

# LTSA(Lincoln Trident Swimming Academy)

(Registered charity number 1166296)

## RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

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#### **Registered Charity Number**

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LTSA

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#### Significant activities

We have further developed and adapted the training programme, which has continued to be flexible in its approach and accessibility. This has been expanded over the year to include additional sessions as the membership has grown and further long course training to meet the progressive needs of the members.

We have competed in a number of open meets of all levels to meet the varied needs and abilities of the membership. Members also successfully competed at County, Regional, National and British Championships. A team was also entered into the local junior swimming league to provide an opportunity for younger members to compete as part of a team.

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- ▲ Competing numerous times under the LTSA banner both at open meets and in junior league team events.
- ▲ Membership numbers growing
- New swimmers competing for the first time and retaining swimmers who have decided to stop competing.
- ▲ Swimmers graduating from Swim School into main academy membership.
- A Regular additional poolside volunteers
- ▲ Structure and governance developed and expanded as the year progressed.
- A Swimmers getting real personal achievement from the level of training, including being recognised at their schools as a result.
- ▲ Established on County and Midlands circuit, further appearances at Nationals/British and also in local junior league team events.
- ▲ Balance of training to support non-competitive swimmers achievements.
- ▲ Increased number of members participating for fitness/healthy recreation.
- ▲ Training opportunities for volunteers and swimmers.
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#### FINANCIAL REVIEW

The charity was established in April 2016, so this is its fourth year of operations. It has further improved its stable financial position.

#### **Reserves policy**

The aim of the charity is to maintain one month's running costs approximately £2,200. The reserves are currently £5,822.

#### Internal control and risk management

The Trustees continue to monitor the major risks to which the charity is exposed and to keep under review the adequacy of the systems which they believe are adequate and appropriate to the size of the charity and the nature of its operations.

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The majority of income is spent on pool hire costs and associated equipment.

Signed Dated 14. 9. 20

Ben Strathon, Chairperson

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FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019
RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS ACCOUNTS

		2019		2018
RECEIPTS	£	£	£	£
Swim England/ASA Fees	2,280		2,085	
Fees	19.376		17,639	
Interest	6		2	
Fundraising (Branded items)	540		1,265	
Functions	1,851		0	
Donations (inc Gift Aid)	1092		0	
Swim Meets	4,574		2,474	
Total Income		29,719		22,580
LESS PAYMENTS				
Swim England/ASA Fees	2,439		2.210	
Pool Hire	13,870		15,108	
Equipment	127		374	
Telephone	10		0	
Misc	41		0	
Training	351		215	
Insurance	164		169	
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Uniform (inc branded items)	2,716		680	
Functions	1913		1,273	
Expenses	1141		1,597	
Hardship Fund	0		0	
Total Expenditure		28,110		24,564
Net Receipts/(Payments)		1,609		(1,096)
Cash funds at start of this period		4,212		5,309
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Approved by the Trustees and signed on their behalf by:

SignedSarah Hallam	Dated	.1/9/2020
Sarah Hallam, Treasurer		

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		2019 £	2018 £
Current Account		2,813	1,210
Deposit Account		3,008	3,002
Cash in Hand		0	0
		5,822	4,212
Assets Held at Year End 2019	£		
Swim Equipment	50		
Laptop	150		
Uniform	50		
Arrears (to be collected)	1,711		
Total	1,961		
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#### **Notes**

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## Independent Review & report to the Lincoln Trident Swimming Academy (LTSA) for the year ending 31st December 2019

As requested by the trustee's of the LTSA, I report on the income and expenditure account for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2019 - This report is solely for the Lincoln Trident Swimming Academy.

#### **Basis of Opinion**

My work constituted of comparing the accounts with the accounting records kept by the treasurer of the Academy and making such limited enquiries of the officers as considered necessary for the purposes of this report. These procedures provide only the assurance expressed in my opinion.

#### **Notes**

1. £200 funds received post cut of as per the bank statement provided as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2019 relating to the expiring financial year are included within the financial year, closing current account balance £2,813.70.

#### **Opinion**

In my opinion and subject to the item(s) above;

- (a) The income and expenditure account is in agreement with the accounting records kept by the Academy;
- (b) having regard only to, and on the basis of, the information contained in those accounting records the income and expenditure account has been drawn up in a manner consistent with the accounting requirements of the Academy.

Mrs Amanda Chesshire ACMA, CGMA Chartered Management Accountant 11<sup>th</sup> September 2020