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**THE SOUTHERN COUNTIES
ARCHERY SOCIETY**
CHARITABLE INCORPORATION ORGANISATION (CIO)
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

CHARITY NUMBER 1195164

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SOUTHERN COUNTIES ARCHERY SOCIETY

CHARITABLE INCORPORATED ORGANISATION (CIO)

TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

Objectives and Activities

The advancement of the amateur sport of archery in the southern regions of England for the public benefit by the provision of, or assistance in the provision of, facilities for participation in the sport of archery, including by, but without limitation:

- Encouraging and assisting with the formation and maintenance of county associations and amateur archery clubs within the region, and
- Encouraging and promoting coaching, judging and other development activities and events in the Region, including the development of training, coaching and judging methodologies and to conduct, support and participate in educational, training and competitive events aimed at developing and improving the archery performance and standards of its members and others.

The trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit.

Achievements and Performance

The Society organises competitions and supports clubs in the region organising their own competitions and activities.

The Society arranges coaching events for the development of clubs and coaches in the region.

Due to the impact of Covid-19 in England throughout the period there were no events in the period covered by this report.

The Society is able to disburse funds as either a grant or loan to a club or individual, subject to procedures detailed in the constitution. There were grants made to individual archers in the year which amounted to £3,600. (2023 - £4,500)

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Financial Review

The Society is funded by subscriptions from the member clubs in the region. There is also investment income from shares held and bank deposits. This income is spent to further the objectives of the Society.

In addition to the money held in UK banks are funds held and managed in a Funds Network portfolio. Income received is re-invested, after the deduction of fees.

There were funds transferred into the Society being the value of bank balances, investments and net assets on incorporation. Full details are reported in the receipts and payment accounts that follow this report.

There were receipts in the year of £27,866 (2023 - £34,861) and after payments of £16,769 (2023 - £22,370) there was a surplus of £11,097 (2022 - £12,491). There were loans repaid to the Society in the year of £1,000 (2023- £1,000). The Society had cash reserves at the 31 December 2024 of £87,507.

In accordance with the objectives of the Society there have been loans to member clubs and the value owed to the Society at 31 December 2024 were £17,366 (2023 - £18,366).

In addition to this there were investments held by the Society with historic cost of £86,066 (2023 - £84,545). These had a value at 31 December 2023 of £187,821 (2023 - £202,722).

Reserves Policy

The Society maintains a reserve so that it could respond to unforeseen needs of the member clubs and individuals.

They are also long-term plans for the establishment of a central archery centre for the region, but no suitable location has yet been identified for this by the Society.

The Trustees consider that the present situation with their investments and bank balances is sound. They will continue to review the situation regularly, and will adjust it as necessary, to ensure the future viability of the Society.

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Structure, Governance and Management

The charity is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation, registered on 14 July 2021.

The Society is a regional society of the Grand National Archery Society (GNAS).

The Society has a constitution and rules by which it is governed, the most recent being those established on incorporation.

Appointment and Re-appointment of Trustees

The constitution documents that there should be at least six Trustees of the Society, but there is not a maximum number. Trustees should be over 16 years old, but there must be at least one Trustee over 18 years old on the board of Trustees.

At each Annual General Meeting of the members of the CIO one third of the Trustees are required to retire from office. The Trustees retire by rotation by reference those who have been longest in office. Where the date of appointment is the same then the Trustees to retire are determined by lot, unless there is some other mutual agreement between the Trustees.

Trustees required to retire by rotation are eligible for re-appointment at the same meeting. Trustees must expressly acknowledge their acceptance into the position prior to appointment.

Trustee knowledge is kept up to date by attendance at meetings, attending any training courses and undertaking any technical reading in respect of any legislation changes.

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Reference and Administrative details

Charity name Southern Counties Archery Society

Registered charity number 1195164

Charity's principal address 200 Upper Road
Kennington
Oxford
OX1 5LR

Trustees: Mr R J Beaney
Dr S L R Ellison
Mr C Fletcher-Campbell
Mrs K A Lipscomb
Mr D J Lovell MBE
Mr A B Purser
Mr P R Watson

Accountant: Vineyard Accountants Ltd

Bankers: Co-Operative Bank
Triodos Bank
National Westminster plc

Investment Managers: Funds Network

There were no funds held as a custodian Trustees on behalf of others.

Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the board of Trustees

Mr C Fletcher-Campbell

Date: X

THE SOUTHERN COUNTIES ARCHERY SOCIETY

REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT EXAMINER

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity for the year ended 31 December 2024 set out on pages 6 to 8.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity's trustees, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011.

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 all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent examiner's statement

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:

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

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

A N Poyton FCCA
Vineyard Accountants Ltd
Chartered Certified Accountants
Abingdon-on-Thames

Date

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CHARITABLE INCORPORATED ORGANISATION (CIO)

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNTS
YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

Section A: Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	Endowment funds £	2024 £	2023 £
Receipts					
SCAS subscriptions	20,204	-	-	20,204	26,698
Tournament income	500	-	-	500	1,669
Dividend income	6,106	-	-	6,106	5,747
Bank interest received	1,057	-	-	1,057	700
Sub total	27,866	-	-	27,866	34,861
Investment sales and loan repayments	1,000	-	-	1,000	1,000
Total receipts	28,866	-	-	28,866	35,861
Payments					
FITA and record status payments	-	-	-	-	185
Tournament expenditure	4,568	-	-	4,568	4,022
Judges training costs and uniform	4,306	-	-	4,306	6,556
English Archery Federation grant	-	-	-	-	4,992
Archery GB grant	500	-	-	500	500
Grants to archers	3,600	-	-	3,600	4,500
Travel expenses	-	-	-	-	-
Development officer costs	-	-	-	-	-
Council meetings	2,033	-	-	2,033	1,236
Website costs	460	-	-	460	330
Accounts and examination -CIO	1,170	-	-	1,170	1,110
Duplication of payment for accounts and examination -CIO	-	-	-	-	(1,062)
Corporation tax	133	-	-	133	-
Sub total	16,769	-	-	16,769	22,370
Investment purchases and loans issued / written off	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	16,769	-	-	16,769	22,370
Net of receipts/(payments)	12,097	-	-	12,097	13,491
Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
Cash funds last year end	75,410	-	-	75,410	61,919
Cash funds this year end	87,507	-	-	87,507	75,410

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Section B: Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	Endowment funds £
Cash funds	Community account	29,476	-	-
	Capital Reserve account	53,459	-	-
	Coaching account	2,055	-	-
	Judges account	2,517	-	-
	Total bank and cash funds	87,507	-	-
		Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	Endowment funds £
Other monetary assets	Loans to clubs (note 3)	17,366	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional) £	Current value (optional) £
Investment assets (note 2)	Fidelity & Network - Portfolio	Unrestricted	82,549	86,663
	BP PLC -25,740 Ordinary shares	Unrestricted	3,517	101,158
			-	-
			-	-
		Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional) £	Current value (optional) £
Assets retained for the charity's own use			-	-
			-	-
		Fund to which liability	Amount due (optional) £	When due (optional) £
Liabilities	Accountancy	Unrestricted	840	
	Independent Examination	Unrestricted	360	
	Less: payment made already		-	

Signed on behalf of the Board of Trustees

Date:

C FLETCHER-CAMPBELL