

REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER: 1190326

**Report of the Trustees and
Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31st December 2024
for
Thomas Corbett's Charity**

Thomas Corbett's Charity

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for the Year Ended 31st December 2024**

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Report of the Trustees
for the Year Ended 31st December 2024

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31st December 2024. The trustees have adopted the provisions of Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019).

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Objectives and aims

The objects of the CIO are, for the public benefit:

- the prevention or relief of poverty by the provision of social housing in the form of almshouse accommodation for persons who are in need, hardship or distress,
- such charitable purposes for the benefit of residents of the almshouses as the trustees from time to time decide,

Public benefit

The trustees confirm that they complied with the duty in section 17(5) of the Charities Act 2011 to have due regard to guidance published by the Charity Commission's on public benefit when reviewing the charity's aims and objectives and in planning future activities.

ACHIEVEMENT AND PERFORMANCE

Charitable activities

The charity has not yet commenced trading.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Financial position

There was no income earned or expenditure generated during the year

Reserves policy

There are currently no reserves in the Charity.

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FINANCIAL REVIEW

Investment policy and objectives

The objectives of the policy are to ensure the creation of sufficient income and capital growth to enable the charity to carry out its purposes consistently year by year with due and proper consideration for future needs and the maintenance, and if possible, enhancement of the value of the invested funds.

The trustees will invest the funds in accordance with the Trustee Act 2000, which requires that the trustees:

- shall exercise such power with the care that a prudent person of business would in making investments for a person for whom they felt morally obliged to provide;
- shall not make any speculative or hazardous investment (and for avoidance of doubt this power to invest does not extend to laying out money on the acquisition of futures and or trading options);
- shall have regard to the need for diversification of investments in the circumstances of the charity and to the suitability of the proposed investments;
- with the exception of British Government Securities, the initial investment in one holding should not exceed 5% of the total value of the portfolios and the sum of all holdings in excess of 5% must not be equal to or exceed 40% and where no individual holding will be greater than 10%;
- there are no ethical or geographical restrictions.

Additionally, the trustees have a duty to review their investments at regular intervals. The trustees will review the investment policy at least annually. The trustees may change any part of the policy at any time.

The investment manager must be an authorised person who is entitled to carry out investment business under the provisions of the Financial Services Act 1986.

The trustees have delegated the powers of investment management to Rathbone Investment Management. The appointment of Rathbone Investment Management will be reviewed on a regular basis.

Performance

The total value of the portfolios will be measured by reference to the FTSE All Share Index.

Cash Deposits

Cash deposits will be placed with approved banks with suitable credit ratings

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The charity is controlled by its governing document, a constitution, and constitutes a charitable incorporated organisation.

Recruitment and appointment of new trustees

The board of Trustees appoint new trustees when positions become vacant.

Decision making

Decisions are made by the trustees in general meeting and execution of those decisions is delegated to the Clerk.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered Charity number

1190326

Principal address

Fern Bank
Wike Lane
Sambourne
Redditch
Worcestershire
B96 6NY

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Report of the Trustees
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Trustees

Mrs R R Wyatt
Mrs S M Cutler
Mr E A B Webb
Mr C Caddick
Mrs J Collings

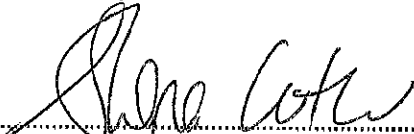
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Approved by order of the board of trustees on21/10/25..... and signed on its behalf by:


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Mrs S M Cutler - Trustee

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Statement of Financial Activities
for the Year Ended 31st December 2024

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted fund £	Endowment fund £	2024 Total funds £	2023 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM						
Donations and legacies		-	-	-	-	-
Charitable activities						
Maintenance of Wychbold Almshouse		-	-	-	-	-
Investment income		-	-	-	-	-
Total		-	-	-	-	-
EXPENDITURE ON						
Raising funds		-	-	-	-	-
Charitable activities	2					
Maintenance of Wychbold Almshouse		2,165	-	-	2,165	-
Total		2,165	-	-	2,165	-
Net gains/(losses) on investments		-	-	-	-	-
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)		(2,165)	-	-	(2,165)	-
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS						
Total funds brought forward		-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		(2,165)	-	-	(2,165)	-

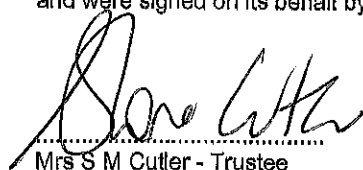
The notes form part of these financial statements

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Balance Sheet
31st December 2024

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted fund £	Endowment fund £	2024 Total funds £	2023 Total funds £
FIXED ASSETS						
Tangible assets		-	-	-	-	-
Investments		-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-
CURRENT ASSETS						
Debtors		-	-	-	-	-
Cash at bank		6,785	-	-	6,785	16,168
		6,785	-	-	6,785	16,168
CREDITORS						
Amounts falling due within one year	4	8,950	-	-	8,950	16,168
NET CURRENT ASSETS / (LIABILITIES)		(2,165)	-	-	(2,165)	-
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		(2,165)	-	-	(2,165)	-
NET ASSETS / (LIABILITIES)		(2,165)	-	-	(2,165)	-
FUNDS						
Unrestricted funds					(2,165)	-
Restricted funds					-	-
Endowment funds					-	-
TOTAL FUNDS					(2,165)	-

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees and authorised for issue on 21/10/25 and were signed on its behalf by:


Mrs S M Cutler - Trustee

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Notes to the Financial Statements
for the Year Ended 31st December 2024

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

BASIS OF PREPARING THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019)', Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' 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.

The significant accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied at all years presented unless otherwise stated.

The accounts are prepared in Sterling, which is the functional currency of the charity. Monetary amounts in these statements are rounded to the nearest £.

INCOME

All income is recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities once the charity has entitlement to the funds, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably.

Income from maintenance receipts is recognised in line with the periods to which such income relates.

Grant income is recognised when the charity has been notified of the amounts. If there are conditions attached to the grant and this requires a level of performance before entitlement can be obtained then income is deferred until those conditions are fully met or the fulfilment of those conditions is within the control of the charity and it is probable that they will be fulfilled.

Income from listed investments is recognised when the right to receive payment is established.

EXPENDITURE

Liabilities are recognised as expenditure as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to that expenditure, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all cost related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

TAXATION

The charity is exempt from tax on its charitable activities.

FUND ACCOUNTING

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees.

Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is included in the notes to the financial statements.

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Notes to the Financial Statements - continued
for the Year Ended 31st December 2024

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The charity has elected to apply the provisions of Section 11 'Basic Financial Instruments' and Section 12 'Other Financial Instruments Issues' of FRS 102 to all of its financial instruments.

Financial instruments are recognised when the charity becomes party to contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets are offset, with the net amounts presented in the accounts where there is a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Basic Financial Assets

Basic financial assets, which include trade and other receivables and cash and bank balances, are initially measured at transaction price including transaction costs and are subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the transaction is measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest.

Basic Financial Liabilities

Basic financial liabilities, including trade and other payables, are initially recognised at transaction price unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the debt instrument is measured at the present value of future receipts, discounted at a market rate of interest. Debt instruments are subsequently carried at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method.

Trade payables are obligations to pay for goods or services that have been acquired in the ordinary course of the operations from suppliers. Accounts payable are classified as current liabilities if payment is due within one year or less. If not, they are presented as non-current liabilities. Trade payables are recognised initially at transaction cost.

2. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES COSTS

SUPPORT COSTS

	2024 £	2023 £
Legal and professional fees	2,165	-
	<u>2,165</u>	<u>-</u>

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3. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 31st December 2024 nor for the year ended 31st December 2023.

TRUSTEES' EXPENSES

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 31st December 2024 nor for the year ended 31st December 2023.

4. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2024	2023
	£	£
Amount due to Thomas Corbett's Charity 202032	8,950	16,168
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	<u>8,950</u>	<u>16,168</u>

4. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

During the year ended 31st December 2023, a bank account was opened with CAF. All transactions in this account relate to the Thomas Corbett's Charity registration number 202032. The balance in this account at the year end was £6,785 (2023 - £16,168) as shown in note 4.

In the current year legal and professional fees totalling £2,165 were paid on behalf of the charity by the Thomas Corbett's Charity, registration number 202032. These are included in note 4.