

**JACK LIVINGSTONE CHARITABLE TRUST  
REPORT AND ACCOUNTS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED  
5 APRIL 2025**

**CHARITY NUMBER : 263473**

## **JACK LIVINGSTONE CHARITABLE TRUST**

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**JACK LIVINGSTONE CHARITABLE TRUST  
ANNUAL REPORT  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2025**

The trustees present their annual report and accounts for the year ended 5 April 2025.

**CONSTITUTION**

The Jack Livingstone Charitable Trust is constituted by Deed of trust and is a registered charity No. 263473. Its address is Apsley Cottage, Vale Road, Bowdon, Altrincham, WA14 3AF. The charity's trustees during the year to 5 April 2025 were Mrs J V Livingstone, Mr T Livingstone and Mr B White.

**OBJECTS OF THE CHARITY**

The object of the charity is to utilise investment income in making donations to other charitable organisations.

**RESERVES POLICY**

The trustees are committed to ensuring that sufficient reserves are maintained by the charity to cover operational costs and to achieve charitable objectives. The trustees will continue to monitor reserve levels.

**REVIEW OF DEVELOPMENTS**

During the year the charity received £58058 (2024: £58390) of investment income. The Trust made donations of £205855 (2024 £167950) to various charitable organisations, as detailed in note 2 to the accounts. After governance costs, the net outgoing resource expended of £ were transferred to the Income fund.

**RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE TRUSTEES**

The Charities Act 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 at the end of the year and of the incoming and outgoing resources for the year then ended.

In preparing those financial statements, the trustees are required to select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently, making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent. The Trustees must also prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue its activities.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011. The Trustees 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.

Approved on behalf of the board of trustees

Mrs J V Livingstone

## **INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF JACK LIVINGSTONE CHARITABLE TRUST**

### **Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Jack Livingstone Charitable Trust.**

I report on the accounts of the Jack Livingstone Charitable Trust for the year ended 5th April 2025, which comprise the Statement of Financial Activities, the Balance Sheet and the related notes.

This report is made solely to the Charity's Trustees, as a body, in accordance with s.145 of the Charities Act 2011. My examination has been undertaken so that I might state to the Charity's Trustees those matters I am required to state to them in an independent examiner's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, I do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the Charity and the Charity's Trustees as a body, for my examination, for this report, or for the opinions I have formed.

### **Respective responsibilities of Trustees and examiner.**

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider an audit is not required for this year under section 145(5)b of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts (under section 145(5)b of the 2011 Act);
- to follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners (under section 145(5)b of the 2011 Act); and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

### **Basis of independent examiner's report.**

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the Charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes a consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit and consequently I do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

### **Independent examiner's statement.**

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements

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- to keep accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the 2011 Act, or
- to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with the requirements of the 2011 Act have not been met, or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination

- (2) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

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Date:

**JACK LIVINGSTONE CHARITABLE TRUST**  
**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2025**

	Note	Unrestricted Fund 2025 £	2024 £
<b>Incoming resources from generated funds:</b>			
<b>Investment income</b>			
Loan stock interest		5,875	5,875
Dividends		46,206	46,907
Profit on foreign exchange		-998	421
Other income		6,975	5,187
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<b>Total incoming resources</b>		58,058	58,390
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<b>Resources expended</b>			
Charitable activities	2	205,855	167,950
Governance costs	3	18,253	16,877
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<b>Total resources expended</b>		224,108	184,827
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<b>Net(outgoing)/incoming resources before other recognised gains and losses</b>		-166,050	-126,437
<b>Other recognised gains and losses</b>			
Capital distribution		1,456	1,359
Unrealised/Realised profit/(loss) on investments		-28,876	226,548
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		-27,420	227,907
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<b>Net movement in funds</b>		-193,470	101,470
Funds brought forward		2,123,144	2,021,672
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<b>Funds carried forward</b>		1,929,674	2,123,142
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All activities related to continuing operations.

The Statement of Financial Activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.

The notes on pages 5 to 9 form part of these accounts.

**JACK LIVINGSTONE CHARITABLE TRUST**  
**BALANCE SHEET**  
**5 APRIL 2025**

	Note	Unrestricted Fund 2025 £	2024 £
<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>			
Investments	4	<u>1,777,397</u>	<u>1,966,974</u>
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Debtors	5	11,678	11,678
Cash at bank/broker		<u>149,117</u>	<u>152,910</u>
		160,795	164,588
<b>CREDITORS: Amount falling due within one year</b>	6	<u>-8,517</u>	<u>-8,417</u>
Net current assets		<u>152,278</u>	<u>156,171</u>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>		<u>1,929,675</u>	<u>2,123,145</u>
<b>FUNDS</b>			
Capital/Income fund	7	2,123,144	2,021,674
		<u>2,123,144</u>	<u>2,021,674</u>
<b>Net movement in funds</b>		-193,469	101,470
Funds brought forward		<u>2,123,144</u>	<u>2,021,674</u>
<b>Funds carried forward</b>		<u>1,929,675</u>	<u>2,123,144</u>

Approved and signed on behalf of the Board of Trustees on

Mrs J V Livingstone

The notes on pages 5 to 9 form part of these accounts.

**JACK LIVINGSTONE CHARITABLE TRUST**  
**BALANCE SHEET**  
**5 APRIL 2025**

**1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

**General**

These accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant notes to these accounts.

The Accounts have been prepared the statement of recommended practice, Accounters and reporting by charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the financial reporting standards applicable in the UK and republic of Ireland (FRS102) issued on the 16 July 2014 and with the financial Reporting standard application in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland.

**Going Concern**

The Accounts have been prepared on a going concern basis.

**Accounting policies**

There are no material changes in the accounts on adoption of FRS102 in respect of the accounts the following policies have been adopted.

**Accounting convention**

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention, as modified by the revaluation of fixed asset investments.

**Fund accounting**

The charity maintains various categories of funds as follows:

**Unrestricted funds**

**Income Account**

Represents unrestricted income, which is expendable at the discretion of the trustees in the furtherance of the objects of the charity.

**Capital Fund**

Represents unrestricted investments to be used to generate income for the charity.

**Incoming Reserves**

All income is recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities when the conditions for the receipt have been met and there is reasonable assurance of receipt. The following accounting policy has been applied to income:

**Investment Income**

Investment income is accounted for when it is receivable.

**Investments**

The market value of listed investments is taken at the mid price stock exchange value at the balance sheet date. Unlisted Investments are valued at cost. Any unrealised and realised gains or losses on investments are taken to the Statement of Financial Activities.

**Recourses expended**

**Charitable activities**

Direct charitable expenditure includes all expenditure directly related to the objects of



the charity and comprises the following:

Charitable expenditure

Charitable expenditure comprises donations, which are accounted for at the point of approval by the trustees.

Governance costs

Governance costs relate to expenditure incurred in the management of the charity's assets, organisational administration and compliance with constitutional and statutory requirements.

**JACK LIVINGSTONE CHARITABLE TRUST**  
**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2025**

<b>2. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>DONATIONS</b>		
The Jerusalem Foundation	30,000	50,000
Community Security Trust	15,000	15,000
United Jewish Isre	2,500	2,500
Chai Lifeline Cancer	1,000	
Haderach	1,000	
Southport New Synagogue	1,000	1,000
British Friends	1,000	
Jewish Leadership Council	5,000	5,000
Freilich Family Foundation	2,000	
Food Bank Aid	7,000	
Ohel Sarah UK		1,000
Yad Vashem		5,000
Friendship Circle	2,000	5,000
Medequip	2,000	5,000
Rachmistrivke Synagogue Trust	1,000	
Justifi	7,500	7,500
UK Gives		2,000
Federation Jewish Service	10,000	10,000
Stockdales	1,000	
Mcr Jewish Museum		
Jbox	2,000	1,000
Manchester City Galleries	10,000	
South Manchester		2,000
JDC UK	2,000	
Prevent Breast Cancer	1,000	
Lancs Cricket Foundation	50,000	
Northern Invention	2,500	2,500
Better World Charity	5,000	5,000
Mcr Jewish Museum	10,000	10,000
Gateways	1,000	10,000
Focus Foundation	25,000	25,000
Balance of donations (less than £1,000)	8,355	3,450
	<b>205,855</b>	<b>167,950</b>
<b>3. GOVERNANCE COSTS</b>	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Accountancy and compliance	1,300	1,110
Investment management fees	16,953	15,767
	<b>18,253</b>	<b>16,877</b>

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**4. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS**

Quoted  
Securities  
£

**Market Value**

At 6 April 2024	1,909,260
Acquisitions at cost	86,331
Disposals	-247,032
Unrealised profit on revaluation	-28,876

At 5 April 2025	<b><u>1,719,683</u></b>
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Artwork  
£

**Cost**

At 5 April 2024	57,714
Acquisitions at cost	
Disposals	

At 5 April 2025	<b><u>57,714</u></b>
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<b>Total</b>	<b><u>1,777,397</u></b>
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5. DEBTORS	2025 £	2024 £
Taxation recoverable	1,180	1,180
Amounts due from Will Trust	498	498
Loan - Mcr Jewish Philanthropic Trust	10,000	10,000
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	11,678	11,678
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6. CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year	2025 £	2024 £
Interest overpaid	6,000	6,000
Accruals	1,200	1,100
Amounts owed to J Livingstone	1,317	1,317
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	8,517	8,417
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7. FUNDS	Capital/Income Fund £	Total £
At 6 April 2024	2,123,144	2,123,144
Net resources expended for the year	-166,050	-166,050
Capital distribution	1,456	1,456
Unrealised/Realised profit/(loss) on investments	-28,876	-28,876
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At 5 April 2025	1,929,674	1,929,674
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