# LEAGUE OF FRIENDS QEQM HOSPITAL ANNUAL REPORT AND UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

## LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

**Trustees** Mrs S Pheils (Chair)

Mrs T L Cunard Mrs H Ingleton Mrs L Judd Mr J Scarlett

Mrs S Scott (Secretary)

Mr N J Stokes

Mrs A J Voizey (Treasurer)

Mr J J Voizey Ms S Walsh Mr B Whitehead

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#### TRUSTEES REPORT

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

The trustees present their report and financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2021.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out in note 1 to the financial statements and comply with the charity's [governing document], the Charities Act 2011 and "Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019)".

#### Objectives and activities

The Society's objectives are to relieve patients of the hospital who are sick, convalescent, disabled, handicapped or infirm and, generally to support the charitable work of the hospital. There are no restrictions to limit the League's activities. There are no specific investment powers.

In setting objectives and planning for activities, the Trustees have given due consideration to general guidance published by the Charity Commission relating to public benefit, including the guidance 'Public benefit: running a charity (PB2)'.

The trustees have paid due regard to guidance issued by the Charity Commission in deciding what activities the charity should undertake.

#### Achievements and performance

The charity has continued to meet its objectives during the year by providing amenities for the hospital; the amenities cost a total of £115.919 (2020: £43,530)

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic the charity did not organise any fund-raising events during the year, during the previous year the charity raised a net of £6,770.

During the year, the Charity continued to operate its shop and cafeteria facilities at the hospital but on a much reduced scale because of the COVID-19 pandemic, and as a result these facilities only managed to raise a net of £258 (2020: £18,694).

The Trustees continue to publicise the work of the Charity to try to increase membership, and believe that the Charity is well-placed to meet the needs of patients and staff in the Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother Hospital.

## Financial review

Sufficient reserves are maintained to cover a full years administrative costs; funds are utilised only after they have been raised.

The trustees has assessed the major risks to which the charity is exposed, and are satisfied that systems are in place to mitigate exposure to the major risks.

#### Structure, governance and management

The Charity is governed by its constitution as amended in October 1998, and is an un-incorporated Charity.

The trustees who served during the year and up to the date of signature of the financial statements were:

Mrs S Pheils (Chair)

Mrs T L Cunard

Mrs H Ingleton

Mrs L Judd

Mr J Scarlett

Mrs S Scott (Secretary)

Mr N J Stokes

Mrs A J Voizey (Treasurer)

Mr J J Voizey

Ms S Walsh

Mr B Whitehead

## TRUSTEES REPORT (CONTINUED)

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

New members are sought at all fundraising activities and applications are duly vetted before appointment at a majority vote.

The Charity is run by a Committee of Members who meet monthly at the hospital. All of the Members are volunteers who receive no remuneration. The Charity is a member of the national umbrella organisation "Attend".

#### COVID-19

In March 2020 the charity took steps (in line with government advice) to help contain the outbreak of COVID-19. This included the temporary suspension of all fundraising activities and the charity has had to curtail, or change, how it operates. There has been an obvious impact on trading income but it is hoped that this recovers as restrictions are eased. The trustees are monitoring income and expenditure and, if it becomes necessary, will take measures to mitigate the impact of COVID-19 on the charity's free reserves.

The trustees report was approved by the Board of Trustees.

### Mrs S Pheils (Chair)

Trustee

Dated: 20 May 2021

## INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT

## TO THE TRUSTEES OF LEAGUE OF FRIENDS QEQM HOSPITAL

I report to the trustees on my examination of the financial statements of League of Friends QEQM Hospital (the charity) for the year ended 31 March 2021.

#### Responsibilities and basis of report

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

I report in respect of my examination of the charity's financial statements carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act. In carrying out my examination I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act.

#### **Independent examiner's statement**

Your attention is drawn to the fact that the charity has prepared financial statements in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) in preference to the Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice issued on 1 April 2005 which is referred to in the extant regulations but has now been withdrawn.

I understand that this has been done in order for financial statements to provide a true and fair view in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Practice effective for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2015.

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

- accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 130 of the 2011 Act; or
- 2 the financial statements do not accord with those records; or
- the financial statements 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 any requirement that the accounts give a true and fair view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the financial statements to be reached.

MMP Limited

64 High Street Broadstairs Kent CT10 1JT England

Dated: 20 May 2021

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES INCLUDING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

	Notes	Unrestricted funds 2021 £	Unrestricted funds 2020
Income from: Donations and legacies	2	84,315	13,325
Charitable activities	3	2,900	11,485
Other trading activities	4	15,515	75,625
Total income		102,730	100,435
Expenditure on:			
Raising funds	5	15,257	56,931
Charitable activities Activities to benefit QEQM Hospital	6	117,354	49,811
Total charitable expenditure		117,354	49,811
Total resources expended		132,611	106,742
Net expenditure for the year/			
Net movement in funds		(29,881)	(6,307)
Fund balances at 1 April 2020		197,962	204,269
Fund balances at 31 March 2021		168,081	197,962

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.

All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

## **BALANCE SHEET**

## **AS AT 31 MARCH 2021**

		2021		2020	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Current assets					
Stocks	10	2,848		2,978	
Debtors	11	1,715		1,118	
Cash at bank and in hand		164,603		196,271	
		169,166		200,367	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one					
year	12	(1,085)		(2,405)	
Net current assets			168,081		197,962
Income funds					
Unrestricted funds - general			168,081		197,962
			168,081		197,962

The financial statements were approved by the Trustees on 20 May 2021

Mrs S Pheils (Chair) Mrs A J Voizey (Treasurer) Trustee

Trustee

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

#### 1 Accounting policies

#### **Charity information**

League of Friends QEQM Hospital is an unincorporated Charity registered in England, registered number 210234. in the event of the charity being wound up, the liability of the guarantee is limited to £1 per member of the charity.

#### 1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the charity's [governing document], the Charities Act 2011 and "Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019)". The charity is a Public Benefit Entity as defined by FRS 102.

The charity has taken advantage of the provisions in the SORP for charities applying FRS 102 Update Bulletin 1 not to prepare a Statement of Cash Flows.

The financial statements have departed from the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 only to the extent required to provide a true and fair view. This departure has involved following the Statement of Recommended Practice for charities applying FRS 102 rather than the version of the Statement of Recommended Practice which is referred to in the Regulations but which has since been withdrawn.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the charity. Monetary amounts in these financial statements are rounded to the nearest £.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, modified to include the revaluation of freehold properties and to include investment properties and certain financial instruments at fair value. The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

#### 1.2 Going concern

At the time of approving the financial statements, the trustees have a reasonable expectation that the charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Thus the trustees continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements.

#### 1.3 Charitable funds

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of their charitable objectives.

Restricted funds are subject to specific conditions by donors as to how they may be used. The purposes and uses of the restricted funds are set out in the notes to the financial statements

Endowment funds are subject to specific conditions by donors that the capital must be maintained by the charity.

#### 1.4 Income

Income is recognised when the charity is legally entitled to it after any performance conditions have been met, the amounts can be measured reliably, and it is probable that income will be received.

Cash donations are recognised on receipt. Other donations are recognised once the charity has been notified of the donation, unless performance conditions require deferral of the amount. Income tax recoverable in relation to donations received under Gift Aid or deeds of covenant is recognised at the time of the donation.

Legacies are recognised on receipt or otherwise if the charity has been notified of an impending distribution, the amount is known, and receipt is expected. If the amount is not known, the legacy is treated as a contingent asset.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

#### 1 Accounting policies

(Continued)

#### 1.5 Expenditure

Expenditure is recognised once there is a legal or constructive obligation to transfer economic benefit to a third party, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. Expenditure is classified by activity. The costs of each activity are made up of the total of direct costs and shared costs, including support costs involved in undertaking each activity. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs which contribute to more than one activity and support costs which are not attributable to a single activity are apportioned between those activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources. Central staff costs are allocated on the basis of time spent, and depreciation charges allocated on the portion of the asset's use.

Expenditure on raising funds includes all expenditure incurred by the Charity to raise funds for its charitable purposes and includes costs of all fundraising activities events and non-charitable trading.

Expenditure on charitable activities is incurred on directly undertaking the activities which further the Charity's objectives, as well as any associated support costs.

All expenditure is inclusive of irrecoverable VAT.

#### 1.6 Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value after making due allowance for obsolete and slow-moving stocks. Cost includes all direct costs and an appropriate proportion of fixed and variable overheads.

#### 1.7 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities.

#### 1.8 Financial instruments

The charity has elected to apply the provisions of Section 11 'Basic Financial Instruments' and Section 12 'Other Financial Instruments Issues' of FRS 102 to all of its financial instruments.

Financial instruments are recognised in the charity's balance sheet when the charity becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset, with the net amounts presented in the financial statements, when there is a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

#### 1.9 Fund accounting

General funds are unrestricted funds which are available for use at the discretion of the Trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the Charity and which have not been designated for other purposes.

Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objectives of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

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Z	<b>Donations</b>	and	legacies

		Unrestricted funds general 2021 £	Unrestricted funds general 2020 £
	Donations and legacies	84,315	13,325
	Analysis of income from donations and legacies is as follows:		
	Donations	16,435	10,617
	Donations - Gift aid	4,103	927
	Donations - CAF	210	794
	Donations - Just giving	3,533	-
	Donations - Shop	143	752
	Income tax repayment	967	190
	Legacies	58,904	-
	Subscriptions	20	45
		84,315	13,325
3	Charitable activities		
		Unrestricted funds generalf	

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	2021	2020
	£	£
Activities to benefit QEQM Hospital	2,900	11,485

## Other trading activities

	Unrestricted	Unrestricted
	funds	funds
	general	general
	2021	2020
	£	£
Shop income net of VAT	15,515	75,625
Other trading activities	15,515	75,625
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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

#### Raising funds 5

	Unrestricted funds general 2021 £	Unrestricted funds general 2020 £
Trading costs Operating charity shops Other trading activities	14,499 758	45,121 11,810
Trading costs	15,257	56,931
	15,257	56,931
Charitable activities		

	Activities to benefit QEQM Hospital 2021	Activities to benefit QEQM Hospital 2020
	£	£
Fashion show	-	3,180
Summer raffle	-	106
Quiz Greek night	-	109 1,214
Amenities	115,919	43,530
Christmas raffle	-	106
	115,919	48,245
Share of support costs (see note 7)	751	726
Share of governance costs (see note 7)	684	840
	117,354	49,811
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

7	Support costs							
		Support costs	Governance costs	2021	Support costs	Governance costs	2020	Basis of allocation
		£	£	£	£	£	£	
	Postage and staionery	42	-	42	50	-	50	
	Attend	689	-	689	656	-	656	
	Lottery registration	20	-	20	20	-	20	
	Independent examiners							Governance
	remuneration	-	684	684	-	840	840	
		751	684	1,435	726	840	1,566	
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	Analysed between							
	Charitable activities	751	684	1,435	726	840	1,566	
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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

#### 8 Trustees

None of the trustees (or any persons connected with them) received any remuneration or benefits from the charity during the year.

## 9 Employees

The average monthly number of employees during the year was:

		2021 Number	2020 Number
	Total		_
10	Stocks	2021 £	2020 £
	Stocks	2,848	2,978
11	Debtors		
	Amounts falling due within one year:	2021 £	2020 £
	Prepayments and accrued income	1,715	1,118
12	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year		
	Ç ,	2021 £	2020 £
	Other taxation and social security	425	1,565
	Accruals and deferred income	660	840
		1,085	2,405
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## 13 Related party transactions

There were no disclosable related party transactions during the year (2020 - none).

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

## 14 List of Donations

	144.95
	1161.60
x 8	4329.52
	715.20
x 3	599.27
x 25	2895.00
	1228.92
	201.60
x 21	845.51
	5089.21
	1459.61
X 9	29801.40
	1079.40
	10093.38
x 3	8369.31
x 3	1545.60
x 14	7212.80
	275.88
x 6	5531.40
x 4	692.68
	11539.20
	1490.00
	1490.00
	18128.48
£	115919.92
	x 3 x 25  x 21  X 9  x 3 x 3 x 14  x 6 x 4