

Chair's Report

IOWDECA AGM 22nd May 2023

Thanks for coming, I'll try to keep this speech brief... what a year it's been, we are slowly coming out of the pandemic and some of the changes that occurred during the pandemic are still with us in some shape or form and have changed what we all knew the 20 conditions to be. We, as a group, have evolved too and are now using teams much more than ever before and this allows a level of flexibility that we might not have expected prior to Covid settling on our shores.

From a personal point, I got to go to Buckingham Palace just last Friday and met His Royal Highness at the end of a very long queue, while one of our Gold participants tried to knobble him. Of note was Jill Scott's speech where she spoke about teamwork and how she has "a powerful engine and can keep going for a whole game, throwing in tackles and passes all day long, but that is no good if you don't have other people with other skills around you". I am proud to say we have a good team around us from Carol who brings us awesome volunteering opportunities from Havenstreet Steam Railway to the Cats Protection League and Phil who, when the twenty conditions were altered pragmatically viewed the changes as creative and having strengths, where some saw none.

I am proud to be part of this team and am happy to support it wherever it goes in the future.

Natalie Woods

Chair IOWDECA

Isle of Wight Duke of Edinburgh's Award Charitable Association

Income and Expenditure Account Year – ended 31st March 2023

Opening Balance on 1 st April 2022	£3854.05
Plus income	£831.00
Minus expenditure	£2518.76
Closing Balance on 31 st March 2023	£2166.29
 (Deficit for the year	 -£1687.76)

I confirm that in my opinion these accounts are an accurate representation of the year's transactions.

Signed: Wendy Bluestone

Independent Verifier

Date: 31/05/2023

Chairperson: Natalie Woods

Date: 31/05/2023

Isle of Wight Duke of Edinburgh's Award Charitable Association

Income and Expenditure – Account Year ended 31st March 2022

Individual centre accounts

IOWDECA

Opening Balance on 1 st April 2021	£2209.13
Plus income	£429.00
Minus expenditure	£1979.53
Closing balance on 31 st March 2022	£658.60
(Deficit for the year	-£1550.53)

Newport Open Award Centre

Opening Balance on 1 st April 2021	£797.41
Plus income	£5.00
Minus expenditure	£00.00
Closing balance on 31 st March 2022	£802.41
(Credit for the year	+£5.00)

Ryde Open Award Centre

Opening Balance on 1 st April 2021	£28.45
Plus income	£00.00
Minus expenditure	£00.00
Closing balance on 31 st March 2022	£28.45
(No Transactions)	

South Wight Open DofE Centre (now renamed Brading OAC)

Opening Balance on 1 st April 2021	£437.34
Plus income	£392.00
Minus expenditure	£539.23
Closing balance on 31 st March 2022	£290.11
(Deficit for the year	- £147.23)

Millennium Volunteers

Opening Balance on 1 st April 2021	£223.40
Plus income	£00.00
Minus expenditure	£00.00
Closing balance on 31 st March 2022	£223.40

(no transactions)

Kit Hire Account

Opening Balance on 1 st April 2021	£158.32
Plus income	£5.00
Minus expenditure	£00.00
Closing balance on 31 st March 2022	£163.32
(Surplus of	+£5.00)

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