, IN PARTICULAR THOSE RELATING TO TENNIS, SO AS TO DEVELOP THEIR SKILLS, CAPACITIES AND CAPABILITIES TO ENABLE THEM TO PARTICIPATE IN SOCIETY AS INDEPENDENT, MATURE AND RESPONSIBLE CITIZENS; AND(C) THE ADVANCEMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE FIELD OF SPORTS (MAINLY TENNIS) LEADERSHIP AND TRAINING.

Activities: The aim of the RDTF is to help talented, under-privileged children to play tennis on a regular basis, providing an opportunity which would not otherwise exist due to financial or social disadvantages. Young people will be educated in essential skills that result from involvement in tennis on a regular basis: fair-play, sportsmanship, discipline, respect for others, and a good work ethic.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Services
- **What:** Education/training, Amateur Sport
- **Who:** Children/young People

Geography

- Bedford
- Cambridgeshire
- Hertfordshire
- Northamptonshire

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	£0	£2,439	-	-
2023-12-31	£0	£12,764	-	-
2022-12-31	£640	£10,770	-	-
2021-12-31	£0	£5,439	-	-
2020-12-31	£10,000	£961	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
HAMID HEJAZI	Chair	2013-04-07
JAMES ANTHONY COOK		2013-04-07
SARA JANE KNIGHTLEY		2013-04-07
STEPHEN CHITTENDEN		2013-04-07

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We really struggled this year and only supported a hand full of activities for underprivileged children in Cambridgeshire.

The charity has decided it can no longer continue long term. We haven't been able to achieve what we originally set out to do and since lock down have found the challenge of running a charity whilst holding down jobs and raising a family ever more challenging.

We will continue for now but are slowing things down with the intention of shutting down the charity by the end of 2026.

Hamid Hejazi

Richard Darton Tennis Foundation

Income & Expenditure Statement			
For the period 1st January 2024 to 31st December 2024			
Income			
General Donations			
Fund Raising Donations		-	
Total Income		£0.00	
Expenses			
Admin Expenses		-	
Cambridgeshire Youth Projects		£2,379.00	Note 1
Bank Charges		£60.00	
Total Expenses		£2,439.00	
Net Surplus		£2,439.00	
Notes			
1. Money to support Cambridgeshire Projects			
Richard Darton Tennis Foundation			
Balance Sheet as at 31st December 2024			
Assets			
Cash at bank		£5,176.76	
Total Assets		£5,176.76	
Liabilities			
Total Liabilities			
Total Net Assets or Liabilities		£5,176.76	
Funds for Charity			
Unrestricted Funds		£5,176.76	
Total Charity Funds		£5,176.76	

Accounts Breakdown

Month	In	Out	Who - What	Date
January		5	Bank charges	13.01
		750	Steve Shaw - Cambridgeshire Youth Projects	14.01
February		5	Bank charges	13.02
March		5	Bank charges	15.03
April		5	Bank charges	13.04
May		5	Bank charges	14.05
		1512	Steve Shaw - Cambridgeshire Youth Projects	14.05
June		5	Bank charges	13.06
July		5	Bank charges	14.07
August		5	Bank charges	13.08
September		5	Bank charges	13.09
October		5	Bank charges	14.10
		117	Steve Shaw - Cambridgeshire Youth Projects	22.10
November		5	Bank charges	13.11
December		5	Bank charges	14.12

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This year Steve has been able to identify more children who have been able to benefit through the charity's support which has included a number of disabled persons which we've been excited to be part of.

We are committed to working with Steve and the Cambridgeshire County Council to support children who are living in very underprivileged circumstances.

We also support a charity call Tennis For Uganda who are a tennis based charity in Uganda supporting children from the local community. We pay £500 per month towards their food costs and receive regular feedback from them. We have restricted our payments this year as the charity is thinking about stopping running the charity due to personal circumstances and non of the trustees having the time any more. We have looked for new trustees with little success.

Sadly, our annual golf fundraiser day has failed to generate any real momentum since covid and we are thinking of new ways to raise funds for next year.

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RDTF	01/01/2023 TO 31/12/2023						
Income	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
Golf day							
Donations							
Expenditure							
Admin	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
Cambs SS	2,176.73				1,776.00		3,178.00
T4U	500.00		500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00
RDTF	01/01/2023 TO 31/12/2023						
Opening Balance			20,380.49				
Income							
General Donations			-				
Fund raising donations			-				
			20,380.49				
Admin expenses			-				
Expences			12,764.73				
Fund raising event costs			-				
			12,764.73				
			7,615.76				

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Income and Expenditure Statement			
For the period 1st January 2021 to 31st December 2021			
Income			
General Donations		-	
Fund raising donations		-	Note 1
	Total Income	-	
Expenses			
Admin expenses		60.00	
Cambs Social Servies		9,204.73	Note 1
	Total Expenses	9,264.73	
	Net Surplus	- 9,264.73	
Notes			
Money to support children in care		- 9,204.73	
Richard Darton Tennis Foundation			
Balance Sheet as at 31st December 2020			
Assets			
Cash at bank		7,615.76	
	Total Assests	7,615.76	
Liabilities			
	Total Liabilities	-	
	Total net assets or liabilities	7,615.76	
Funds for charity			
Unrestricted Funds		7,615.76	
	Total Charity Funds	7,615.76	

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This year since April Steve has been able to identify more children who have been able to benefit through the charity's support which has been even more vital due to the last 2 years of the pandemic.

We are committed to working with Steve and the Cambridgeshire County Council to support children who are living in very underprivileged circumstances.

We also support a charity call Tennis For Uganda who are a tennis based charity in Uganda supporting children from the local community. We pay £500 per month towards their food costs and receive regular feedback from them.

Sadly, our annual golf fundraiser day has failed to generate any real momentum since covid and we are thinking of new ways to raise funds for next year.

We would really benefit Fromm new people getting involved with the charity. This is proving hard to find new people.

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Income & Expenditure Statement					
For the period 1st January 2022 to 31st December 2022					
Income					
General Donations		£640.64			
Fund Raising Donations		-			
	Total Income	£640.64			
Expenses					
Admin Expenses		-			
Cambridgeshire Youth Projects		£7,710.50	Note 1		
Tennis Uganda		£3,000.00	Note 2		
Bank Charges		£60.00			
	Total Expenses	£10,770.50			
	Net Surplus	£10,770.50			
Notes					
1. Money to support Cambridgeshire Projects					
2. Money to support Tennis Uganda					
Richard Darton Tennis Foundation					
Balance Sheet as at 31st December 2022					
Assets					
Cash at bank		£20,380.49			
	Total Assets	£20,380.49			
Liabilities					
	Total Liabilities				
	Total Net Assets or Liabilities	£20,380.49			
Funds for Charity					
Unrestricted Funds		£20,380.49			
	Total Charity Funds	£20,380.49			

Accounts Breakdown

Month	In	Out	Who - What	Date
January		5	Bank charges	13.01
		1768	Steve Shaw - Cambridgeshire Youth Projects	24.01
February		5	Bank charges	13.02
March		5	Bank charges	16.03
April		5	Bank charges	13.04
		500	Eric Braune - Tennis Uganda	12.04
May		5	Bank charges	14.05
June		5	Bank charges	13.06
		1385.50	Steve Shaw - Cambridgeshire Youth Projects	1.06
		500	Eric Braune - Tennis Uganda	1.06
July		5	Bank charges	14.07
		500	Eric Braune - Tennis Uganda	13.07
	640.64		Great Shelford Tennis Club - Donation	25.07
August		5	Bank charges	13.08
		500	Eric Braune - Tennis Uganda	19.08
September		5	Bank charges	13.09
		2419	Steve Shaw - Cambridgeshire Youth Projects	27.09
		500	Eric Braune - Tennis Uganda	27.09
October		5	Bank charges	14.10
November		5	Bank charges	13.11
		500	Eric Braune - Tennis Uganda	9.11
		2138	Steve Shaw - Cambridgeshire Youth Projects	21.11
December		5	Bank charges	14.12

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Not a lot has changed since last year with a lockdown being in place during the first 3 months of the year. The charity continues to work closely with Steve Shaw from the Cambridgeshire County Council who works directly with the teams of people who oversee many under privileged children including carers, looked after children, children with learning difficulties and children with disabilities.

This year since April Steve has been able to identify more children who have been able to benefit through the charity's support which has been even more vital due to the last 2 years of the pandemic.

We are committed to working with Steve and the Cambridgeshire County Council to support children who are living in very underprivileged circumstances.

Sadly, our annual golf fundraiser day was cancelled again this year due to Covid however we feel we are still in a strong financial position going into next year.

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Income and Expenditure Statement			
For the period 1st January 2021 to 31st December 2021			
Income			
General Donations		-	
Fund raising donations		-	Note 1
	Total Income	-	
Expenses			
Admin expenses		-	
Cambs Social Servies		5,439.75	Note 1
	Total Expenses	5,439.75	
	Net Surplus	- 5,439.75	
Notes			
Money to support children in care		- 5,439.75	
Richard Darton Tennis Foundation			
Balance Sheet as at 31st December 2020			
Assets			
Cash at bank		30,510.35	
	Total Assests	30,510.35	
Liabilities			
	Total Liabilities	-	
	Total net assets or liabilities	30,510.35	
Funds for charity			
Unrestricted Funds		30,510.35	
	Total Charity Funds	30,510.35	

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Covid has meant we've not worked with as many children this year for obvious reasons. The charity has continued to work closely with Steve Shaw from the Cambridgeshire County Council who works directly with the teams of people who oversee many underprivileged children including carers, looked after children, children with learning difficulties and children with disabilities.

This year it has been great to work with Steve who has been able to identify many children who have been able to benefit through the charity's support.

We are committed to working with Steve and the Cambridgeshire County Council to support children who are living in very underprivileged circumstances.

We have also started talking with a charity in Uganda called Tennis for Uganda. We are keen to develop this relationship to understand ways we might be able to support them as we feel their objectives are very similar to ours.

Sadly, our annual golf fundraiser day was cancelled this year due to Covid however we feel we are still in a strong financial position going into next year.

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For the period 1st January 2020 to 31st December 2020

Income

General Donations	10,000.00	
Fund raising donations	-	Note 1
Total Income	<u>10,000.00</u>	

Expenses

Admin expenses	-	
Cambs Social Servies	960.50	Note 1
Total Expenses	<u>960.50</u>	

Net Surplus 9,039.50

Notes

Money to support children in care	-	960.50
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Balance Sheet as at 31st December 2020

Assets

Cash at bank	35,950.10
Total Assests	<u>35,950.10</u>

Liabilities

Total Liabilities -

Total net assets or liabilities **35,950.10**

Funds for charity

Unrestricted Funds	35,950.10
Total Charity Funds	<u>35,950.10</u>