

# Trustees' Annual Report for the period

	Period start date			Period end date			
<b>From</b>	03	10	2018	<b>To</b>	03	10	2019
				Day	Month	Year	

## Section A Reference and administration details

<b>Charity name</b>	Growing Compassionate Communities
<b>Other names charity is known by</b>	
<b>Registered charity number (if any)</b>	1176047
<b>Charity's principal address</b>	Coles Miller Solicitors LLP, 6 Arrowsmith Court, 10 Station Approach, Broadstone <b>Postcode</b> BH18 8AX

### Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Dame A L Brook	Trustee		
2	Peter W Jones	Chair		
3	A W Weber-Wright	Treasurer		
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### Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year
Dame A L Brook	
Peter W Jones	
A W Weber-Wright	

**Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)**

Type of adviser	Name	Address

**Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)**

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**Section B Structure, governance and management**

**Description of the charity's trusts**

Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)	CIO Foundation registered 01 Dec 2017
How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company)	Charitable Incorporated Organisation
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	Appointed by Chair who set up the Charity

**Additional governance issues (Optional information)**

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
- the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;
- relationship with any related parties;
- trustees' consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.

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**Section C Objectives and activities**

**Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document**

TO PROMOTE SOCIAL INCLUSION FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT BY BUILDING AND DISSEMINATING COMMUNITY BASED METHODOLOGIES TO PREVENT PEOPLE FROM BECOMING SOCIALLY EXCLUDED, RELIEVE THE NEEDS OF THOSE PEOPLE WHO ARE SOCIALLY EXCLUDED AND ASSIST THEM TO INTEGRATE INTO SOCIETY.

Over this accounting period the charity focused its work on the local communities in Dorset dealing with dementia and memory loss, and their carers and support groups.

It is hereby formally declared that as required by law the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit.

**Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)**

**Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)**

You **may choose** to include further statements, where relevant, about:

- policy on grantmaking;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.

**Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year**

A monthly carpet bowling event for people with memory loss and their carers has been undertaken at Corfe Mullen at a modest profit and we now support a second carpet bowling group in Corfe Castle.

Weekly drop in sessions have been held at several local libraries and other public spaces with support groups for carers held regularly.

We have overseen a poetry / reading group in Broadstone and a monthly tea dance.

Moving forward it is anticipated that further good works will be mirrored within other communities in the Dorset area.

We ran an event At Poole Lighthouse where members of Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra played.

We have now absorbed dementia friendly groups in Broadstone, Corfe Castle and outside this time period also in Blandford Forum and Wimborne.

## Section E

## Financial review

**Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves**

The majority of the Charity's funds have been placed with its High Street bankers though a working balance is intended to be held on the client account of Coles Miller Solicitors LLP to assist the charity's Treasurer in the day to day financial administration of the Charity

**Details of any funds materially in deficit**

NA

### Further financial review details (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant about:

- the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);
- how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;
- investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

Prior to its registration as a Charity the Charity received a grant of about £7,000 from the Co-Operative Group. The balance of these funds are intended to be spent primarily on the Charity's works in the Corfe Mullen and Dorset area. The larger items of expenditure have included paying for the BSO to play at an event for the public paying for some branded marketing materials and for general fund raising purposes at public events, the relevant insurance, and website renewal.

These items have helped the Charity in running and participating in events reaching out to the local communities providing knowledge, information and support as required.

## Section F

## Other optional information

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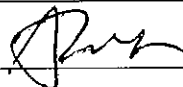
## Section G

## Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)



Full name(s)

Anthony William Weber-Wright

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Treasurer

Date

16-09-2020