

## Bury St Edmunds District Deaf & Hard of Hearing Association

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It has been a challenging financial year for Bury Deaf Association but it has plodded on and has come out the other side.

There is now a full amount of eight trustees. The chair and Treasurer being new, all have a keen interest in working together to help, advise and support the deaf & hard of hearing community in the area.

The monthly deaf social club continues to have a good membership as does the monthly hard of hearing group. Both groups hold social events and offer help and advice if needed, working together to hold occasional joint events.

B.S.L classes are held offering three different levels of learning.

A social drop in coffee and chat afternoon is held monthly along with a monthly coffee morning which encourages B.S.L practice and fun games to play.

A deaf church is held on the first Sunday of the month. This a signed and spoken service with refreshments and social interaction after the service.

Fund raising events continue to be held.

The Hand in Hand group meets monthly and the Lip reading group intends to recommence this year.

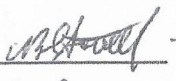

The Bury St Edmunds & District Deaf Association continues to support the deaf and hard of hearing community offering support, advice and company.

**BURY ST EDMUNDS & DISTRICT DEAF & HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION**

**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES  
(INCOME AND EXPENDITURE REPORT)  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2023**

		2023 £	2022 £
<b>INCOME</b>	(Note 1)		
Amounts received		17,864	14,336
Increase in value of investments		1,380	-
<b>Total income</b>		<u>19,244</u>	<u>14,336</u>
<b>EXPENDITURE</b>	(Note 2)		
Amounts paid		17,725	14,570
Depreciation		1,846	2,461
Decrease in value of investments		-	2,232
<b>Total expenses</b>		<u>19,571</u>	<u>19,263</u>
<b>SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR</b>		<u>( 327 )</u>	<u>( 4,927 )</u>

Approved by the trustees on  
and signed on their behalf by

16/3/24

Independent examiner's report

to the trustees of The Bury St Edmunds & District Deaf & Hard of Hearing Association

I report on the accounts of the association for the year ended 30th September 2023, which are set out on pages 1 and 2.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to examine the accounts and to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

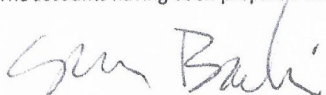
Basis of examiner's statement

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the association and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently we do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

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In connection with my examination for the year ended 30th September 2023, no matter has come to my attention which is inconsistent with:

- The accounting records being properly kept; and
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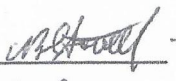

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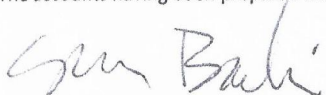
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