

ST MARGARET LIFE'S HOPE FOUNDATION

England & Wales · Charity number 1159130

Details

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2014-11-07

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

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Activities

Objects: THE RELIEF OF POVERTY AND HARDSHIP AMONG ORPHANS AND VULNERABLE CHILDREN IN KENYA THROUGH THE PROVISION OF SHELTER, FOOD, HEALTH, EDUCATION AND OTHER SUCH CHARITABLE SERVICES AS THE TRUSTEES MAY FROM TIME TO TIME THINK FIT.

Activities: We are a non-profit organisation based in Dorset, dedicated to working with a community in Lamu Kenya. We support, educate and transform the lives of those who need it most, through us we aim to give people the power to overcome poverty, injustice and inequality. Total orphans street children, young single parents victims of abuse are welcomed regardless of their social background, gender or religion.

Classification

- **How:** Makes Grants To Individuals, Makes Grants To Organisations, Provides Other Finance, Provides Human Resources, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Education/training, The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives, Disability, The Prevention Or Relief Of Poverty, Overseas Aid/famine Relief, Accommodation/housing, Arts/culture/heritage/science, Amateur Sport, Environment/conservation/heritage, Economic/community Development/employment, Human Rights/religious Or Racial Harmony/equality Or Diversity, Recreation
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People, People With Disabilities, People Of A Particular Ethnic Or Racial Origin

Geography

- Kenya
- Dorset

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£24,004	£24,484	-	-
2024-03-31	£23,997	£22,095	-	-
2023-03-31	£24,899	£21,498	-	-
2022-03-31	£17,149	£24,631	-	-
2021-03-31	£11,215	£11,813	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
MARGARET FARMAN	Chair	2014-11-07
Zena Catherine Imani Kivuva		2024-01-01

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Trustees' Annual Report for the period							
From	Period start date			To	Period end date		
	01	04	2024		31	03	2025

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any)

Charity's principal address

177 Sopwith Crescent
Wimborne
Postcode BH21 1SR

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
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3	ZENA KIVUVA			
4	MICHAEL DAVIS			
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Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

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Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

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Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)

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The small thatched hut primary school with outdoor kitchen and no sanitary facilities is sited on a kind villagers land, and local village members work voluntarily while Margaret works here sending out funds, with some difficulty, by Barclays Bank.

Teachers very generously work in poor conditions for small sums, and local shops and markets provide foods and educational items at good prices. Health services are also offered where the charity can afford it. Aid has also been given to disabled children as well as children's families when required. Children can be as old as 18 attending the school, and again when funds allow uniforms and school fees are paid to help when they attend high school.

The view is that the charity should remain small and very localised due to the administration, communication and managerial difficulties of relying on village volunteers from such a distance.

Funds from the UK are transferred to the parallel Kenyan registered charity - St Margaret Life's Hope Foundation (C.B.O.) SS/IM/MPK/SH/437 (Registered 22/08/2011)

Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

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Section D

Achievements and performance

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Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

Feeding of 300+ children.

Assisting some of the children's families with food, including many past students, additional children as young as 2 share school lunch, improved food quality, training in medicine.

Employing a social worker.

Primary educating 241 (girls 106, boys 149, including 7 physical disabilities, 3 psychiatric disabilities. 77 are orphans, and most from vulnerable and marginalized.

Secondary education 6

University 1 (Teaching Secondary)

College 1 (Clinical Medical Officer)

Previously 1 off qualified as a doctor, mechanics, seamstress's

Providing educational material.

Providing and financing medical care.

Securing land from wild animals, and growing maize, etc for feeding of children, and protect cash crops pf mangoes etc.

A third container is in the UK, with thanks to Hamworthy Social Club, Canford, fully loaded awaiting reduction of sea transport costs and then transported to Kenya for onsite secure storage for storage of crops and help when building commences and for future needs. Some focused purchasing of useful items at better prices than locally available

Active ongoing communications via helpers on site

Transferring money to Kenya all on line via UK Barclays, to sister Kenyan charity account at Kenya KCB

Section E

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

The charity aims to always hold a minimum of 6 months funding at any time.

Details of any funds materially in deficit

Further financial review details (Optional information)

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- how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;
- investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

Funding is mainly by voluntary donations.
 Other funding – collection boxes, jumble and clothing sales.

Expenditure allows the continuance and enhancement of her village.

No consideration of excess fund investment at this time, as funds are small, administration stretched, and potential returns small.
 But will review in the future.

Section F Other optional information

Future aims

Secure the ability to finance and run the charity in the long term.
 Build new school on our land. Transport the last of 3 containers, for use as library, general storage, and food store, vermin proof.
 Maximise agriculture possibilities of our land, harvesting existing trees - mangos and cashew nuts, and plant maize, as prices are so high, all to help finances.
 Provide training opportunities for older children, ie medical, seamstress, mechanic, driver, IT, university, and practical training.

Section G Declaration

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)	Zena Catherine Imani Kivuva	
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Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Trustee	
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Date	22/01/2026
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Trustees' Annual Report for the period

	Period start date				Period end date		
From	01	04	2023	To	31	03	2024

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Charity name	St Margaret Life's Hope Foundation		
Other names charity is known by			
Registered charity number (if any)	1159130		
Charity's principal address	177 Sopwith Crescent		
	Wimborne		
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	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
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2	ALISON DAVIS			
3	ZENA FARMAN		28/02/24	
4	MICHAEL DAVIS			
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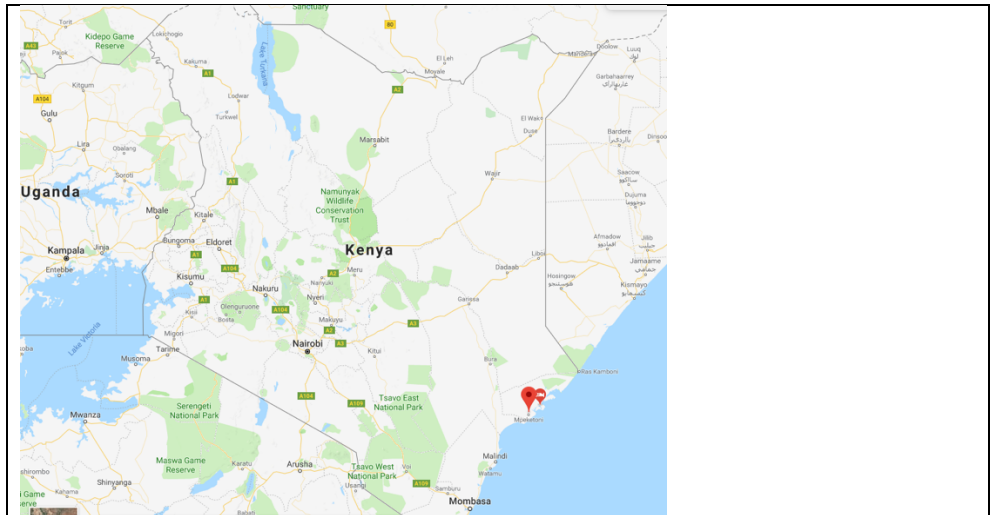
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Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

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Assisting some of the children's families with food, including many past students, additional children as young as 2 share school lunch, improved food quality, training in medicine.

Employing a social worker.

Primary educating 270+
Higher education 4, 1 off qualified as a doctor.
Providing educational material.

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Securing land from wild animals, to allow future cultivation of maize for feeding of children, and protect cash crops pf mangoes etc.

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Section G

Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Michael Kevin Davis	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Trustee	
Date	22/04/24	



Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period
from

01/04/2022

To

31/03/2023

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 £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
DONATIONS	19,233	-	-	19,233	20,958
GIFTAID CLAIMS	4,764	-	-	4,764	3,941
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	23,997	-	-	23,997	24,899
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	23,997	-	-	23,997	24,899
A3 Payments					
FUNDS TRANSFERRED TO KENYAN CHARITY 234717 FOR NORMAL CHARITY WORK	20,400	-	-	20,400	17,200
ADMIN COSTS WEB	72	-	-	72	684
CARRIAGE TO KENYA		-	-	-	
CONTAINER PURCHASE AND PACKING MATERIALS	511	-	-	511	197
MEDICAL		-	-	-	
RELIGIOUS ITEMS		-	-	-	317
BANK CHARGES	231	-	-	231	215
MISC CLOTHING, ETC	356	-	-	356	132
TRAVEL EXPENSE KENYA	525	-	-	525	2,752
Sub total	22,095	-	-	22,095	21,498
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	22,095	-	-	22,095	21,498
Net of receipts/(payments)	1,902	-	-	1,902	3,401
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	£16,342.00	-	-	16,342	£16,342.00
Cash funds this year end	18,244	-	-	18,244	19,743

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

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
CCXX R1 accounts (SS)	1			

B1 Cash funds

CASH BALANCE AT 31/3/23	19,743	-	-
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Total cash funds	19,743	-	-

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Unrestricted funds to nearest £

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Endowment funds to nearest £

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B2 Other monetary assets

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Details

B3 Investment assets

	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
		-	-
		-	-
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Details

B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use

	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
		-	-
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B5 Liabilities

	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
		-	
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		-	
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Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval

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3	IAN SIMMONDS			
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5	ANNE CLEWLOW		Died 09/04/23	
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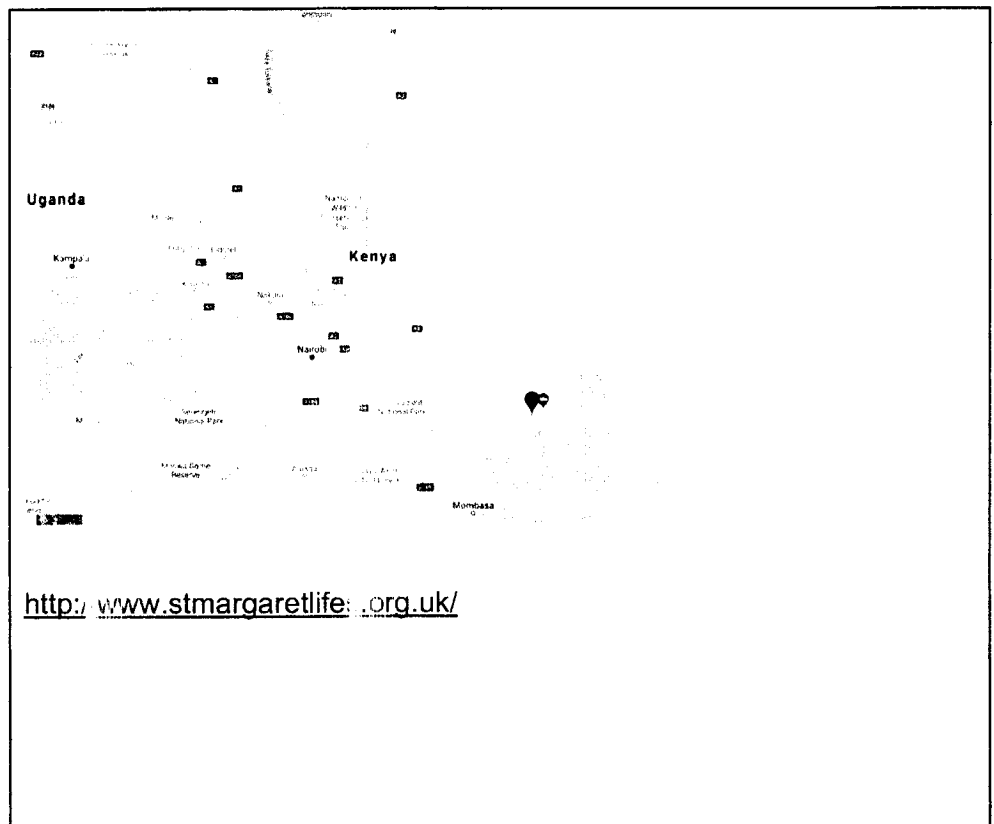
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Primary educating 260+

Higher education 4, 1 off in university studying medicine.

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Providing and financing medical care.

Gradual loading of our second container in the UK, with thanks to Hamworthy Social Club, Canford, to be fully loaded and then transported to Kenya for on site secure storage to help when building commences and for future needs. Some focused purchasing of useful items at better prices than locally available

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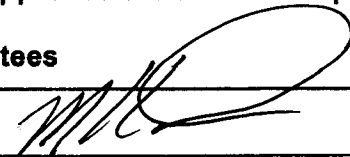
Section G

Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)



Full name(s)

Michael Kevin Davis

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Trustee

Date

19/09/23



Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period
from

01/04/2022

To

31/03/2023

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 £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
DONATIONS	20,958	-	-	20,958	15,344
GIFTAID CLAIMS	3,941	-	-	3,941	1,805
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	24,899	-	-	24,899	17,149
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	24,899	-	-	24,899	17,149
A3 Payments					
FUNDS TRANSFERRED TO KENYAN CHARITY 234717 FOR NORMAL CHARITY WORK	17,200	-	-	17,200	15,000
ADMIN COSTS WEB	684	-	-	684	74
CARRIAGE TO KENYA		-	-	-	3,930
CONTAINER PURCHASE AND PACKING MATERIALS	197	-	-	197	4,975
MEDICAL		-	-	-	300
RELIGIOUS ITEMS	317	-	-	317	233
BANK CHARGES	215	-	-	215	119
MISC CLOTHING, ETC	132	-	-	132	-
TRAVEL EXPENSE KENYA	2,752	-	-	2,752	-
Sub total	21,498	-	-	21,498	24,631
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	21,498	-	-	21,498	24,631
Net of receipts/(payments)	3,401	-	-	3,401	- 7,482
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	£16,342.00	-	-	16,342	£23,824.00
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B2 Other monetary assets

Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
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	-	-	-
	-	-	-

B3 Investment assets

Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-

B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use

Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-

B5 Liabilities

Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
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Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval

ST MARGARET LIFE'S HOPE FOUNDATION

England & Wales - Charity number 1159130

Accounts

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

Period start date Period end date
 From 01 04 2021 To 31 03 2022

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any)

Charity's principal address

 Postcode

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	MARGARET FARMAN			
2	ALISON DAVIS			
3	IAN SIMMONDS			
4	MICHAEL DAVIS			
5	ANNE CLEWLOW			
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Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

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

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Section B Structure, governance and management

Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document

CIO – FOUNDATION REGISTERED 07 NOV 2014

How the charity is constituted

ASSOCIATION

Trustee selection methods

APPOINTED BY EXISTING TRUSTEES

Additional governance issues (Optional information)

You may choose to include additional information, where relevant, about:

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Section C Objectives and activities

Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

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Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)

Since 2003 Margaret Farman has supported the poor children of all religions in her home town – Mpeketoni, Lamu, Kenya, in particular the young of the nomadic Wasanya tribe who are unrecognised by the Kenyan Government. These children besides suffering from lack of food and access to Government education, also have the worry of incursions from Al-shabab terrorism from neighbouring Somalia.

For the first 11 years she worked overtime as a nurse in Poole to feed and educate up to 87 children, but as friends and colleagues realised the need she obtained charity status to maximise any funds raised. The small thatched hut primary school with outdoor kitchen and no sanitary facilities is sited on a kind villagers land, and local village members work voluntarily while Margaret works here sending out funds, with some difficulty, by Western Union etc, as the mainstream banks offered only a very expensive alternative service.

Teachers very generously work in poor conditions for small sums, and local shops and markets provide foods and educational items at good prices. Health services are also offered where the charity can afford it. Aid has also been given to disabled children as well as children's families when required. Children can be as old as 18 attending the school, and again when funds allow uniforms and school fees are paid to help when they attend high school.

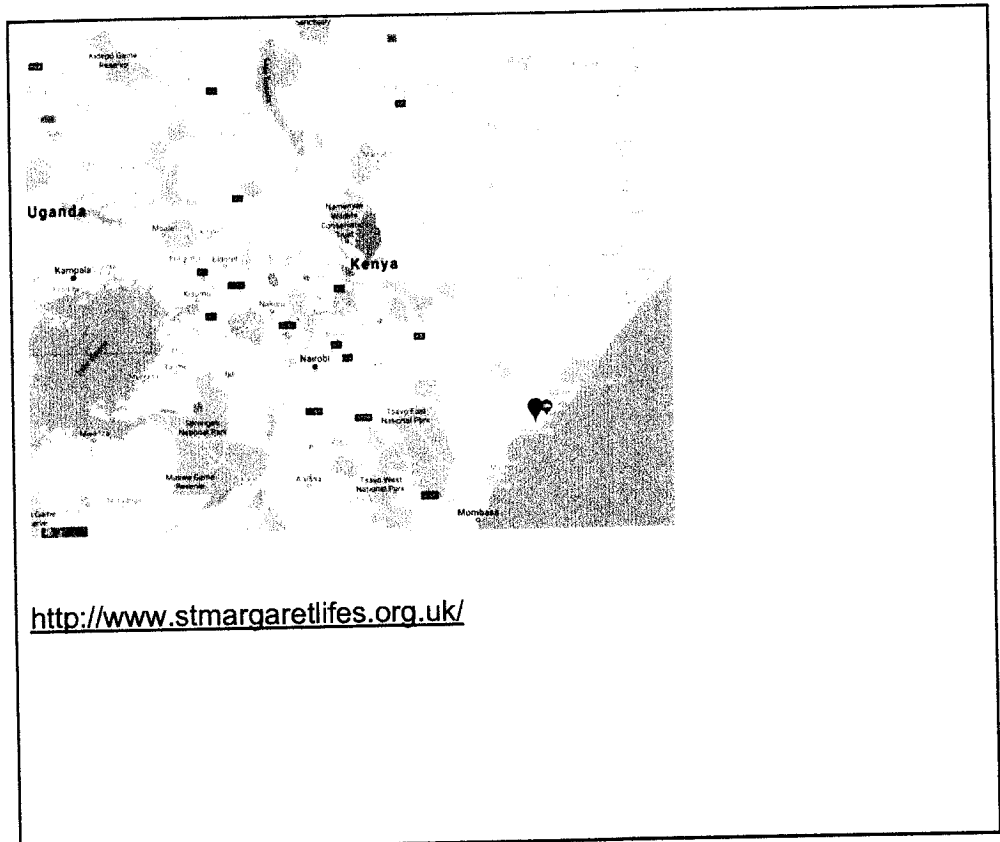
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Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

You may choose to include further statements, where relevant, about:

- policy on grantmaking;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.



Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

Feeding of 270 children in 2022.

Assisting some of the children's families with food, including many past students, additional children as young as 2 share school lunch, improved food quality, training in medicine.

Employing a social worker.

Primary educating 260

Higher education 2, 1 off in university studying medicine.

Providing educational material.

Providing and financing medical care.

Transporting a container full of educational items, medical goods, disabled aids, clothing, etc to the school this to remain as storage and a basis for permanent use by the school. Some clothing is used to increase funding. Purchasing an additional container for temporary storage in the UK, but in future to be fully loaded and transported to Kenya for on site secure storage to help when building commences and for future needs. Margaret has visited Kenya and organised transport of container and distribution of contents and receives daily updates via social media.

Transferring money to Kenya has now been totally regularised using established banks – UK Barclays, and Kenya KCB

Section E

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

The charity aims to always hold a minimum of 6 months funding at any time.

Details of any funds materially in deficit

Further financial review details (Optional information)

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Other funding – collection boxes, jumble sales.

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Section F

Other optional information

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Secure the ability to finance and run the charity in the long term.

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Provide training opportunities for older children, ie seamstress, mechanic, driver, IT, university, and practical training.

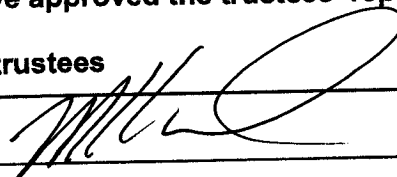
Section G

Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)



Full name(s)

Michael Kevin Davis

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Trustee

Date

19/05/22



Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	4/1/2021	To	3/31/2022
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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 £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
DONATIONS	15,344	-	-	15,344	7,186
GIFTAID CLAIMS	1,805	-	-	1,805	4,029
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	17,149	-	-	17,149	11,215
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	17,149	-	-	17,149	11,215
A3 Payments					
FUNDS TRANSFERRED TO KENYAN CHARITY 234717 FOR NORMAL CHARITY WORK	15,000	-	-	15,000	9,300
ADMIN COSTS	74	-	-	74	937
CARRIAGE TO KENYA	3,930	-	-	3,930	103
CONTAINER PURCHASE AND PACKING MATERIALS	4,975	-	-	4,975	963
MEDICAL	300	-	-	300	235
RELIGIOUS ITEMS	233	-	-	233	140
BANK CHARGES	119	-	-	119	136
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	24,631	-	-	24,631	11,814
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	24,631	-	-	24,631	11,814
Net of receipts/(payments)	- 7,482	-	-	- 7,482	- 599
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	£23,824.00	-	-	23,824	24,423
Cash funds this year end	16,342	-	-	16,342	23,824

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

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	CASH BALANCE AT 31/3/22	16,342	-	-
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	Total cash funds	16,342	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK

	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
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	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets			-	-
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B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use			-	-
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	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities			-	
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ST MARGARET LIFE'S HOPE FOUNDATION

England & Wales - Charity number 1159130

Accounts

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	Period start date				Period end date		
From	01	04	2020	To	31	03	2021

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Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any) 1159130

Charity's principal address 177 Sopwith Crescent

Wimborne

Postcode BH21 1SR

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4	MICHAEL DAVIS			
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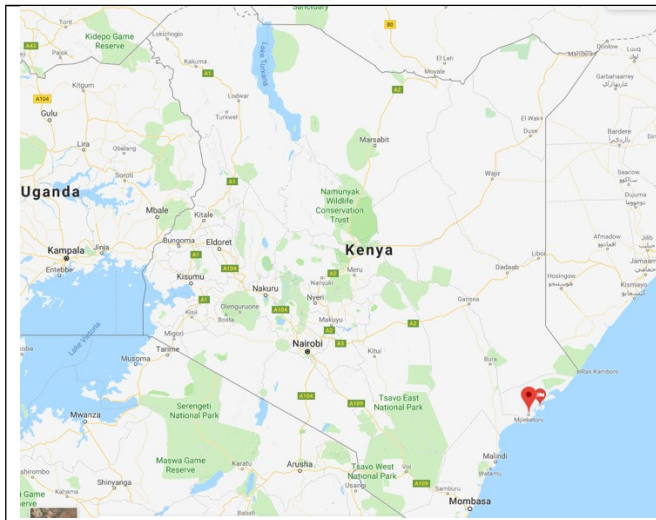
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Section D

Achievements and performance

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Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

Feeding of 231 children in 2020 and 264+ in 2021.
Assisting some of the children's families with food, including many past students, additional children as young as 2 share school lunch, improved food quality, 2 more taught to drive.

Employing a social worker.

Primary educating 250
Higher education 4, 1 off in university studying medicine.
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Section G Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Michael Kevin Davis	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Trustee	
Date	19/01/21	



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Charity Name ST MARGARET LIVES HOPE FOUNDATION	No (if any)
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Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	Period start date 4/1/2020	To	Period end date 3/31/2021
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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				
DONATIONS	7,186	-	-	7,186
GIFT AID CLAIMES FROM PERIOD 01/04/18 - 31/03/19	4,029	-	-	4,029
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	11,215	-	-	11,215
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).				
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	11,215	-	-	11,215
A3 Payments				
FUNDS TRANSFERRED TO KENYA CHARITY 234717 ST MLHF FOR NORMAL CHARITY WORK	9,300	-	-	9,300
ADMIN COSTS	937	-	-	937
CARRIAGE TO KENYA	103	-	-	103
BANK CHARGES	136	-	-	136
RELOCATING AND ADDITIONAL SECURITY - TEMPORARY STORAGE IN UK TO BE TRANSPORTED TO KENYA FILLED, THEN USED AS PERMANENT STORAGE IN KENYA	963	-	-	963
DISABLED AIDS	235	-	-	235
RELIOIOUS ARTICLES	140	-	-	140
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
Sub total	11,814	-	-	11,814
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)				
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-
Total payments	11,814	-	-	11,814
Net of receipts/(payments)	- 599	-	-	- 599
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	-	-	-	-
Cash funds this year end	- 599	-	-	- 599

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	CASH BALANCE AT 31/03/2021	23,524	-
		-	-
		-	-
	Total cash funds	23,524	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	Agreement Error	OK

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)
B3 Investment assets			-
			-
			-
			-
			-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use			-
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			-
			-
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Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)
B5 Liabilities			-
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			-
			-
			-

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

Signature	Print Name

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**Last year
to the nearest £**

17,396
3,963
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21,359

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2,292
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-
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Endowment funds

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Endowment funds

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When due (optional)

Date of approval
