

**MERSEYSIDE SUDANESE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION**

**Registered Charity No. 1175481**

**TRUSTEES' REPORT and ACCOUNTS**

**for the year ended 30th September 2024**

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TRUSTEES' REPORT**

for the  
Year ended 30th September 2024

**Charity Information**

**Name:** Merseyside Sudanese Community Association

**Charity Registration Number:** 1175481

**Charitable structure:** Merseyside Sudanese Community Association is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation and Registered Charity, number 1175481, registered on 31st October 2017

**Address:** The Charity's principal address is:  
Princes Park Methodist Church  
Beaconsfield Street  
Liverpool  
L8 2UU

**Trustees & Principal Officers:** The names of the Trustees and principal officers of the charity who served during the year were:

Mr Nasreddine Yahya Banda	Chairman
Ms Aida Hassan	Trustee
Ms Khadija Haider	Trustee
Mr Yagoub Mohamed	Trustee
Mr Mohamed Bilal	Trustee
Mr Mustafa Mohammed-Ali	Trustee
Mr Suroor Abu baker	Trustee
Mr Eng. KHALID IDDRISS	Trustee

**Bankers:** Barclays Bank  
Liverpool Lord Street Branch  
48-50 Lord Street  
Liverpool  
L2 1TD

**Independent Examiner:** KHAN ACCOUNTANCY SERVICES LTD  
76/78 SMITHDOWN ROAD  
LIVERPOOL,  
L7 4JQ

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**NARRATIVE INFORMATION**

Merseyside Sudanese Community Association is an independent registered charity, structured as a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) that works with all the diaspora Sudanese community in Merseyside.

**ACTIVITIES**

This report covers the second full year of operation. During the previous year we delivered an educational project for our children, which we partly operated from our former premises with the project running in Crawford House - with funding obtained in the previous financial year from the Community Fund's Awards for All [AfA] programme.

During the year reported on here, we were successful in obtaining a second Community Fund Awards for All grant for a project – desired by and co-designed with our women's sub-group, Empowering Sudanese Women in Merseyside - within the wider UK society; but unfortunately, we were unable to start this until the end of the period, due to the lock-down rules imposed under the Covid-19 pandemic. The details and success of this project will be reported in our next Trustees' Annual Report.

Other than the AfA grant, we were successful in obtaining financial support from Liverpool City Council, under covid-19 arrangements; subs were generally not collected during this period.

The group continued to meet, as far as possible due to the pandemic, to provide support to community members.

**FUTURE PLANS**

Our immediate plans are to seek further resources for our children and young people, to provide sports and social facilities, that others can sometimes take for granted, whilst they build up their self-confidence to take part in the wider society.

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Mr Nasreddine Yahya Banda  
Chairman  
5th June 2025

## **MERSEYSIDE SUDANESE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION**

### **TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT and FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30th SEPTEMBER 2024**

#### **Independent Examiner's Report on the Accounts**

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Merseyside Sudanese Community Association

I report on the accounts of the Charity for the year ended 30th September 2024, which are set out on page 3.

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 30th September 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 the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

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

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Act
- or
- the accounts do not accord with the accounting records

#### **Independent examiner's statement**

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed:

Name: KHAN ACCOUNTANCY SERVICES LTD  
Address: 76/78 SMITHDOWN ROAD LIVERPOOL  
L7 4JQ

Date: 5th June 2025

**Merseyside Sudanese Community Association**  
**INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT**  
**for the Year ended 30th September 2024**

	<b>2024</b>	<b>2023</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
<b><u>INCOME</u></b>		
Subscriptions & Donations	874	263
Grants	-	-
Bank interest	-	-
Other	-	-
<b>Income Totals</b>	<b>874</b>	<b>263</b>
<b><u>EXPENDITURE</u></b>		
Room / premises hire	650	4,190
Staffing costs	1,500	400
Activities & Events	-	1,760
Refreshment	823	933
Transport	-	442
Community website	1,187	-
Stationery, materials, etc	75	75
Accountancy fee	400	-
<b>Expenditure Totals</b>	<b>4,635</b>	<b>7,800</b>
 <b>Operating (Deficit)/Surplus</b>	 <b>(3,761)</b>	 <b>(7,537)</b>

**Merseyside Sudanese Community Association**

**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**

**As at the Year ended 30th September 2024**

	<b>2024</b>	<b>2023</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
<b><u>Fixed Assets</u></b>		
Tangible assets	-	-
<b><u>Current assets</u></b>		
Cash at bank	12,835	16,055
<b>Creditors: amounts falling due within one year</b>	<u>(8,463)</u>	<u>(7,922)</u>
<b>Net current</b>	<u><u>4,372</u></u>	<u><u>8,133</u></u>

**Funds**

<b>Funds B/Forward</b>	8,133	15,670
Operating (Deficit)/Surplus	<u>(3,761)</u>	<u>(7,537)</u>
	<u><u>4,372</u></u>	<u><u>8,133</u></u>

**APPROVAL**

The trustees confirm that the accounts comply with statutory requirements and with those of the Merseyside Sudanese Community Association governing document.

Mr Nasreddine Yahya Banda  
Chairman

5th June 2025