

**PINCHES TRUST CIO
TRUSTEES REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024**

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Summary of the Year

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- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent
- state whether applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice have been followed, subject to any 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 business

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APPROVED FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE TRUSTEES:



P R Scott – Chair of Trustees 21st June 2024

PINCHES TRUST CIO
ANNUAL REPORT AND ACCOUNTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED
31 MARCH 2024

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PINCHES TRUST CIO

CHARITY INFORMATION

Registered charity no:	1169298
Date of registration:	21 September 2016
Governing instrument:	Constitution dated 26 February 2016
Trustees:	Mr P.R. Scott (Chair) Mr P.J. Scott Mrs L.B. Scott Ms T.V Anderson Mr A D Brown Mrs E L Brown
Correspondence address:	Epsticks Lodge Warwick Lane Rainham, Essex RM13 9EW
Independent examiner:	S.G. Duker Fredericks Limited Chartered Accountants 106 Charter Avenue Ilford, Essex IG2 7AD
Bankers:	Royal Bank of Scotland

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PINCHES TRUST CIO
RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

	Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Restricted funds 2024 £	Total funds 2024 £	Total funds 2023 £
Income and expenditure				
Incoming resources:				
Trading income	2,000	-	2,000	12,850
Donations	157,450	-	157,450	73,190
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Total incoming resources	£159,450	£ -	£159,450	£86,040
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Resources expended:				
Management and administration of the charity:				
Rent, power and administration	25,886	-	25,886	24,709
Repairs and small capital items	187	-	187	266
Marketing & publications	540	-	540	-
Stationery and printing	206	-	206	357
Bank charges	95	-	95	70
Professional fees	33,963	-	33,963	9,960
Independent examination costs	1,140	-	1,140	1,080
Telephone	1,496	-	1,496	914
Training	1,780	-	1,780	9,459
Consultancy	11,683	-	11,683	5,659
Groundworks, landscaping & site costs	19,104	-	19,104	27,944
Security	218	-	218	447
Sundry costs	2,672	-	2,672	2,155
Insurance	5,931	-	5,931	875
Counselling & support	18,825	-	18,825	-
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Total resources expended	£123,726	£ -	123,726	£83,895
	=====	=====	=====	=====
Net incoming resources for the period	35,724	-	35,724	2,145
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Net movement in funds	£35,724	£ -	£35,724	£ 2,145
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The notes on page 5 form part of these accounts

**PINCHES TRUST CIO
BALANCE SHEET
AT 31 MARCH 2024**

	Notes	31 March 2024 £	31 March 2023 £
Fixed assets			
Tangible fixed assets		-	-
Current assets			
Debtors		17,581	14,481
Cash at bank and in hand		86,465	53,841
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		104,046	68,322
		-----	-----
Less: Current liabilities		-	-
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Net current assets		£104,046	£68,322
		=====	=====
Represented by:			
Restricted funds	2	-	-
Unrestricted funds	2	104,046	68,322
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Total funds	2	£104,046	£68,322
		=====	=====

No guarantees have been given by the CIO

No charges have been created by the CIO

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

1. Accounting policies

a) **Accounting convention**

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

b) **Donations and investment income**

Donations and investment income are accounted for when received.

c) **Grants receivable**

Grants receivable are accounted for over the life of the related project and matched against the expenditure applicable.

d) **Value added tax**

Costs are inclusive of irrecoverable input value added tax.

e) **Fixed assets**

Fixed assets are charged to the receipts and payments account in the year of acquisition. Should significant assets be purchased in forthcoming periods the trustees may decide to capitalise significant capital expenditure.

2. Funds	Restricted Fund	Unrestricted Fund	Total Funds
	£	£	£
Balance brought forward	-	68,322	68,322
Net incoming resources	-	35,724	35,724
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Balance at 31 March 2024	<u>£ -</u>	<u>£104,046</u>	<u>£104,046</u>

**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF PINCHES TRUST CIO
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024**

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of Pinches Trust CIO (the Trust) for the year ended 31 March 2024.

Responsibilities and basis of report

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

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

Independent examiner's statement

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

1. Accounting records were not kept in respect of the Trust as required by section 130 of the Act; or
2. The accounts do not accord with those records.
3. The accounts do not comply with the 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.

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