

**THINKING OF OSCAR**  
**UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED**  
**31 MARCH 2025**

Charity No: 1160405



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## THINKING OF OSCAR

### GENERAL INFORMATION

|                                       |  |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| Registered charity name               | Thinking of Oscar  |
| Charity number                        | 1160405  |
| Principal & registered office address | Park Farm<br>Akeman Street<br>Kirtlington<br>Oxfordshire<br>OX5 3JQ  |
| Trustees                              | David Cole<br>Hannah Cole<br>Jonathan O'Neill (resigned December 2024)<br>Nicola Tame (resigned December 2024)<br>Stephen Brett (appointed March 2025)<br>Katherine Burt (appointed March 2025)<br>Janet Buford (appointed March 2025) |
| Accountants                           | SPX Oxford Ltd<br>Peace House<br>Paradise Street<br>Oxford<br>OX1 1LD  |
| Bankers                               | Barclays   |



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### RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE TRUSTEES

The trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Charity Law requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the trustees have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). Under charity law the trustees must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity and the income and expenditure of the charity for that year.

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

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

The trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charity's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and which enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011. They are responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

### INDEPENDENT EXAMINATION

Sheila Parry will be considered for re-appointment at the next trustees' meeting as independent examiner for the ensuing year.

Signed on behalf of the trustees

HR Cole

Date 30 Jan 2026



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### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

|                                      |      | Unrestricted<br>and Total<br>Funds<br>2025<br>£ | Unrestricted<br>and Total<br>Funds<br>2024<br>£ |
|--------------------------------------|------|---|---|
|                                      | Note |   |   |
| <b>Income from:</b>                  |      |   |   |
| Donations and legacies               | 3    | 6,927   | 1,159   |
| Other trading activities             | 4    | 872   | -   |
| Investments - bank interest received |      | 243   | 436   |
| <b>Total income</b>                  |      | <b>8,042</b>                                    | <b>1,595</b>                                    |
| <b>Expenditure on:</b>               |      |   |   |
| Raising funds                        | 5    | 887   | 216   |
| Charitable activities                | 6    | 464   | 1,182   |
| <b>Total expenditure</b>             |      | <b>1,351</b>                                    | <b>1,398</b>                                    |
| <b>Net income / -expenditure</b>     |      | <b>6,691</b>                                    | <b>197</b>                                      |
| <b>Transfers between funds</b>       |      | <b>-</b>  | <b>-</b>  |
| <b>Net movement in funds</b>         |      | <b>6,691</b>                                    | <b>197</b>                                      |
| <b>Reconciliation of funds:</b>      |      |   |   |
| Total funds brought forwards         |      | 185,185   | 184,988   |
| <b>Total funds carried forward</b>   |      | <b>191,876</b>                                  | <b>185,185</b>                                  |

The Statement of Financial Activities includes all gains and losses in the year and therefore a statement of total recognised gains and losses has not been prepared.

All of the above amounts relate to continuing activities.

The notes on pages 6 to 8 form part of these financial statements.



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### BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 2025

|   |      | 2025           |                | 2024           |                |
|---|------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
|   | Note | £              | £              | £              | £              |
| <b>Current assets</b>                                 |      |                |                |                |                |
| Stocks and work in progress                           |      | 5,301          |                | 5,301          |                |
| Debtors: Amounts falling due within one year          | 7    | 880            |                | 358            |                |
| Cash at bank and in hand                              |      | 186,367        |                | 180,198        |                |
|   |      | <u>192,548</u> |                | <u>185,857</u> |                |
| <b>Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year</b> |      |                |                |                |                |
|   | 8    | <u>672</u>     |                | <u>672</u>     |                |
| <b>Net current assets</b>                             |      |                | 191,876        |                | 185,185        |
| <b>Net assets</b>                                     |      |                | <u>191,876</u> |                | <u>185,185</u> |
| <b>The funds of the charity</b>                       |      |                |                |                |                |
| <b>Funds</b>  |      |                |                |                |                |
| Unrestricted income funds                             | 9    |                | <u>191,876</u> |                | <u>185,185</u> |

For the year ended 31 March 2025 the charity was entitled to exemption from audit under section 145 of the Charities Act 2011.

Trustees responsibilities:

- The members have not required the charity to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 145; and
- The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

These financial statements were approved by the members of the committee and authorised for issue on 29/01/26 and are signed on their behalf by:

HR Cole  
Trustee



# THINKING OF OSCAR

## NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

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### 1. ORGANISATION STATUS

Thinking of Oscar is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation.

### 2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of accounting

These financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable United Kingdom accounting standards and the requirements of the Statements of Recommended Practice 2019 (SORP 2019), 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities', issued by the Charities Commission.

#### Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the charity.

#### Income

All incoming resources are included in the Statement of Financial Activities when the charity is legally entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy.

Donations and legacies are reported in the Statement of Financial Activities if they are received or due in the financial year.

#### Going concern

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties as to the charity's ability to continue as a going concern.

#### Fixed assets

Fixed assets (excluding investments) are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. The costs of minor additions or those costing below £1,000 are not capitalised.

#### Depreciation

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

Office equipment – 25% straight line

Computer equipment – 33% straight line

#### Expenditure

Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to the category. Expenditure represents amounts invoiced, including value added tax.

#### Taxation

The Charity is exempt from corporation tax on its charitable activities. Value Added Tax is not recoverable by the Charity and as such is included in the relevant costs in the statement of financial activities.



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### NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

#### 3. INCOME FROM DONATIONS AND LEGACIES

|           | Unrestricted<br>and Total<br>Funds<br>2025<br>£ | Unrestricted<br>and Total<br>Funds<br>2024<br>£ |
|-----------|---|---|
| Donations | 6,927   | 1,159   |
|           | <u>6,927</u>                                    | <u>1,159</u>                                    |

#### 4. EXPENDITURE ON RAISING FUNDS

|                  | Unrestricted<br>and Total<br>Funds<br>2025<br>£ | Unrestricted<br>and Total<br>Funds<br>2024<br>£ |
|------------------|---|---|
| Just giving fees | 216   | 216   |
| Places on event  | 671   | -   |
|                  | <u>887</u>                                      | <u>216</u>                                      |

#### 5. EXPENDITURE ON CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

|                          | Unrestricted<br>and Total<br>Funds<br>2025<br>£ | Unrestricted<br>and Total<br>Funds<br>2024<br>£ |
|--------------------------|---|---|
| <b>Support costs</b>     |   |   |
| Sundry expenses          | 128   | -   |
| Filming                  | -   | 600   |
| Professional fees        | -   | 400   |
| <b>Governance costs:</b> |   |   |
| Accountancy              | 336   | 182   |
|                          | <u>464</u>                                      | <u>1,182</u>                                    |



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## NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

### 6. DEBTORS

|                | 2025       | 2024       |
|----------------|------------|------------|
|                | £          | £          |
| Accrued income | 880        | 358        |
|                | <u>880</u> | <u>358</u> |

### 7. CREDITORS

|                 | 2025       | 2024       |
|-----------------|------------|------------|
|                 | £          | £          |
| Other creditors | 672        | 672        |
|                 | <u>672</u> | <u>672</u> |

### 8. UNRESTRICTED INCOME FUNDS

|                          | At 1 April<br>2024 | Income       | Expenditure  | Transfers | At 31<br>March<br>2025 |
|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|------------------------|
|                          | £                  | £            | £            | £         | £                      |
| <b>General Funds</b>     |                    |              |              |           |                        |
| Unrestricted income fund | 185,185            | 8,042        | 1,351        | -         | 191,876                |
| <b>Restricted Funds</b>  |                    |              |              |           |                        |
|                          | -                  | -            | -            | -         | -                      |
| <b>Total funds</b>       | <u>185,185</u>     | <u>8,042</u> | <u>1,351</u> | <u>-</u>  | <u>191,876</u>         |

### 9. TRUSTEE REMUNERATION & RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

No member of the board of trustees received any remuneration during the year.

No trustee or other person related to the charity had any personal interest in any contract or transaction entered into by the charity during the year.

### 10. CONTINGENCIES

The trustees have confirmed that there were no contingent liabilities which should be disclosed at 31 March 2025.

### 11. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

The trustees have confirmed that there were no capital commitments at 31 March 2025.

### 12. POST BALANCE SHEET EVENTS

Since the balance sheet date no events have occurred which would have a material effect on these financial statements.