

Shirley Lions Club (CIO)

Annual report and accounts
For year ending 30th June 2024



Registered Charity number: 1189811

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 1/7/2023 To 30/6/2024

Charity name: Shirley Lions Club (CIO)

Charity registration number: 1189811

Objectives and Activities

The club raised funding through various activities throughout the year, the regular ones being the annual Carnival, a Beer Festival, a plant sale and a Christmas Sleigh collection. Funds raised are then used to make donations and support local and international humanitarian projects decided upon by the members of Shirley Lions Club.

The activities undertaken are enjoyed by the local community and other local charities and community groups are invited to join in the activities to raise their profile and to supplement their own fundraising activities.

Donations to individuals and organisations are considered on a case by case basis and voted upon by club members.

The charity does not use Social Investment but instead relies on a mixture of donations, grants, fundraising functions and sponsorship. In ensuring that this is successful, activities are posted on social media highlighting how funds have been spent on activities and donations as well as requesting support where appropriate.

The members pay an annual subscription to cover the administrative costs of running the club with their main contribution coming from giving their time freely.

Achievements and Performance

Approximately 6,300 people benefitted from the club's activities, this includes local people benefitting from foodbank donations, receiving free prostate testing, and community events such as Shirley Carnival. In addition the club made various donations of over £12,000. The majority of the donations were for local causes but some funds were also sent via the Lion Clubs International Foundation in support of International disasters.

The club continues to support the Lions competition for Young Ambassador of the 21st Century by identifying candidates and supporting them through the competition process. This is a competition which recognises and rewards youngsters between the ages of 16 and 19 who have given significant service to their local community. Youngsters between the ages of 8-18 are encouraged and supported to become actively engaged in voluntary work in the local community.

The club is also active in distributing the Lions Message in a Bottle to vulnerable people and other charities. This helps the emergency services to save valuable time in identifying an individual quickly and knowing if they have any allergies or take special medication.

Financial Review

All activities are undertaken by members, family and friends. In this accounting period this accounted for a total of over 1,000 hours, all of which was on a voluntary basis.

Funds received from the public for a specific cause e.g. prostate testing, are held as restricted funds and utilised for that purpose with any surplus being held for the following year's event.

Shirley Lions does not have any large regular commitments so any reduction in income, as seen with the previous COVID lockdown, means that there has to be a corresponding reduction in donations until other fundraising activities can found. Budgets for donations are reduced ensuring that there are still funds available to cover unexpected emergency requests for support.

Structure, Governance and Management

Whilst the club uses a standard Lion Clubs Constitution, the Trust Deed this is modified by locally approved By-Laws. Trustees are appointed each year, being the persons holding the post of President, Secretary, Treasurer, plus Immediate Past President and Vice President Club where possible and/or a member of Shirley Lions Club as elected by the club members.

Reference and Administrative details

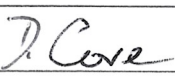
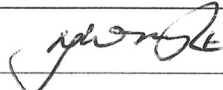
Charity name	Shirley Lions Club (CIO)
Other name the charity uses	Shirley Lions
Registered charity number	1189811
Charity's principal address	57, Monastery Drive Solihull West Midlands B91 1DP

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year
1	Ken Barker	President	
2	Martin Wright	Secretary	
3	David Cove	Treasurer	
4	Jacqueline Culliford	Club director	

Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	David Cove	Martin John Wright
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Treasurer	Secretary
Date	8/1/25	8/1/25



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SHIRLEY LIONS CLUB CIO

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Receipts and payments accounts

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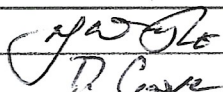
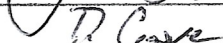
For the period from	Period start date 01/07/2023	To	Period end date 30/06/2024
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Section A Receipts and payments

	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					
GiftAid	3,075		-	3,075	3,310
Donations & sponsorship	1,321		-	1,321	1,581
Beer Festivals	6,233		-	6,233	5,708
Christmas Sleigh	6,884			6,884	6,959
Shirley Carnival	5,516			5,516	7,807
Plant sale	1,123			1,123	1,476
Prostate Testing event		2,314		2,314	2,353
Club Charter	1,088			1,088	1,332
Pensioner's Party	408			408	384
Sundry income				-	15
Membership subscriptions	2,174		-	2,174	2,372
50 Club subscriptions	1,021			1,021	972
Christmas Hamper Raffle	683			683	
Fashion Show	273			273	
Quiz	346			346	
Young Ambassador Bursary	500			500	
Foodbank donations	112			112	
M I A B donations	47			47	
Bank Interest	20			20	
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	30,824	2,314	-	33,138	34,269
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-		
	-	-	-		-
Sub total	-	-	-		-
Total receipts	30,824	2,314	-	33,138	34,269
A3 Payments					
Charitable donations	12,745		-	12,745	19,318
Beer Festivals	4,603			4,603	4,505
Christmas Sleigh	933			933	731
Shirley Carnival	3,516			3,516	3,514
Plant Sale	137			137	50
Prostate Testing event		4,670		4,670	4,468
Dues paid	2,144			2,144	2,131
Prize Draws	552			552	533
Pensioner cards, gifts & party	2,887			2,887	2,656
Garage rent	336			336	324
Club Charter	1,027			1,027	1,332
Message in a bottle	1,366			1,366	300
Card reader				-	312
Sundry expenses	1,325		-	1,325	781
Christmas Hamper Raffle	11			11	
Fashion Show	70			70	
Quiz	40			40	
				-	
				-	
Sub total	31,692	4,670	-	36,362	40,955

A4 Asset and investment purchases. (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	31,692	4,670	-	36,362	40,955
Net of receipts/(payments)	- 868	- 2,356	-	- 3,224	- 6,686
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end *	18,858	6,287	-	25,145	31,831
Cash funds this year end	17,990	3,931	-	21,921	25,145

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	CIO a/c	10,985	3,931	-
	Activities a/c	3,554		-
	Admin a/c	383		-
	Carnival a/c	1,353		-
	Pay Pal a/c	-		-
	50 Club a/c	1,715	-	-
	Total cash funds	17,990	3,931	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))			
	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
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 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	
		MARTIN WRIGHT	8/1/25	
		DAVID COVE	8/1/25	



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Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/
members of

SHIRLEY LIONS CLUB C I O

On accounts for the year
ended

30.6.2024.

Charity no
(if any)

1189811

Set out on pages

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I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 30.6.2024.

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").

Independent
examiner's statement

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 (other than that disclosed below *) 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

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.

* Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.

Signed:

Paul Ison

Date:

9-12-2024

Name:

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qualification(s) or body
(if any):

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