

PROJECT REDSAND CIO

England & Wales · Charity number 1172590

Details

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Company number [CE010063](#)

Registered 2017-04-18

Register [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

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Activities

Objects: THE RESTORATION, PRESERVATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE REDSAND TOWERS SEA FORT FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PUBLIC AND TO ADVANCE THE EDUCATION OF THE PUBLIC ABOUT ITS HISTORY.

Activities: The preservation and restoration of the Redsand Towers Sea Fort, Thames Estuary, United Kingdom. Educating & informing the public through exhibitions, broadcasts, press, website and publicity material. Providing access to the Redsand Fort for historians, writers, journalists and engineers.

Classification

- **How:** Other Charitable Activities
- **What:** Education/training, Other Charitable Purposes
- **Who:** The General Public/mankind

Geography

- Kent

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	-	-	-	-
2023-12-31	£45	£4,672	-	-
2022-12-31	£7,105	£288	-	-
2021-12-31	£1,339	£1,897	-	-
2020-12-31	£2,300	£2,263	-	-
2019-12-31	£3,067	£1,882	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
DAVID PETER JACKSON		2024-07-28
Glyn Povey		2026-03-18
Paul Holyhead		2026-03-18
Stephen John Christian		2018-08-04

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Annual Trustees Report for period 01 January 2022 - 31 Dec 2023

Aims & Purpose

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Achievements & Performance

Preservation and Restoration

The Charity has amazingly found one of the sea Forts 1/20 3.7 Inch HAA Guns which we believe from Tongue Sands Naval Fort in 1992 which is to be on a Loan Lease agreement with Slough Fort Preservation Trust at no cost to themselves. Works on this are moving in earnest. We have also continued projects from the previous year namely preparing materials for the upcoming year. This is to include replacing the upper handrail (Galvanised) to enable works on the outside of the fort to be carried out by ourselves safely as the new steel will not damage the roping system. We have also started insulating and replacing the hardboard wall panelling (some of which was damaged by weather due to some of our unwanted visitors leaving windows and doors open.)

Unfortunately yet again during this period we have had a number of break ins resulting in vandalism whereby the upper ladder has been cut off and removed. This issue still needs to be addressed /replaced.

This has hampered access somewhat.

Public Awareness

During this period the charity has yet again worked on promotion of the project and the structures and we were invited to attend the Military Odyssey Show in Detling amongst many others and our Mobile Museum has taken off very well !this was very well received by the public having spoken to a large amount of people and we even met a veteran who served on the Forts and one of the supply vessel captains from the Pirate Radio era . We have a number of filming projects set aside for the

better weather next year . These filming activities will yet again go towards raising awareness of the Sea Forts existence, history, and future for their global public audiences.

Financial Review

Total receipts on funds spent over the period

£ 4672.00 this included buying the 3.7Inch HAA Gun and the donation towards the transport with Slough Fort Preservation Trust with £7105.00 brought forward from the previous year.

This leaves a remaining balance of 3427.00

Volunteers

We would like to yet again thank all the volunteers who work so hard for the charity, both as part of the working team on site carrying out the repair and restoration work and those who work tirelessly promoting and spreading the good work of the charity.

Structure & Management

The charity is governed by a Committee of Trustees, with Interim Chairman , Secretary and Treasurer. The Trustees are responsible for the direction of the Charity, and making decisions on all matters of general concern and importance of the Sea Fort, including how the funds of the charity are to be spent.

The Trustees meet for a recorded meeting at least once per quarter, with regular ad-hoc discussions in the intervening periods.

Administrative Information

Project Redsand CIO Trustees who currently serve on the board.

Mr David Foulkes	Interim Chairman/Fabrications Co Ordinator
Mr Steve Christian	Treasurer / Secretary / Works Co Ordinator
Mr David Jackson	Works Foreman

Approved by the Trustees of PROJECT REDSAND CIO on 12th November 2023 and signed on their behalf by David Foulkes (Interim Trust Chairman)

Financial Statements for the Year ending 31 December 2023

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total £
RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT		

Receipts

Receipts from Corporate Donors	0	0
Receipts from General Public	45.00	0
Income Tax Recovered	-	-
Interest Income	-	-
Other Income (note 1)	1,839	1,839
		7105.

Payments

Staffing Expenses (note 2)		
Admin Expenses (note 3)	190.00	
Site Expenses (note 4)	1743.00	
Materials	500.00	
Equipment		0
		-
Excess of Receipts over Payments	7105.00	-
Bank Accounts 31 st Dec	2433.00	7105.00

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

Cash Funds		
Bank Current Account	7105.00	£3427.00

The attached notes form part of these financial statements

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Financial Report Notes

- 1) No other income was received
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The Charity has continued projects from the previous year namely finishing the windows in Room 1 And installing the windows in Room 2 , and the weatherproofing of the upper floor of tower G1 with previously constructed windows provided by the previous charity and new ones constructed by ourselves. We have also started insulating and replacing the hardboard wall panelling.

Unfortunately during this period we have had a number of break ins resulting in vandalism mainly the temporary bridge to the Control tower being destroyed by being cut down and the top main access ladder into G1 being cut off and removed.

Public Awareness

During this period the charity has yet again worked with multiple organisations in the TV and Film Industry, and has successfully carried out two filming activities namely with Dan Snow for the online program History Hit to be aired to the public in multiple countries. And a private company for a small historic TV series. These filming activities will yet again go towards raising awareness of the Sea Forts existence, history, and future for their global public audiences.

Financial Review

Total receipts on unrestricted funds were £1339.14 with £7021.52 brought forward from the previous year..

£1897.60 was spent over the period, of which £250 being spent on staff expenses to enable the corporate filming to be carried out, which resulted in £1897.60 in receipts. A sizeable of £1500.00 was give to Mr M Harmer of Marine A Services in March to cover mechanical repairs to the X Pilot.

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	Unrestricted Funds £	Total 2020 £
RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT		
Receipts		
Receipts from Corporate Donors	850	2300.06
Receipts from General Public	123.51	-
Income Tax Recovered	-	-
Interest Income	-	-
Other Income (note 1)	1,839	1,839
	<hr/> 7161	<hr/> 7934
Payments		
Staffing Expenses (note 2)	250	460
Admin Expenses (note 3)	147.60	77
Site Expenses (note 4)	1500.00	526
Materials	156.80	272
Equipment	-	-
	<hr/> 397.60	<hr/> 1,885

Excess of Receipts over Payments	7161.03	7934
Bank Accounts 31 st Dec	7161.03	7934

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		7161	793
	1,839		4
Payments		250	460
Staffing Expenses (note 2)		147.60	77
Admin Expenses (note 3)		1500.00	52
Site Expenses (note 4)			6
Materials		156.80	27
Equipment			2
		-	-
Excess of Receipts over Payments		397.60	1,88
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Total Exp 2020	£ 2,262.54
Total Inc 2020	£ 2,300.06
Total:	£ 7,934.36

Expenditure 2020

Date	Amount	Type	Description	Account - Bank / Paypal
18/02/2020	£ 110.00	Trustee	David Foulkes	Bank
09/03/2020	£ 50.00	Expences	Christopher Rogers	Bank
09/03/2020	£ 258.04	Supplies	TecWeld	Bank
09/03/2020	£ 100.00	Trustee	David Foulkes	Bank
13/07/2020	£ 598.44	Expences	Brownes Boatyard	Bank
08/07/2020	£ 147.60	Expences	1ST-Choice	Bank
19/08/2020	£ 200.00	Trustee	David Foulkes	Bank
19/08/2020	£ 247.75	Volunteer	Mr A Cutts	Bank
02/09/2020	£ 24.27	Volunteer	Mr A Cutts	Bank
08/10/2020	£ 82.44	Supplies	Jeap Clothing & PR PPE	Bank
23/11/2020	£ 444.00	Supplies	Duplicquick Ltd	Bank
Total	£ 2,262.54			

Income 2020

Date	Amount	Type	Description	Account - Bank / Paypal
20/01/2020	£ 50.00	Transfer	In from Paypal	Paypal
26/02/2020	£ 67.01	Transfer	In from Paypal	Paypal
20/02/2020	£ 5.26	Transfer	In from Amazon	Amazon
05/02/2020	£ 1,200.00	Donation	Filming Donation	Bank
21/05/2020	£ 5.04	Transfer	In from Amazon	Amazon
17/06/2020	£ 900.00	Donation	Filming Donation	Bank
13/08/2020	£ 7.71	Transfer	In from Amazon	Amazon
16/11/2020	£ 6.84	Transfer	In from Amazon	Amazon
10/12/2020	£ 58.20	Transfer	In from Paypal	Paypal
Total	£ 2,300.06			

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16/11/2020	£ 6.84	Transfer	In from Amazon	Amazon
10/12/2020	£ 58.20	Transfer	In from Paypal	Paypal
Total	<u>£ 2,300.06</u>			