

SALAAM SISTERS TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT

From 01 May 2023 To 30 April 2024
Charity registration number: 1191888

OBJECTIVES

We are a charitable organisation based in London, helping marginalised communities (Women and girls) to gain access to available services to improve their general wellbeing which includes support for the poor and needy especially homeless people and women and children.

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

The group is highly active in our local community which makes it possible for us to interact with people of varying nationalities and other organisations.

In 2023 to 2024 the group engaged with Southwark council, Community Referral Pathway in the referral and distribution of Southwark Cost of Living Fund. This initiative supported Southwark resident who are on low incomes and pay towards energy for their home.

In 2023 the group also engaged in the referral of women, based on initial assessment, who are referred to us by other sister groups for support in regards to ongoing physical and psychological issue relating to abuse.

Since 2015, the group sponsors a sister to go on the Hajj Pilgrimage (Mecca) annually and continues to do so.

Also, Salaam Sisters continue to provide cooked food for various mosques in the Southeast London which it does for the last 10 days of Ramadan. The group has done so for nearly 16 years without any break.

Our generosity is not only limited to the minority and underprivileged within our society, but also extended to our less fortunate people in Sierra Leone in providing food for our local Masjids in Sierra Leone. This was facilitated by partner sister group called the Dawah Sisters and Sisters that Feed. They assisted us in fulfilling our Islamic duties through providing food for the poor and needy, prisoners and patients at Cannaught hospital, in Sierra Leone.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

The Charity's financial position is good currently and it is able to meet its expenditure, also the trustees see no uncertainties as members are all committed to the cause the charity stands for.

The Charity's principal source of funds remains voluntary contribution from its members, however the charity organised a fund-raising activity in this financial year which helps boost its finances.

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Salaam Sisters is an association model Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) governed by a Board of Trustees whose duties and obligations include to further the objectives of the charity while at the same time ensure that all the regulatory requirements are adhered to.

All Trustees are elected at Annual General Meetings and re-elected every two years. No trustee can be a trustee for more than nine years. Trustees are elected from the general membership of the charity and based on their skills, knowledge, and experience. At the election, each member of the charity shall cast a vote by a secret ballot on first past the post.

The following persons acted as trustees within the Year.

FATMATA SILLAH	CHAIR
Kadiatu Kamara	Trustee
Isatu Bah	Treasurer
Nancy Kanu	Secretary

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

SIGNATURE:

Full Name: *NANCY KANU*

Position: *SECRETARY*

Date: *10th June 2024*



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

SALAAM SISTERS

1191888

Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period
from

Period start date
01/05/2023

To

Period end date
30/04/2023

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					
DONATIONS / CONTRIBUTIONS	22,928	-	-	22,928	3,820
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	22,928	-	-	22,928	3,820
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	22,928	-	-	22,928	3,820
A3 Payments					
BUILDING PROJECTS	3,000	-	-	3,000	16,000
STATIONERY		-	-	-	135
FUNDRAISING	520	-	-	520	
VISIT TO HAJJ/DONATIONS	582	-	-	582	6,100
SUBSCRIPTION	144	-	-	144	144
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	4,246	-	-	4,246	22,379
A4 Asset and investment purchases. (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	4,246	-	-	4,246	22,379
Net of receipts/(payments)	18,682	-	-	18,682	- 18,559
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	2,569	-	-	2,569	21,128
Cash funds this year end	21,251	-	-	21,251	2,569

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	CASH AT BANK	21,251	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	21,251	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name		Date of approval
	N KANU	NANCY KANU		10/06/2024