

Charity Registration Number 1171969

PUJARA CHARITBALE FOUNDATION

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

To 31/03/2023

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Period to 31 March 2023

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**PUJARA CHARITABLE FOUNDATION
TRUSTEES ANNUAL REPORT
PERIOD TO 31 MARCH 2023**

The trustees have pleasure in presenting their report and the unaudited financial statements of the charity for the period to 31 March 2023.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered charity name PUJARA CHARITABLE TRUST

Charity registration number 1171969

Registered office 17 WINDRUSH DRIVE, LEICESTER, LE2 4GH

THE TRUSTEES

The trustees who served the charity during the period were as follows:

AJAY ADATIA

HANSA POOJARA

HITESH PUJARA

MANISH KOTECHEA

NIKITA PUJARA

PANNA PUJARA

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Pujara Charitable Trust is a registered charity and a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) governed by its Constitution dated the 09th of March 2017. The charity was registered with the Charity Commission of England and Wales on 09th March 2017. The trustees to the charity are appointed by the majority decision of serving trustees. The charity activities are managed by the trustees.

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

The objectives of the organisation, as set out in its governing document are:

(1)

To relieve financial hardship, distress and suffering among poor people, victims of natural disasters and other people in need by means of, but not exclusively, making grants or loans for providing or paying for items, equipment, services and facilities, including the provision of food, clean water, clothing, livelihood programmes, and accommodation for the benefit of the said persons;

(2)

To relieve sickness and to preserve good health among persons in need, by means of, but not exclusively, the provision or assistance in the provision of equipment, medicines and facilities, such as testing and treatment centres and clinics for the benefit of the said persons;

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OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES (Cont..)

(3)

To advance education for the benefit of the poor, the illiterate and the general public by means of, but not exclusively, the provision or assistance in the provision of educational resources, equipment, activities and facilities, such as schools, libraries and training centres, and the provision of scholarships;

(4)

The promotion of moral or spiritual welfare by making grants to provide facilities for worship and religious education for the benefit of the public.

The activities of the charity are to support charitable projects furthering the objects of the charity via grants.

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

During the period, the charity supported various charities with similar aims, which benefited over 1,000 people in the UK, Canada and India. Some charities supported include Together Against Cancer, Help The Homeless, Pushti Nidhi UK, The BIG Give, MacMillan Cancer Support, Asian Foundation For Help and Places of Worship and Education centres in the UK.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

The charity relies upon the generosity of the public and sponsors. The charity is grateful to the donors and sponsors who supported our appeals and fundraisers. During the year, total income for the period was £86,996. Of these funds, the charity incurred expenses of £76,164. Of these £70,649 were given in grants. The charity is in sound financial position and has maintained reserves of £55,126 for future expenditure on charitable activities in furtherance of the aims of the charity.

PLANS FOR FUTURE PERIODS

The charity intends to continue supporting charitable projects and holding fundraising appeals to increase the number of beneficiaries.

PUBLIC BENEFIT

The trustees have given due regard to the public benefit requirements and guidance of the Charity commission and can confirm that they are meeting these requirements for the benefit of the public and are benefitting the public by advancing education, building spiritual welfare and reliving sickness.

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INDEPENDENT EXAMINATION

The Trustees require an independent examination of the accounts as the charity's income is above £25,000. The Trustees have appointed Fusion Accounting Ltd as the Independent Examiner.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE TRUSTEES

The charity's trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

The law applicable to charities in England and Wales requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity and of the incoming resources and application of resources of the charity for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charities SORP;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material
- 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 operation.

The trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 1993 and the Charity (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008. The trustees are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Signed on behalf of the trustees

Date: 26/01/2024

Mr Hitesh Pujara
Trustee & Chair

**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF
PUJARA CHARITABLE FOUNDATION
YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023**

I report on the accounts of the charity for the year ended 31 MARCH 2023 set out on pages 6 to 8.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of the charity 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 Charity'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 Charity as required by section 130 of the Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records.

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.



26.01.2024

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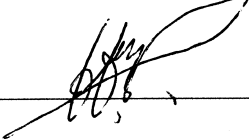
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RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS STATEMENT
PERIOD TO 31st MARCH 2023**

	<i>Notes</i>	Restricted	Unrestricted	Total	<i>Total</i>
		<u>Funds</u>	<u>Funds</u>	<u>Funds</u>	<u>Funds</u>
				2023	2022
		£	£	£	£
RECEIPTS					
Donations		61,953	6,417	68,370	16,566
Property Rent		-	18,584	18,584	18,895
Gift Aid		-	-	-	-
Interest		-	42	42	1
TOTAL RECEIPTS	-	61,953	25,043	86,996	35,462
PAYMENTS					
Grants		61,953	10,498	72,451	27,065
Legal and Professional Costs			1,408	1,408	267
Accountancy Fees		-	1,350	1,350	675
Bank Charges			589	589	475
Website			240	240	240
LA Rates		-	-	-	58
Stationery and Printing		-	-	-	51
Venue costs			800	800	-
SUB TOTAL PAYMENTS		61,953	14,885	76,838	28,831
TOTAL PAYMENTS		-	14,885	76,838	28,831
NET RECEIPTS		-	10,156	10,156	6,631
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS					
Total funds brought forward		-	44,968	44,968	38,337
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED					
FORWARD		-	55,126	55,126	44,968

**PUJARA CHARITABLE FOUNDATION
STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES
PERIOD TO 31st MARCH 2023**

	<i>Notes</i>	Restricted <u>Funds</u>	Unrestricted <u>Funds</u>	Total <u>Funds</u>
	Notes	£	£	£
CASH FUNDS				
Cash at Bank & in hand		-	55,126	44,969
INVESTMENT ASSETS				
Investment Property		172,500		
LIABILITIES				
Loans returnable			(1)	
TOTAL LIABILITIES			(1)	

Signed on behalf of the trustees



Mr Hitesh Pujara
Trustee & Chair
26/01/2024