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Project S.E.E.D Limited
Company Limited by Guarantee
Financial Statements
5 April 2021

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Project S.E.E.D Limited**Company Limited by Guarantee****Trustees' Annual Report (Incorporating the Director's Report)****Year ended 5 April 2021**

The trustees, who are also the directors for the purposes of company law, present their report and the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 5 April 2021.

Reference and administrative details

Registered charity name	Project S.E.E.D Limited
Charity registration number	1155460
Company registration number	03805072
Principal office	Mowbray House 58-70 Edgware Way Edgware Middlesex HA8 8DJ
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The trustees	Rabbi H Ehrentreu Mr M Bordon Mr M Z Morris Mr D Rosenthal
Auditor	Cohen Arnold Chartered accountants & statutory auditor New Burlington House 1075 Finchley Road LONDON NW11 0PU

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Structure, governance and management

PROJECT S.E.E.D. Limited is a company incorporated in England and Wales under the Companies Act and limited by guarantee (company registration number 03805072) and is commonly known as "Seed". The company is a registered charity (charity registration number 1155460) and is governed by its Memorandum and Articles of Association.

The trustees encompass individuals with diverse backgrounds and experience. New trustees are appointed by the existing trustees in consultation with the National Director. There is no minimum or maximum time that an individual may be a Trustee. New trustees are given the opportunity to peruse the formal Accounts for the years prior to their appointment, as well as having access to information concerning seed's investments and current financial situation. They are briefed by senior staff on all aspects of seed's day-to-day activities. Trustees meet formally at least three times a year but the day-to-day management has been delegated to Rabbi J. Grunfeld and Rabbi M. Herman. Seed works with a variety of different organisations to achieve aims which are of mutual benefit to all concerned. Pay and remuneration levels are determined by assessing current market levels, experience and job requirements. Seed works with a variety of different organisations and consultants to achieve aims which are of mutual benefit to all concerned.

Risk Management

The charity trustees have considered the major risks to which the charity is exposed and have reviewed those risks and established systems and procedures to manage those risks. Consideration is given to both the financial and non-financial risks that the charity faces. The trustees consider that the major risk, in these difficult economic times, is the financial risk arising from inadequate incoming resources. The trustees have taken steps to ensure that the charity's finances are closely monitored and that new initiatives are carefully considered in the context of their impact on the charity's financial position.

Objectives and activities

The charity's objective is the advancement of the Orthodox Jewish faith for the public benefit.

Seed provides adult and family Jewish education opportunities through formal and informal study experiences. Seed's mission is to equip parents to raise their children with a sophisticated understanding of their Judaism and a wholesome belief in themselves.

Through rigorous evaluation and assessment we can confirm we have been tremendously successful in achieving these objectives, and have equipped thousands of parents with tools for better supporting, nurturing and engaging with their children and families.

Seed records well over 37,000 attendances at our programmes and events annually. These occur both online and face-to-face. In 2020/21, seed worked with more than 470 families on a longer-term basis.

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The activities carried out by the charitable company can be broadly categorised into the following groups of programmes:

- Parenting and family development programmes, including mother and baby groups and mother and toddler groups introducing parenting skills and basic concepts in Judaism.
- Parent education programmes in schools, across London and Manchester, providing focused social and educational activities for parents of children in Jewish primary schools. The educational elements support parents and complement the school's Jewish Studies curriculum as well as introducing concepts and knowledge which are designed to build on their parenting skills and enhance their home life.
- Provision of One-to-One learning centres, and home-based learning opportunities, where volunteers share educational resources with adult participants on a one-to-one basis. This happens remotely and face-to-face.
- Study groups, in which groups of participants meet regularly with a member of the Seed team for educational and focused discussion groups, in homes and at Seed centres.
- Large one-off events, usually related to significant dates in the Jewish calendar, which provide a mix of educational and social content.
- A community synagogue in the Edgware area (the Seed shul) providing follow-on opportunities from seminars, schools and early years programmes
- Partnerships with various organisations to extend Seed programmes including, Connect in Borehamwood, where Seed partners with Aish and Olami and the Borehamwood Kollel project where Seed has partnered with KBA.

Seed closely measures its success through its database system by monitoring attendances and tracking the success of its programmes. All staff receive regular feedback and work to individual objectives, linked to organisational objectives, which are reviewed annually.

Most of the charity's output is undertaken by its paid employees, with assistance from outside experts, both paid and unpaid.

Seed uses the services of approximately 350 volunteers. The main area in which Seed uses the services of volunteers is as informal educators at our One-to-One centres. Each volunteer will contribute approximately one hour per week during term time. Their time will be spent tutoring a "partner" or student. Volunteers are generally not used in the course of generating income for Seed.

The charity does not usually make grants to other organisations but if it does so, the trustees ensure that they meet the charity's objectives.

Achievements and performance

In the past year, the Seed team managed to navigate the pandemic, finding new and innovative ways to support and inspire participant families. Last year Seed recorded a total of 90,893 attendances overall. We also worked closely with more than 470 families on a longer-term basis. No matter what life throws at us, Seed will always be guided by the same mission: to strengthen families through positive Jewish encounters and by sharing the richness of Jewish life, learning and values.



This year Seed has taught hundreds of participants weekly on a one to one basis and in small discussion groups online. There have been courses, topical workshops and a host of international speakers - such as a live interview with Dr Edith Eger in January of this year and our memorable 2020 Tisha B'Av programme, with a tour of Auschwitz and interview with Professor Deborah Lipstadt amassing over 4,300 views on Facebook and YouTube. Our women's programmes have continued to be incredibly popular, with painting and music evenings as well as a range of eminent guest speakers inspiring hundreds of women throughout the year.

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One event that particularly stands out was Rebbetzen Joanne Dove's 24-hour worldwide challah bake in November in partnership with the Shabbat Project, with over 6,000 households from New Zealand to Mexico tuning in online or attending challah bakes in person. That socially-distanced weekend our team also prepared 130 "Bring It Home" Shabbat boxes to households in London and Manchester and supported 31 families to keep Shabbat for the very first time.

Although we have not been able to go into schools as usual, the School's team have continued creating top-quality family programmes such as online escape rooms, a virtual megillah show, Kahoot quizzes, scavenger hunts and a whole host of guided arts and crafts. We also found creative ways to bring hands-on Judaism into the home, sending out 975 Tu B'Shevat basil seed planting kits spearheading a Purim 'Spread a Smile' initiative in partnership with GIFT, distributing gift kits for mishloach manot to 2,000 families. We also produced a high-quality, interactive Pesach experience - 'Benny and Bella's Seder Adventure' - to help engage children of all ages with the Seder, which received outstanding feedback. 300 families had their Pesach seders enhanced with this box.

Seed Shul managed to stay open every week it was legally allowed, and managed to grow its membership.

Connect Borehamwood, with Rabbi Peretz and Sorele Goldstein, have been responsible for some incredible community initiatives. Most notable was the UK-wide commemoration for toddler Sadie Salt, who passed away in tragic circumstances. An incredible 16,000 pink candle packs were packed and distributed in just a few days thanks to this couple's tireless efforts and vision.

Looking ahead, we plan to continue running face-to-face events in accordance with government guidelines, including COVID-safe Babies & Bagels, Partytime Shabbat and Dad Time. Our LINKS mother and daughter bat mitzvah programme is already over-subscribed for both the learning programme and Israel trip, with an eager waiting list of mothers and daughters still hoping for a place! We also have some very exciting plans for the Shabbat Project in October - watch this space...

Last but by no means least, we are thrilled to welcome Rabbi Daniel Fine to the team as our new London Schools Director. Some of his exciting plans include a Clean Speech Week project, Havdalah activities and a 'Dadding' podcast, and we are sure he will introduce many more creative educational events and programmes for parents. We now have family educators at Etz Chaim, Kerem, Hertsmere, Matilda Marks Kennedy, Rimon, Rosh Pinah, Sinai and Wolfson Hillel, with plans to expand to more schools as COVID restrictions continue to lift.

Seed, as a primarily programme-based organisation, was hit by the pandemic. As we couldn't interact with participants face-to-face, we were forced to put many of our staff on furlough, and then later flexi-furlough. This is reflected in the Job Retention Scheme income in Note 9 to the accounts.

Fundraising

We arranged an online crowd-funding event on the 25th and 26th April 2021. We reached our initial goal of £1,000,000 and in the end raised a total of more than £1,150,000. This helped significantly with our cash flow and planning.

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Declaration of public benefit

The trustees have paid due regard to the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit in deciding what activities the charity should undertake. Seed's activities are open to anyone of the Orthodox Jewish faith, or anyone seeking to join the Orthodox faith through a recognised conversion programme. While it is necessary to make a charge for some of seed's activities, bursaries and subsidies are offered to individuals and families who are unable to meet the cost of such charges. As stated in in "Achievement and Performance" above, seed tracks the number of attendances and attendees at its programmes, and also runs feedback and evaluation exercises after the majority of its events in order to assess public response and continue to tailor programming to have the maximum public benefit.

Safeguarding

As part of Seed's commitment to safeguarding we seek to ensure our programmes and activities are safe and those at risk of harm are protected. We have a strong commitment to protecting and promoting the health, wellbeing and safety of all engaged in our work. We have committed significant resources to ensure our designated safeguarding lead is fully trained and all our trustees are fully briefed on safeguarding. We have a Safeguarding Policy and Procedure which is reviewed each year.

In the year under review we:

- " Updated our safeguarding policy in line with changes to legislation
- " All trustees were informed of new Charity Commission guidance and reviewed the updated policy
- " All staff participated in more advanced safeguarding training, and mental health awareness session
- " We produced guidance specifically around online education and safeguarding implications
- " We had no significant safeguarding concerns or near misses related to our activity which required reporting to regulators

Financial review

The Trustees are conscious of the financial position, which is carefully monitored and kept under review.

The results for the year show a surplus of £213,612 (2014 (last dinner year): £459,434). A summary of the charity's transactions and of its financial position are shown in the financial statements together with the accompanying notes.

Our principal sources of funding are via voluntary income (donations), charges for trips, functions and events, and membership contributions.

There are no restrictions on the charity's power to invest. The Memorandum and Articles of Association authorises the trustees to make and hold investments using the general funds of the charity.

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Reserves Policy

The charity aims to maintain free reserves at a level which provides sufficient funds to cover management and administration costs in the medium term, and to continue to expand our educational activities. At 5 April 2021, free reserves are regarded to be £616,079, which equate to unrestricted funds. Free reserves were bolstered as a result of the fundraising dinners, which took place during the year.

Plans for future periods

The overall objective of any given year at Seed is to increase the number of people who attend our programmes, and to increase the involvement of individual attendees in the level of programming Seed offers.

In light of the COVID-19 pandemic, in the short-term we will be investing in our online strategy which includes video production, further development of our social media content, overhauling our website and using high-level keynote speakers for live streaming on YouTube and Facebook Live in order to attract participants to online events.

Trustees' responsibilities statement

The trustees, who are also directors for the purposes of company law, are responsible for preparing the trustees' report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Company law requires the charity trustees to prepare financial statements for each year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company and the incoming resources and application of resources, including the income and expenditure, for that period.

In preparing these financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the applicable Charities SORP;
- make judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in business.

The trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charity's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

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Auditor

Each of the persons who is a trustee at the date of approval of this report confirms that:

- so far as they are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the charity's auditor is unaware; and
- they have taken all steps that they ought to have taken as a trustee to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the charity's auditor is aware of that information.

The trustees' annual report and the strategic report were approved on 16 January 2022 and signed on behalf of the board of trustees by:



Mr M Bordon
Trustee



Mr D Rosenthal
Trustee

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Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of Project S.E.E.D Limited

Year ended 5 April 2021

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Project S.E.E.D Limited (the 'charity') for the year ended 5 April 2021 which comprise the statement of financial activities (including income and expenditure account), statement of financial position, statement of cash flows and the related notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including FRS 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the charity's affairs as at 5 April 2021 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice;
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the charity in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the trustees' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the charity's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the trustees with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

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Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The trustees are responsible for the other information. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- the information given in the trustees' report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the trustees' report has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the charity and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the trustees' report.

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- certain disclosures of trustees' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

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Responsibilities of trustees

As explained more fully in the trustees' responsibilities statement, the trustees (who are also the directors for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the trustees determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the trustees are responsible for assessing the charity's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the trustees either intend to liquidate the charity or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. The extent to which our procedures are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud is detailed below:

- We obtained an understanding of the legal and regulatory frameworks that are applicable to the charity through discussion with the trustees and identified financial reporting legislation and charity legislation as being most significant to these financial statements.
- We communicated these identified frameworks amongst our audit team and remained alert to any indications of non-compliance throughout the audit. We ensured that the engagement team had sufficient competence and capability to identify or recognise non-compliance with the laws and regulations.
- We discussed with the trustees and senior management the policies and procedures regarding compliance with these legal and regulatory frameworks.
- We assessed the susceptibility of the charity's financial statements to material misstatement, including how fraud might occur, by reviewing the charity's identified risks and enquiry with the trustees and senior management during the planning and finalisation phases of our audit. The susceptibility to such material misstatement was determined to be low.

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- Based on this understanding, we designed our audit procedures to identify non-compliance with the identified legal and regulatory frameworks, which were part of our procedures on the related financial statement items.

Owing to the inherent limitations of an audit, there is an unavoidable risk that we may not have detected some material misstatements in the financial statements, even though we have properly planned and performed our audit in accordance with auditing standards. For example, the further removed non-compliance with laws and regulations (irregularities) is from the events and transactions reflected in the financial statements, the less likely the inherently limited procedures required by auditing standards would identify it. In addition, as with any audit, there remained a higher risk of non-detection of irregularities, as these may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal controls. We are not responsible for preventing non-compliance and cannot be expected to detect non-compliance with all laws and regulations.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs (UK), we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the trustees.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the trustees' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the charity's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the charity to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

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We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Use of our report

This report is made solely to the charity's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the charity's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the charity and the charity's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.



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For and on behalf of
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16 January 2022

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Statement of Financial Activities
(including income and expenditure account)
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			2021		2020
	Note	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	Total funds £	Total funds £
Income and endowments					
Donations and legacies	5	1,283,856	195,822	1,479,678	1,697,361
Charitable activities	6	46,812	—	46,812	227,617
Other trading activities	7	38,200	—	38,200	—
Investment income	8	11	—	11	1,696
Other income	9	279,492	—	279,492	—
Total income		<u>1,648,371</u>	<u>195,822</u>	<u>1,844,193</u>	<u>1,926,674</u>
Expenditure					
Expenditure on raising funds:					
Costs of raising donations and legacies	10	31,126	—	31,126	22,379
Expenditure on charitable activities	11,12	1,512,855	86,600	1,599,455	1,992,439
Total expenditure		<u>1,543,981</u>	<u>86,600</u>	<u>1,630,581</u>	<u>2,014,818</u>
Net income/(expenditure)		<u>104,390</u>	<u>109,222</u>	<u>213,612</u>	<u>(88,144)</u>
Transfers between funds		196,229	(196,229)	—	—
Net movement in funds		<u>300,619</u>	<u>(87,007)</u>	<u>213,612</u>	<u>(88,144)</u>
Reconciliation of funds					
Total funds brought forward		<u>315,460</u>	<u>232,007</u>	<u>547,467</u>	<u>635,611</u>
Total funds carried forward		<u>616,079</u>	<u>145,000</u>	<u>761,079</u>	<u>547,467</u>

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.
All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

The notes on pages 17 to 27 form part of these financial statements.

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Statement of Financial Position
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	Note	2021 £	2020 £
Fixed assets			
Tangible fixed assets	17	120,409	84,809
Current assets			
Debtors	18	83,351	139,246
Cash at bank and in hand		800,493	611,700
		883,844	750,946
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	20	66,369	93,466
Net current assets		817,475	657,480
Total assets less current liabilities		937,884	742,289
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	21	176,805	194,822
Net assets		761,079	547,467
Funds of the charity			
Restricted funds		145,000	232,007
Unrestricted funds		616,079	315,460
Total charity funds	23	761,079	547,467

These financial statements were approved by the board of trustees and authorised for issue on 16 January 2022, and are signed on behalf of the board by:



Mr M Bordon
Trustee



Mr D Rosenthal
Trustee

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Statement of Cash Flows
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	Note	2021 £	2020 £
Cash flows from operating activities			
Net income/(expenditure)		213,612	(88,144)
<i>Adjustments for:</i>			
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets		20,167	18,956
Dividends, interest and rents from investments		—	(1,696)
Other interest receivable and similar income		(11)	—
Interest payable and similar charges		4,732	6,259
Accrued (income)/expenses		(63,676)	71,476
<i>Changes in:</i>			
Trade and other debtors		55,895	(23,145)
Trade and other creditors		17,804	(38,378)
Cash generated from operations		248,523	(54,672)
Interest paid		(4,732)	(6,259)
Interest received		11	—
Net cash from/(used in) operating activities		<u>243,802</u>	<u>(60,931)</u>
Cash flows from investing activities			
Dividends, interest and rents from investments		—	1,696
Purchase of tangible assets		(55,767)	(5,308)
Net cash used in investing activities		<u>(55,767)</u>	<u>(3,612)</u>
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		188,035	(64,543)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		611,700	676,243
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	19	<u>799,735</u>	<u>611,700</u>

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Notes to the Financial Statements
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1. General information

The charity is a public benefit entity and a private company limited by guarantee, registered in England and Wales and a registered charity in England and Wales. The address of the registered office is New Burlington House, 1075 Finchley Road, London NW11 0PU.

2. Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with FRS 102, 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland', the 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) (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Companies Act 2006.

3. Accounting policies

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, as modified by the revaluation of certain financial assets and liabilities and investment properties measured at fair value through income or expenditure.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the entity.

Going concern

There are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue.

Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

In the application of the charity's accounting policies, the Trustees are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

The Trustees do not consider there are any critical judgements or sources of estimation uncertainty requiring disclosure beyond the accounting policies listed below.

Foreign currencies

Foreign currency transactions are initially recorded in the functional currency, by applying the spot exchange rate as at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rate ruling at the reporting date, with any gains or losses being taken to the statement of financial activities.

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3. Accounting policies *(continued)*

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the trustees to further any of the charity's purposes.

Designated funds are unrestricted funds earmarked by the trustees for particular future project or commitment.

Restricted funds are subjected to restrictions on their expenditure declared by the donor or through the terms of an appeal, and fall into one of two sub-classes: restricted income funds or endowment funds.

Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included in the statement of financial activities when entitlement has passed to the charity; it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the charity and the amount can be reliably measured. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

- income from donations or grants is recognised when there is evidence of entitlement to the gift, receipt is probable and its amount can be measured reliably.
- legacy income is recognised when receipt is probable and entitlement is established.
- income from donated goods is measured at the fair value of the goods unless this is impractical to measure reliably, in which case the value is derived from the cost to the donor or the estimated resale value. Donated facilities and services are recognised in the accounts when received if the value can be reliably measured. No amounts are included for the contribution of general volunteers.
- income from contracts for the supply of services is recognised with the delivery of the contracted service. This is classified as unrestricted funds unless there is a contractual requirement for it to be spent on a particular purpose and returned if unspent, in which case it may be regarded as restricted.

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3. Accounting policies *(continued)*

Resources expended

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is classified under headings of the statement of financial activities to which it relates:

- expenditure on raising funds includes the costs of all fundraising activities, events, non-charitable trading activities, and the sale of donated goods.
- expenditure on charitable activities includes all costs incurred by a charity in undertaking activities that further its charitable aims for the benefit of its beneficiaries, including those support costs and costs relating to the governance of the charity apportioned to charitable activities.
- other expenditure includes all expenditure that is neither related to raising funds for the charity nor part of its expenditure on charitable activities.

All costs are allocated to expenditure categories reflecting the use of the resource. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs are apportioned between the activities they contribute to on a reasonable, justifiable and consistent basis.

Tangible assets

Tangible assets are initially recorded at cost, and subsequently stated at cost less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Any tangible assets carried at revalued amounts are recorded at the fair value at the date of revaluation less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses.

An increase in the carrying amount of an asset as a result of a revaluation, is recognised in other recognised gains and losses, unless it reverses a charge for impairment that has previously been recognised as expenditure within the statement of financial activities. A decrease in the carrying amount of an asset as a result of revaluation, is recognised in other recognised gains and losses, except to which it offsets any previous revaluation gain, in which case the loss is shown within other recognised gains and losses on the statement of financial activities.

Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost or valuation of an asset, less its residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Long leasehold property	- Over the lease period
Fixtures and fittings	- 25% reducing balance
Equipment	- 25% reducing balance
Torah scrolls	- 2% straight line

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Impairment of fixed assets

A review for indicators of impairment is carried out at each reporting date, with the recoverable amount being estimated where such indicators exist. Where the carrying value exceeds the recoverable amount, the asset is impaired accordingly. Prior impairments are also reviewed for possible reversal at each reporting date.

For the purposes of impairment testing, when it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, an estimate is made of the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. The cash-generating unit is the smallest identifiable group of assets that includes the asset and generates cash inflows that largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets.

For impairment testing of goodwill, the goodwill acquired in a business combination is, from the acquisition date, allocated to each of the cash-generating units that are expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination, irrespective of whether other assets or liabilities of the charity are assigned to those units.

Financial instruments

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the charity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the amount receivable or payable including any related transaction costs.

Current assets and current liabilities are subsequently measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received and not discounted.

Debt instruments are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Where investments in shares are publicly traded or their fair value can otherwise be measured reliably, the investment is subsequently measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in income and expenditure. All other such investments are subsequently measured at cost less impairment.

Other financial instruments, including derivatives, are initially recognised at fair value, unless payment for an asset is deferred beyond normal business terms or financed at a rate of interest that is not a market rate, in which case the asset is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Other financial instruments are subsequently measured at fair value, with any changes recognised in the statement of financial activities, with the exception of hedging instruments in a designated hedging relationship.

Financial assets that are measured at cost or amortised cost are reviewed for objective evidence of impairment at the end of each reporting date. If there is objective evidence of impairment, an impairment loss is recognised under the appropriate heading in the statement of financial activities in which the initial gain was recognised.

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3. Accounting policies (continued)

Financial instruments (continued)

For all equity instruments regardless of significance, and other financial assets that are individually significant, these are assessed individually for impairment. Other financial assets are either assessed individually or grouped on the basis of similar credit risk characteristics.

Any reversals of impairment are recognised immediately, to the extent that the reversal does not result in a carrying amount of the financial asset that exceeds what the carrying amount would have been had the impairment not previously been recognised.

Defined contribution plans

Contributions to defined contribution plans are recognised as an expense in the period in which the related service is provided. Prepaid contributions are recognised as an asset to the extent that the prepayment will lead to a reduction in future payments or a cash refund.

When contributions are not expected to be settled wholly within 12 months of the end of the reporting date in which the employees render the related service, the liability is measured on a discounted present value basis. The unwinding of the discount is recognised as an expense in the period in which it arises.

4. Limited by guarantee

The charity is a company limited by guarantee and has no share capital.

5. Donations and legacies

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Total Funds 2021 £
Donations			
Donations	<u>1,283,856</u>	<u>195,822</u>	<u>1,479,678</u>
	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Total Funds 2020 £
Donations			
Donations	<u>1,383,979</u>	<u>313,382</u>	<u>1,697,361</u>

6. Charitable activities

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2021 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2020 £
Other income from charitable activities	<u>46,812</u>	<u>46,812</u>	<u>227,617</u>	<u>227,617</u>

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7. Other trading activities

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2021	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2020
	£	£	£	£
Fundraising income	<u>38,200</u>	<u>38,200</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>

8. Investment income

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2021	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2020
	£	£	£	£
Income from other investments	—	—	1,696	1,696
Bank interest receivable	<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
	<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1,696</u>	<u>1,696</u>

9. Other income

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2021	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2020
	£	£	£	£
Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme Grant	<u>279,492</u>	<u>279,492</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>

10. Costs of raising donations and legacies

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2021	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2020
	£	£	£	£
Costs of raising donations and legacies - Donations	<u>31,126</u>	<u>31,126</u>	<u>22,379</u>	<u>22,379</u>

11. Expenditure on charitable activities by fund type

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total Funds 2021
	£	£	£
Seminars, courses and community programmes	1,493,662	86,600	1,580,262
Support costs	<u>19,193</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>19,193</u>
	<u>1,512,855</u>	<u>86,600</u>	<u>1,599,455</u>
	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total Funds 2020
	£	£	£
Seminars, courses and community programmes	1,775,041	210,446	1,985,487
Support costs	<u>6,952</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>6,952</u>
	<u>1,781,993</u>	<u>210,446</u>	<u>1,992,439</u>

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12. Expenditure on charitable activities by activity type

	Activities undertaken directly £	Grant funding of activities £	Support costs £	Total funds 2021 £	Total fund 2020 £
Seminars, courses and community programmes	1,578,247	2,015	–	1,580,262	1,985,487
Governance costs	–	–	19,193	19,193	6,952
	<u>1,578,247</u>	<u>2,015</u>	<u>19,193</u>	<u>1,599,455</u>	<u>1,992,439</u>

13. Net income/(expenditure)

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

	2021 £	2020 £
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	20,167	18,956
Foreign exchange differences	<u>(40)</u>	<u>–</u>

14. Auditors' remuneration

	2021 £	2020 £
Fees payable for the audit of the financial statements	<u>7,800</u>	<u>6,702</u>

15. Staff costs

The total staff costs and employee benefits for the reporting period are analysed as follows:

	2021 £	2020 £
Wages and salaries	957,876	946,843
Social security costs	75,779	63,050
Employer contributions to pension plans	52,297	53,352
	<u>1,085,952</u>	<u>1,063,245</u>

The average head count of employees during the year was 42 (2020: 42).

The number of employees whose remuneration for the year fell within the following bands, were:

	2021 No.	2020 No.
£60,000 to £69,999	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>

Key Management Personnel

Key management personnel include all persons that have authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the charity. The total compensation paid to key management personnel for services provided to the charity was £200,499 (2020: £217,217).

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There was no remuneration paid to the trustees. The charity did not meet any individual expenses incurred by the trustees for services provided to the charity.

17. Tangible fixed assets

	Long leasehold property £	Fixtures and fittings £	Equipment £	Torah scrolls £	Total £
Cost					
At 6 April 2020	81,273	75,204	34,433	—	190,910
Additions	14,221	—	540	41,006	55,767
At 5 April 2021	<u>95,494</u>	<u>75,204</u>	<u>34,973</u>	<u>41,006</u>	<u>246,677</u>
Depreciation					
At 6 April 2020	28,948	53,923	23,230	—	106,101
Charge for the year	11,091	5,320	2,936	820	20,167
At 5 April 2021	<u>40,039</u>	<u>59,243</u>	<u>26,166</u>	<u>820</u>	<u>126,268</u>
Carrying amount					
At 5 April 2021	<u>55,455</u>	<u>15,961</u>	<u>8,807</u>	<u>40,186</u>	<u>120,409</u>
At 5 April 2020	<u>52,325</u>	<u>21,281</u>	<u>11,203</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>84,809</u>

18. Debtors

	2021 £	2020 £
Prepayments and accrued income	22,274	52,005
Other debtors	<u>61,077</u>	<u>87,241</u>
	<u>83,351</u>	<u>139,246</u>

19. Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise the following:

	2021 £	2020 £
Cash at bank and in hand	800,493	611,700
Bank overdrafts	<u>(758)</u>	<u>—</u>
	<u>799,735</u>	<u>611,700</u>

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20. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2021	2020
	£	£
Bank loans and overdrafts	758	—
Trade creditors	26,607	—
Accruals and deferred income	7,800	71,476
Social security and other taxes	18,834	21,990
Other creditors	12,370	—
	<u>66,369</u>	<u>93,466</u>

21. Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year

	2021	2020
	£	£
Other creditors	<u>176,805</u>	<u>194,822</u>

22. Pensions and other post retirement benefits

Defined contribution plans

The amount recognised in income or expenditure as an expense in relation to defined contribution plans was £52,297 (2020: £53,352).

23. Analysis of charitable funds

Unrestricted funds

	At				At
	6 April 2020	Income	Expenditure	Transfers	5 April 2021
	£	£	£	£	£
General funds	<u>315,460</u>	<u>1,648,371</u>	<u>(1,543,981)</u>	<u>196,229</u>	<u>616,079</u>

	At				At
	6 April 2019	Income	Expenditure	Transfers	5 April 2020
	£	£	£	£	£
General funds	<u>507,708</u>	<u>1,613,292</u>	<u>(1,804,372)</u>	<u>(1,168)</u>	<u>315,460</u>

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23. Analysis of charitable funds (continued)

Restricted funds

	At 6 April 2020	Income	Expenditure	Transfers	At 5 April 2021
	£	£	£	£	£
Restricted Funds	<u>232,007</u>	<u>195,822</u>	<u>(86,600)</u>	<u>(196,229)</u>	<u>145,000</u>

	At 6 April 2019	Income	Expenditure	Transfers	At 5 April 2020
	£	£	£	£	£
Restricted Funds	<u>127,903</u>	<u>313,382</u>	<u>(210,446)</u>	<u>1,168</u>	<u>232,007</u>

24. Analysis of net assets between funds

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total Funds 2021
	£	£	£
Tangible fixed assets	120,408	–	120,408
Current assets	733,845	150,000	883,845
Creditors less than 1 year	(66,369)	–	(66,369)
Creditors greater than 1 year	<u>(176,805)</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>(176,805)</u>
Net assets	<u>611,079</u>	<u>150,000</u>	<u>761,079</u>

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total Funds 2020
	£	£	£
Tangible fixed assets	28,071	56,738	84,809
Current assets	575,677	175,269	750,946
Creditors less than 1 year	(288,288)	–	(288,288)
Creditors greater than 1 year	<u>–</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>–</u>
Net assets	<u>315,460</u>	<u>232,007</u>	<u>547,467</u>

25. Analysis of changes in net debt

	At 6 Apr 2020	Cash flows	At 5 Apr 2021
	£	£	£
Cash at bank and in hand	611,700	188,793	800,493
Bank overdrafts	<u>–</u>	<u>(758)</u>	<u>(758)</u>
	<u>611,700</u>	<u>188,035</u>	<u>799,735</u>

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26. Related parties

Other debtors include an amount due from Connect (Borehamwood) Ltd of £14,120 (2020: £2,398 creditor) a charity with a common trustee to Project S.E.E.D Limited. Grants of £91,728 (2020: £18,333) were payable to this charity.

Other creditors include an amount of £176,805 (2020: £176,805) due to the Project S.E.E.D trust, a charity with common trustees to Project S.E.E.D Limited.

Donations received include an amount of £51,571 (2020: £198,773) from the trustees and other connected parties.

During the year, consultancy fees of £65,040 (2020: £61,975) were paid to Eskay (NW) Limited, a company in which Mr Y Grunfeld, son Rabbi J Grunfeld, National Director, is a director and shareholder.