

Charity number: 208877

THE LADY HIND TRUST

Trustees' Report and Financial Statements

For the Year Ended 31 December 2024

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Reference and Administrative Details of the Charity, its Trustees and Advisers For the Year Ended 31 December 2024

Trustees	C W L Barratt T H Farr N R Savory J D Pears
Charity registered number	208877
Principal office	PO Box 10455 Nottingham Nottinghamshire NG5 0HR
Independent auditors	PKF Smith Cooper Audit Limited Statutory Auditors 2 Lace Market Square Nottingham NG1 1PB
Solicitors	Keystone Law Limited 48 Chancery Lane London WC2A 1JF
Investment advisers	Barratt & Cooke Limited 5 Opie Street Norwich NR1 3DW

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Trustees' Report For the Year Ended 31 December 2024

The trustees present their annual report together with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2024. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out in note 1 to the accounts and comply with the terms of the will under which the trust was established, the Charities Act 2011 and Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' (FRS 102) and the Charities SORP.

Objectives and Activities

a. Policies and objectives

The sole objective and activity of the trust is the giving of grants. The trustees are aware that they must carry on the charity's activities for the public benefit and that they must pay due regard to the guidance on public benefit issued by the Charity Commission.

In setting objectives and planning for activities, the trustees have given due consideration to general guidance published by the Charity Commission relating to public benefit, including the guidance 'Public benefit: running a charity (PB2)'.

b. Strategies and activities for achieving objectives

The trustees consider that the charity's aims and activities are for the public benefit since it is a grant making trust and grants are only made to other charitable organisations and not to individuals.

c. Main activities undertaken to further the charity's purposes for the public benefit

The trustees consider all written applications made to them by charitable organisations. Such applications are reviewed by every trustee prior to the trustees' four-monthly meetings and are discussed at such meetings. Grants are awarded at such meetings to those organisations which the trustees collectively consider to be worthy of their support. Grants are awarded principally to institutions based on their level of need and with a geographical bias towards Nottinghamshire and Norfolk.

Achievements and performance

a. Review of activities and key financial performance indicators

During the year the net income generated by the trust (after charging support costs and other expenses but before taking account of realised and unrealised gains/losses on investment assets) was £491,822 (2023: £511,196). During the year the trustees awarded grants amounting in aggregate to £501,500 (2023: £598,000). A breakdown of the grants made to organisations for £1,000 or more can be found in the notes to the accounts. This year's deficit of net income over grants resulted in the accumulated income of the charity (its free reserves) decreasing from £260,553 to £250,875.

The net after-grant deficit in income generated by the trust (before taking account of realised and unrealised gains/losses on investment assets) was £9,678 (2023: £86,804). The net after-grant surplus for the year (after taking account of realised and unrealised gains/losses on investment assets) was £979,900 (2023: £1,529,956).

The net assets of the trust at the year end amounted to £24,223,499 (2023: £23,243,599).

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Trustees' Report (continued) For the Year Ended 31 December 2024

Financial review

a. Going concern

After making appropriate enquiries, the trustees have a reasonable expectation that the charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. For this reason they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements. Further details regarding the adoption of the going concern basis can be found in the accounting policies.

b. Reserves policy

It is the general policy of the trust to retain all of the capital which comprises part of its reserves and to distribute each year through grants all of the trust's income which is not used to meet its governance and management costs. However, the trustees reserve the ability to retain part of the trust's income for any year as part of its reserves and not to distribute the whole of the unexpended income if in that year the trust receives insufficient applications for grants which the trustees consider worthy of their support and/ or the trustees believe the value of the trust's investments has fallen to a significant extent.

c. Material investments policy and performance

The trustees' investment assets are managed by investment advisers. The appointment of investment advisers is reviewed by the trustees periodically. The current advisers are Barratt & Cooke Limited who are employed on a discretionary basis. They are instructed by the trustees to invest in a portfolio which will generate a balance of income and growth with a medium-high risk profile.

During the year, the investments generated a realised and unrealised surplus of £989,578 (2023: £1,616,760) and the aggregate value of the investments, including capital cash of £641,537 (2023: £410,809), increased from £23,059,622 to £24,042,119. This 4.26% increase in value compares with a 11.39% increase in the PIMFA Growth Index, the trustees' chosen benchmark (in 2023 the aggregate value of these investments increased over the year by 7.54% which compared with an increase of 9.01% in the PIMFA Growth Index in that year).

Structure, governance and management

a. Constitution

The Lady Hind Trust was established under the will of the late Lady Lilian Frances Hind who died on 15 May 1951 and is a registered charity (charity number 208877). Under her will she directed that the charity's fund should be used for such charitable purposes in England and Wales as the trustees in their absolute discretion consider fit. The trust does not actively raise funds but seeks to continue the charitable giving requested by the testator through the careful stewardship of its existing resources.

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Trustees' Report (continued) For the Year Ended 31 December 2024

Structure, governance and management (continued)

b. Methods of appointment or election of trustees

Trustees are appointed as and when the continuing trustees see fit. The will imposes no limitation on the periods for which trustees shall serve and no such limitations have been made on the appointment of the current trustees. Because grants are made principally to organisations based in Nottinghamshire and Norfolk, new trustees are likely to be persons who reside in and are knowledgeable about charitable institutions in those counties.

At their four-monthly meetings, the trustees agree the broad strategy and areas of activity for the trust, including consideration of grant making, investment, reserves and risk management policies and performance.

The day to day administration of the grant processing and of the handling of applications prior to consideration by the trustees is undertaken by Mr D N Lindley who can be contacted at PO Box 10455, Nottingham, NG5 0HR.

The trustees keep their skill requirements under review. The trustees are encouraged to attend relevant external training with regard to relevant legislation and changes and their role as trustees generally. The induction process for any newly appointed trustee comprises of a meeting or meetings which covers the powers and responsibilities of trustees and the grant making process adopted by the trust. Newly appointed trustees are provided with copies of the will of the late Lady Lilian Frances Hind, copies of the last three years' annual reports and accounts of the trust and of the minutes of the last three years' trustees' meetings as well as a copy of the Charity Commission's relevant guidance.

c. Related party relationships

The Charles Littlewood Hill Trust is a connected charity because it has common trustees to the Lady Hind Trust. The Charles Littlewood Hill Trust is a registered charity, charity registration number 286350 and can be contacted at PO Box 10454, Nottingham NG5 0HQ. No transactions have taken place between the two charities during the years ended 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023.

d. Financial risk management

The trustees have considered the principle risks to which the charity is exposed, concerning cash, investments and grants and have reviewed those risks and have established systems and procedures to manage those risks. The risk management strategy is reviewed annually.

Plans for future periods

The trustees' major objective is to ensure that in future years the amounts of income net of expenditure that are available for distribution to other charitable organisations increases year by year at a level in excess of inflation, if possible. At the same time the trustees recognise that they should continue to invest in top quality property funds, fixed interest securities, index linked securities and equities in order to ensure, as best they can, the continued growth of the trust fund.

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Trustees' Report (continued) For the Year Ended 31 December 2024

Statement of trustees' responsibilities

The trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

The law applicable to charities in England & Wales requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles of the Charities SORP (FRS 102);
- make judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards (FRS 102) have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in business.

The trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charity's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the Charity (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 and the provisions of the Trust deed. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Disclosure of information to auditors

Each of the persons who are trustees at the time when this Trustees' Report is approved has confirmed that:

- so far as that trustee is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the charity's auditors are unaware, and
- that trustee has taken all the steps that ought to have been taken as a trustee in order to be aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the charity's auditors are aware of that information.

Approved by order of the members of the board of trustees and signed on their behalf by:



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N R Savory

Trustee

Date: 30 June 2025

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Independent Auditors' Report to the Members of The Lady Hind Trust

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of The Lady Hind Trust (the 'charity') for the year ended 31 December 2024 which comprise the Statement of financial activities, the balance sheet and the related notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standards applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) in preference to the Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice issued on 1 April 2005 which is referred to in the extant regulations but has been withdrawn.

This has been done in order for the accounts to provide a true and fair view in accordance with the Generally Accepted Accounting Practice effective for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2015.

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the charity's affairs as at 31 December 2024 and of its incoming resources and application of resources for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the charity in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the United Kingdom, including the Financial Reporting Council's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the Trustees' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the Trust's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the directors with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

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Independent Auditors' Report to the Members of The Lady Hind Trust (continued)

Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the Annual Report other than the financial statements and our Auditors' Report thereon. The trustees are responsible for the other information contained within the Annual Report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon. Our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the course of the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether this gives rise to a material misstatement in the financial statements themselves. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- the information given in the Trustees' Report is inconsistent in any material respect with the financial statements; or
- sufficient accounting records have not been kept; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

Responsibilities of trustees

As explained more fully in the Trustees' Responsibilities Statement, the trustees are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements which give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the trustees determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the trustees are responsible for assessing the charity's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the trustees either intend to liquidate the charity or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

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Independent Auditors' Report to the Members of The Lady Hind Trust (continued)

Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

We have been appointed as auditor under section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and report in accordance with the Act and relevant regulations made or having effect thereunder.

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an Auditors' Report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. The extent to which our procedures are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud is detailed below:

Based on our understanding of the charity and industry, we identify the key laws and regulations affecting the charity. We identified that the principal risk of fraud or non-compliance with laws and regulations related to:

- management bias in respect of accounting estimates and judgements made;
- management override of control;
- posting of unusual journals or transactions.

We focussed on those areas that could give rise to a material misstatement in the financial statements. Our procedures included, but were not limited to:

- enquiry of management and those charged with governance around actual and potential litigation and claims, including instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations and fraud;
- reviewing legal expenditure in the year to identify instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations and fraud;
- reviewing financial statement disclosures and testing to supporting documentation to assess compliance with applicable laws and regulations;
- performing audit work over the risk of management override of controls, including testing of journal entries and other adjustments for appropriateness, evaluating the business rationale of significant transactions outside the normal course of business and reviewing accounting estimates for bias.

It is the primary responsibility of management, with the oversight of those charged with governance, to ensure that the entity's operations are conducted in accordance with the provisions of laws and regulations and for the prevention and detection of fraud.

Because of the inherent limitations of an audit, there is a risk that we will not detect all irregularities, including those leading to a material misstatement in the financial statements or non-compliance with regulation. This risk increases the more that compliance with a law or regulation is removed from the events and transactions reflected in the financial statements, as we will be less likely to become aware of instances of non-compliance. The risk is also greater regarding irregularities occurring due to fraud rather than error, as fraud involves intentional concealment, forgery, collusion, omission or misrepresentation.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at: www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our Auditors' Report.

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Independent Auditors' Report to the Members of The Lady Hind Trust (continued)

Use of our report

This report is made solely to the charity's trustees, as a body, in accordance with Part 4 of the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the charity's trustees those matters we are required to state to them in an Auditors' Report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the charity and its trustees, as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

PKF Smith Cooper Audit Limited

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Statutory Auditors
2 Lace Market Square
Nottingham
NG1 1PB

Date: 2/7/2025

PKF Smith Cooper Audit Limited are eligible to act as auditors in terms of section 1212 of the Companies Act 2006.

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Statement of financial activities For the Year Ended 31 December 2024

	Note	Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Total funds 2024 £	Total funds 2023 £
Income from:				
Investments	2	519,478	519,478	536,482
Total income		519,478	519,478	536,482
Expenditure on:				
Charitable activities	3,4	529,156	529,156	623,286
Total expenditure		529,156	529,156	623,286
Net expenditure before net gains on investments		(9,678)	(9,678)	(86,804)
Net gains on investments	7	989,578	989,578	1,616,760
Net movement in funds		979,900	979,900	1,529,956
Reconciliation of funds:				
Total funds brought forward		23,243,599	23,243,599	21,713,643
Net movement in funds		979,900	979,900	1,529,956
Total funds carried forward		24,223,499	24,223,499	23,243,599

The notes on pages 13 to 27 form part of these financial statements.

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Balance Sheet As at 31 December 2024

	Note	2024 £	2023 £
Fixed assets			
Investments	7	23,400,582	22,648,813
Current assets			
Cash at bank and in hand		829,831	601,338
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	8	(6,914)	(6,552)
Net current assets		<u>822,917</u>	<u>594,786</u>
Total net assets		<u><u>24,223,499</u></u>	<u><u>23,243,599</u></u>
Charity funds			
Unrestricted funds	9	<u>24,223,499</u>	<u>23,243,599</u>
Total funds		<u><u>24,223,499</u></u>	<u><u>23,243,599</u></u>

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the trustees and signed on their behalf by:

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C W L Barratt
Trustee

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N R Savory
Trustee

Date: 30 June 2025.

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T H Farr
Trustee

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J D Pears
Trustee

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Statement of Cash Flows For the Year Ended 31 December 2024

	2024 £	2023 £
Cash flows from operating activities		
Net cash used in operating activities (note 11)	(528,794)	(623,814)
Cash flows from investing activities		
Dividends and interest from investments	519,478	536,482
Proceeds from sale of investments	3,201,704	2,320,880
Purchase of investments	(2,963,895)	(2,271,020)
Net cash provided by investing activities	757,287	586,342
Change in cash and cash equivalents in the year	228,493	(37,472)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year (note 12)	601,338	638,810
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	829,831	601,338

The notes on pages 13 to 27 form part of these financial statements

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Notes to the Financial Statements For the Year Ended 31 December 2024

1. Accounting policies

1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2015) - (Charities SORP (FRS 102)), the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Charities Act 2011.

The financial statements are prepared in Sterling which is the functional currency of the trust and rounded to the nearest £1.

The Lady Hind Trust meets the definition of a public benefit entity under FRS 102. Assets and liabilities are initially recognised at historical cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant accounting policy.

1.2 Income

All income is recognised once the charity has entitlement to the income, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount of income receivable can be measured reliably.

Income from investments is recognised in the income and expenditure account so as to match the income within the period it has been earned. Any investment income received in advance or in arrears is deferred or accrued in the balance sheet accordingly.

1.3 Expenditure

Expenditure is recognised once there is a legal or constructive obligation to transfer economic benefit to a third party, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably.

Expenditure on charitable activities is incurred on directly undertaking the activities which further the charity's objectives, as well as any associated support costs.

Support costs comprise all expenditure arising during the running of the charity.

1.4 Interest receivable

Interest on funds held on deposit is included when receivable and the amount can be measured reliably by the charity; this is normally upon notification of the interest paid or payable by the institution with whom the funds are deposited.

1.5 Investments

Fixed asset investments are a form of financial instrument and are initially recognised at their transaction cost and subsequently measured at fair value at the Balance Sheet date, unless the value cannot be measured reliably in which case it is measured at cost less impairment. Investment gains and losses, whether realised or unrealised, are combined and presented as 'Gains/(Losses) on investments' in the Statement of Financial Activities.

1.6 Cash at bank and in hand

Cash at bank and in hand includes cash and short-term highly liquid investments with a short maturity of three months or less from the date of acquisition or opening of the deposit or similar account.

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Notes to the Financial Statements For the Year Ended 31 December 2024

1. Accounting policies (continued)

1.7 Creditors and provisions

Creditors and provisions are recognised where the charity has a present obligation resulting from a past event that will probably result in the transfer of funds to a third party and the amount due to settle the obligation can be measured or estimated reliably. Creditors and provisions are normally recognised at their settlement amount after allowing for any trade discounts due.

1.8 Financial instruments

The charity only has financial assets and financial liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments. Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at transaction value and subsequently measured at their settlement value with the exception of bank loans which are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

1.9 Fund accounting

General funds are unrestricted funds which are available for use at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the charity and which have not been designated for other purposes.

Investment income, gains and losses are allocated to the appropriate fund.

1.10 Commission on investment transactions

Profits on sales of investments are shown net of commissions.

1.11 Grants paid

Grants are recognised when they are approved to be paid by the trustees.

2. Investment income

	Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Total funds 2024 £	Total funds 2023 £
Bank interest	11,136	11,136	5,535
Investment income	508,342	508,342	530,947
Total 2024	519,478	519,478	536,482

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Notes to the Financial Statements For the Year Ended 31 December 2024

3. Analysis of expenditure on charitable activities

Summary by fund type

	Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Total 2024 £	Total 2023 £
Unrestricted funds	529,156	529,156	623,286
<i>Total 2023</i>	623,286	623,286	

4. Analysis of expenditure by activities

	Activities undertaken directly 2024 £	Support costs 2024 £	Total funds 2024 £	Total funds 2023 £
Unrestricted funds	501,500	27,656	529,156	623,286

Analysis of direct costs

	Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Total funds 2024 £	Total funds 2023 £
Grants (note 15)	501,500	501,500	598,000

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4. Analysis of expenditure by activities (continued)

Analysis of support costs

	Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Total funds 2024 £	Total funds 2023 £
Administration expenses	16,572	16,572	15,256
Meeting expenses	928	928	440
Stockbroker fees	1,386	1,386	960
Other expenses	1,858	1,858	2,074
Audit and accountancy fees	6,912	6,912	6,556
Total 2024	27,656	27,656	25,286

5. Auditors' remuneration

	2024 £	2023 £
Fees payable to the charity's auditor for the audit of the charity's annual accounts	6,912	6,556

6. Trustees' remuneration and expenses

During the year, no trustees received any remuneration or other benefits (2023 - £NIL).

During the year ended 31 December 2024, three trustees received reimbursements for expenses, totalling £842 (2023: £158 received by three trustees).

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Notes to the Financial Statements For the Year Ended 31 December 2024

7. Fixed asset investments

	Listed investments £
Cost or valuation	
At 1 January 2024	22,648,813
Additions	2,963,895
Disposals	(2,541,651)
Revaluations	329,525
At 31 December 2024	23,400,582
 Net book value	
At 31 December 2024	23,400,582
At 31 December 2023	22,648,813

All the fixed asset investments are held in the UK.

The investment acquisitions and disposals are net of investment manager fees and commissions of £28,919 (2023: £23,992).

The £989,578 of net gains (2023: £1,616,760) on investments in the SOFA includes £329,525 unrealised gains (2023: £1,444,546) and £660,053 realised gains (2023: £172,214) in relation to the fixed asset investments.

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8. Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year

	2024 £	2023 £
Accruals and deferred income	6,914	6,552

9. Statement of funds

Statement of funds - current year

	Balance at 1 January 2024 £	Income £	Expenditure £	Gains/ (Losses) £	Balance at 31 December 2024 £
Unrestricted funds					
Capital amount	22,983,046	-	-	989,578	23,972,624
Income amount	260,553	519,478	(529,156)	-	250,875
	<u>23,243,599</u>	<u>519,478</u>	<u>(529,156)</u>	<u>989,578</u>	<u>24,223,499</u>

Statement of funds - prior year

	Balance at 1 January 2023 £	Income £	Expenditure £	Gains/ (Losses) £	Balance at 31 December 2023 £
Unrestricted funds					
Capital amount	21,366,286	-	-	1,616,760	22,983,046
Income amount	347,357	536,482	(623,286)	-	260,553
	<u>21,713,643</u>	<u>536,482</u>	<u>(623,286)</u>	<u>1,616,760</u>	<u>23,243,599</u>

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Notes to the Financial Statements For the Year Ended 31 December 2024

10. Analysis of net assets between funds

Analysis of net assets between funds - current year

	Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Total funds 2024 £
Fixed asset investments	23,400,582	23,400,582
Current assets	829,831	829,831
Creditors due within one year	(6,914)	(6,914)
Total	24,223,499	24,223,499

Analysis of net assets between funds - prior year

	Unrestricted funds 2023 £	Total funds 2023 £
Fixed asset investments	22,648,813	22,648,813
Current assets	601,338	601,338
Creditors due within one year	(6,552)	(6,552)
Total	23,243,599	23,243,599

11. Reconciliation of net movement in funds to net cash flow from operating activities

	2024 £	2023 £
Net movement in funds for the year (as per Statement of Financial Activities)	979,900	1,529,956
Adjustments for:		
Net gains on investments	(989,578)	(1,616,760)
Dividends and interest from investments	(519,478)	(536,482)
Increase/(decrease) in creditors	362	(528)
Net cash used in operating activities	(528,794)	(623,814)

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Notes to the Financial Statements For the Year Ended 31 December 2024

12. Analysis of cash and cash equivalents

	2024 £	2023 £
Cash at bank and in hand	829,831	601,338
Total cash and cash equivalents	829,831	601,338

13. Analysis of Net Cash

	At 1 January 2024 £	Cash flows £	At 31 December 2024 £
Cash at bank and in hand	601,338	228,493	829,831
	601,338	228,493	829,831

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14. Related party transactions

C W L Barratt, a trustee, is a director of Barratt & Cooke Holdings Limited, whose wholly owned subsidiary Barratt & Cooke Limited manages the Trust's investments. Fees and commissions paid to Barratt & Cooke Limited during the year amounted to £30,653 (2023: £25,320). Barratt & Cooke Limited does not charge a periodic investment management fee. The trustees consider that the remuneration compares favourably with charges levied by other investment managers. N R Savory, a trustee, is also a non-executive director of Barratt & Cooke Limited.

C W L Barratt is a trustee of the Norwich Cathedral Trust. During the year, a grant of £20,000 (2023: £20,000) was made to the Norwich Cathedral Choir Endowment Fund.

N R Savory is a trustee of Music in Country Churches to which a grant of £10,000 (2023: £17,500) was made during the year.

During the previous year, N R Savory was a trustee of East Anglian Air Ambulance to which a grant of £Nil (2023: £15,000) was made during the year.

N R Savory is a trustee of Whitlingham Charitable Trust to which a grant of £Nil (2023: £10,000) was made during the year.

N R Savory was the president of the Aylsham Show to which a grant of £5,000 (2023: £Nil) was made during the year.

N R Savory is the treasurer and on the Parish Church Council of Great Snoring Church to which a grant of £Nil (2023: £2,500) was made during the year.

T H Farr's wife is a trustee of Portland College to which a grant of £Nil (2023: £40,000) was made during the year.

T H Farr's wife is patron of Improving Lives to which a grant of £Nil (2023: £3,000) was made during the year.

All trustees of the trust who have authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the trust are considered to be key management personnel. Total remuneration in respect of these individuals is £Nil (2023: £Nil).

15. Grants paid to institutions of £1,000 or more

	2024 £
Accommodation	
Framework Housing Association	5,000
Framework Housing Association	5,000
YMCA Norfolk	1,000
	11,000

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15. Grants paid to institutions of £1,000 or more (continued)

	2024 £
Arts	
The Garage Trust	2,000
Music In Country Churches	10,000
Norfolk Country Music Festival	2,500
Pintsize Theatre Ltd	3,500
	18,000

	2024 £
Churches	
Cawston PCC	1,500
Church Army	1,000
PCC St Peter & St Paul, Heydon	5,000
Mount Zion Apostolic Church	2,000
The Norfolk Churches Trust	3,000
The Norfolk Churches Trust	7,500
Nottinghamshire Historic Churches Trust	10,000
PCC St Peters Ravenshead	2,000
Woven St Leodegarius Church - Basford	2,500
St Margaret's Church - Aspley	3,500
St Margaret's Church - Owthorpe	3,000
St Mary Magdalene Church - Gorleston	5,000
St Mary Magdalene Church - Newark	3,000
St Mary's Church - Arnold	2,000
Southwell Cathedral Choir	10,000
	61,000

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15. Grants paid to institutions of £1,000 or more (continued)

	2024 £
Education	
Belvoir Cricket & Countryside Trust	1,000
Break	2,500
Country Trust	1,000
Criminon UK	1,000
Fishing for Schools	3,000
Footprints Conductive Education Centre (CEC)	5,000
Nansa	2,000
Norwich Cathedral Choir Endowment Fund	20,000
Nottingham High School	15,000
Read Easy	2,000
Royal Norfolk Agricultural Association	2,000
The School of Artisan Food	2,500
Schoolreaders	2,000
University of East Anglia	10,000
	69,000
	2024 £
Environment	
Marine Conservation Society	2,500
	2,500
	2024 £
Services	
ABF The Soldiers Charity - Norfolk	2,500
The Chelsea Pensioners	1,000
Le Paradis Memorial Appeal	4,000
Wings for Warriors	1,000
	8,500

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	2024 £
Groups/Clubs	
Nottinghamshire Community Foundation - Paviers Rugby Club	5,000
Nottinghamshire Girlguiding - Elton Campsite	2,500
Nottinghamshire Club for Young People Ltd.	30,000
33rd Norwich Scout Group	2,500
Snettisham Memorial Pavillion Fund	10,000
	50,000
	2024 £
Heritage	
The Gloucester 1682 Charitable Trust	15,000
Green's Windmill Trust	3,000
	18,000

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	2024 £
Medical / Disabled	
Alzheimer's Research UK	1,000
The Anaphylaxis UK	1,500
Anthony Nolan	1,000
Bowel Cancer UK	2,000
British Wireless for the Blind Fund	1,000
Camphill Communities East Anglia	2,000
Changing Faces	1,000
Demand	1,000
East Anglia's Children's Hospices	3,000
East Anglian Air Ambulance	15,000
British Epilepsy Association (Epilepsy Action)	1,000
Great Ormond Street Hospital Children's Charity	1,000
Lincolnshire & Nottinghamshire Air Ambulance	15,000
Listening Books	1,000
Maggies Nottingham	10,000
The Multiple Sclerosis Society	2,500
Orchid Fighting Male Cancer	2,000
Peter Le Marchant Trust	2,500
Rainbows Children's Hospice	2,000
Reach Learning Disability	5,000
The Roy Castle Lung Cancer Foundation	1,000
Stepping Stones (Norwich)	1,000
Strongbones Children's Charitable Trust	1,000
The Norfolk Hospice, Tapping House	5,000
Time Norfolk	1,000
WellBeing of Women	2,000
Young Lives vs Cancer	1,000
	82,500

	2024 £
Welfare	
Age Concern - Newbury & District	2,500
Aylsham & District Care Trust	1,000
Base 51	2,500
Bassetlaw Food Bank	2,000

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15. Grants paid to institutions of £1,000 or more (continued)

	2024 £
Welfare (continued)	
Buckingham Emergency Food Appeal	1,000
The Benjamin Foundation	1,000
C.A.S.Y.	1,000
Connects & Co	1,000
FareShare Midlands	3,000
FareShare East Anglia	1,000
The Fire Fighters Charity	1,000
The Friary	5,000
Groundwork Five Counties	5,000
Headway Nottingham	3,500
Hebron Trust	5,000
The Helpful Bureau	2,000
Heritage House Caring Group	5,000
Hetty's	5,000
Hope Springs Horticulture CIC	2,000
Imara CIO Support After Trauma	3,000
The Matthew Project	5,000
The Mission to Seafarers	1,000
Nancy Oldfield Trust	2,500
North Norfolk Community Transport	1,000
NSPCC - Nottinghamshire	10,000
Open Homes Nottingham	2,000
Open Minds	2,500
Operation Orphan	2,500
Project Wingman	1,000
Royal Agricultural Benevolent Institution	2,000
Radford Care Group	18,500
Reach Volunteering	1,000
Starlight Children's Foundation	1,000
Sue Lambert Trust	5,000
The Feed Foundation	2,000
Transforming Notts Together	5,000
Trent Compassion Trust - The Arches	3,500
Under One Roof	2,000
Winston's Wish	1,000
	121,000

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15. Grants paid to institutions of £1,000 or more (continued)

	2024 £
Other	
Aylsham Show	5,000
Belong	1,000
Bromley House Library	25,000
Bromley House Library	10,000
National Crimebeat	3,000
Norfolk Community Law Service	1,000
Norfolk Community Foundation	2,500
Nottinghamshire Community Foundation	10,000
	57,500
	2024 £
Total grants paid to institutions of £1,000 or more	499,000
Other grants in aggregate	2,500
Total	501,500