

24TH CHELTENHAM (LECKHAMPTON) SCOUT GROUP

ACCOUNTS AND EXAMINER'S REPORT FOR THE
YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2024



The Scout Hut
207 Leckhampton Road
Cheltenham GL53 0AL

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YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH 2024

CHARITY INFORMATION

TRUSTEES

Chair	Ian Robson
Treasurer	Mitchell Wolfe
Trustee Board	Kerry Conway Michael Whelan Ian Orr Alex McDonald (resigned 2023) Justin Forbes Boyd Gilchrist
Group Scout Leader	Ian Orr
Section Leaders	Daniel Hortop Andy Safe Rob Riley
Independent Examiner	Mark Winter ACA
Bankers	CAF Bank
Group registration number	2906
Charities commission no.	302106

Trustees Report

The trustees are pleased to report a successful year to 31 March 2024.

This year was similar to 2023 in that we had a “business as usual” financial year generating around £23,000 from normal scouting activities and around £9,000 of income from our hut rebuild actions. As the total income level has once again exceeded £25,000 it is necessary for these accounts to be filed with the charities commission.

The scout has been well utilised in the year with our own Beavers, Cubs and Scouts running regular sessions alongside Explorers, Guides and Woodcraft Folk.

The initiative launched in 2022, to completely rebuild the scout hut and make it a community resource for the people of Leckhampton to be proud of, continued through the year. A total of £5,050 was raised and further activities are planned. A local authority grant was partly

used to fund architectural drawings of the final design and planning permission is expected later in the year.

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The trustees declare that they have approved the trustee's report and accounts and have reappointed Mark Winter as examiner.

Signed on behalf of the trustees:

Ian Robson
Chair

Date

Ian Orr
Acting Group Scout Leader

Date

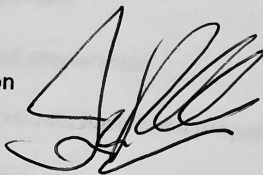
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Date

11th June 2024

Ian Orr
Acting Group Scout Leader

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Date

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Notes to the Accounts

Notes to the accounts for the year ended 31st March 2024

Accounting policies

1. Basis of preparation

The accounts have been prepared under the receipts and payments accounting basis.

2. Fixed Assets

The scout group own land and buildings on their site and the net book value shown in the account is an approximation of the land value only as the building is fully depreciated.

The group owns scouting equipment, which is fully depreciated in the balance sheet, with an insured value of £43,500 as at 31st March 2024.

3. Contingent Liabilities

The group has no contingent liabilities nor future obligations.

4. Restricted Funds

None of the income received historically has been restricted in nature.

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Independent Examiner's Report

I report to the trustees of the scout group on the accounts for the year ended 31st March 2024.

Respective responsibilities of the 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 the section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 (The Charities Act), and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to:

- Examine the accounts under section 145 of The Charities Act.
- To follow the procedures laid down the general directions given by the charities commission under section 145 (5)(b) of The Charities Act.
- To state whether particular matters of come to my attention.

Basis of independent examiners report


My examination was carried out in accordance with the general directions given by the charities commission. 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 consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts and seeking explanations from the trustees concerning any such matters. The procedure undertaken does not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a "true and fair view" and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

Independent examiners statement

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

1. Which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirement:
 - (a) to keep accounting records in accordance with section 130 of The Charities Act,
 - (b) to prepare accounts which are consistent with the accounting records and comply with the accounting policies of the charity and comply with the accounting requirements of The Charities Act.
2. To which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of accounts to be reached.

Signed



Mark Winter ACA
32 St Stephens Road
Cheltenham

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Profit and Loss Report

01 April, 2023 - 31 March, 2024

Sales

4001 - Income - Membership Subscriptions Beavers	3,350.00	
4002 - Income - Membership Subscriptions Cubs	3,694.00	
4003 - Income - Membership Subscriptions Scouts	3,348.00	
4011 - Income - Camps and activities Beavers	300.00	
4012 - Income - Camps and activities Cubs	1,850.00	
4013 - Income - Camps and activities Scouts	1,575.00	
4020 - Income - Hut Rental	1,187.50	
4021 - Income Hut Rental-Guides	300.00	
4022 - Income Hut Rental-Dogs	285.00	
4023 - Income Hut Rental-Explorers	1,020.00	
4024 - Income Hut Rental-Forest School	45.00	
4026 - Income Hut Rental-Woodcraft	928.00	
4100 - Income Fundraising Bonfire Night	4,565.24	
4400 - Income Government Grants	4,000.00	
4900 - Other income	200.00	
4901 - Bank Interest Received	749.62	
9000 - Income Hut Rebuild Fund	5,049.92	
	Total Sales	£32,447.28

Direct Expenses

5000 - Capitation	4,572.00
5020 - Materials	62.37
5021 - Materials Beavers	464.40
5022 - Materials Cubs	773.66

5023 - Materials Scouts	227.12	
5121 - Material camp and activities - Beavers	210.00	
5122 - Materials Camp and activities Cubs	1,820.86	
5123 - Materials Camp and activities Scouts	1,622.05	
	Total Direct Expenses	£9,752.46
	GROSS PROFIT / LOSS	£22,694.82
Overheads		
6401 - Fundraising Costs Bonfire	1,588.17	
7100 - Rent	100.00	
7110 - Water Rates	859.24	
7120 - General Rates	88.03	
7200 - Electricity	1,277.89	
7610 - Accountancy Fees	97.20	
7630 - Business Insurance	1,887.60	
7700 - Equipment and tools	288.98	
7800 - Repairs and Renewals	1,492.56	
7830 - Waste Disposal	657.80	
7900 - Bank Charges	180.00	
8220 - Clothing Costs	58.91	
9100 - Hut rebuild Costs	3,852.83	
	Total Overheads	£12,429.21
	NET PROFIT / LOSS	£10,265.61

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Balance Sheet Report

To: 31 March, 2024

ASSETS

Fixed Assets

0010 - Property - Cost	376,844.00	
0011 - Property - Accumulated Depreciation	-276,844.00	
0040 - Fixtures and fittings - Cost	25,118.00	
0041 - Fixtures and fittings - Accumulated Depreciation	-25,118.00	
	Total Fixed Assets	£100,000.00

Current Assets

1100 - Trade Debtors	85.00	
1200 - CAF Cash Account (13901)	7,155.46	
1220 - CAF Cash Account Hut rebuild (25786)	22,520.86	
1230 - CAF Cash Account Cubs (28410)	1,039.80	
1240 - CAF Gold Deposit Account (98011)	25,000.00	
	Total Current Assets	£55,801.12

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LIABILITIES

Current Liabilities

2110 - Accruals	60.00	
	Total Current Liabilities	£60.00

Future Liabilities

Total Future Liabilities	£0.00
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		TOTAL LIABILITIES	£60.00
		TOTAL NET ASSETS	£155,741.12
EQUITY			
3200 - Capital introduced		133,052.68	
Net Profit / Loss		22,688.44	
<i>Net Profit / Loss (prior year(s))</i>		12,422.83	
<i>Net Profit / Loss (current year)</i>		10,265.61	
		TOTAL EQUITY	£155,741.12