



Provincial Grand Lodge of Mark Master Masons of Cumberland and Westmorland

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31st October 2024

*Trustees Report for the year ending
31st March 2024*

Meeting have once again returned to some kind of normality and because of this income is Stable for the year 2023 - 2024 which has enabled the Benevolent Fund to be able to support more people and local Charities in need within the Province of Cumberland and Westmorland.

After 10 years plus as Secretary to the Trustees David R. Robinson is standing down and will be replaced by John C. Reay details as per the Charity Commission website.

David R Robinson Secretary to the Trustees of the Provincial Mark Benevolent fund of Cumberland and Westmorland.

**PROVINCIAL GRAND LODGE OF MARK MASTER MASONS
OF CUMBERLAND AND WESTMORLAND**

ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

	Year to 31 March 2024		Year to 31 March 2023	
	£	£	£	£
Brought Forward 1 April 2023				
General Fund	30,735		26,965	
Contingency Fund	1,452		8,100	
		32,187		35,065
Receipts				
Annual Dues General	3,652		3,409	
Annual Dues Contingency	560		560	
Annual General Meeting	6,729		6,798	
Donation from Sesquicentenary Fund	-		5,439	
Net Income from 500 Club Draw	1,100		1,160	
Sundry Income	260		-	
	12,301		17,366	
Payments				
Administration, Printing and Stationery	2,422		1,791	
Investiture	-		7,208	
Annual General Meeting	12,112		11,065	
Mark Website Costs	180		180	
	14,714		20,244	
Excess (Payments) over Receipts		(2,413)		(2,878)
Carried Forward 31 March 2024				
General Fund	27,762		30,735	
Contingency Fund	2,012		1,452	
		29,774		32,187

PROVINCIAL GRAND LODGE BENEVOLENT FUND

	Year to 31 March 2024		Year to 31 March 2023	
	£	£	£	£
Brought Forward 1 April 2023		121,137		122,770
Receipts				
Collection AGM Mark Master Masons	1,668		1,771	
Donations	20,618		20,650	
Gift Aid Received	3,293		4,084	
Bank Interest	213		270	
	25,792		26,775	
Payments				
Grand Mark Benevolent Fund	5,750		4,398	
Donations	9,251		24,010	
	15,001		28,408	
Excess Receipts over Payments		10,791		(1,633)
Carried Forward 31 March 2024		131,928		121,137

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT EXAMINERS

We have examined the above Statement of Accounts with books and vouchers and we have verified the Investments and Bank Balances and, in our opinion, such statements of accounts exhibited are a true and correct statement of the finances shown by the books.

VW Bro E Holmes PGJO

E Holmes

W Bro L Dixon Provincial Grand Treasurer

L Dixon

VW Bro HH Marland PGJO

HH Marland

28 May 2024

The Auditors Report is as follows for the Year ending 31st March 2024.

“We have examined the books and records, and confirm that the accounts are correct in accordance with the information and explanations supplied”

Eric Holmes: 

Henry H. Marland : 