

Trustees' annual report (including Directors' report) for the period

From: 1/09/2022 To: 31/08/2023

Charity name: Lumi Education (during the period known as Sade Lumi Education)

Charity registration number: 1193969

Company number:

Objectives and activities

Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	1. Advancement of Education (a) "To advance the education of young girls and women at Lumi International School by providing and assisting in the provision of formal education at a free secondary school. (b) "For the public benefit to promote the education (including social and physical training) of women under the age of 30 years in Neno, Malawi in such ways as the charity trustees think fit, including by: (1) Providing their education (including the study of music or other arts), to undertake travel in furtherance of that education or to prepare for entry to any occupation, trade or profession on leaving any educational establishment." 2. Advancement of Transportation (a) "To provide transport facilities in Neno, Malawi for people who have special need of such facilities because they are living in isolated areas where there are no adequate public transport facilities by: (1) operating a regular bus service using adapted vehicles between areas not otherwise served by public transport in order to allow accessibility to attend Lumi International School".
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Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	In this period our focus has been identifying small scale ways to help the local schools and communities in Neno. We have organised a fundraising events and also crowdfunded money through Crowdfunder platform so we could use it for activities in Malawi. The biggest fundraising event was Children to Children dance show in Brighton in March 2023. Other fundraising events included cakes sales and clothes sales. In Malawi, our volunteers visited the Jimbe primary school and started working with them to put plans together for improving the school with the help of our charity and the volunteers by building much needed toilets and changing rooms. Among other activities in August 2023 Lumi Education created a writing competition for the students.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	All the profit raised in our fundraising events has gone towards the charities activities. All community activities in Neno Malawi have been to improve the lives of the students and help the community.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

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Achievements and performance

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How is the charity constituted? for example limited company, unincorporated association, CIO	The charity is a CIO.
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Trustees have been selected according to their willingness to make the difference to the issues Lumi Education has set out to improve in Malawi and on previous experience with community and charity work. Any new trustee has presented their CV to the team and has been voted into the position at a general meeting.

Reference and administrative details

Charity name	Other name	Lumi Education
the charity uses	Registered	
charity number		1193969
Charity's principal address		24 Cawston Road, Reepham, NR10 4LU

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	
1	Teele Dunkley	Chair of Trustees		
3	Benjamin Ashford	Treasurer	Resigned 29.01.2023	
4	Radek Vik		Started on 8.11.2022	
5	Michaela Pavlovicova			
6	Clanford Chirwa		Started 8.11.2022	

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	N/A
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	N/A
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	N/A

Declarations

The company has taken advantage of the small companies' exemption in preparing the report above.

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report (including directors' report) above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees/directors

Full name: Teele Dunkley

Signature:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'T. Dunkley', written over a light blue horizontal line.

Position (for example Secretary, Chair, etc): Chair of trustees

Date: 25th June 2024