

ENGLISH SCHOOLS FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION



FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED

30TH JUNE 2023

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FOR THE 12 MONTHS

1ST JULY 2022 TO 30TH JUNE 2023

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LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

<u>CHARITY NUMBER:</u>	1173338
<u>TRUSTEES:</u>	M COYNE (CHAIR) D WOOLLASTON (Resigned 8 July 2023) M HIGNETT (Resigned 8 July 2023) M ROBINSON N LOFTUS P HARDING P JACKSON (Appointed 8 July 2023) S BOTHAM
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<u>HONORARY AUDITORS:</u>	A REED G HAWKINS (Appointed 8 July 2023)
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REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the period 1 July 2022 to 30 June 2023. The trustees have adopted the provisions of the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) "Accounting and reporting by Charities" (FRS 102) in preparing the annual report and financial statements of the charity.

TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

The trustees are responsible for preparing the Report of the Trustees 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 & 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 (FRS 102);
- 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 2011, the Charity (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 and the provisions of the trust deed. They 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.

The trustees are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the charity and financial information included on the charity's website. Legislation in the United Kingdom governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

RISK MANAGEMENT

The Trustees have assessed the major risks to which the charity is exposed, in particular those related to the operations and finances of the charity, and are satisfied that systems are in place to mitigate our exposure to the major risks. Where appropriate, systems or procedures have been established to mitigate the risks the charity faces.

Trustees routinely monitor a comprehensive risk register to assess risk materialisation, the impact of mitigation and any new or emerging risks.

The risk register drives the creation of internal controls including but not restricted to the implementation of procedures for authorisation for some transactions, in accordance with the scheme of delegation.

Procedures are also in place to ensure compliance with safeguarding and health and safety of staff, volunteers, clients and visitors to the ESFA's HQ and activities and events staged by the Association, as well as other key legislative drivers.

THE OBJECTIVES OF THE CHARITY AND STRUCTURE SET UP TO ACHIEVE THEM

(a) The mental, moral and physical development and improvement of schoolchildren and students up to twenty years of age through the medium of Association Football.

(b) To further such other purposes which may be charitable according to the law of England and Wales as the Trustees see fit from time to time.

The ESFA allows Associations to affiliate to the national association and school customers to take part through competition entry. Schools affiliate to local associations at all-age, secondary, middle school, and primary level. They in turn elect members to serve on the national association which organises the activities of the association, with the support of a full-time chief executive and professional staff.

The Trustees are elected from the national council and are already familiar with the practical work of the charity.

The ESFA is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO). The ESFA's constitution, based on Charity Commission's recommended format, consists of rule and bye-laws which are available annually from the ESFA HQ. These rules and bye-laws are implemented and the programme of national activities is supported in order to meet the objects of the Association.

At the end of each season the council of the ESFA publishes its annual report which sets out the work, development and achievements of the association. ESFA review aims, objectives and activities each year. This review looks at what has been achieved and the outcomes of the work in the previous 12 months. The review looks at the success of each key activity and the benefits they have brought to those groups of people the ESFA is set up to help. The Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit has been referred to when reviewing the aims and objectives and in planning the future activities. In particular the ESFA consider how these planned activities will contribute to the objectives of the Association.

The annual report also carries a report of the financial position of the association while the council member responsible gives a verbal report at the Annual General Meeting explaining the salient features of the printed accounts.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023 (CONTINUED)ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

Overall, the Trustees are satisfied that the objectives of the charity are being met. The annual accounts identify those areas of income which have been received as a result of sponsorship, partnership, affiliation, donation & grant aid.

Details of the ESFA's achievements & activities in relation to the Charity's purpose for public benefit are outlined in the ESFA's Annual Report for season 22/23.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

The statement of Financial Activities for the year is set out on page 4 of the financial statements.

Funding for the charity's main activities is by sponsorship and FA funding.

PROPERTY

In the Trustees' opinion the Balance Sheet value of the property is not materially different to the market value.

RESERVES POLICY

The ESFA needs reserves in order to protect the future of the Association and to meet its obligations in the event that funding sources fail to reach the levels required to operate for the season. The Trustees have determined that 2 types of reserve are necessary:

Short term accessible reserves: are required to cover any temporary or unforeseen setbacks in income, or any unexpected expenditure.

Long term reserves: to protect against the risks from the external environment, such as:
confirmation of income not being received at the point of budget setting
the need to pay in advance for some activity
mitigation against the loss of a major funder
mitigation against concurrent loss of multiple income sources.

In considering the appropriate level of reserves, the trustees took into account:

Existing funds

Future income streams, together with an assessment of their reliability

Committed expenditure and how far this is controllable

The key areas of risk facing the association, and how likely these are to materialise.

Taking into account the external environment and risks, Trustees annually set the balance of investment between the long term and the short term, and the levels of funding necessary to maintain the ESFA's operation for one season in the event of income loss as described above.

The trustees have agreed that the reserves policy would be reviewed at least every 3 years.

With regards to risk, the trustees aim to invest in low-risk funds that maximise interest. With regards to ethics, the association will not invest in funds or companies whose activities obviously conflict with those of the ESFA.

Budgets are set for each financial year and these are reviewed and reports produced on a regular basis.

Professional advice is sought and taken when appropriate.

GOING CONCERN

No material uncertainties that cast significant doubt about the ability of the association to continue as a going concern have been identified by the trustees. This assessment had taken account of the changes in income and expenditure, along with the increased diversification of income streams, medium term funding contracts and good performance against funder targets. Also taken into consideration were the association's cash and fixed assets. On the basis of their assessment of the ESFA's financial position, the trustees have a reasonable expectation that the association will be able to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future.

Therefore they continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the annual financial statements.

PLANS FOR FUTURE PERIODS

Looking forward to Season 2023/24 and beyond, the ESFA will continue to ensure that football is available to all schoolchildren and students.

The ESFA's Trustees have approved & resourced a business plan for 23/24, as the final year of a 4 year plan.

The business plan outlines the following aims:

Further develop sustainable, consistent, high quality schools' football both locally & nationally

A cycle of good governance improvements

Increasing opportunities for mass participation in schools' football

Sustaining representative football

Creating opportunities for new players to take part in schools' football

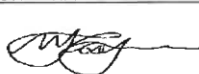
Generate sufficient income

Good financial health

To meet our charitable objectives the activities of the Association will be monitored & improvements sought whenever possible.

AUDITORS

A resolution proposing that Lancaster Haskins Limited be re-appointed as auditors of the charity will be put to the Annual General Meeting.

SIGNED ON BEHALF OF THE TRUSTEES

M. COYNE



P. HARDING



M. ROBINSON

Date: 10 October 2023

REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE TRUSTEES OF ENGLISH SCHOOLS FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION**Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of The English Schools Football Association (the "charity") for the year ended 30 June 2023 which comprise the statement of financial activities, the balance sheet, statement of cash flows and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

This report is made solely to the charity's trustees, as a body, in accordance with Part 4 of the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the charity's trustees those matters we are required to state to them in an auditors' report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the charity and the charity's trustees, as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the charity's affairs as at 30 June 2023, and of its incoming resources and application of resources for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs UK) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the charity in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the ISAs (UK) require us to report to you where:

- the trustees' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate; or
- the trustees have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt about the charity's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Other information

The trustees are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the trustees' annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 require us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- the information given in the financial statements is inconsistent in any material respect with the trustees' report; or
- sufficient accounting records have not been kept; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

Responsibilities of trustees

As explained more fully in the trustees' responsibilities statement set out on page 2, the trustees are responsible for the preparation of financial statements which give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the trustees determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the trustees are responsible for assessing the charity's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the trustees either intend to liquidate the charity or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists.

Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. The extent to which our procedures are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud is detailed below:

Our approach to identifying and assessing the risks of material misstatement in respect of irregularities, including fraud and non-compliance with laws and regulations, was as follows:

- the engagement partner ensured that the engagement team collectively had the appropriate competence, capabilities and skills to identify or recognise non-compliance with applicable laws and regulations;
- we identified the laws and regulations applicable to the charity through discussions with trustees and other management, and from our commercial knowledge;
- we focused on specific laws and regulations which we considered may have a direct material effect on the financial statements or the operations of the charity, including the Charities Act 2011, data protection, anti-bribery, employment, environmental and health and safety legislation;
- we assessed the extent of compliance with the laws and regulations identified above through making enquiries of management and inspecting legal correspondence; and
- identified laws and regulations were communicated within the audit team regularly and the team remained alert to instances of non-compliance throughout the audit.

We assessed the susceptibility of the charity's financial statements to material misstatement, including obtaining an understanding of how fraud might occur, by:

- making enquiries of management as to where they considered there was a susceptibility to fraud, their knowledge of actual suspected and alleged fraud;
- considering the internal controls in place to mitigate risks of fraud and non-compliance with laws and regulations; and

To address the risk of fraud through management bias and override of controls, we:

- performed analytical procedures to identify any unusual or unexpected relationships;
- tested journal entries to identify unusual transactions;
- investigated the rationale behind significant or unusual transactions; and

In response to the risk of irregularities and non-compliance with laws and regulations, we designed procedures which included, but were not limited to:

- agreeing financial statement disclosures to underlying supporting documentation;
- reading the minutes of meetings of those charged with governance;
- enquiring of management as to actual and potential litigation and claims;

There are inherent limitations in our audit procedures described above. The more removed that laws and regulations are from financial transactions, the less likely it is that we would become aware of non-compliance. Auditing standards also limit the audit procedures required to identify non-compliance with laws and regulations to enquiry of the directors and other management and inspection of regulatory and legal correspondence, if any.

Material misstatements that arise due to fraud can be harder to detect than those that arise from error as they may involve deliberate concealment or collusion.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at: www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

Lancaster Haskins Ltd

Date: 10 October 2023

Lancaster Haskins Limited, Statutory Auditor
Granville House, 2 Tettenhall Road, Wolverhampton, WV1 4SB

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	<u>Note</u>	<u>Unrestricted</u> <u>Funds</u> £	<u>Restricted</u> <u>Funds</u> £	<u>Total</u> <u>2023</u> £	<u>Total</u> <u>2022</u> £
INCOME & ENDOWMENTS FROM					
<u>Other Trading Activities</u>					
Sponsorship	8	359,110	-	359,110	299,500
Partnerships	9	48,976	-	48,976	54,123
Donations & Royalties		2,753	-	2,753	2,743
Handbooks & Publications	12	3,745	-	3,745	3,245
Fundraising & Publicity	13	27,000	-	27,000	15,000
Player Passport Registration		-	-	-	69,765
<u>Investment Income</u>	10	12,614	-	12,614	733
<u>Charitable Activities</u>					
FA Income	11	-	533,442	533,442	568,707
Year 3 & 4 Festivals	16	-	57,000	57,000	-
Affiliation & Sanction Fees		6,600	-	6,600	6,850
Disciplinary Charges		10,815	-	10,815	4,532
National Competition Hospitality Sales		390	-	390	139
National Competition Representative Entry Fees		36,001	-	36,001	-
National Competition School Entry Fees		157,274	-	157,274	117,305
International Matches	14	22,759	-	22,759	20,625
Total		688,037	590,442	1,278,479	1,163,267
EXPENDITURE ON					
<u>Raising Funds</u>					
Fundraising & Publicity	13	51,282	-	51,282	35,177
Investment Management Costs		193	-	193	-
<u>Charitable Activities</u>					
International Matches	14	76,874	-	76,874	76,046
Council and AGM	18	24,440	-	24,440	20,914
Management & Administration	18	230,258	275,187	505,445	382,658
National Competitions	19	248,188	94,353	342,541	340,946
Year 3 & 4 Festivals	16	-	56,933	56,933	-
Association Grant Funding	17	16,622	-	16,622	40,250
FA Expenditure	15	-	163,490	163,490	200,130
Total		647,857	589,963	1,237,820	1,096,121
<u>Gains/ (Losses) On Investment Assets:</u>					
Realised		13,063	-	13,063	-
Unrealised		-	-	-	(17,060)
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)		53,243	479	53,722	50,086
Transfer Between Funds		479	(479)	-	-
Net Movement In Funds:	7	53,722	-	53,722	50,085
Total Funds Brought Forward		2,008,855	-	2,008,855	1,958,769
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		2,062,577	-	2,062,577	2,008,854

All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised during the year.

BALANCE SHEET - AS AT 30 JUNE 2023

		<u>30/06/23</u>		<u>30/06/22</u>	
	<u>Note</u>	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
<u>FIXED ASSETS</u>					
Tangible Fixed Assets	4		604,054		627,089
Investments	5		-		171,815
<u>CURRENT ASSETS</u>					
Stock		15,368		16,515	
Debtors	21	136,533		298,818	
Deferred Expenditure		159		2,010	
Cash At Bank	6	1,613,693		1,285,765	
		<u>1,765,753</u>		<u>1,603,108</u>	
<u>CREDITORS: Amounts Falling Due Within One Year</u>					
Sundry Creditors & Accruals	22	237,674		223,205	
Advance Income	23	69,556		169,952	
		<u>307,230</u>		<u>393,157</u>	
<u>NET CURRENT ASSETS</u>			<u>1,458,523</u>		<u>1,209,951</u>
<u>TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES</u>			<u>2,062,577</u>		<u>2,008,855</u>
<u>CREDITORS: Amounts Falling Due After More Than One Year</u>					
			-		-
<u>NET ASSETS</u>			<u>2,062,577</u>		<u>2,008,855</u>
<u>FUNDS AND RESERVES</u>					
Unrestricted Funds	7		2,062,577		2,008,855
Restricted Funds	7		-		-
<u>TOTAL FUNDS</u>			<u>2,062,577</u>		<u>2,008,855</u>

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the Board on 10 October 2023
Signed on behalf of the board of trustees



M. COYNE

Date: 10 October 2023

The notes on pages 7 to 15 form part of these financial statements.

Charity Commission Number: 1173338

CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	<u>Note</u>	<u>30/06/23</u> £	<u>30/06/22</u> £
Cash flows from operating activities:			
Cash generated from operations	1	146,212	(137,329)
Tax paid		-	-
		<hr/>	<hr/>
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities		<hr/> 146,212 <hr/>	<hr/> (137,329) <hr/>
Cash flows from investing activities:			
Purchase of tangible fixed assets		(3,161)	(28,636)
Sale of fixed asset investments		184,878	-
		<hr/>	<hr/>
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities		<hr/> 181,717 <hr/>	<hr/> (28,636) <hr/>
Change in cash and cash equivalents in the reporting period		327,929	(165,965)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the reporting period		1,285,765	1,451,730
		<hr/>	<hr/>
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the reporting period		<hr/> 1,613,694 <hr/>	<hr/> 1,285,765 <hr/>

NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 20231. RECONCILIATION OF NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE) TO NET CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

	<u>30/06/23</u> £	<u>30/06/22</u> £
Net income/(expenditure) for the reporting period (as per the statement of financial activities)	53,722	50,086
Adjustments for:		
Realised Gain from listed investments	(13,063)	17,060
Depreciation	26,197	22,488
Decrease in stocks	1,147	(464)
Decrease in debtors	164,136	(282,108)
Decrease in creditors	(85,927)	55,609
	<hr/>	<hr/>
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	<hr/> 146,212 <hr/>	<hr/> (137,329) <hr/>

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Basis Of Preparation

The English Schools' Football Association is a charitable incorporated organisation (CIO) registered in England. The financial statements of the charity, which is a public benefit entity under FRS 102, have been prepared in accordance with the Charities SORP (FRS 102) 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities and the Charities Act 2011.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention with the exception of investments which are included at market value, as modified by the revaluation of certain assets.

(b) Fixed Assets

Depreciation is provided on office equipment over 3 years on a straight line basis in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life. Expenditure on new computers is depreciated over 3 years on a straight line basis. The property is depreciated at a rate of 2% per year commencing 1 January 2007.

(c) Fund Accounting

General funds are unrestricted funds which are available for use at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the charity and which have not been designated for other purposes. Restricted funds are funds which are to be used in accordance with specific restrictions imposed by donors or which have been raised by the charity for particular purposes.

(d) Income Recognition

Sponsorship income is recognised in the financial statements as the relevant competition expenditure falls due. All other incoming resources are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SoFA) when the charity is legally entitled to the income after any performance conditions have been met, the amount can be measured reliably and it is probable that the income will be received.

(e) Grants

Income from grants are recognised at fair value in the financial statements upon receipt and offset against the expenditure to which they relate.

(f) Resources Expended

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to the category.

(g) Pension Costs

The charity operates a defined contribution scheme for members of staff. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the charity in an independently administered fund. The amount charged in the SoFA represents the contributions payable to the scheme in respect of the accounting period.

(h) Operating Leases

The net rentals for operating leases are charged to the income and expenditure account on an equal-instalment basis over the period of the operating lease.

(i) Stock

Stock is included in the accounts at the lower of cost and net realisable value and relates to stock held for the award scheme, presentation and saleable items.

(j) Deferred incoming resources

Income is deferred in respect of sponsorship, competition entry fees and grants which relate to periods subsequent to 30 June 2023, on a time-apportioned basis.

(k) FA Income

The receipt in advance of a grant for expenditure that must take place in a future accounting period is accounted for as deferred income and recognised as a liability until the accounting period in which the ESFA is allowed by the condition to expend the resource.

(l) Investments

Investments are shown at market value with the unrealised surplus being transferred to unrestricted funds.

(m) Financial Instruments

Basic financial instruments are recognised at amortised cost, except for investments in non-convertible preference and non-puttable ordinary shares which are measured at fair value with changes recognised in profit or loss. Derivative financial instruments are initially recorded at cost and thereafter at fair value with changes recognised in profit and loss.

(n) Significant judgements and estimates

Management is required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and underlying assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

There are no key sources of estimation uncertainty that have a significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements.

(o) Support costs allocation

Support costs are those that assist the work of the charity but do not directly represent charitable activities and include office costs, governance costs, administrative payroll costs. They are incurred directly in support of expenditure on the objects of the charity and include project management carried out at Headquarters. Where support costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to cost of raising funds and expenditure on charitable activities on a basis consistent with use of the resource.

2. RELATED PARTIES

The association is affiliated to the Football Association Limited and transactions between the parties are detailed in the statement of financial activities and notes. Please refer to page 4, page 10, note 11 and page 11, note 15.

No remuneration or other benefits were paid to any of the ESFA Trustees.

The ESFA's Key Management Personnel received a total of £117,099 in employee benefits for their services to the charity. Two individual staff members received employee benefits (excluding employer pension costs) of more than £60,000.

3. CONTROL RELATIONSHIPS

The ultimate control is the English Schools' Football Association elected Board of Trustees.

4. FIXED ASSETS

	Computer & Office Equipment	Leasehold Property	Total
	£	£	£
<u>Cost</u>			
As at 1 July 2022	126,985	780,018	907,003
Additions	3,161	-	3,161
Disposals	-	-	-
As at 30 June 2023	130,146	780,018	910,164
<u>Depreciation</u>			
As at 1 July 2022	38,113	241,800	279,913
Charge For The period	10,597	15,600	26,197
Adjustment On Disposals	-	-	-
As at 30 June 2023	48,710	257,400	306,110
<u>Net Book Values</u>			
As at 30 June 2023	81,436	522,618	604,054
As at 30 June 2022	88,871	538,218	627,089

5. <u>FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS</u>	<u>30/06/23</u>	<u>30/06/22</u>
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
Quoted Unit Trust Investments		
Market Value As at 1 July 2022	171,815	188,875
Additions/(Disposals)	(184,878)	-
Net Realised Investment Gain (Loss)	13,063	-
Net Unrealised Investment Gains (Loss)	-	(17,060)
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
As at 30 June 2023	-	171,815
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

Investments were sold in the year with the realised surplus being transferred to unrestricted funds.

6. <u>CASH AT BANK</u>	<u>30/06/23</u>	<u>30/06/22</u>
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
High Interest Accounts	1,244,159	1,072,675
Current Accounts	369,326	212,666
Cash In Hand	208	424
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	1,613,693	1,285,765
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

7. <u>FUNDS</u>	<u>30/06/23</u>		<u>30/06/22</u>	
	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Restricted</u>	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Restricted</u>
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
As at 1 July 2022	2,008,855	-	1,958,769	-
Surplus/(Deficit) For The Period	53,722	-	50,086	-
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
As at 30 June 23	2,062,577	-	2,008,855	-
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

8. <u>SPONSORSHIP</u>	<u>30/06/23</u>	<u>30/06/22</u>
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
Sony PlayStation, Utilita & Mark Harrod		299,500
Sony PlayStation, Pokemon, Utilita & Mark Harrod	359,110	
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	359,110	299,500
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

9. <u>PARTNERSHIPS</u>	<u>30/06/23</u>	<u>30/06/22</u>
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
<u>Income</u>		
First Point USA, Oddballs Apparel Ltd, UCFB		
VEO Technologies, Zone Telecoms Ltd, Pro:Direct		
& STATSports Group		67,917
First Point USA, Oddballs Apparel Ltd, UCFB		
VEO Technologies, Zone Telecoms Ltd, Pro:Direct		
& STATSports Group	72,000	
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
<u>Expenditure</u>		
Support costs	23,024	13,794
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
	48,976	54,123
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

10 INVESTMENT INCOME		30/06/23	30/06/22
		£	£
Interest And Dividends		12,614	733
11 FA INCOME		30/06/23	30/06/22
		£	£
Governance		266,310	224,776
Competitions		193,687	247,601
Development		55,426	16,131
Leadership		18,019	7,098
Revenue		-	73,101
		533,442	568,707
12. HANDBOOKS AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS		30/06/23	30/06/22
		£	£
<u>Income</u>			
Handbooks & Competition Booklets		11,136	9,264
<u>Expenditure</u>			
Handbooks & Competition Booklets		7,391	6,019
		3,745	3,245
13 FUNDRAISING & PUBLICITY		30/06/23	30/06/22
		£	£
<u>Income</u>			
Panini UK & Haier			15,000
Panini UK & Pro:Direct		27,000	
		27,000	15,000
<u>Expenditure</u>			
Webcasting events		22,000	13,050
Photographer		6,000	2,427
Schools Football Week		3,349	2,845
PR items & Surveys		9,166	9,585
Management & Administration	18	10,767	7,270
		51,282	35,177
		(24,282)	(20,177)

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14 INTERNATIONAL MATCHES

(Including support from InspireSport)

	<u>30/06/23</u>		<u>30/06/22</u>	
	£	£	£	£
<u>Income</u>				
Home International Receipts & Other Income	12,520		5,369	
Player Sponsorship	7,851		10,032	
Inspire Sport	2,388		5,224	
		22,759		20,625
<u>Expenditure</u>				
U18 (Boys) Home Internationals	22,905		18,830	
U18 (Boys) Away Internationals	16,829		12,784	
U18 (Boys) Groups Coaching (Home & Away)	6,625		10,023	
U18 (Boys) Interviews, Uniforms & Kit	1,969		1,676	
U15 (Girls) Home Internationals	-		12,422	
U15 (Girls) Away Internationals	10,848		1,882	
U15 (Girls) Group Coaching (Home & Away)	6,575		7,190	
U15 (Girls) Interviews, Uniforms & Kit	1,802		980	
SAFIB	2,862		500	
Media & Other Expenditure	6,459		9,759	
Underspend on Prior Year Reserves	-		-	
		76,874		76,046
		(54,115)		(55,421)

15 FA EXPENDITURE

	<u>30/06/23</u>		<u>30/06/22</u>	
	£	£	£	£
Association Grants & Affiliation Fees	6,600		30,370	
Safeguarding visits	1,055		456	
County Administrators (including Management & Administration)	105,767		114,664	
Development Activities	8,528		12,800	
Muslim Schools Festival	3,000		382	
Deaf Schools Festival	3,224		2,447	
Disability Festivals	1,567		104	
Futsal Activities	7,000		-	
Intraschool "Hotshots" Activities	9,009		31,808	
Referee Bursaries	7,870		-	
Reward & Recognition	8,637		-	
Volunteer Funding	1,233		7,099	
		163,490		200,130

16 YEAR 3 & 4 FESTIVALS

	<u>30/06/23</u>		<u>30/06/22</u>	
	£	£	£	£
<u>Income</u>				
Football Association	35,000			
Premier League Charitable Fund	22,000			
		57,000		-
<u>Expenditure</u>				
Year 3 & 4 Festivals	56,933			
		56,933		-

17 ASSOCIATION GRANT FUNDING (NOT FA FUNDED)

	<u>30/06/23</u>		<u>30/06/22</u>	
	£	£	£	£
County & District Associations	622		32,250	
Regional Associations	16,000		8,000	
		16,622		40,250

18 MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

Administration And Headquarters		30/06/23	30/06/22
		£	£
Salaries, National Insurance And Pension		516,537	409,142
Heat & Light		12,838	11,718
Telephone And Postage		5,289	5,280
Printing And Stationery		3,844	3,835
Staff Recruitment And Training		10,316	1,386
Professional Services		7,628	9,340
Safeguarding & DBS costs		1,920	684
Secretarial And Travel		11,794	10,596
Sundry (includes disallowed VAT)		14,164	11,825
Website & Software Fees		7,587	4,564
Repairs & Maintenance		17,412	25,284
Depreciation		26,197	22,488
Lease Of Equipment		6,572	5,517
Insurance		35,658	16,469
Bank Charges		391	242
Bank charges for competitions		149	191
Bank charges for Player Passport		-	3,222
Bad Debt Write Off		449	-
Rental Income	(8,178)	(8,083)
Subsidiary Company costs		13	13
		670,580	533,712
Auditor's emoluments			
Included in professional services		4,670	4,670
Allocated as follows			
Charitable Activities		505,445	382,658
County Administrators	15	14,134	12,000
Fundraising & Publicity	13	10,767	7,270
National Competitions	19	140,234	131,785
		670,580	533,713
Council And Annual General Meeting		30/06/23	30/06/22
		£	£
Meetings		13,847	8,312
County, Association, Area/ Matches & Meetings		1,391	8,074
Telephone, Stationery, Postage & Allowances		845	3,732
Long Service Awards		234	237
Professional Services		4,280	559
Annual General Meeting		3,843	-
		24,440	20,914
Average Number Of Employees		30/06/23	30/06/22
Office And Secretarial		13	13
County Administrators		4	5
Analysis of employees' remuneration			
Gross remuneration		447,378	356,576
Employer's NIC		38,602	27,165
Employer's pension contributions		28,423	25,401
Redundancy payments		2,134	-
		516,537	409,142

Pension Costs

The association operates a defined contribution scheme. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the association in an independently administered fund. The pension cost charge represents contributions payable to the fund and amounted to £28,423 (2022: £25,401). There were 14 members of staff in the scheme. At 30 June 2023, there were no accrued contributions (2022: £0)

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19 NATIONAL COMPETITIONS		30/06/23	30/06/22
	£	£	£
<u>Schools & Superleague Competitions</u>			
U18 Superleague (Boys)	2,775		2,696
U18 Superleague (Girls)	2,634		2,621
U18 Inter School (Boys)	2,732		2,622
U18 Inter School (Girls)	2,754		2,580
U18 Inter School B Team (Boys)	2,799		2,611
U16 Inter School (Boys)	2,783		2,647
U16 Inter School (Girls)	2,690		2,556
U16 Inter Elite School (Boys)	2,758		2,571
U16 Inter School B Team (Boys)	2,816		2,495
U16 Inter Small School (Boys)	2,789		2,603
U15 Inter School (Boys)	4,133		3,655
U15 Inter School (Girls)	4,138		3,585
U15 Inter School New (Girls)	3,419		-
U15 Inter Elite School (Boys)	4,108		3,619
U15 Inter School B Team (Boys)	4,101		3,564
U15 Inter School B Team (Girls)	3,431		-
U15 Inter Small School (Boys)	4,133		3,626
U15 Inter Small School (Girls)	3,161		-
U14 Inter School (Boys)	4,275		3,694
U14 Inter School (Girls)	4,111		3,594
U14 Inter Elite School (Boys)	4,159		3,585
U14 Inter School B Team (Boys)	4,173		3,587
U14 Inter Small School (Boys)	4,235		3,587
U13 Inter School (Boys)	4,161		3,694
U13 Inter School (Girls)	4,151		3,578
U13 Inter School New (Girls)	3,429		-
U13 Inter Elite School (Boys)	4,168		3,566
U13 Inter School B Team (Boys)	4,122		3,654
U13 Inter School B Team (Girls)	3,358		-
U13 Inter Small School (Boys)	4,123		3,680
U13 Inter Small School (Girls)	1,695		-
U12 Inter School (Boys)	4,140		3,634
U12 Inter School (Girls)	4,137		3,591
U12 Inter Elite School (Boys)	4,125		3,533
U12 Inter School B Team (Boys)	4,208		3,538
U12 Inter Small School (Boys)	4,116		3,585
U11 Inter School (Boys)	7,373		5,242
U11 Inter School (Girls)	7,213		5,282
U11 Inter Small School (Mixed)	7,530		5,426
		151,156	114,101
<u>Representative Competitions</u>			
U18 Inter County (Boys)	2,669		-
U16 Inter County (Boys)	2,431		5,958
U16 Inter County (Girls)	2,394		6,413
U15 Inter District (Boys)	4,293		4,546
U15 Inter District (Girls)	3,593		-
U14 Inter County (Boys)	2,506		4,966
U14 Inter County (Girls)	2,479		6,658
U14 Inter District (Boys)	4,382		5,003
U14 Inter District (Girls)	4,019		4,329
U13 Inter District (Boys)	4,476		5,402
U13 Inter District (Girls)	3,954		-
U12 Inter District (Boys)	4,476		5,706
U12 Inter District (Girls)	4,305		5,622
U11 Inter District (Boys)	2,317		3,575
U11 Inter District (Girls)	2,356		2,509
Champions Cup Grant Distribution	-		53,485
Champions Cup Branding and Subscription	501		2,308
Underspend on Prior Year Reserves	-		(21,420)
		51,151	95,060
<u>Management Costs</u>			
Management & Administration	18	140,234	131,785
		342,541	340,946

20	VALUE ADDED TAX	<u>30/06/23</u>	<u>30/06/22</u>
		<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
	Payments Made To HM Revenue & Customs During the Period	55,573	34,395
		=====	=====
21	DEBTORS (DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR)	<u>30/06/23</u>	<u>30/06/22</u>
		<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
	Trade debtors	111,207	267,758
	Prepayments	1,714	1,445
	HMRC (VAT)	23,612	29,615
		=====	=====
		136,533	298,818
		=====	=====
22	CREDITORS (DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR)	<u>30/06/23</u>	<u>30/06/22</u>
		<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
	Trade creditors	25,188	71,903
	Accruals	212,486	151,302
		=====	=====
		237,674	223,205
		=====	=====
23	ADVANCED INCOME	<u>30/06/23</u>	<u>30/06/22</u>
		<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
	Balance Bfd	169,952	179,032
	Movement for year	(100,396)	(9,080)
		=====	=====
	Balance cfd	69,556	169,952
		=====	=====
24	OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS	<u>30/06/23</u>	<u>30/06/22</u>
		<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
	Due within 1 year	8,801	8,801
	Due between 1 and 2 years	3,548	3,548
	Due between 2 and 5 years	-	-
	Due over 5 years	-	-
		=====	=====

25 HOME INTERNATIONAL MATCHES - DETAILS

U18 BOYS ENGLAND v NORTHERN IRELAND (Billericay Town FC)

	<u>14/04/2023</u>	
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
<u>Income</u>		
Ticket & Programme Sales	6,317	
Hospitality, Sponsorship & Mascot Packages	960	
		7,277
<u>Expenditure</u>		
Ground Hire & Stewarding	3,876	
Accommodation & Meals for team	3,989	
Management Team, Council & Match Officials Travel	2,553	
Match Programme	744	
Hospitality & Post Match Meal	333	
Presentation Items	108	
		11,603
Loss	(4,326)

U18 BOYS ENGLAND v WALES (Hednesford Town FC)

	<u>28/04/2023</u>	
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
<u>Income</u>		
Ticket & Programme Sales	4,760	
Hospitality	483	
		5,243
<u>Expenditure</u>		
Ground Hire & Stewarding	3,783	
Accommodation & Meals for team	3,999	
Management Team, Council & Match Officials Travel	1,492	
Match Programme & Advertising	820	
Hospitality & Post Match Meal	1,100	
Presentation Items	108	
		11,302
Loss	(6,059)