

TRUSTEES ANNUAL REPORT

for year ended 31st December 2024

A Message from Our Chair

It is with deep regret that I must inform you that Friendly Faces Children's Charity has still unfortunately been unable to commence operations as planned. Due to a number of unforeseen circumstances and issues that have arisen, we have not been able to get the organization off the ground over the past year.

As a result, we have not opened a dedicated bank account on behalf of the charity, nor have we been able to carry out any of the charitable acts and initiatives we had intended. This is a disappointing situation, and one that remains out of our control.

The Friendly Faces Children's Charity board of Trustees is working diligently to resolve these issues and hopefully launch the organization in the coming year. We remain committed to our mission of Friendly Faces Children's Charity and are determined to establish the charity as soon as possible.

Please be assured that we are doing everything in our power to rectify the situation and get Friendly Faces Children's Charity operational.

We look forward to being able to serve our community in the future.

Trevor King
Chair

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The trustees present their Annual report and the unaudited financial statements for the year ended 31st December 2024.

Objectives and Activities

Friendly Faces Children's Charity was started with the principals of the advancement of education, relief from poverty in India, Haiti and Romania. Although we have been unable to commence operations in the current year they are still at the core of the Charity. We hope to proceed in the year 2025/6.

Objectives

(As taken from the governing document)

The Objectives of the charity are:

- (1) Supporting those in poverty in countries such as India, Haiti and Romania with possibility of extension into other geographical areas.
- (2) The advancement of education of young people through funding of education materials, after school clubs and IT equipment.
- (3) The advancement of health through funding of practical community work and education; such as community centres which cater to the basic needs of the children within the community based on the Maslow's hierarchy of needs.
- (4) The advancement of health through the funding of community hospitals where necessary or required. (Donations for the purchase of equipment and other needs)
- (5) The relief of those in need by reason of youth, age, ill health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage

Public Benefit

By focusing on two critical areas of community development: children's education and comprehensive healthcare, we're committed to ensuring children receive quality education, essential healthcare services, and proper nutrition. By investing directly in these key areas, we aim to support not just individual children, but strengthen entire communities through targeted, sustainable initiatives that deliver tangible public benefit in education and healthcare.

Activities

Not applicable to the current year as explained in the letter from the chair.

Achievements and performance

Unfortunately not applicable to the current year as explained in the letter from the chair.

Financial Review

The purpose of Friendly Faces Children's Charity is not to be a profit making company. However as explained in the Chair's letter there were no incoming or outgoing funds during this financial period to report. The Trust still holds the sum of £20 per the original Trust Deed.

Approved by the Board of Trustees on 15th October 2023

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Trevor King', with a horizontal line underneath the name.

Trevor King
Chair