

WESSEX ROTARY CIO
REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER 1183094

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2020

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WESSEX ROTARY CIO

TRUSTEES' REPORT

The trustees submit their annual report and the financial statements for the period from 24th April 2019 to 30th June 2020.

GOVERNING DOCUMENT

Wessex Rotary CIO was registered on 24 April 2019 by Rotary International District 1110. The objects of the CIO are: for the public benefit in Wessex, any other part of the United Kingdom or elsewhere in the world, to relieve the poor and needy and to further such other purposes which are exclusively charitable under the laws of England and Wales as the trustees shall think fit, in particular but not exclusively by working with the members of the Rotary Clubs in the Rotary International District 1110 ("District") through conferences and similar.

TRUSTEES

The trustees who served during and after the year were:-

L Tristram	- District Governor	retired 30 June 2020
T Mason	- District Governor	appointed 1 st July 2020
P Shah	- District Secretary	retired 30 June 2020
C Pellatt	- District Secretary	appointed 1 st July 2020
G Phillips	- District Treasurer	

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ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 1110 CHARITY FUND

TRUSTEES' REPORT

FINANCIAL RESULTS AND ACTIVITIES

The work of the CIO is organised through a number of committees of Rotarians who recommend to the CIO's Executive their proposed activities and funding. Proposals are considered by the CIO's Executive and if adopted are put forward to the members of the CIO for agreement. Usually, the committee organising a fundraising activity is also held responsible for recommending the use of their funds so raised, and the CIO's funds are therefore notionally attributed to the fundraising committees; Community, Youth, International Foundation, and Grants. The CIO funds are similarly named and organised. A Central fund holds the remaining unallocated funds.

Gross income for the year was £83,561.71. £29,973.32 was transferred in from the Rotary International District 1110 Trust and the District Grant account. These are shown under Other. £52,201.00 was paid out for good causes.

During the year the charity undertook the following main projects:-

- 1) In October and November the "Rotary Shoe Box Appeal" collected 25,937 (2019 -) shoe boxes filled with toys and presents and sent them to the following countries:

	2019/20
Montenegro	6,214
Albania	6,027
Philippines	1,559
Romania	6,051
Moldova	6,086
	<u>25,937</u>

The surplus for the year amounted to £5,838.45 (2019 £-); the balance of the reserves at 30th June 2020 was £11,208.73. The trustees continue to aim to hold a minimum of £5,000 in reserves at all times in order to fund further Shoebox costs in the new Rotary year.

- 2) The Rotary "Kids Out" scheme is a national Rotary event taking mentally and physically disabled children, together with children with behavioural difficulties, to Bournemouth's Adventure World or Marwell Zoo for the day. Unfortunately the event was cancelled due to COVID-19.
- 3) The management of Paulton's Park have agreed to donate £5,000 per year until 2021 for the CIO to distribute as it wishes but with the request that this should be directed where possible to disadvantaged children. £2,000 was used in this accounting year to support Young Carers, £1,000 was donated to disadvantaged youth projects, and there is a balance of £10,000 to carry forward.
- 4) Young Carers involves activity weekends away for young people supporting their families at home. Unfortunately these events were cancelled this year due to COVID-19.
- 5) Various youth activities are supported by the CIO. The money for this comes from Rotary International District 1110.
- 6) District Grants are funded by the Rotary Foundation, and are passed on to Clubs to support their charitable activities. Applications are made to a committee, which considers and approves the distribution. £47,866.00 was distributed in this way.

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 1110 CHARITY FUND

TRUSTEES' REPORT

RESERVES POLICY

The trustees continue to review the reserves policy annually. It remains the intention of the trustees, over time, to set aside sufficient free reserves so as to be able to meet and/or smooth out any unexpected spikes in charitable expenditure or income, so providing a cushion against unforeseen contingencies. However, this is subject to any particular requirement to allocate funds to specific projects.

INVESTMENT POWERS

Under the constitution the charity has the power to make any investments that the trustees see fit.

RISK MANAGEMENT

The major risks to which the charity is exposed, as identified by the trustees, have been reviewed and systems have been established to mitigate these risks.

STATEMENT OF PUBLIC BENEFIT

The objects of the CIO are contained in the Governing Document section above. The trustees confirm that they referred to the guidance contained in the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit when reviewing the CIO's aims and objectives and in planning future activities and setting the policies for the year. The trustees consider that the declared objectives above include the specific activities in:-

- a) Overseas aid, disaster and famine relief;
- b) General charitable giving to charities and voluntary bodies; and
- c) Help and benefit to children and young people.

The CIO carries out these objects through its role as an umbrella/resource body for the Rotary clubs in the District and their associated charities.

ACCOUNTING AND REPORTING RESPONSIBILITIES

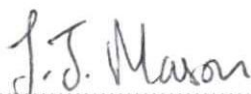
The trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose, with reasonable accuracy at any time, the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that any financial statements comply with the governing document, applicable Accounting Standards and the Statement of Recommended Practice, Accounting and Reporting by Charities and the regulations made under the Charities Act 2011. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

ROTARY IN GENERAL

The Rotary International District 1110 is composed of approximately 2150 Rotarians in seventy six Clubs and is one of 25 Districts within Great Britain and Ireland. Throughout the world there are about 1.2 million Rotarians in 35,000 Clubs in over 200 countries and geographic areas. Clubs are non-political, non-religious and open to all cultures, races and creeds. As signified by the motto "Service Above Self" Rotary's main objective is service in the community, in the workplace and throughout the world.

This report was approved by the Trustees.

Signed by order of the Trustees



..... T Mason, Chairman

Date: 19th October 2020

REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT EXAMINER

WESSEX ROTARY CIO

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of Wessex Rotary CIO (the CIO) for the period ended 30th June 2020.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of the CIO you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the CIO's accounts carried out under section 145 of the Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed all applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145 (5)(B) of the Act.

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I can confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the CIO as required by section 130 of Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than the accounts give a true and fair view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I confirm that there are no other matters to which your attention should be drawn to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Name: 

Relevant professional qualification or body:

Address:

Geoff Rhodes

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Date:

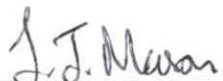
19th October 2020

WESSEX ROTARY CIO


Wessex Rotary CIO			30 June 2020				
			Opening	Income	Costs	Donations	Other Closing
Current Account			0.00				15,207.54 15,207.54
Unpresented Cheques			0.00				0.00
Savings Account			0.00				20,044.92 20,044.92
Transfers			0.00				0.00
Debtors			0.00				0.00
Inventory			0.00				575.00 575.00
Creditors			0.00				0.00
			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	35,827.46 35,827.46
Community	Kids Out	*	0.00	1,200.00			421.01 1,621.01
	Paulton's Park		0.00	5,000.00		(1,000.00)	6,000.00 10,000.00
	Young Carers	*	0.00	1,945.47	(1,624.75)		2,200.00 2,520.72
Youth	Young Musicians	*	0.00	1,220.24	(1,220.24)		0.00
	Young Chef	*	0.00	550.00	(550.00)		0.00
	Youth Speaks	*	0.00	159.92	(159.92)		0.00
	Young Writer	*	0.00	159.92	(159.92)		0.00
	Young Photographer	*	0.00				0.00
	RYLA	*	0.00	820.80	(820.80)		0.00
	Junior Technology	*	0.00	136.80	(136.80)		0.00
	Other		0.00	200.00		(200.00)	0.00
International	Shoeboxes	*	0.00	26,437.59	(20,599.14)		5,370.28 11,208.73
	Gift of Sight	*	0.00				0.00
	Disaster Fund	*	0.00				122.00 122.00
Foundation	Polio	*	0.00	235.00	(235.00)		0.00
Central Fund			0.00	67.77		(3,135.00)	10,505.99 7,438.76
Grants			0.00	45,428.20		(47,866.00)	5,354.04 2,916.24
Suspense			0.00				0.00
Reserves			0.00				0.00
			0.00	83,561.71	(25,506.57)	(52,201.00)	29,973.32 35,827.46

* - Restricted

Approved by the Trustees and signed on their behalf by:


Date: 19th October 2020

T Mason District Governor


Date: 19th October 2020

G Phillips District Treasurer

WESSEX ROTARY CIO

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30TH JUNE 2020

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of preparation of accounts

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice – Accounting and Reporting by Charities (SORP 2019) and applicable UK Accounting Standards. The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the accounts are set out below and have remained unchanged throughout the year.

Incoming resources

Donations

Donations are recognised in the accounts when they are received. Donations received for the general purposes of the charity are included as unrestricted funds; donations for activities restricted by the wishes of the donor are taken to “restricted funds”.

Legacies

Legacies are recognised once the charity has entitlement to the income and it is certain the income will be received.

Volunteers

The value of services provided by volunteers is not incorporated into these accounts.

Shoeboxes

To follow guidance given by the Charity Commission the trustees feel it is appropriate to place a value on the contents of the shoeboxes donated. The trustees have agreed to maintain the average value of £8 per shoebox, making the total donation £207,496 (2019 £-). The trustees will review the average value of the shoeboxes each year.

Resources expended

Resources expended are accounted for on an accruals basis and included irrecoverable VAT where applicable.

2. TRANSACTIONS WITH TRUSTEES

The charity’s trustees do not receive remuneration or expenses.

3. DEBTORS

	2020	2019
	£	£
Inventory of goods for sale to raise funds for Polio	575	-
	<u>575</u>	<u>-</u>

4. CREDITORS

There were no creditors at the end of the period.

5. UNRESTRICTED FUNDS

The general fund represents the free funds of the charity which are not designated for any specific purpose.

	2020	2020	2020
	Paultons Park	Grants	General
Balance at 24 th April 2019	-	-	-
Surplus for the year	10,000	2,916	7,439
Balance at 30 th June 2020	<u>10,000</u>	<u>2,916</u>	<u>7,439</u>

WESSEX ROTARY CIO

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30TH JUNE 2020

6. RESTRICTED FUNDS

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			Opening	Income	Costs	Donations	Other	Closing
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Community	Kids Out	*	0.00	1,200.00			421.01	1,621.01
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7. TRANSACTIONS WITH A WIDER ROTARY NETWORK

From time to time the Charity will send donations to the Rotary Foundation in the USA generally in support of the worldwide Polio Eradication Project.