

AKWAABA FOUNDATION

England & Wales · Charity number 1203396

Details

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2023-06-05

Register [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

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Activities

Objects: THE OBJECT OF THE CIO IS: TO ADVANCE IN LIFE, RELIEVE THE NEEDS OF AND HELP YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 2 TO 25 LIVING IN POVERTY WITHIN DISADVANTAGED COMMUNITIES IN ACCRA, GHANA IN PARTICULAR BY FUNDING THE CHARITABLE WORK OF THE GHANIAN CHARITY KNOWN AS AKWAABA VOLUNTEERS WHICH ORGANISES PROGRAMMES OF PHYSICAL, EDUCATIONAL AND OTHER ACTIVITIES AS A MEANS OF: A) ADVANCING IN LIFE AND HELPING YOUNG PEOPLE BY DEVELOPING THEIR SKILLS, CAPACITIES AND CAPABILITIES TO ENABLE THEM TO PARTICIPATE IN SOCIETY AS INDEPENDENT, MATURE AND RESPONSIBLE INDIVIDUALS; B) PROVIDING RECREATIONAL AND LEISURE TIME ACTIVITIES IN THE INTEREST OF SOCIAL WELFARE, DESIGNED TO IMPROVE THEIR CONDITIONS OF LIFE; C) ADVANCING EDUCATION; D) PRESERVING AND PROTECTING GOOD HEALTH.

Activities: To advance in life, relieve the needs of and help young people aged 2 to 25 living in poverty within disadvantaged communities in Accra, Ghana in particular by funding the charitable work of the Ghanaian charity known as Akwaaba Volunteers which organises programmes of physical, educational, sporting and other activities. Also helping individuals with disabilities.

Classification

- **How:** Makes Grants To Individuals, Makes Grants To Organisations
- **What:** General Charitable Purposes, The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives, Disability, The Prevention Or Relief Of Poverty, Arts/culture/heritage/science, Amateur Sport, Animals
- **Who:** Children/young People, Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** OVERSEAS
- Ghana

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£131,656	£94,567	-	-
2024-03-31	£71,048	£62,139	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Martin Palmer	Chair	2023-07-24
Catherine Roy-Stanley		2024-01-02
Francesca Palmer		2023-05-30
Nicholas Crispin Burnett Gill		2024-06-16
Rob Ellington		2024-01-02

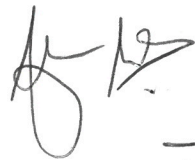
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Accounts

Misc													£100.00	900			£1,000.00
Total			£5,395.00	£500.00	£0.00	£7,180.00	£2,470.00	£0.00	£1,600.00	£0.00	£500.00	£1,300.00	£2,903.99	£200.00	£1,400.00		£18,053.99
Outreach														700			£700.00
Outreach program			£535.00														£0.00
Jesse and Eugene																	£1,650.00
Ruby's leg					£1,250.00					400							£0.00
Rent for 6 families			£3,200.00														£500.00
Solar Lights								500									£4,370.00
Misc										2000	170	1000	1000	200			£7,220.00
Total			£3,735.00	£0.00	£1,250.00	£0.00	£0.00	£500.00	£0.00	£2,400.00	£170.00	£1,000.00	£1,000.00	£900.00	£0.00		
General																	£280.00
Bank Charges								-150	250			30					£70.00
Transport			£2,000.00					70									£2,000.00
Xmas Parties			£1,500.00									2000					£0.00
Easter Party			£500.00														£1,218.79
Photography/Media			£200.00			150							200	744	124.79		£3,384.00
Shipping			£1,000.00		£3,384.00												£5,450.00
Founders			£6,000.00										4000	950	500		£10,907.40
Misc				£500.00	£100.00					350	2795	500	5850	332.4	480		£23,310.19
Total			£11,200.00	£500.00	£3,484.00	£150.00	£0.00	£70.00	£250.00	£350.00	£2,825.00	£2,700.00	£10,594.00	£1,407.19	£980.00		£94,567.89
TOTAL COSTS			£37,270.00	£2,257.83	£4,734.00	£7,730.00	£6,129.00	£2,570.00	£1,850.00	£4,989.57	£20,570.25	£5,500.00	£22,158.97	£10,015.17	£6,063.00		
Profit/Loss			£45,413.00	-£218.43	£4,100.92	-£6,440.00	£2,475.09	£1,048.54	£2,505.59	£31,275.77	-£5,050.63	-£4,006.75	-£1.31	£1,148.29	£10,251.36		£45,996.57
Cash			8,908.13		£8,689.70	£12,790.82	£6,350.62	£8,825.71	£9,874.25	£12,379.84	£43,655.61	£38,604.98	£34,598.23	£34,596.92	£35,745.21	£45,996.57	

I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE FINANCIAL DATA
 COMPILES & AGREES WITH THE RECORDS OF
 THE FOUNDATION SUPPLIED TO ME.



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Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From	Period start date			To	Period end date		
	Day 05	Month 06	Year 2023		Day 31	Month 03	Year 2024

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any)

Charity's principal address

Postcode

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Martin Palmer	Chair		
2	Catherine Roy-Stanley			
3	Rob Ellington			
4	Francesca Palmer			
5	Nicholas Crispin Burnett Gill		16/6/24	
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Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

Section B Structure, governance and management

Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document

(eg. trust deed, constitution)

Constitution

How the charity is constituted

(eg. trust, association, company)

Foundation

Trustee selection methods

(eg. appointed by, elected by)

Selected for their experience in Ghana or their ability to fundraise. The trustees are Appointed.

Additional governance issues (Optional information)

You may choose to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
- the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;
- relationship with any related parties;
- trustees' consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.

Section C Objectives and activities

Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

The object of this CIO is to advance the life, relieve the needs and help young people in disadvantaged communities in Accra, Ghana. This is done by fundraising to support the work that is delivered by Akwaaba Volunteers.

The money raised by the foundation supports the activities in Ghana.
These are

- A. Helping young people to enable them to participate in society as independent, mature and responsible individuals
- B. Providing recreational and leisure activities in the interest in social welfare, designed to improve their conditions of life
- C. Advancing education
- D. Preserving and protecting good health

Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)

Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

You may choose to include further statements, where relevant, about:

- policy on grantmaking;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

This year our impact in the community has greatly increased:

Each day we are reaching 1000 children in Labadi across our projects in health care, education and sports.

We have 410 children enrolled in primary education at our partner school, this has increased from 350 in 2022 /2023.

There has been a 20% rise in girls participating in our projects and playing sports on a regular basis. We have seen the number of girls rise from 45 to over 60 girls.

We have led 2 teacher training workshops across the community to improve the standard of education which has impacted 45 teachers in 15 different schools.

All 300 participants at our after school sports project are getting daily sports coaching from qualified experts, clean drinking water, kits, boots and equipment and have health insurance.

A library has been built as well as a vocational training centre. Starting with Hairdressing and sewing. We have had 24 girls in our vocational training centre and have plans to start enrolling boys in vocational training (barbering, carpentry and graphic design) over the next year.

Section E Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

We aim to keep a minimum of £10,000 in the account to make sure

Details of any funds materially in deficit

None

Further financial review details (Optional information)

You may choose to include additional information, where relevant about:

- the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);
- how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;
- investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

Section F Other optional information

Section G Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)



Full name(s)

Martin Palmer

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Chair

Date

11th December 2024

			Budget	Jun-23	Jul-23	Aug-23	Sep-23	Oct-23	Nov-23	Dec-23	Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24	TOTAL
INCOME														
Initial gifted investment			£14,307.89											£14,307.89
Sponsorship income														
Venue Search London			£5,000.00								£5,000.00			£5,000.00
Maiden factor														£0.00
Teshie Foundation			£5,000.00				£1,250.00			£1,250.00				£2,500.00
Chee			£10,000.00	£1,250.00						£10,000.00				£11,250.00
Sponsor a child				£130.00	£140.00	£40.00	£130.00	£230.00	£150.00	£165.00	£284.11	£480.00	£108.82	£1,857.93
Hike fundraiser														£0.00
Oysta								£10,000.00						£10,000.00
KKL							£50.00	£20.00			£40.00		£20.00	£130.00
Perlat								£585.51						£585.51
Kitchen Table										£5,000.00				£5,000.00
Just Giving								£671.32		£2,474.59	£2,974.63	£791.46		£6,912.00
Mentoring support												£150.00		£150.00
Tec Events Donation												£325.00	£400.00	£725.00
TOTAL			£34,307.89	£1,380.00	£140.00	£40.00	£1,430.00	£11,506.83	£150.00	£18,889.59	£8,298.74	£1,746.46	£528.82	£58,418.33
Volunteers Income	Price	number												
	£325.00	60	£19,500.00	£2,580.68			£3,552.53	£0.00		£2,998.00	£100.00	£2,698.00	£700.00	£12,629.21
TOTAL INCOME			£53,807.89	£3,960.68	£140.00	£40.00	£4,982.53	£11,506.83	£150.00	£21,887.59	£8,398.74	£4,444.46	£1,228.82	£71,047.54
COSTS														
Volunteers Costs														
Volunteers Accomodation	182	60	£10,920.00	£779.03	£1,306.40	£0.00	£1,482.00				£1,377.95	£1,850.00	£905.51	£7,700.89
Total			£10,920.00	£779.03	£1,306.40	£0.00	£1,482.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£1,377.95	£1,850.00	£905.51	£7,700.89
Education costs														
Assited Primary Education	160	70	£11,200.00									£0.00	£0.00	
Assisted Secondary Education	128	5	£640.00											
Water											£0.00	£0.00	£100.00	£100.00
Desks											500			£500.00
washing machine														
School Excursions			£482.94										£270.00	£270.00
School uniforms														
Misc				£250.00	£500.00	£0.00		£1,328.00		£1,402.00	£620.00	£1,686.00	£400.00	£6,186.00
Total			£12,322.94	£250.00	£500.00	£0.00	£0.00	£1,328.00	£0.00	£1,402.00	£1,120.00	£1,686.00	£770.00	£7,056.00
Community Centre Costs														
Health Insurance for children	1	180	£180.00								£1,000.00			£1,000.00
After school			£5,280.00								£0.00	£0.00	£325.00	£325.00
Sports Equipment			£671.00								£0.00			
Football games			£643.92											
Netball games			£1,448.81											
Library and Sewing set up				£1,120.00	£468.00		£3,111.00						£25,000.00	£29,699.00
Library material costs			£100.00								£0.00	£0.00	£125.00	£125.00
Sewing Centre material costs			£800.00								£0.00	£0.00	£125.00	£125.00
Electricity			£144.00											
Mics				£300.00	£500.00			£585.00		£150.00			£350.00	£1,885.00
Total			£9,267.72	£1,420.00	£968.00	£0.00	£3,111.00	£585.00	£0.00	£150.00	£1,000.00	£0.00	£25,925.00	£33,159.00
Outreach														
Outreach program			£535.00											
Jesse and Eugene														
Ruby's leg														
Rent for 6 families			£3,058.60	£1,000.00						£465.00		£155.00		£1,620.00
Misc													£92.00	£92.00
Total			£3,593.60	£1,000.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£465.00	£0.00	£155.00	£92.00	£1,712.00
General														
Transport			£2,000.00		£150.00		£50.00	£50.00		£2,011.00			£50.00	£2,311.00
Xmas Parties			£1,448.81											
Easter Party			£482.94											
Photgraphy/Media			£193.17										£250.00	£250.00
Shipping			£1,000.00											
Founders			£9,000.00											£5,702.52
Misc			£200.00	£500.00				£150.00			£5,702.52	£633.00		£4,248.00
Total			£14,124.92	£200.00	£650.00	£0.00	£50.00	£200.00	£0.00	£2,011.00	£8,467.52	£633.00	£300.00	£12,511.52
TOTAL COSTS			£50,229.18	£3,649.03	£3,424.40	£0.00	£4,643.00	£2,113.00	£0.00	£4,028.00	£11,965.47	£4,324.00	£27,992.51	£62,139.41
Profit/Loss			£3,578.71	£311.65	-£3,284.40	£40.00	£339.53	£9,393.83	£150.00	£17,859.59	-£3,566.73	£120.46	-£26,763.69	£8,908.13
Cash			14,307.89	£14,619.54	£11,335.14	£11,375.14	£11,714.67	£21,108.50	£21,258.50	£39,118.09	£35,551.36	£35,671.82	£8,908.13	

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Balance Sheet at 31st May 2024

Assets

Cash at bank	£0.00
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Net Assets

£0.00

Reserves

Retained Earnings	£0.00
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Total Reserves

£0.00

			Jun-23	Jul-23	Aug-23	Sep-23	Oct-23	Nov-23	Dec-23	Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24	TOTAL
INCOME													
Initial Gifted Investment			£14,307.89										£14,307.89
Sponsorship Income													£5,000.00
Venue Search London			£5,000.00										£5,000.00
Maiden factor													£2,500.00
Teale Foundation			£1,250.00										£1,250.00
Cheer			£10,000.00										£1,857.93
Sponsor a child			£190.00										£108.82
Hike fundraiser													£0.00
Oyzie													£10,000.00
K&L													£20.00
Perial													£585.51
Kitchen Table													£5,000.00
Just Shing													£5,912.00
Verdant Support													£150.00
Ice Events Donation													£25.00
TOTAL			£34,307.89	£1,360.00	£140.00	£1,430.00	£11,506.63	£150.00	£10,889.59	£0,288.74	£1,746.46	£28.82	£59,418.33
Volunteers Income			£19,500.00	£2,580.68	£0.00	£3,552.53	£0.00	£2,986.00	£100.00	£2,698.00	£700.00		£12,629.21
Price			£325.00										£12,629.21
number			60										
TOTAL INCOME			£53,407.89	£3,960.68	£140.00	£4,982.53	£11,506.63	£150.00	£21,887.59	£0,388.74	£4,444.46	£1,228.82	£71,647.54
COSTS													
Volunteers Costs													
Volunteers Accommodation	182		£10,920.00	£779.03	£1,306.40	£1,482.00	£1,328.00	£0.00	£0.00	£1,377.95	£1,850.00	£905.51	£7,700.89
Total			£10,920.00	£779.03	£1,306.40	£1,482.00	£1,328.00	£0.00	£0.00	£1,377.95	£1,850.00	£905.51	£7,700.89
Education costs													
Assisted Primary Education	160		£11,200.00										£0.00
Assisted Secondary Education	128		£840.00										£0.00
Water													£0.00
Dishes													£0.00
washing machines													£270.00
School Excursions			£482.94										£270.00
School uniforms													£270.00
Misc													£270.00
Total			£12,222.94	£250.00	£500.00	£1,482.00	£1,328.00	£0.00	£1,402.00	£520.00	£1,850.00	£400.00	£5,186.00
Community Centre Costs													
Health insurance for children	1	180	£180.00										£1,000.00
After school			£5,280.00										£325.00
Sports Equipment			£671.00										£0.00
Football games			£484.92										£0.00
Netball games			£1,448.81										£0.00
Library and Sewing set up													£25,669.00
Library material costs			£100.00										£125.00
Sewing Centre material costs			£900.00										£125.00
Electricity			£144.00										£0.00
Misc													£350.00
Total			£9,228.72	£1,420.00	£900.00	£3,111.00	£965.00	£0.00	£1,500.00	£1,000.00	£0.00	£25,925.00	£33,198.00
Outreach													
Outreach program			£335.00										
Lessee and Eugene													
Ruby's leg			£3,658.60										£1,620.00
Rent for 6 families			£1,000.00										£92.00
Misc			£3,583.60										£1,712.00
Total			£8,577.20										£3,414.00
General													
Transport			£2,000.00										£2,311.00
Kitchen Prints			£1,448.81										£250.00
Essie Perry			£482.94										£250.00
Photography/Media			£193.17										£0.00
Shoppers			£1,000.00										£0.00
Founders			£9,000.00										£0.00
Misc													£5,702.52
Total			£14,124.52										£4,248.00
Founders													
Total			£50,229.18	£3,640.03	£3,424.40	£4,843.00	£23,113.00	£0.00	£4,029.00	£11,965.47	£4,324.00	£27,992.51	£62,139.41
Profits Loss			£3,578.71	£311.85	£-3,284.40	£339.53	£9,393.83	£150.00	£17,889.59	£-3,586.73	£220.46	£-25,763.89	£8,908.13
Grn1			14,307.89	£14,619.54	£11,355.14	£11,375.14	£21,108.50	£21,258.50	£39,118.09	£35,551.36	£35,671.82	£0,908.13	

I CONFIRM THAT I HAVE
 CARRIED OUT AN INDEPENDENT
 REVIEW OF THE INCOME &
 EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT &
 GAINED THAT IT IS IN
 ACCORDANCE WITH THE
 RECORDS SUPPLIED TO ME

[Signature]
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