

BRIGHTON SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

England & Wales · Charity number 1155805

Details

Other names BSLSC

Status Registered

Legal form Other

Registered 2014-02-14

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

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Activities

Objects: (1) THE PROMOTION OF COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION IN HEALTHY RECREATION FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE INHABITANTS OF BRIGHTON AND THE SURROUNDING AREA BY THE PROVISION OF FACILITIES FOR SURF LIFESAVING.(2) SAVING LIFE BY PREVENTION OR RESCUE THROUGH THE PROVISION OF A BEACH LIFEGUARDING SERVICE AND TRAINING IN METHODS OF SURF LIFESAVING AND FIRST AID FOR RESUSCITATION AMONG THE RESCUED IN BRIGHTON AND THE SURROUNDING AREA.

Activities: Brighton Surf Life Saving Club is a charity of over 100 volunteers helping to make our beaches a safer and more enjoyable place for everyone. BSLSC volunteers have been providing beach lifeguard training and patrolling in the local community for more than 60 years..

Classification

- **How:** Provides Human Resources, Provides Services, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Education/training, The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives, Amateur Sport
- **Who:** Children/young People, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** LOCAL
- Brighton And Hove

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	£99,033	£70,760	-	-
2023-12-31	£76,711	£60,692	-	-
2022-12-31	£51,756	£53,317	-	-
2021-12-31	£36,115	£21,184	-	-
2020-12-31	£29,300	£19,092	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
David Samuel	Chair	2015-11-28
Ben Tranter		2026-04-25
Elisha James		2026-04-25
Imogen Wallace		2025-04-26
Joanne Gold		2025-04-26
Kevin Wu		2025-07-16
Mark Ansell		2026-04-25
Penny Oades		2026-04-25
Peter Maddox		2025-04-26
Sharon Critoph		2026-04-25
Sharon Louise Tuppeny		2026-04-25

BRIGHTON SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

England & Wales - Charity number 1155805

Accounts

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Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	1/1/2024	To	31/12/2024
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £
A1 Receipts				
Membership	52,562	0	0	52,562
Events & Comps	1,496	0	0	1,496
Equipment Grants	0	3,000	0	3,000
Merchandise	2,005	0	0	2,005
Awards/Prof/BL Courses	4,808	0	0	4,808
External Event Income	10,508	0	0	10,508
Café	0	0	0	0
Donations	182	0	0	182
Interest	0	175	0	175
Fundraising	0	24,047	0	24,047
				0
Sub total	71,560	27,222	0	98,783
A2 Asset and investment				
Sale of equipment	250.00	0	0	250
	0.00	0	0	0
Sub total	250.00	0	0	250
Total receipts	71,810	27,222	0	99,033
A3 Payments				
Rent	0	0	0	0
Insurance	1,883	0	0	1,883
IT Software	366	0	0	366
Marina and Sealanes rent	9,997	0	0	9,997
Events & Comps	2,435	0	0	2,435
SLS Training Course Costs	2,338	0	0	2,338
Pool Hire & Costs	5,483	0	0	5,483
Bookkeeping	117	0	0	117
Merchandise cost	2,836	0	0	2,836
Event Costs	2,974	0	0	2,974
Banking Costs	881	0	0	881
SLSGB Membership & Affiliation	9,445	0	0	9,445
Membership events and competitions	2,335	0	0	2,335
Fundraising costs	176	0	0	176
Repairs & Maintenance	771	0	0	771
Sub total	42,037	0	0	42,037
A4 Asset and investment				
Assets On Account	10,219	18,505	0	28,724
Sub total	10,219	18,505	0	28,724
Total payments	52,255	18,505	0	70,760
Net of receipts/(payments)	19,555	8,717	0	28,272
A5 Transfers between funds		0	0	0
A6 Cash funds last year end	55,034	10,736	0	65,770
Cash funds this year end	74,589	19,453	0	94,043

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

Categories	Details	Unrestricted to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Main Bank Account	71,221	8,542
	Reserve Bank Account		10,911
	Go Cardless	3,369	
	Total cash funds	74,589	19,453

(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))

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B2 Other monetary assets

Details

Membership fees

**Unrestricted
to nearest £**

925
-
-
-
-

**Restricted funds
to nearest £**

-
-
-
-
-

B3 Investment assets

Details

Fund to which asset

Cost (optional)

-
-
-
-
-

**B4 Assets retained for the
charity's own use**

Details

Boards
Equipment
IRB
Manikins
Surf Ski
Tubes
Lifeguard station

Fund to which asset

Cost (optional)

53,423
9,044
31,672
7,500
24,270
2,125
2,138

B5 Liabilities

Details

Overpayments on membership fees in 2024

Fund to which

Amount due

235

Signed by one or two trustees on

Signature

Kevin Wu

Print Name

Kevin Wu (Treasurer)



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 01/01/2024 **Period start date**
To 31/12/2024 **Period end date**

Charity name: Brighton Surf Life Saving Club

Charity registration number: 1155805

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	The objectives of the club is to save life and improve the safety of beaches within Brighton & Hove through prevention, rescue, training and teaching of surf lifesaving skills.
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Promote the water safety aspect to all beach activities.2. Develop beach life saving methods in all their respects.3. Provide coaching and competitive opportunities in the sport of surf lifesaving.4. Promote community participation in healthy recreation, especially surf lifesaving.5. Offer a safe and inclusive environment that promotes healthy lifestyles for the benefit of all.6. Ensure the aim and objectives of the club are exercised with a duty of care to all members and in a fair and equal way.7. Comply with the basic patrol, uniform and regulations as issued by Surf Life Saving Great Britain.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	The Trustees have had regard to the 2013 Guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit, as updated in 2014 and in particular set out in the Commission's guidance documents PB1 - 3.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	The Trustees have not awarded any grants
	Para 1.38	The Trustees commitment to social investment is demonstrated by:

Policy on social investment including program related investment		a) Training children, teenagers and adults to be safe in the water and to be able to assist others in difficulty
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	b) The entire Training programme is run by volunteers. The members of the Committee are all volunteers as are the members who look after the equipment.
Other		

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	<p>We continued to increase our membership capacity by forward planning actively specifically recruiting more volunteer coaches, retaining existing coaches and upskilling and empowering our current trainers to deliver more training. This ensures we have a greater capacity in the future to take on more children and young people into the club.</p> <p>We actively sought to include our young coaches aged 14years+ in this programme resulting in an increased commitment to coaching from them and more tenure of the sessions they helped to deliver.</p> <p>BSLSC once again qualified over 20 surf and beach lifeguards along with 3 new Inshore Rescue Boat (IRB) crews. Many of the lifeguards have gone on to work for the RNLI and city council on the beach. The clubs voluntary IRB patrols continued to make several interventions and were present on numerous local and national events acting in a water safety capacity. Club trainers also taught basic life support to outside community groups & promoted ocean safety in the wider community.</p>

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	Increased coaching capacity in order to increase membership. Trained more children and young people than ever before in Ocean Safety and basic life support.
		To set up a larger group of fundraisers within the club to enable a greater (shared) capacity and activity. A 12-month funding

Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	plan has been put in place and under regular review.
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	Our newer Surf Skis recently purchased were purposely bought with beginners in mind acting as a participation pathway for more young people and adults to take part. A consequence is more members have accessed the Skis than ever before with the new boats becoming a conduit to the more advanced boats and competitions.
Other		We began a "Sandhopper" program to educate children aged 5 years+ and their parents which ran during the summer months.

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	<p>As at 31st December 2024 the clubs cash position remained strong with closing cash of £94,043 (includes reserves £10,911).</p> <p>Total income of £99,033 was received in the year of which membership income contributed £53,057. Grant income of £3,000 was received and Crowdfunder income raised was £24,047.</p> <p>Total costs of £70,760 were incurred including payments for rent of club facilities £9,997 and pool hire £5,483. In addition, the SLSGB membership costs were £9,445 and course fees of £2,338. During the year the club purchased equipment to the value of £28,724.</p>
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	The charity maintains a minimal reserve to enable cashflow.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£10,911
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	NA
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	NA
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	NA

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	Principal source of funds from membership fees, donations and fundraising.
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	NA
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	NA
Other		NA

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	Unincorporated
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Trustees are elected annually at the AGM. In the event of a post being vacated during the course of the year, this may be filled by a person being nominated and seconded by the Trustees at a committee meeting, pending the next AGM

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	New Trustees are given a full handover from the departing Trustee in post and supported by the other Trustees. All trustees are DBS checked.
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	BSLSC is affiliated with the national charitable organisation SLSGB
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	BSLSC recently moved location to become a <i>partner in kind</i> to the Sea Lane Open Water swimming complex. Both parties are involved in the promotion of sea swimming and being safe in and around our coast.
Other		N/A

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Brighton Surf Life Saving Club
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1155805
Charity's principal address	55 Ainsworth Avenue, Ovingdean, Brighton, BN2 7BG.

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

	Type of adviser	Name	Address
Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)			

Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

Other optional information

Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)

Kevin Wu	
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Full name(s)

Kevin Wu	
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**Position (eg
Secretary,Chair, etc)**

Treasurer	
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Date

22 ND October 2025

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Brighton Surf Life Saving Club, Charity Registration Number 1155805

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of Brighton Surf Life Saving Club for the year ended 31 December 2024.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Trust you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ('the Act').

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under s. 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under s. 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

- (1) accounting records were not kept in respect of the Trust as required by section 130 and 132 of the Act; or
- (2) the accounts do not accord with those records.

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



Laura Holder FCCA
Craker Business Solutions Ltd

28th October 2025

BRIGHTON SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

England & Wales - Charity number 1155805

Accounts

Brighton Surf Life Saving Club	1155805
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Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	1/1/2023	To	31/12/2023
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £
A1 Receipts				
Membership	42,078	0	0	42,078
Events & Comps	2,807	0	0	2,807
Equipment Grants	15,350	0	0	15,350
Merchandise	967	0	0	967
Awards/Prof/BL Courses	6,969	0	0	6,969
External Event Income	4,955	0	0	4,955
Café	473	0	0	473
Donations	2,010	0	0	2,010
Interest	0	124	0	124
Fundraising	980	0	0	980
				0
Sub total (Gross income for	76,588	124	0	76,711
A2 Asset and investment				
	0.00	0	0	0
	0.00	0	0	0
Sub total	0.00	0	0	0
Total receipts	76,588	124	0	76,711
A3 Payments				
Rent	2,822	0	0	2,822
Insurance	1,370	0	0	1,370
It Software	529	0	0	529
Marina and Sealanes rent	7,759	0	0	7,759
Events & Comps	2,177	0	0	2,177
SLS Training Course Costs	2,297	0	0	2,297
Pool Hire & Costs	10,242	0	0	10,242
Café Supplies	206	0	0	206
Merchandise cost	1,209	0	0	1,209
Event Costs	4,161	0	0	4,161
Banking Costs	848	0	0	848
SLSGB Membership & Affiliation	6,175	0	0	6,175
Membership events and competitions	2,519	0	0	2,519
Printing and stationery	0	0	0	0
Repairs & Maintenance	715	0	0	715
Sub total	43,029	0	0	43,029
A4 Asset and investment				
Assets On Account	17,663	0	0	17,663
Sub total	17,663	0	0	17,663
Total payments	60,692	0	0	60,692
Net of receipts/(payments)	15,896	124	0	16,020
A5 Transfers between funds		0	0	0
A6 Cash funds last year end	39,138	10,612	0	49,751
Cash funds this year end	55,034	10,736	0	65,771

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

Categories	Details	Unrestricted to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Main Bank Account	55,034	
	Reserve Bank Account		10,736
	Total cash funds	55,034	10,736

(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))

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B2 Other monetary assets

Details

Membership invoices

**Unrestricted
to nearest £**

10,241
-
-
-
-

**Restricted funds
to nearest £**

-
-
-
-
-

B3 Investment assets

Details

Fund to which asset

Cost (optional)

-
-
-
-
-

**B4 Assets retained for the
charity's own use**

Details

Boards
Equipment
IRB
Manikins
Surf Ski
Tubes
Lifeguard station

Fund to which asset

Cost (optional)

29,782
4,465
31,582
8,467
24,270
1,635
2,138

B5 Liabilities

Details

Fund to which

Amount due

Signed by one or two trustees on

Signature

Samantha Pratt

Print Name

Samantha Pratt (Treasurer)



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 01/01/2023 Period start date
To 31/12/2023 Period end date

Charity name: Brighton Surf Life Saving Club

Charity registration number: 1155805

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	The objectives of the club is to save life and improve the safety of beaches within Brighton & Hove through prevention, rescue, training and teaching of surf lifesaving skills.
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Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	The Trustees have had regard to the 2013 Guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit, as updated in 2014 and in particular set out in the Commission's guidance documents PB1 - 3.

Additional information (optional)

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Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	The Trustees have not awarded any grants
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Policy on social investment including program related investment		a) Training children, teenagers and adults to be safe in the water and to be able to assist others in difficulty
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	b) The entire Training programme is run by volunteers. The members of the Committee are all volunteers as are the members who look after the equipment.
Other		

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	<p>We continued to increase our membership capacity by forward planning actively specifically recruiting more volunteer coaches, retaining existing coaches and upskilling and empowering our current trainers to deliver more training. This ensures we have a greater capacity in the future to take on more children and young people into the club.</p> <p>We actively sought to include our young coaches aged 14years+ in this programme resulting in an increased commitment to coaching from them and more tenure of the sessions they helped to deliver.</p> <p>BSLSC once again qualified over 20 surf and beach lifeguards along with 3 new Inshore Rescue Boat (IRB) helms. Many of the lifeguards have gone on to work for the RNLI and city council on the beach. The clubs voluntary IRB patrols continued to make several interventions and were present on numerous local and national events acting in a water safety capacity. Club trainers also taught basic life support to outside community groups & promoted ocean safety in the wider community.</p>

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Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	<p>As at 31st December 2023 the clubs cash position remained strong with closing cash of £65,711 (includes reserves £10,736).</p> <p>Total income of £76,711 was received in the year of which membership income contributed £42,078. Grant income received was £15,350.</p> <p>Total costs of £43,029 were incurred including payments for rent of club facilities £10,580 and pool hire £10,242. In addition, the SLSGB membership costs were £6,175 and course fees of £2,297. During the year the club purchased equipment to the value of £17,663. Grant income was received for purchase of boards of £9,450, the boards were purchased in January 2024.</p>
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	The charity maintains a minimal reserve to enable cashflow.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£10,736
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	NA
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	NA
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	NA

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	Principal source of funds from membership fees, donations and some fundraising.
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	NA
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	NA
Other		NA

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed , royal charter)	Para 1.25	Constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association , CIO)	Para 1.25	Unincorporated
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Trustees are elected annually at the AGM. In the event of a post being vacated during the course of the year, this may be filled by a person being nominated and seconded by the Trustees at a committee meeting, pending the next AGM

Additional information (optional)

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Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	New Trustees are given a full handover from the departing Trustee in post and supported by the other Trustees. All trustees are DBS checked.
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	BSLSC is affiliated with the national charitable organisation SLSGB
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	BSLSC recently moved location to become a <i>partner in kind</i> to the Sea Lane Open Water swimming complex. Both parties are involved in the promotion of sea swimming and being safe in and around our coast.
Other		N/A

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	<i>Brighton Surf Life Saving Club</i>
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	<i>1155805</i>
Charity's principal address	26 Woodland Way, Brighton, BN1 8BA.

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	David Samuel	Chair		
2	Elizabeth Louise Murie	Secretary		
3	Mike Travis	Safety Officer	Resigned 11/05/2024	
4	Judith Latto	Safeguarding		
5	Jo Darby	Membership		
6	Samantha Pratt	Treasurer		
7	Polly Kempston	Head Coach		
8	Luke Littlewood	Vice-Chair	Appointed 22/04/2023	
9	Gail Steeden	Communications	Appointed 22/04/2023	

Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

	Type of adviser	Name	Address
	Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)		

Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

Other optional information

Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)

Samantha Pratt	
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Full name(s)

Samantha Pratt	
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Position (eg
Secretary, Chair, etc)

Treasurer	
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Date

23rd September 2024

Laura Holder FCCA
4 Spur Road, Cosham, Portsmouth, PO6 3EB
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Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Brighton Surf Life Saving Club, Charity Registration Number 1155805

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of Brighton Surf Life Saving Club for the year ended 31 December 2023.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Trust you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ('the Act').

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under s. 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under s. 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

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Signed

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Laura Holder".

Laura Holder FCCA
Craker Business Solutions Ltd

18th October 2024

BRIGHTON SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

England & Wales - Charity number 1155805

Accounts



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

**Report to the trustees/
members of**

Charity Name
Brighton Surf Life Saving Club

**On accounts for the year
ended**

2022

**Charity no
(if any)**

1155805

Set out on pages

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(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31/12/2021.

**Responsibilities and
basis of report**

As the charity trustees of the Trust, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

**Independent
examiner's statement**

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Act or
- the accounts do not accord with the accounting records

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed: Peter Tuffin

Date: 20/10/2023

Name: Peter Tuffin

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

ICAEW

Address:

c/o 168 Church Road

Brighton

East Sussex BN3 2DL

Section B

Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

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Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	1/1/2022	To	31/12/2022
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £
A1 Receipts				
Membership	30,470	0	0	30,470
Events & Comps	2,466	0	0	2,466
Equipment Grants	700	0	0	700
Merchandise	1,371	0	0	1,371
Awards/Prof/BL Courses	7,756	0	0	7,756
External Event Income	4,654	0	0	4,654
Café	346	0	0	346
Donations	3,979	0	0	3,979
Interest	0	14	0	14
		0	0	0
		0	0	0
AR)	51,742	14	0	51,756
A2 Asset and investment				
	0.00	0	0	0
	0.00	0	0	0
Sub total	0.00	0	0	0
Total receipts	51,742	14	0	51,756
A3 Payments				
Rent	11,204	0	0	11,204
Insurance	1,011	0	0	1,011
It Software	418	0	0	418
Events & Comps	1,935	0	0	1,935
SLS Training Course Costs	2,749	0	0	2,749
Pool Hire & Costs	12,830	0	0	12,830
Café Supplies	205	0	0	205
Merchandise cost	1,669	0	0	1,669
Event Costs	4,196	0	0	4,196
Banking Costs	649	0	0	649
SLSGB Membership & Affiliation	5,925	0	0	5,925
Membership events and competitions	2,393	0	0	2,393
Printing and stationery	37	0	0	37
Repairs & Maintenance	1,214	0	0	1,214
Sub total	46,435	0	0	46,435
A4 Asset and investment				
		0	0	0
Assets On Account	6,881	0	0	6,881
Sub total	6,881	0	0	6,881
Total payments	53,317	0	0	53,317
Net of receipts/(payments)	(1,575)	14	0	(1,560)
A5 Transfers between funds				
A6 Cash funds last year end	40,713	10,598	0	51,311
Cash funds this year end	39,138	10,612	0	49,751

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

Categories	Details	Unrestricted to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Main Bank Account	39,138	
	Reserve Bank Account		10,612
			-
	Total cash funds	39,138	10,612
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK
B2 Other monetary assets	Details	Unrestricted to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £
	Membership invoices	8,486	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
B3 Investment assets	Details	Fund to which asset	Cost (optional)
			-
			-
			-
			-
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Details	Fund to which asset	Cost (optional)
	Boards	Unrestricted	21,858
	Equipment	Unrestricted	3,266
	IRB	Unrestricted	22,877
	Manikins	Unrestricted	7,845
	Surf Ski	Unrestricted	8,580
	Tubes	Unrestricted	1,160
	Wetsuits	Unrestricted	474
B5 Liabilities	Details	Fund to which	Amount due
	SLSGB Fees for 2023	Unrestricted	5,175
	Sailing Club Affiliation	Unrestricted	2,822
	Pool Sessions	Unrestricted	1,058
Signed by one or two trustees on	Signature	Print Name	
	Samantha Pratt	Samantha Pratt (Treasurer)	



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 01/01/2022 **Period start date**
To 31/12/2022 **Period end date**

Charity name: Brighton Surf Life Saving Club

Charity registration number: 1155805

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	The objectives of the club is to save life and improve the safety of beaches within Brighton & Hove through prevention, rescue, training and teaching of surf lifesaving skills.
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Promote the water safety aspect to all beach activities.2. Develop beach life saving methods in all their respects.3. Provide coaching and competitive opportunities in the sport of surf lifesaving.4. Promote community participation in healthy recreation, especially surf lifesaving.5. Offer a safe and inclusive environment that promotes healthy lifestyles for the benefit of all.6. Ensure the aim and objectives of the club are exercised with a duty of care to all members and in a fair and equal way.7. Comply with the basic patrol, uniform and regulations as issued by Surf Life Saving Great Britain.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	The Trustees have had regard to the 2013 Guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit, as updated in 2014 and in particular set out in the Commission's guidance documents PB1 - 3.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	The Trustees have not awarded any grants
	Para 1.38	The Trustees commitment to social investment is demonstrated by:

Policy on social investment including program related investment		Training children, teenagers, and adults to be safe in the water and to be able to assist others in difficulty.
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	The entire Training programme is run by volunteers. The members of the Committee are all volunteers as are the members who run the BSLSC events, cafe and look after the equipment.
Other		

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	We increased our membership with more young people and adults gaining experience in sea safety and lifeguard training. We also trained to a recognised international Lifeguard Qualification 29 new lifeguards, 4 new Lifeguard Trainer Assessors and 3 IRB Crew Awards. The Club supported several local community events. Club trainers also taught basic life support to outside community groups.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set.	Para 1.41	Increased membership. Had more children and young people learning basic life support techniques.
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	Our Surf Skis (funded by National Lottery investment) saw much greater use with many more young people learning the technique to race. Member taking part went on

		to compete and represent their club and city in national championships.
Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	<p>As at 31st December 2022 the clubs cash position remained strong with closing cash of £49,751 (includes reserves £10,612).</p> <p>Total income of £51,756 was received in the year of which membership income contributed £30,470. Grant income received was £700.</p> <p>Total costs of £53,317 were incurred including payments to Brighton Sailing Club for rent of club facilities £11,203 and pool hire £12,830.</p> <p>In addition, the SLSGB membership cost were £5,925 and course fees of £2,405. During the year the club purchased equipment to the value of £7,895.</p>
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	The charity maintains a minimal reserve to enable cashflow.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£10,612
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	NA
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	NA
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	NA

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	Principal source of funds from membership fees, donations, and some fundraising.
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	NA
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	NA
Other		NA

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	Unincorporated
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	<i>Trustees are elected annually at the AGM. In the event of a post being vacated during the course of the year, this may be filled by a person being nominated and seconded by the Trustees at a committee meeting, pending the next AGM</i>

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	<i>New Trustees are given a full handover from the departing Trustee in post and supported by the other Trustees. All trustees are DBS checked.</i>
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	<i>BSLSC is affiliated with the national charitable organisation SLSGB</i>
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	<i>BSLSC has a Memorandum of Understanding with the Brighton Sailing Club in order to use the seafront premises BSC lease from Brighton & Hove Council.</i>
Other		NA

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	<i>Brighton Surf Life Saving Club</i>
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	<i>1155805</i>
Charity's principal address	26 Woodland Way, Brighton, BN1 8BA.

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Dave Samuel	Chair		
2	Elizabeth Louise Murie	Secretary		
3	Mike Travis	Safety Officer		
4	Judith Latto	Safeguarding		
5	Jo Darby	Membership		
6	Samantha Pratt	Treasurer		
7	Polly Kempston	Head Coach		

Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	None
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	None
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	None

Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)

Samantha Pratt

Full name(s)

Samantha Pratt

Position (eg
Secretary, Chair, etc)

Treasurer

Date

18th September 2023

BRIGHTON SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

England & Wales - Charity number 1155805

Accounts



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

**Report to the trustees/
members of**

Charity Name
Brighton Surf Life Saving Club

**On accounts for the year
ended**

2021	Charity no (if any)	1155805
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9 & 10 (remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31/12/2021.

**Responsibilities and
basis of report**

As the charity trustees of the Trust, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

**Independent
examiner's statement**

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention (~~other than that disclosed below~~*) in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Act or
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I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

** Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.*

Signed: Paul Robertson

Date: 28/10/2022

Name: Paul Robertson

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

Chartered Institute of Management Accountants

Address:

13, Penlands Way
Steyning
West Sussex BN44 3PN

Section B

Disclosure

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Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 01/01/2021 **Period start date**
To 31/12/2021 **Period end date**

Charity name: Brighton Surf Life Saving Club

Charity registration number: 1155805

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	The objectives of the club is to save life and improve the safety of beaches within Brighton & Hove through prevention, rescue, training and teaching of surf lifesaving skills.
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Promote the water safety aspect to all beach activities. 2. Develop beach life saving methods in all their respects. 3. Provide coaching and competitive opportunities in the sport of surf lifesaving. 4. Promote community participation in healthy recreation, especially surf lifesaving. 5. Offer a safe and inclusive environment that promotes healthy lifestyles for the benefit of all. 6. Ensure the aim and objectives of the club are exercised with a duty of care to all members and in a fair and equal way. 7. Comply with the basic patrol, uniform and regulations as issued by Surf Life Saving Great Britain.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	<i>The Trustees have had regard to the 2013 Guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit, as updated in 2014 and in particular set out in the Commission's guidance documents PB1 - 3.</i>

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	<i>The Trustees have not awarded any grants</i>
	Para 1.38	

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Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	<i>The entire Training programme is run by volunteers. The members of the Committee are all volunteers as are the members who run the BSLSC events, cafe and look after the equipment.</i>
Other		

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	Despite COVID restrictions we continued to run training session online later returning to the beach & pool. We increased our membership as we came out of COVID restrictions with more young people and adults gaining experience in sea safety and lifeguard training. We held voluntary lifeguard patrols to support Brighton & Hove City Council making particular use of our inshore rescue boats to make several interventions. We also trained to a recognised international Lifeguard Qualification 28 new lifeguards many of whom went on to work for the RNLI and city council on the beach. Club trainers also taught basic life support to outside community groups .

Additional information (optional)

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Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	<i>Increased membership therefore our reach. Trained more surf lifeguards than ever before. Had more children and young people learning basic life support techniques.</i>
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	Our Surf Skis (funded by National Lottery investment) saw much greater use with many more young people learning the technique to race. Member taking part went on to compete and represent their club and city in national championships.

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	<p>As at 31st December 2021 the clubs cash position remained strong with closing cash of £51,311 (includes reserves £10,598).</p> <p>Total income of £36,115 was received in the year of which membership income contributed £25,628. Grant income received was £1,300.</p> <p>Total costs of £21,184 were incurred including payments to Brighton Sailing Club for rent of club facilities £3,663 and pool hire £2,061.</p> <p>In addition, the SLSGB membership costs were £4,025 and course fees of £2,635. During the year the club purchased equipment to the value of £1,442 and incurred repairs to equipment of £932.</p>
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	The charity maintains a minimal reserve to enable cashflow.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£10,598
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	NA
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	NA
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	NA

Additional information (optional)

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Other		NA

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Description of charity's trusts:		
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Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	<i>Trustees are elected annually at the AGM. In the event of a post being vacated during the course of the year, this may be filled by a person being nominated and seconded by the Trustees at a committee meeting, pending the next AGM</i>

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Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	<i>BSLSC has a Memorandum of Understanding with the Brighton Sailing Club in order to use the seafront premises BSC lease from Brighton & Hove Council.</i>
Other		NA

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	<i>Brighton Surf Life Saving Club</i>
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	<i>1155805</i>
Charity's principal address	Brighton Sailing Club, 109-111 Kings Road, Brighton, BN1 2FN

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

Additional information (optional)

Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

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Other optional information

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Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)

Samantha Pratt	
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Full name(s)

Samantha Pratt	
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Position (eg
Secretary, Chair, etc)

Treasurer	
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Date

14 th October 2022

Brighton Surf Life Saving Club	1155805
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Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	1/1/2021	To	31/12/2021
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £
A1 Receipts				
Membership	25,628	0	0	25,628
Events & Comps	0	0	0	0
Equipment Grants	1,300	0	0	1,300
Merchandise	643	0	0	643
Awards/Prof/BL Courses	7,361	0	0	7,361
External Event Income	150	0	0	150
Café	65	0	0	65
Donations	965	0	0	965
Interest	0	3	0	3
		0	0	0
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	36,112	3	0	36,115
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).				
	0.00	0	0	0
	0.00	0	0	0
Sub total	0.00	0	0	0
Total receipts	36,112	3	0	36,115
A3 Payments				
Rent	3,663	0	0	3,663
Insurance	960	0	0	960
It Software	402	0	0	402
Events & Comps	100	0	0	100
SLS Training Course Costs	2,889	0	0	2,889
Pool Hire & Costs	2,061	0	0	2,061
Café Supplies	74	0	0	74
Merchandise cost	903	0	0	903
Event Costs	3,659	0	0	3,659
Banking Costs	329	0	0	329
SLSGB Membership & Affiliation	4,025	0	0	4,025
Repairs & Maintenance	932	0	0	932
Sub total	19,996	0	0	19,996
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)				
		0	0	0
Assets On Account	1,188	0	0	1,188
Sub total	1,188	0	0	1,188
Total payments	21,184	0	0	21,184
Net of receipts/(payments)	14,928	3	0	14,931
A5 Transfers between funds		0	0	0
A6 Cash funds last year end	25,785	10,595	0	36,380
Cash funds this year end	40,713	10,598	0	51,311

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

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Main Bank Account	40,713	
	Reserve Bank Account		10,598
			-
	Total cash funds	40,713	10,598
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK
B2 Other monetary assets	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £
	Membership invoices	41	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
B3 Investment assets	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)
			-
			-
			-
			-
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)
	Boards	Unrestricted	20,358
	Equipment	Unrestricted	798
	IRB	Unrestricted	21,697
	Manikins	Unrestricted	6,111
	Surf Ski	Unrestricted	8,580
	Tubes	Unrestricted	1,160
	Wetsuits	Unrestricted	474
B5 Liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)
	SLSGB Fees for 2022	Unrestricted	3,925
	Grant income received for purchase of assets	Unrestricted	1,734
	Sailing Club Affiliation	Unrestricted	2,739
	Pool Sessions	Unrestricted	4,380
		-	
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name	
	Samantha Pratt	Samantha Pratt (Treasurer)	

BRIGHTON SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

England & Wales - Charity number 1155805

Accounts



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

**Report to the trustees/
members of**

Charity Name
Brighton Surf Life Saving Club

**On accounts for the year
ended**

2020

**Charity no
(if any)**

1155805

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(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31/12/2020.

**Responsibilities and
basis of report**

As the charity trustees of the Trust, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

**Independent
examiner's statement**

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention (~~other than that disclosed below~~*) in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Act or
- the accounts do not accord with the accounting records

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

* Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.

Signed: *P.M. Robertson*

Date: 5/10/2021

Name: Paul Robertson

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

Chartered Institute of Management Accountants

Address:

13, Penlands Way

Steyning

West Sussex BN44 3PN

Section B

Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 01/01/2020 **Period start date**
To 31/12/2020 **Period end date**

Charity name: Brighton Surf Life Saving Club

Charity registration number: 1155805

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
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Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	<i>The Trustees have had regard to the 2013 Guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit, as updated in 2014 and in particular set out in the Commission's guidance documents PB1 - 3.</i>

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	<i>The Trustees have not awarded any grants</i>
	Para 1.38	

Policy on social investment including program related investment		<i>The Trustees commitment to social investment is demonstrated by: a) Training children, teenagers and adults to be safe in the water and to be able to assist others in difficulty</i>
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	<i>The entire Training programme is run by volunteers. The members of the Committee are all volunteers as are the members who run the BSLSC events, cafe and look after the equipment.</i>
Other		

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • During the financial year 2020 many of the charity activities were restricted due to Covid 19. • During lockdown the charity provided weekly training via zoom to over 100 young people.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	
	Para 1.41	

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	<p>As at 31st December 2020 the clubs cash position remained strong with closing cash of £36,380 (includes reserves £10,595).</p> <p>Total income of £29,300 was received in the year of which membership income contributed £17,768. Grant income received was £1,799.</p> <p>Total costs of £19,092 were incurred including payments to Brighton Sailing Club for rent of club facilities £4,118 and pool hire £1,915.</p> <p>In addition, the SLSGB membership cost were £4,205.</p> <p>During the year the club purchased equipment to the value of £838.</p>
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	The charity maintains a minimal reserve to enable cashflow.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£10,595
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	NA
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	NA
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	NA

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	Principal source of funds from membership fees, donations and some fundraising.
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	NA
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	NA
Other		NA

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed , royal charter)	Para 1.25	Constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association , CIO)	Para 1.25	Unincorporated
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	<i>Trustees are elected annually at the AGM. In the event of a post being vacated during the course of the year, this may be filled by a person being nominated and seconded by the Trustees at a committee meeting, pending the next AGM</i>

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	<i>New Trustees are given a full handover from the departing Trustee in post and supported by the other Trustees.</i>
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	<i>BSLSC is affiliated with the national charitable organisation SLSGB</i>
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	<i>BSLSC has a Memorandum of Understanding with the Brighton Sailing Club in order to use the seafront premises BSC lease from Brighton & Hove Council.</i>
Other		NA

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	<i>Brighton Surf Life Saving Club</i>
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	<i>1155805</i>
Charity's principal address	Brighton Sailing Club, 109-111 Kings Road, Brighton, BN1 2FN

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Dave Samuel	Chair		
2	Katharine Travis	Secretary		
3	Mike Travis	Safety Officer		
4	Debbie Buddel	Safeguarding		
5	Jo Darby	Membership	January 2020	
6	Samantha Pratt	Treasurer	January 2020	

Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

	Type of adviser	Name	Address
Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)			

Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

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Other optional information

The consequences of the Covid 19 pandemic during the financial year ending 31st December 2020 adversely affected the supply of services provided by the charity to members, which result in a decision taken by the Trustees to suspend / reduce membership fees throughout the year. On a quarterly basis the Trustees reviewed the charity's financial position and expected performance for the coming 12 months and in particular the effect of the COVID-19 pandemic. As at the date of signing these financial statements the charity continued to have a surplus income over expenditure. As at the 31st December 2020 due to covid restrictions it was not possible to conduct a review of assets held however subsequently the assets were reviewed and no impairment identified.

Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)

	
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Full name(s)

Samantha Pratt	
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Position (eg
Secretary, Chair, etc)

Treasurer	
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Date

5 th October 2021

Brighton Surf Life Saving Club	1155805
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Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	01/01/2020	To	31/12/2020
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £
A1 Receipts				
Membership	17,768	0	0	17,768
Events & Comps	270	0	0	270
Equipment Grants	1,799	0	0	1,799
Merchandise	311	0	0	311
Awards/Prof/BL Courses	5,426	0	0	5,426
External Event Income	2,640	0	0	2,640
Café	369	0	0	369
Donations	680	0	0	680
Interest	0	37	0	37
		0	0	0
		0	0	0
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	29,263	37	0	29,300
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).				
	0.00	0	0	0
	0.00	0	0	0
Sub total	0.00	0	0	0
Total receipts	29,263	37	0	29,300
A3 Payments				
Rent	4,118	0	0	4,118
Insurance	1,014	0	0	1,014
It Software	430	0	0	430
Events & Comps	270	0	0	270
SLS Training Course Costs	2,277	0	0	2,277
Pool Hire & Costs	1,915	0	0	1,915
Café Supplies	209	0	0	209
Merchandise cost	597	0	0	597
Event Costs	2,850	0	0	2,850
Banking Costs	272	0	0	272
SLSGB Membership & Affiliation	4,198	0	0	4,198
Repairs & Maintenance	104	0	0	104
Sub total	18,254	0	0	18,254
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)				
	0	0	0	0
Assets On Account	838	0	0	838
Sub total	838	0	0	838
Total payments	19,092	0	0	19,092
Net of receipts/(payments)	10,171	37	0	10,208
A5 Transfers between funds		0	0	0
A6 Cash funds last year end	15,614	10,558	0	26,172
Cash funds this year end	25,785	10,595	0	36,380

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

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Main Bank Account	25,785	
	Reserve Bank Account		10,595
			-

Total cash funds**25,785****10,595**

(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))

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Unrestricted funds
to nearest £**Restricted funds**
to nearest £**B2 Other monetary assets****Details**

Membership invoices

364
-
-
-
-

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-
-
-
-

B3 Investment assets**Details**

Fund to which asset belongs

Cost (optional)

-
-
-
-
-

B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use**Details**

Boards
Equipment
IRB
Manikins
Surf Ski
Tubes
Wetsuits

Fund to which asset belongs

Unrestricted
Unrestricted
Unrestricted
Unrestricted
Unrestricted
Unrestricted
Unrestricted

Cost (optional)

18,923
798
21,697
5,268
8,580
1,160
474

B5 Liabilities**Details**

SLSGB Fees for 2021
Grant income received for purchase of assets
Sailing Club Affiliation

Fund to which liability relates

Unrestricted
Unrestricted
Unrestricted

Amount due (optional)

3,375
1,799
750
-

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

Signature



Print Name

Samantha Pratt (Treasurer)