

ROMILEY LITTLE THEATRE

England & Wales · Charity number 253774

Details

Status Registered

Legal form Other

Registered 1967-11-13

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

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Activities

Objects: A) TO ARRANGE PERFORMANCES OF PLAYS OF MERIT B) TO PROMOTE THE ADVANCEMENT AND IMPROVEMENT OF GENERAL EDUCATION IN RELATION TO THE ART OF DRAMA AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF PUBLIC APPRECIATION OF SUCH ART.

Activities: Amateur theatre productions for the community of Romiley and surrounding areas which is open to all including young people with the operation of a junior section.

Classification

- **How:** Other Charitable Activities
- **What:** Education/training, Arts/culture/heritage/science
- **Who:** Children/young People, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** THE VICINITY OF BREDBURY AND ROMILEY
- Stockport

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-04-30	£11,879	£16,753	-	-
2024-04-30	£11,917	£12,370	-	-
2023-04-30	£9,556	£12,164	-	-
2022-04-30	£24,471	£12,896	-	-
2021-04-30	£38,856	£10,349	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
ALAN THOMAS WALLWORK		
Brian Cookson		2020-12-02
Susan Anne Penton		2019-03-04

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Romiley Little Theatre Annual Report 20/21

As with all other organisations, Romiley Little Theatre was significantly impacted by the Coronavirus pandemic, bringing about the cancellation of planned productions and events and part from inspections on the building, required by our insurers, to ensure it remained in good condition ready for reopening.

As government advice/legislation was given, small working parties came back into the building to carry out refurbishment and renovations which had already been planned but not carried out.

Relaxation of legislation allowed us to stage an outdoor concert in September 2020. The object of this exercise was to find some way of keeping the theatre running which would allow members and friends to keep in contact. Without such contact, there is a danger some may never return once things move back to normal.

We were fortunate to be included The Government's Covid grant schemes which helped enormously and will allow us to spring back into the community with our plays and social events.

With this in mind, planning is well underway to set up the revival of the plays we have had to postpone and to plan further ahead with others. All of this, of course, now takes into account the vagaries of the pandemic and any future potential government legislation by being adaptable and nimble and being prepared to adjust our calendar to suit the circumstances.

The Trustees are confident that we can emerge from this to continue to serve our community with a wide variety of shows both produced in house and from visiting touring companies.

Peter Wright, for and on behalf of the trustees.

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Less cost of production			(72.30)	(13.10)			
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Less cost of production			(48.50)	(48.50)			
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Less cost of production	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>				<u>93.90</u>
Surplus/Deficit from productions				471.35			1,850.15
INCOME FROM BAR							
Decrease/Increase in Stock			(85.28)		155.08		
Bar Sales			572.44		5,496.10		
<u>Less:</u> Bar Purchases and Sundries (incl. other)			(250.00)		(2,277.32)		
Bar Profits donated to HFA			<u>-</u>		<u>(400.00)</u>		
Bar Surplus				237.16			2,973.86
Income							
Members Subscriptions				490.00			530.00
Donations				84.50			561.40
Gift Aid				121.14			625.25
Income from Socials (less expenses)				91.00			564.03
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Net Income from Membership Activities				1,495.15			7,104.69

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INCOME AND EXPENDITURE (Cont.)

	£	2020/21 £	£	2019/20 £
Net Income Brought Forward		1,495.15		7,104.69
Other Income				
Weather Lottery	208.37		213.11	
Acting Academy (net of costs)	160.00		1,630.00	
Online Shop	83.94		-	
Equipment Sales	38.70		-	
Grants	35,857.85		-	
Hire of car park	600.00		-	
Room Hire	-		70.00	
Costume Hire/Prop Hire/Costume Sale	-		15.00	
New Performance Space	-		5,171.65	
Stands at Beer Festival and Miscellaneous	-		50.00	
100 Club	<u>400.00</u>		<u>500.00</u>	
		37,348.86		7,649.76
Interest received / Investment Income				
Vernon Account (gross)	12.58		46.99	
Lloyds Banking PLC Dividends	-		<u>11.02</u>	
		<u>12.58</u>		<u>58.01</u>
		38,856.59		14,812.46
LESS EXPENSES:				
Accountancy (incl. VAT)	180.00		120.00	
Miscellaneous	236.15		135.45	
Cost of Web Site	8.34		55.07	
Donations	-		42.00	
Repair Costs	403.50		241.76	
Premises Running Costs	6,042.47		5,462.18	
Loan interest	-		115.00	
Renewals & Equipment	431.94		-	
Consumables	74.59		24.04	
Advertising	93.10		442.00	
New Performance Space	1,689.40		4,637.03	
Printing, Postage & Stationery	12.05		31.00	
Interest paid re solar panel loan	57.50		-	
Depreciation	<u>1,120.70</u>		<u>917.20</u>	
TOTAL EXPENSES		(10,349.74)		(12,222.73)
Net Surplus/ (Deficit) for the year		<u>28,506.85</u>		<u>2,589.73</u>

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BALANCE SHEET

	£	2020/21 £	£	2019/20 £
Tangible Fixed Assets		9,337.57		9,780.33
Investments				
Lloyds Banking Group shares at cost		172.05		172.05
Current Assets				
Current Account	30,095.34		2,769.32	
Vernon Account	6,324.57		6,311.99	
Cash in hand of treasurer	0.10		0.10	
Advance Payments	589.00		417.00	
Bar - bank	330.10		213.66	
- cash	14.80		14.80	
- stock	<u>316.56</u>		<u>401.84</u>	
		37,670.47		10,128.71
Current Liabilities				
Loan re Solar Panels		-		(1,099.00)
Accruals		<u>(947.00)</u>		<u>(1,255.85)</u>
Net Assets		<u>46,233.09</u>		<u>17,726.24</u>
ACCUMULATED FUND				
Opening balance – General/Building Fund		17,726.24		15,136.51
Net Surplus/ (Deficit) for the year – General		<u>28,506.85</u>		<u>2,589.73</u>
Total		<u>46,233.09</u>		<u>17,726.24</u>

We approve these accounts set out on pages 2 to 6 and confirm that we have made available all relevant records and information for their preparation.

ON BEHALF OF THE SOCIETY

PETER WRIGHT
Treasurer

Date 30th July 2021

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TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	£
Cost at 1 May 2020	12,047.03
Additions	677.94
Cost at 30 April 2021	<u>12,724.97</u>
Depreciation at 1 May 2020	(2,266.70)
Depreciation Charge for the year	(1,120.70)
Depreciation at 30 April 2021	<u>(3,387.40)</u>
Net Book Value at 30 April 2021	<u>9,337.57</u>
Net Book Value at 30 April 2020	<u>9,780.33</u>

DETAIL OF INVESTMENTS SHOWN ON THE BALANCE SHEET

	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Value at 30.4.21</u>
	£	£
LLOYDS BANKING GROUP		
300 Ordinary Shares	300.00	
30 Loyalty Shares	-	
- Sale of Rights 2011/12	(127.95)	
<u>8</u> Capitalisation Issue	<u>-</u>	
<u>338</u> Ordinary Shares in total	172.05	<u>108.97</u>
Value at 30.4.2020		<u>211.49</u>

PREMISES RUNNING COSTS BREAKDOWN

	2021	2020
	£	£
Electric	1,774.00	518.08
Internet	140.30	-
Building repair costs	9.30	
Water Rates	236.75	152.47
Cleaning	93.92	-
Rent	2,810.00	2,848.00
Rates	-	304.00
Insurance	1,246.29	1,873.89
Premises Licence	244.00	70.00
Eon Credit Re Solar Panels	(512.09)	(304.26)
	<u>6,042.47</u>	<u>5,462.18</u>

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	<u>1,213.00</u>		<u>1,213.00</u>

GRANT INCOME BREAKDOWN

	2021 £	2020 £
Stockport MBC	34,857.85	
M & S (SSP Foundation)	<u>1,000.00</u>	
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