

Registered Charity No. 207408

King's Lynn Hospitals League of Friends

President: Valeria Viscountess Coke

ANNUAL REPORT 2023-2024

1st April, 2023 – 31st March, 2024

Name:

King's Lynn Hospitals League of Friends

Registered Charity Number:

207408

Principal Address:

The Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Gayton Road, King's Lynn, Norfolk, PE30 4ET.

Objectives:

To raise money for the purchase of equipment and amenities for the benefit of both patients and staff in our local hospitals and in the community.

President:

Valeria Viscountess Coke

Officers:

Chairman – Penny Hipkin

Hon. Treasurer – Debbie Mendham

Hon. Secretary - Carol Crane

Committee members

Sue Cook
Eileen Didcock
Joan Edwards
Judy Fuller
Tom Greenacre
Peter Mason

Andrew McLachlan
Phyllis Overson
Ros Rose
Christine Spencer
Lynda Warming

Statement of Accounts for the Year Ended 31st March 2024

Sent direct to the Charity Commissioners.

Activities/Achievements during 2023/24

During the financial year 1st April, 2022 to 31st March, 2024 the League of Friends Committee met on six occasions and approved funding for the following items of equipment, totalling approximately £224,665:-

2 Reminiscent Interactive Therapy Activity devices - £12,344 – Denver Ward

17 Breast Pumps - £2,699 – for Brancaster Ward to hire out

Portable Ultrasound Scanner - £4,999 – for Roxburgh Children's Outpatient Department

'Little Journey' App Software - £3,744 – for Paediatric Day Surgery – to help support children and young people through their surgical journey

9 Bedside Lockers and 9 High Back Armchairs - £4,972 – for patients on Elm Ward

Accu Vein Finder - £5,910 – for Radiology – to help visualise and locate veins for venepuncture and cannulation

Various items to support End-of-Life and Palliative Care - £4,497 – to assist both patients & family

Various items to support Dementia Care - £15,000 donation – West Newton, West Dereham and Gayton Wards + Acute Frailty Unit

Wheelchair Accessibility Hoist - £1,737 – for Occupational Health

Defibrillator, Trolley & Accessories - £7,004 – for Emergency Department

2 Foldable Shopping Carts - £490 – for Family Liaison Team to transport patient requirements from Shop

500 Flyers & 500 Cards - £116 – for Blanketeers for advertising purposes

2 Transcope Carts & 2 Scope Carts - £9,882 – for Urology

12 Adjustable Cots - £12,989 – for Brancaster Ward & Central Delivery Suite

Wall-mounted Handrail and Wall-mounted Drop-Down Seat - £5,384 – for midway along the path to the West Wing Entrance

12 Mobile Phone Charging Shelves - £3,600 – for use Trust-wide

Digital Keyboard – £854 – Sacred Space

Patients' teeth pots, hearing aid pots and glasses cases - £1,280 – ward areas

Ultrasound Machine - £83,600 – Radiology

Treatment Chair, Trolley & Procedure Cart - £17,332 – Fracture Clinic

6 Speaking Clocks - £410 – for sight impaired patients

50 Hearing Crescendo Devices & associated consumables - £3,102 – for wards/departments

KING'S LYNN HOSPITAL
LEAGUE OF FRIENDS
ACCOUNTS COMBINED
FOR THE YEAR ENDED
31ST MARCH 2024

Thain Wildbur
Chartered Accountants

KING'S LYNN HOSPITAL LEAGUE OF FRIENDS

INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT COMBINED

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2024

	2024	2023
	£	£
INCOME		
Hospital Shop (surplus)	1,609	20,019
Fund raising	3,884	2,501
Donations & legacies	71,586	125,715
Shop transfer	120,000	90,000
Subscriptions	665	569
Bank interest	1,026	299
Gift aid	403	7
TOTAL NET INCOME	199,173	239,110
DEDUCT EXPENSES		
Hospital Equipment/Donations	194,426	251,541
Postage, stationery & Printing	370	367
Insurance	231	247
Accountancy	1,500	1,752
Volunteer uniform	1,433	-
Sundry	62	135
Bank charges	228	233
	198,250	254,275
Surplus/(Deficit) for the Year	923	(15,165)

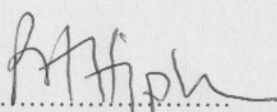
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BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31ST MARCH 2024

	2024		2023
	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS			
Shop fittings & equipment		11,550	10,179
CURRENT ASSETS			
Stock	11,059		10,698
Current bank account	336,085		397,738
Deposit bank account	30,606		159,122
Cash in hand	248		248
		377,998	567,806
CURRENT LIABILITIES		389,548	577,985
Creditors	(6,029)		(9,259)
Approved commitments	(37,509)		(223,639)
		(43,538)	(232,898)
NET ASSETS		346,010	345,087
Financed by:			
Accumulated Funds			
Balance at 1 st April 2023		345,087	360,252
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year		923	(15,165)
		346,010	345,087

We approve these accounts and confirm that we have made available all relevant records and information for their preparation.

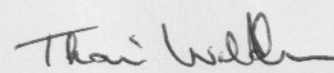

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Chairman (On behalf of King's Lynn Hospital League of Friends)

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ACCOUNTANTS REPORT

In accordance with the instructions given, we have prepared, without carrying out an audit, the annexed Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31st March 2024 from the accounting records, information and explanations supplied.

Dated 11th September 2024



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