



## Chair's Report for 2022/23

We have been trying new ways of raising funds, and so tried raffling 100 squares to win an Easter Egg – this did not prove popular. A quiz in May was more successful and raised some income as well as being a very good and competitive evening.

There was quite a considerable sum made through donations – there are collecting tins on the counters and the money is split between Suffolk Libraries and the Friends group.

We have continued to sell pens, poly pockets and envelopes – these provide a steady income throughout the year.

We have also supported activities taking place in the library such as celebrations for the Queen's Diamond Jubilee and children's crafts: kitchen crafts proved to be very popular.

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Treasurer (in absence of Chair for this period).

**Friends of Ipswich County Library ANNUAL ACCOUNTS 2022-23**

**INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT**

for the year ended 31 March 2023

	2021/22	2022/23
<b>INCOME</b>		
Sale of goods	£48.00	£310.50
One-off events for adults	£329.00	£632.00
One-off events for children		
Regular events/activities		
Donations	£174.37	£264.27
Miscellaneous	£63.00	
	<u>£614.37</u>	<u>£1,206.77</u>

**EXPENDITURE**

Purchase of goods	£20.97	£579.56
One-off events for adults	£156.04	£559.05
One-off events for children		£32.41
Regular events/activities		£0.00
Catering and equipment	£127.56	£167.85
Miscellaneous	£73.00	£0.00
	<u>£200.56</u>	<u>£1,338.87</u>
Surplus (deficit) for the year	<u><u>£413.81</u></u>	<u><u>-£132.10</u></u>

**BALANCE SHEET**

	at 31 March 2022	at 31 March 2023
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Cash at Bank	£3,100.72	£2,945.82
Cash in Hand	£0.00	£22.80
Debtors	<u>£0.00</u>	<u>£0.00</u>
	<u>£3,100.72</u>	<u>£2,968.62</u>
<b>LESS LIABILITIES</b>		
Creditors	<u>£0.00</u>	<u>£0.00</u>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>	<u><u>£3,100.72</u></u>	<u><u>£2,968.62</u></u>