

Impressive People

Scotland · Charity number SC044194

Details

Status	Active
Legal form	SCIO (Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation)
Registered	2013-08-08
Register	View on the OSCR register

Contact

Address 61 Old Abbey Road
North Berwick
East Lothian
East Lothian
EH39 4BP

Website www.impressivepeople.org

Activities

Activities: 'It makes grants, donations or gifts to organisations', 'It carries out activities or services itself'

Purposes: 'the advancement of education', 'the advancement of citizenship or community development', 'the advancement of the arts, heritage, culture or science'

What the charity does: The charity raises confidence and aspirations in state schools by highlighting successful former pupils. This involves working with individuals, schools, local education authorities and various other private and public bodies.

Beneficiaries: 'Children or young people'

Objectives: 5.1 advance education. 5.2 advance citizenship and community development. 5.3 advance the arts, heritage, culture and science.

Geography

- **Main operating location:** East Lothian
- **Geographical spread:** Scotland and other parts of the UK

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees	
2025-06-30		£122	£116	-	0
2024-06-30		£0	£0	-	0
2023-06-30		£0	£156	-	0
2021-06-30		£0	£1,001	-	0
2020-06-30		£0	£222	-	0

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Receipts and payments accounts							
For the period from	Period start date			to	Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
	1	July	2024		30	June	2025

Section A Statement of receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total funds current period to nearest £	Total funds last period to nearest £
A1 Receipts						
Donations	122				122	0
Legacies					-	
Grants					-	
Receipts from fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading receipts					-	
Income from investments other than land and buildings					-	
Rents from land & buildings					-	
Gross receipts from other charitable activities					-	
					-	
A1 Sub total	122	-	-	-	122	0
A2 Receipts from asset & investment sales						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	
A2 Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	122	-	-	-	122	0
A3 Payments						
Expenses for fundraising activities	116				116	
Gross trading payments					-	
Investment management costs					-	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities						0
Grants and donations					-	
Governance costs:					-	
Audit / independent examination					-	
Preparation of annual accounts					-	
Legal costs					-	
Other					-	
					-	
A3 Sub total	116	-	-	-	116	0
A4 Payments relating to asset and investment movements						
Purchases of fixed assets					-	
Purchase of investments					-	
A4 Sub total	0	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	116	-	-	-	116	-
Net receipts / (payments)	6	-	-	-	6	-
A5 Transfers to / (from) funds						
					-	
Surplus / (deficit) for year	6	-	-	-	6	-

Section B Statement of balances

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Expendable endowment funds	Permanent endowment funds	Total current period	Total last period
		to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Cash and bank balances at start of year	94				94	94
	Surplus / (deficit) shown on receipts and payments account	0				0	-
						-	
						-	
	Cash and bank balances at end of year	100	-	-	-	100	94
	(Agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	- 6	-	-	-	- 6	-

B2 Investments	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Market valuation	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £
		Total	-	-

B3 Other assets	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (if available)	Current value (if available)	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
		Total	-	-	-

B4 Liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £
		Total	-	-

B5 Contingent liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (estimate)	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £
		Total	-	-

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature*	Print Name	Date of approval
	<i>Patrick Gaffney</i>	Patrick Richard Gaffney	31 March 2026

* Please note - OSCR will accept digital or typed signatures

Section C Notes to the Accounts

C1 Nature and purpose of funds
(may be stated on analysis of funds worksheets)

£122 donations were unrestricted, and were used for general running costs during this financial year.

	Type of activity or project supported	Individual / institution	Number of grants made	£
C2 Grants				
			Total	-

C3a Trustee remuneration	If no remuneration was paid during the period to any charity trustee or person connected to a trustee cross this box (otherwise complete section 3b)	X
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	Authority under which paid	£
C3b Trustee remuneration - details		

C4a Trustee expenses	If no expenses were paid to any charity trustee during the period then cross this box (otherwise complete section 4b)	X
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		Number of trustees	£
C4b Trustee expenses - details			

	Nature of relationship	Nature of transaction	Transaction amount (£)	Balance outstanding at period end (£)
C5 Transactions with trustees and connected persons				

C6 Other information

Additional analysis (1)

Analysis of receipts and payments

1 Donations

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
	122				122	0
					-	
					-	
Total	122	-	-	-	122	0

2 Grants

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
			-	
			-	
			-	
Total	-	-	-	-

3 Gross receipts from other charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-

4 Payments relating directly to charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
	116				116	-
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
Total	116	-	-	-	116	-

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Additional analysis (2)

5 Breakdown of unrestricted funds

	Unrestricted fund 1 - enter name of fund below	Unrestricted fund 2 - enter name of fund below	Unrestricted fund 3 - enter name of fund below	Unrestricted fund 4 - enter name of fund below	Total unrestricted funds	Total unrestricted funds last period
Receipts						
Donations	122				122	0
Legacies					-	
Grants					-	
Receipts from fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading receipts					-	
Income from investments other than land and buildings					-	
Rents from land & buildings					-	
Gross receipts from other charitable activities					-	
Sub total	122	-	-	-	122	0
Receipts from asset & investment sales						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	122	-	-	-	122	-
Payments						
Expenses for fundraising activities	116				116	
Gross trading payments					-	
Investment management costs					-	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities	0				0	-
Grants and donations					-	
Governance costs:					-	
Audit / independent examination					-	
Preparation of annual accounts					-	
Legal costs					-	
Sub total	116	-	-	-	116	-
Payments relating to asset and investment movements						
Purchases of fixed assets					-	
Purchase of investments					-	
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	116	-	-	-	116	-
Net receipts / (payments)	6	-	-	-	6	-
Transfers to / (from) funds					-	
Surplus / (deficit) for year	6	-	-	-	6	-

Nature and purpose of funds

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Additional analysis (3)

6 Breakdown of restricted funds

	Restricted fund 1 - enter name of fund below	Restricted fund 2 - enter name of fund below	Restricted fund 3 - enter name of fund below	Restricted fund 4 - enter name of fund below	Total restricted funds	Total restricted funds last period
Receipts						
Donations					-	
Legacies					-	
Grants					-	
Receipts from fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading receipts					-	
Income from investments other than land and buildings					-	
Rents from land & buildings					-	
Gross receipts from other charitable activities					-	
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Receipts from asset & investment sales						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	-	-	-	-	-	-
Payments						
Expenses for fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading payments					-	
Investment management costs					-	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities					-	
Grants and donations					-	
Governance costs:					-	
Audit / independent examination					-	
Preparation of annual accounts					-	
Legal costs					-	
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Payments relating to asset and investment movements						
Purchases of fixed assets					-	
Purchase of investments					-	
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net receipts / (payments)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers to / (from) funds					-	
Surplus / (deficit) for year	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nature and purpose of funds						

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Scottish Charity Regulator

Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator

Trustees' Annual Report for the period							
	Period start date			To	Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
From	1	7	23		30	6	24

Reference and administration details

Charity name	Impressive People	
Other names charity is known by		
Registered charity number	SC 044194	
Charity's principal address	61 Old Abbey Road	
	North Berwick	
	East Lothian	
	Postcode	EH39 4BP

Names of the charity trustees on date of approval of Trustees' Annual Report

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1		Director		
2				
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4				
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Reference and administration details

Names of all other charity trustees during the period, if any, (for example, those who resigned part way through the financial period)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

Structure, governance and management

Type of governing document

The Charity is a Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation (a SCIO). It was registered in its current legal form on 8 August 2013 when the Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator (OSCR) approved its written constitution and associated documentation. It has a single tier structure and as such the trustees are the members of the charity.

Trustee recruitment and appointment

The management committee is made up of the charity's trustees. Day to day management is carried out by the charity's founder and Director, [REDACTED] in consultation with the other trustees. The existing trustees have been recruited on the basis of their long experience and high standing in the fields of education, business and law.

Objectives and activities

Charitable purposes

the advancement of education
 the advancement of health through sport
 the advancement of citizenship and community development
 the advancement of the arts, heritage, culture and science

Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects

The charity raises confidence and aspirations in state schools by highlighting successful former pupils. This involves working with individuals, schools, local education authorities and various other private and public bodies.

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Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the financial period

During the financial period to 30 June 2021, activities were severely limited the impact Covid 19 on schools leading to closures and an upending of the normal curriculum. Steps were taken to mothball our programmes as follows:

- Exceptional

Our Exceptional programme identifies talented state school pupils and provides experiences designed to raise self-confidence, aspirations and skills. We maintained the charity's links with the legal sector, and continued to advise individual students who have joined the programme.

- Impressive Former Pupils

We updated successful former pupils we have identified as role models, of the need to suspend our activities until schools are in a position to engage once again. These FPs are happy to offer assistance to the programme as circumstances permit.

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

In this financial period, the charity had no staff, assets or financial liabilities. The trustees accept that as and when the charity grows, it will need to determine its policy on reserves to cover running costs in the event of a major problem. This policy will be finalised at the appropriate time in light of the prevailing conditions.

Details of any deficit

For this period, the R&P accounts show no income or expenditure as schools were not yet placed to engage with external projects due to the continuing impact of Covid-19 and the 'catch-up' required to help students reach the desired standards.

Donated facilities and services (if any)

Premises, IT equipment and office supplies, along with some general costs (e.g. subscriptions, software, domain renewals, website hosting, etc.) were funded by the charity's founder, [REDACTED]. This will continue until the charity is in a position to generate funds to cover such costs.

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Other optional information

Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s) <i>OSCR will accept digital or typed signatures</i>		
Full name(s)		
Position (e.g. Chair)	Director / Trustee	
Date	19 / 05 / 2025	

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Receipts and payments accounts							
For the period from	Period start date			to	Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
	1	July	2023		30	June	2024

Section A Statement of receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total funds current period to nearest £	Total funds last period to nearest £
A1 Receipts						
Donations	0				0	0
Legacies					-	
Grants					-	
Receipts from fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading receipts					-	
Income from investments other than land and buildings					-	
Rents from land & buildings					-	
Gross receipts from other charitable activities					-	
A1 Sub total	0	-	-	-	0	0
A2 Receipts from asset & investment sales						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	
A2 Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	0	-	-	-	0	0
A3 Payments						
Expenses for fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading payments					-	
Investment management costs					-	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities	0				0	156
Grants and donations					-	
Governance costs:					-	
Audit / independent examination					-	
Preparation of annual accounts					-	
Legal costs					-	
Other					-	
A3 Sub total	0	-	-	-	0	156
A4 Payments relating to asset and investment movements						
Purchases of fixed assets					-	
Purchase of investments					-	
A4 Sub total	0	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	0	-	-	-	0	156
Net receipts / (payments)	0	-	-	-	0	(156)
A5 Transfers to / (from) funds						
Surplus / (deficit) for year	0	-	-	-	0	(156)

Section B Statement of balances

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Cash and bank balances at start of year	94				94	
	Surplus / (deficit) shown on receipts and payments account	0				0	
						-	
						-	
	Cash and bank balances at end of year	94	-	-	-	94	
	(Agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))						
			250				
		(156)					
		94					

B2 Investments	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Market valuation	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £
Total				

B3 Other assets	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (if available)	Current value (if available)	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
Total					

B4 Liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £
Total				

B5 Contingent liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (estimate)	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £
Total				

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees Signature* Print Name Date of approval

Section C Notes to the Accounts

C1 Nature and purpose of funds (may be stated on analysis of funds worksheets)

No donations were received during this financial year

	Type of activity or project supported	Individual / institution	Number of grants made	£
C2 Grants				
			Total	

C3a Trustee remuneration	If no remuneration was paid during the period to any charity trustee or person connected to a trustee cross this box (otherwise complete section 3b)	X
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	Authority under which paid	£
C3b Trustee remuneration - details		

C4a Trustee expenses	If no expenses were paid to any charity trustee during the period then cross this box (otherwise complete section 4b)	X
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		Number of trustees	£
C4b Trustee expenses - details			

	Nature of relationship	Nature of transaction	Transaction amount (£)	Balance outstanding at period end (£)
C5 Transactions with trustees and connected persons				

C6 Other information

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Additional analysis (1)

Analysis of receipts and payments

1 Donations

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
no donations received	0				0	0
					-	
					-	
					-	
Total	0	-	-	-	0	0

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2 Grants

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
Total	-	-	-	-

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3 Gross receipts from other charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-

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4 Payments relating directly to charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
	0				0	156
Total	0				0	156

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Additional analysis (2)

5 Breakdown of unrestricted funds

	Unrestricted fund 1 - enter name of fund below	Unrestricted fund 2 - enter name of fund below	Unrestricted fund 3 - enter name of fund below	Unrestricted fund 4 - enter name of fund below	Total unrestricted funds	Total unrestricted funds last period
Receipts						
Donations	0				0	0
Legacies					-	
Grants					-	
Receipts from fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading receipts					-	
Income from investments other than land and buildings					-	
Rents from land & buildings					-	
Gross receipts from other charitable activities					-	
Sub total	0	-	-	-	0	0
Receipts from asset & investment sales						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	-	-	-	-	-	-
Payments						
Expenses for fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading payments					-	
Investment management costs					-	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities	0				0	156
Grants and donations					-	
Governance costs:					-	
Audit / independent examination					-	
Preparation of annual accounts					-	
Legal costs					-	
Sub total	0	-	-	-	0	156
Payments relating to asset and investment movements						
Purchases of fixed assets					-	
Purchase of investments					-	
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	0	-	-	-	0	156
Net receipts / (payments)	0	-	-	-	0	(156)
Transfers to / (from) funds					-	
Surplus / (deficit) for year	0	-	-	-	0	(156)

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Additional analysis (3)

6 Breakdown of restricted funds

	Restricted fund 1 - enter name of fund below	Restricted fund 2 - enter name of fund below	Restricted fund 3 - enter name of fund below	Restricted fund 4 - enter name of fund below	Total restricted funds	Total restricted funds last period
Receipts						
Donations					-	
Legacies					-	
Grants					-	
Receipts from fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading receipts					-	
Income from investments other than land and buildings					-	
Rents from land & buildings					-	
Gross receipts from other charitable activities					-	
<i>Sub total</i>					-	
Receipts from asset & investment sales						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	
<i>Sub total</i>					-	
<i>Total receipts</i>					-	
Payments						
Expenses for fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading payments					-	
Investment management costs					-	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities					-	
Grants and donations					-	
Governance costs:					-	
Audit / independent examination					-	
Preparation of annual accounts					-	
Legal costs					-	
<i>Sub total</i>					-	
Payments relating to asset and investment movements						
Purchases of fixed assets					-	
Purchase of investments					-	
<i>Sub total</i>					-	
<i>Total payments</i>					-	
<i>Net receipts / (payments)</i>					-	
Transfers to / (from) funds					-	
<i>Surplus / (deficit) for year</i>					-	

Nature and purpose of funds

APPENDIX 3



Scottish Charity Regulator

Independent examiner's report on the accounts v2						
Report to the trustees/members of	Charity name					
	Impressive People					
Registered charity number	sc 044194					
On the accounts of the charity for the period	Period start date			Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year
	1	July	2023	30	June	2024
Set out on pages						remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the terms of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) 2005 Act and the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006 (as amended). The charity trustees consider that the audit requirement of Regulation 10(1) (d) of the Accounts Regulations does not apply. It is my responsibility to examine the accounts as required under section 44(1) (c) of the Act and to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of independent examiner's statement

My examination is carried out in accordance with Regulation 11 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations. 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 seeks explanations from the trustees concerning any 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 the course of my examination, no matter has come to my attention **[etkc: ti1a11 H'lat di!!:elliJi.gg or ihg aUacbed page*]**

1. which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:
 - to keep accounting records in accordance with section 44(1) (a) of the 2005 Act and Regulation 4 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations, and
 - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with Regulation 9 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations

have not been met, or

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