

Youth Sailing Charity London



Youth Sailing Charity London
Charity Number 1183835

Annual Trustees Report
June 2019- 31 March 2020

*To promote community participation in healthy
recreation through access to sailing and watersports
within Greater London*



Youth Sailing Charity London



About Youth Sailing Charity London

What We Do

The Trustees confirm that they have complied with the duty in section 4 of the Charities Act 2006 to have due regard to public benefit guidance published by the Charity Commission.

Youth Sailing Charity London was established and gained charitable recognition on the 11th June 2019 as a watersports charitable trust based in the greater London area.

The primary objective of the Charitable Trust is:

To promote community participation in healthy recreation for the public benefit by organising or providing or assisting in the organisation or provision of facilities and access to sailing and water-Sports within London.

Who Benefits?

We are part of a living community within the greater London area and whilst our charitable activities are for young people and we also plan to encourage their families to get involved, taking a whole family approach to supporting young people. Our aim is to bring this living community together for the benefit of young people, who benefit from the skills, experiences, opportunities and in-kind support of older volunteers.

Who We Are?

We are a group of volunteers who are involved in watersports at various levels for many years throughout Greater London.

Our Resources and Working in partnership

We do not own and or lease any property or equipment but have develop extensive working relationships and partnerships with many watersport centres around London who will support out charitable activities for young people.

How Is This Financed?

The charity will endeavour to generate income as follows:

- *Funding applications*
- *Membership Fees*
- *Revenue from watersports activities*
- *Sponsorship*

Youth Sailing Charity London



Delivery of the Charity's Objectives

As the charity gained recognition in June 2019, we could not commence any prior fundraising and organise any watersports events. Consequently, we missed many opportunities, and now we are concentrating our efforts on 2021

The Trust

Mr Hugh O'Byrne

Chair of the Trustees since June 2019

Mr Daniel Jasper

Trustee since June 2019

Mr Benjamin

Trustee since June 2019

Trustee Appointments -

Treasurer and Secretary to the Trust

The post of Treasurer to the Trust is currently being supported by the Chair Hugh O'Byrne.

The Principal address of the Trust

43 Kingsway, Petts Wood, Bromley, Kent BR5 1PN

Staff and Volunteers

We do not employ any staff and all activities are supported by a small team of volunteers.

Premises and Equipment

The charity does not own and or lease any premises and or any equipment. Through the goodwill of our network of *volunteers* and supporters within the London area of watersports centres, we can use their facilities to support our charitable future activities.

Compliance and Governance

We adhere to all compliance obligations required by the HMRC, and the Charities Commission.

Youth Sailing Charity London



Trust Policies

It is the policy of the charity to work within its financial constraints and not to accrue any financial debts, and to build up a reserve when feasible and appropriate.

Bank Account

The co-operative bank, P.O. Box 250, Delf House, Southway, Skelmesdale, WN8 6WT

Funding Compliance Reports

Funding brings with it the necessity to produce compliance reports to the funders. All reports required were submitted in full and within the required deadlines.

Risks

As identified by the Trustees, the major risks to which the Trust is exposed will be under constant review and discussed at each and every quarterly board meeting; systems and procedures have been established and updated to manage any risks.

Financial Risks

Implications of Covid 19 and its negative impact on possible fundraising opportunities and general outdoor activities are a concern and constantly under review.

Financial Accounts

As the charity gained recognition in June 2019, we could not commence any prior fundraising and organise any watersports activities. Therefore, we missed many opportunities, and we are now concentrating our efforts for 2021. However, in the Autumn we did receive donations of £760 towards watersports activities and a loan of £1,000 from the Chair of the trustees towards the development of the website.

The charities' only expense during this period is as follows:

£1,000 initial cost towards the development of the website and CRM database systems

£278.92 to set up hosting of the website, domain and e-mail addresses and annual maintenance costs.

As of the 31st March 2020, the charity has a surplus of £431.08 in its current bank account.

Signed by:

Hugh O'Byrne

Hugh O'Byrne Date: *27.11.2020*
Chairman of Trustees