



EMERGENCY VOLUNTEERS ACTION GROUP

A ROTARY/INNER WHEEL PARTNERSHIP

Registered charity no. 1168765

EVAG Report 2022

Emergency Volunteer Action Group is a hybrid organisation of Rotary and Inner Wheel and other volunteers. We respond to callout by local authorities in Dorset, Somerset, and Wiltshire in the event of civil emergencies. We continue to attend both internal and external training courses to keep up with developments. We have our own small store which holds essential response equipment, and we also issue flood prevention gear free of charge, to households in danger of flash flooding.

EVAG has been involved with 3 significant happenings this year

Friday 18 Feb 22

Storm Eunice arrived and caused much damage in the West Country.

Trees uprooted, Electricity and WIFI disrupted. Many rural villages cut off.

EVAG responded to callout by Local Authorities. Visited houses to identify vulnerable people.

March 22

EVAG responded and gave much assistance to Bridgwater Rotary Club. Some £200k of donated medical equipment loaded into giant transporter and sent to Ukraine.

May 22

Invited by local authority to participate actively in large civil exercise involving all the blue light and voluntary organisations. This was a simulated burning ship off the coast at Watchet and EVAG helped run the evacuate on centre.

Our EVAG board members and trustees have attended training courses with the 'blue light' first responders, at which the emphasis is upon cooperation and teamwork amongst the emergency services and voluntary organisations.

Covid

Covid forced us to hold most of our regular meetings via ZOOM, but thankfully the most recent was our first face-to-face for over a year.

Finances

The financial summary is shown below. It can be noted that we paid the SCV £6296.04 as they, a fellow Rotary charity and managers of our logistics, undertook to carry out the purchasing plan, using grants to buy materials for donation to flood-prone areas – domestic flood packs. The decision was made, to delay most of the purchases and to transfer the money, minus that which had been spent on flood pack additions and PPE, back to EVAG.

EVAG ACCOUNTS				
DATE	TRANSACTION	DEBIT	CREDIT	BALANCE
16.10.20	Balance brought forward			659.36
13.11.20	rRotary grant for packs etc		3148.02	3807.38
18.11.20	Somerset Prepared Grant		3148.02	6955.40
6.1.21	Paid to SCV for purchases	6296.04		659.36
22.7.21	Catering cost - film	35.00		
28.7.21	Banner cost - film	70.00		
2.8.21	Hall hire - film	18.00		536.36
16.8.21	Labels for flood packs	102.00		434.36
4.10.21	SSE grant		987.51	1421.87
1.11.21	cheque 100012	199.08		1222.79
14.1.22	Bank charges	5.00		1217.79
5.2.22	Bank charges	5.00		1212.79
8.3.22	Bank charges	5.00		1207.79
5.4.22	Bank charges	5.00		1202.79
4.5.22	Rita's tabard		10.00	1212.79
6.5.22	Bank charges	5.00		1207.79
9.5.22	SCV FUNDS		5976.53	7184.32
5.6.22	Bank charges	5.00		7179.32
14.6.22	Simeon Kit		20.00	7199.32
26.6.22	Pat's Kit		20.00	7219.32
6.7.22	Bank charges	5.00		7214.32
18.7.22	Carol Kit		10.00	7224.32

£987+5976.53= £6963.53, grants received, ring fenced for kit purchases
AVAILABLE FUNDS = 260.79
Income in 2021: £987.51
Expenditure in 2021: £6720.12

EVAG ANNUAL ACCOUNTS 2021				
DATE	TRANSACTION	DEBIT	CREDIT	BALANCE
1.1.21	OPENING BALANCE			6955.4
22.7.21	Paid to SCV for purchases of flood packs etc.	6296.04		659.36
28.7.21	Catering cost - film	35.00		624.36
2.8.21	Banner cost - film	70.00		554.36
16.8.21	Hall hire - film	18.00		536.36
4.10.21	Labels for flood packs	102.00		434.36
4.10.21	SSE grant received FOR FLOOD PACKS		987.51	1421.87
	CLOSING BALANCE	6521.04	987.51	1421.87
	SUMMARY			
	INCOME	987.51		
	EXPENDITURE	6521.04		