



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From

Period start date

31 03 2020

To

Period end date

31 03 2021

Charity name

Charlotte's BAG

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any)

1169419

Charity's principal address

PO Box 5439

Brighton

Postcode

BN50 8JR

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1 Miles Eades	Chair		
2 Alex Eades	Trustee		
3 Ailbhe Curran	Treasurer		
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Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

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Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)	Constitution
How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company)	Charitable Incorporated Organisation
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	Appointed by existing trustees

Additional governance issues (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
- the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;
- relationship with any related parties;
- trustees' consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.

Charlotte's BAG works closely with King College Hospital, London in Charlotte's Lab. Research into glioblastoma is undertaken under the guidance of seven of the world's top neuro-oncologists, neurosurgeons and pathologists.

Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

To provide funds to perform research into Glioblastoma, its causes, treatment and cure to ensure that the useful results of such research are published. To advance the education of the public, in particular those involved in the diagnosis, treatments and care of those suffering from Glioblastoma.

Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this

Information about glioblastoma is provided on our website www.charlottesbag.com

section the statutory
declaration that trustees have
had regard to the guidance
issued by the Charity
Commission on public benefit)

Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

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You **may choose** to include
further statements, where
relevant, about:

policy on grantmaking;
policy programme related
investment;
contribution made by
volunteers.



during the year

ultimately finding a cure for Glioblastoma.

This year another £25,000 has been used to fund another biomedical scientist to work within Charlotte's LAB, Kings College Hospital, London. Another £30,000 will be ring-fenced at for King's College, London. At Charlotte's Lab, our charity's biomedical scientists have been successful in demonstrating the efficacy of DNA methylation methods as a means to greatly enhance the speed and accuracy of tumour diagnosis.

Preliminary results have been positive; they show a faster and more accurate way of classifying tumours.

Brief statement of the

Charlotte's BAG does not hold reserves per se, because our funds are earmarked for specific projects, e.g. the biomedical scientist.

charity's policy on reserves

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Details of any funds materially in deficit

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Further financial review details (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant about:

- the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);
- how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;
- investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

We do not feel it necessary to hold allocated reserves because we have no salaries and no overheads (office advertising, etc). This approach which means that every single penny in every single pound we raise goes to Charlottes' BAG, and this is very much respected by our donors.

Section F

Other optional information

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The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)

<i>A. Eades</i>	
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Full name(s)

ALEXANDRA EADES	
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Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

TRUSTEE	
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Date

27.9.2021

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Charlotte's Bag

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the Charlotte's Bag ("the Trust") for the year ended 5 April 2021.

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 of the accounts of the Trust and the bookkeeping entries that support them.

I am satisfied that :-

1. bookkeeping entries are consistent with and support all items of the accounts.
2. supporting documents, for all those bookkeeping entries – except where there would normally not be such documentation – eg donation via internet
3. any queries that I raised during the course of the examination have been responded to satisfactorily with supporting documentation.
4. I have no concerns and have come across no other matters to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts.

This just leaves me to thank the trustees once more for their cooperation.



Jonathan Prior
38 Westfield Avenue South
Saltdean
BN2 8HT
23rd September 2021



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Charity Name
Charlotte's Bag

No (if any)
1169419

Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period from	Period start date 01/04/2020	To	Period end date 31/03/2021
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Direct donations	5,378	-	-	5,378	14,360
Donations via paypal	8,998	-	-	8,998	2,523
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	14,376	-	-	14,376	16,883
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	14,376	-	-	14,376	16,883
A3 Payments					
Kings College Hospital	25,000	-	-	25,000	35,000
Admin Fees via Paypal	217	-	-	217	-
Other	-	-	-	-	86
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	25,217	-	-	25,217	35,086
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	25,217	-	-	25,217	35,086
Net of receipts/(payments)	- 10,841	-	-	- 10,841	- 18,203
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	27,382	-	-	27,382	-
Cash funds this year end	16,541	-	-	16,541	18,203

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Bank account	15,159	-	-
	Paypal account	1,382	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	16,541	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK
		Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets	Details	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
B3 Investment assets	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B5 Liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name	Date of approval	
	<i>A. Eades</i>	<i>A EADES</i>	<i>27.9.21</i>	