

REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER: 1165540

**REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES AND
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2021
FOR
THE HEARTH FOUNDATION**

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REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES for the year ended 5 April 2021

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 5 April 2021. The trustees have adopted the provisions of Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2015).

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The Charity is constituted as a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) taking the form of a foundation model charity governed by a trust deed. The Charity changed its name by Special Resolution on 6 April 2017 to The Hearth Foundation.

Foundation

The Charity was initially funded with donations in June 2016, which has been invested in a variety of income producing investments, including freehold property, as detailed in the Accounts.

Aims

The object of the Charity as stated in its constitution, is to advance such charitable purposes (according to the law of England and Wales) as the Trustees see fit from time to time.

The income arising from the investments made will be distributed to beneficiaries' subject to retaining a suitable reserve to cover any expenses on the freehold investment properties not recoverable from tenants. It is the intention of the Trustees to make such grants during the first calendar quarter of each year.

The Charity has no specific restrictions as to any beneficiaries, but particular consideration will be given by the Trustees to applications for the benefit of younger people in the Midlands and North of the country. Applications will be considered throughout the year, and distributed as stated above. The Trustees are confident that in exercising their duties, they have full regard to the requirements of the Charity Commission concerning public benefit.

Financial Performance

Bearing in mind the current economic uncertainty arising as a result of the COVID pandemic, the Trustees are pleased with the performance of the various investments made by the Charity during this financial year, and are hopeful that the diversity of these investments will provide a good return in years to come for public benefit. No payment has been made to the Trustees for services or expenses. The only expenses paid by the Charity have been in respect of professional costs and investment advice. Full details of the financial results for the year ended 5 April 2021 are shown in the Accounts.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered Charity number

1165540

Registered office

Monkstone House
Main Street
Mowsley
Lutterworth
Leicestershire
LE17 6NU

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REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES for the year ended 5 April 2021

Trustees

M Bosworth Chairman
Mrs V M Bosworth
C M Bosworth
Mrs J P M Bosworth
S Bosworth
Mrs H E Bosworth

The Trustees do not currently intend to seek further funding for the Charity, and are confident that the present Board have a sufficient range of skills for its operation. Consequently, no further appointments are currently envisaged.

Independent Examiner

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Advisers

Legal

Lodders Solicitors,
Stratford-upon-Avon

Property

Harris Lamb Chartered Surveyors,
Birmingham

Investment

Brewin Dolphin,
Birmingham

Fairstone Financial Management Limited,
Kibworth Leicester

Approved by order of the board of trustees on 06 January 2022 and signed on its behalf by:

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M Bosworth - Trustee

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STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES RESPONSIBILITIES for the year ended 5 April 2021

The trustees are responsible for preparing the Report of the Trustees and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

The law applicable to charities in England and Wales, the Charities Act 2011, the applicable Charity (Accounts and Reports) Regulations and the provisions of the trust deed requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity and of the incoming resources and application of resources, including the income and expenditure, of the charity for that period. In preparing those financial statements, the trustees are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charity SORP;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charitable company will continue in business.

The trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the applicable Charity (Accounts and Reports) Regulations and the provisions of the trust deed. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Approved by order of the board of trustees on 06 January 2022 and signed on its behalf by:

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M Bosworth - Trustee

**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF
THE HEARTH FOUNDATION
for the year ended 5 April 2021**

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of The Hearth Foundation ('the charity')

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the charity for the year ended 5 April 2021.

Responsibilities and basis of report

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

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

Independent examiner's statement

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

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 130 of the 2011 Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do not comply with applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair view' which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

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

Mark Ashfield BA FCA
Harrison Beale & Owen Limited
Chartered Accountants
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Date: 06 January 2022

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**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES
for the year ended 5 April 2021**

	Notes	2021 Unrestricted fund £	2020 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM			
Donations and legacies		-	30
Investment income	3	117,408	136,356
Other income	4	(1,675)	<u>44,604</u>
Total		115,733	180,990
 EXPENDITURE ON			
Raising funds	5	25,775	28,267
 Charitable activities	6		
Donations		86,153	88,761
Property fees		522	592
Other		<u>2,225</u>	<u>2,375</u>
Total		114,675	119,995
Net gains/(losses) on investments		<u>387,749</u>	<u>(294,494)</u>
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)		388,807	(233,499)
 RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
Total funds brought forward		<u>2,515,318</u>	<u>2,748,817</u>
 TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		<u><u>2,904,125</u></u>	<u><u>2,515,318</u></u>

The notes form part of these financial statements

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BALANCE SHEET
5 April 2021

	Notes	2021 Unrestricted fund £	2020 Total funds £
FIXED ASSETS			
Investments			
Investments	13	1,405,141	1,031,557
Investment property	14	<u>1,311,859</u>	<u>1,311,859</u>
		2,717,000	2,343,416
CURRENT ASSETS			
Debtors	15	53,838	30,707
Cash at bank		<u>165,832</u>	<u>143,973</u>
		219,670	174,680
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due within one year	16	(32,545)	(2,778)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		<u>187,125</u>	<u>171,902</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		2,904,125	2,515,318
NET ASSETS		<u>2,904,125</u>	<u>2,515,318</u>
FUNDS			
Unrestricted funds	17	<u>2,904,125</u>	<u>2,515,318</u>
TOTAL FUNDS		<u>2,904,125</u>	<u>2,515,318</u>

The notes form part of these financial statements

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BALANCE SHEET - continued

5 April 2021

The charitable company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 5 April 2021.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 5 April 2021 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for

- (a) ensuring that the charitable company keeps accounting records that comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- (b) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company as at the end of each financial year and of its surplus or deficit for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the charitable company.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees and authorised for issue on 06 January 2022 and were signed on its behalf by:

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M Bosworth - Trustee

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 5 April 2021

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

The charity was incorporated under the Charitable Incorporated Organisations (General) Regulations 2012 on 11 February 2016. The charity's registered number and registered office address can be found on the Report of the Trustees.

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of preparing the financial statements

The financial statements of the charity, which is a public benefit entity under FRS 102, have been prepared in accordance with the Charities SORP (FRS 102) 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2015)', Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' and the Charities Act 2011. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention with the exception of investments which are included at market value, as modified by the revaluation of certain assets.

Income

All income is recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities once the charity has entitlement to the funds, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably.

Investment income is recognised on a receivable basis.

Expenditure

Liabilities are recognised as expenditure as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to that expenditure, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all cost related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

Irrecoverable VAT

There is currently no requirement to restrict any VAT through the VAT returns of The Hearth Foundation as the expenditure it incurs relates wholly to the commercial properties which are all subject to an option to tax and therefore VAT is charged on rents and related service charges.

It is noted that there is a very small amount of exempt income arising from the quarterly service charge invoiced to the occupants of the residential flats which have been sold. It is considered that any VAT incurred in respect of this element would be fully recoverable under the rules for partial exemption.

Grants

Grants offered subject to conditions which have not been met at the year end date are noted as a commitment but not accrued as expenditure.

Allocation and apportionment of costs

Charitable expenditure comprises those costs incurred by the Charity in the delivery of its activities and services for its beneficiaries. It includes both costs that can be allocated directly to such activities and those costs of an indirect nature necessary to support them.

All costs are allocated between the expenditure categories of the SoFA on a basis designed to reflect the use of the resource. Directly attributable costs are allocated by resource, with the balance of expenditure allocated according to the proportion of trustee involvement with each resource.

Governance costs include those costs associated with meeting the constitutional and statutory requirements of the Charity and include the audit fees and costs linked to the strategic management of the Charity.

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued for the year ended 5 April 2021

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Investment property

Investment property is shown at most recent valuation. Any aggregate surplus or deficit arising from changes in market value is recognised in 'net gains/(losses) on investments' in the SoFA.

Taxation

The charity is exempt from corporation tax on its charitable activities.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives.

Investments

Investments are recognised initially at fair value which is normally the transaction price excluding transaction costs. Subsequently, they are measured at fair value with changes recognised in 'net gains/(losses) on investments' in the SoFA if the shares are publicly traded or their fair value can otherwise be measured reliably. Other investments are measured at cost less impairment.

Financial Instruments

Loans and borrowings are initially recognised at the transaction price including transaction costs. Subsequently, they are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method, less impairment.

Debtors and creditors with no stated interest rate and receivable or payable within one year are recorded at transaction price. Any losses arising from impairment are recognised in the income statement.

Debtors

Trade and other debtors are recognised at the settlement amount due after any trade discount offered. Prepayments are valued at the amount prepaid after taking account of any trade discounts due.

Creditors and provisions

Creditors and provisions are recognised where the Charity has a present obligation resulting from a past event that will probably result in the transfer of funds to a third party and the amount due to settle the obligation can be measured or estimated reliably. Creditors and provisions are normally recognised at their settlement amount after allowing for any trade discounts due.

3. INVESTMENT INCOME

	2021	2020
	£	£
Rents received	92,947	96,045
Investment income	24,317	39,771
Deposit account interest	144	540
	<u>117,408</u>	<u>136,356</u>

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**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued
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4. OTHER INCOME

	2021	2020
	£	£
Profit/(loss) on sale of investment	<u>(1,675)</u>	<u>44,604</u>

5. RAISING FUNDS

Investment management costs

	2021	2020
	£	£
Portfolio management	15,661	15,644
Insurance	2,484	2,406
Maintenance charges	<u>7,630</u>	<u>10,217</u>
	<u>28,105</u>	<u>28,267</u>

6. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES COSTS

	Direct Costs £	Grant funding of activities (see note 7) £	Totals £
Donations	3,153	83,000	86,153
Property fees	<u>522</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>522</u>
	<u>3,675</u>	<u>83,000</u>	<u>86,675</u>

7. GRANTS PAYABLE

	2021	2020
	£	£
Donations	<u>83,000</u>	<u>86,537</u>

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8. SUPPORT COSTS

	Governance costs
	£
Other resources expended	<u>2,225</u>

Support costs, included in the above, are as follows:

Governance costs

	2021 Other resources expended £	2020 Total activities £
Accountancy and legal fees	<u>2,225</u>	<u>2,375</u>

9. NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)

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

	2021 £	2020 £
Surplus on disposal of fixed assets	<u>1,675</u>	<u>(44,604)</u>

10. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 5 April 2021 nor for the year ended 5 April 2020.

Trustees' expenses

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 5 April 2021 nor for the year ended 5 April 2020.

11. STAFF COSTS

There were no staff costs for the year ended 5 April 2021 nor the year ended 5 April 2020.

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**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued
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12. COMPARATIVES FOR THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

	Unrestricted fund £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM	
Donations and legacies	30
Investment income	136,356
Other income	<u>44,604</u>
Total	180,990
 EXPENDITURE ON	
Raising funds	28,267
Charitable activities	
Donations	88,761
Property fees	592
Other	<u>2,375</u>
Total	119,995
Net gains on investments	<u>(294,494)</u>
NET INCOME	(233,499)
 RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS	
Total funds brought forward	2,748,817
 TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD	<u><u>2,515,318</u></u>

13. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

	Listed investments £
MARKET VALUE	
At 6 April 2020	1,031,557
Additions	738,567
Disposals	(752,732)
Revaluations	<u>387,749</u>
At 5 April 2021	<u>1,405,141</u>
 NET BOOK VALUE	
At 5 April 2021	<u><u>1,405,141</u></u>
At 5 April 2020	1,031,557

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**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued
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13. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS - continued

Fixed asset investments comprise a portfolio of listed investments and funds managed by Brewin Dolphin and Fairstone Financial Management on behalf of the charity. The funds are valued on a regular basis by the investment managers with reference to current market prices.

14. INVESTMENT PROPERTY

£

FAIR VALUE

At 6 April 2020
and 5 April 2021

1,311,859

NET BOOK VALUE

At 5 April 2021

1,311,859

At 5 April 2020

1,311,859

The trustees consider the cost of the investment to equate to market value.

15. DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2021	2020
	£	£
Trade debtors	52,338	30,707
VAT	<u>1,500</u>	-
	<u>53,838</u>	<u>30,707</u>

16. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2021	2020
	£	£
VAT	-	878
Other creditors	28,962	-
Accruals and deferred income	<u>3,583</u>	<u>1,900</u>
	<u>32,545</u>	<u>2,778</u>

17. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS

	At 6.4.20	Net movement in funds	At 5.4.21
	£	£	£
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	2,515,318	388,807	2,904,125
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>2,515,318</u>	<u>388,807</u>	<u>2,904,125</u>

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**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued
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17. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

Net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Gains and losses £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds				
General fund	115,733	(114,675)	387,749	388,807
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>115,733</u>	<u>(114,675)</u>	<u>387,749</u>	<u>388,807</u>

Comparatives for movement in funds

	At 6.4.19 £	Net movement in funds £	At 5.4.20 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	2,748,817	(233,499)	2,515,318
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>2,748,817</u>	<u>(233,499)</u>	<u>2,515,318</u>

Comparative net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Gains and losses £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds				
General fund	180,990	(119,995)	(294,494)	(233,499)
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>180,990</u>	<u>(119,995)</u>	<u>(294,494)</u>	<u>(233,499)</u>

A current year 12 months and prior year 12 months combined position is as follows:

	At 6.4.19 £	Net movement in funds £	At 5.4.21 £
Unrestricted funds			
General fund	2,748,817	155,308	2,904,125
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>2,748,817</u>	<u>155,308</u>	<u>2,904,125</u>

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17. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

A current year 12 months and prior year 12 months combined net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Gains and losses £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds				
General fund	296,723	(234,670)	93,255	155,308
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TOTAL FUNDS	<u>296,723</u>	<u>(234,670)</u>	<u>93,255</u>	<u>155,308</u>

18. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

There were no related party transactions for the year ended 5 April 2021.