



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 2/8/2020 **Period start date** **To** 1/8/2021
Period end date

Charity name: Arts Against Adversity

Charity registration number: 1183533

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	AAA aims to advance community-based arts and culture through using and fusing a range of artistic genres and the life experiences of those who have experienced or are experiencing adversity. AAA also seeks to provide arts-based skills and support to those in need, by reason of adversity and/or poor mental health, through awareness raising, projects and training.
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	Due to the pandemic, there was no activity beyond regular trustee meetings on zoom. These focussed on idea sharing for the future.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	All trustees received and read their induction packs containing all relevant guidance.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	This has not yet been agreed/finalised due to turmoil and changes due to the pandemic
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	This has not yet been agreed/finalised due to turmoil and changes due to the pandemic

Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	No volunteers made a contribution over this period
Other		n/a

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	Due to the pandemic, there was no activity or achievements beyond regular trustee meetings on zoom. These only focussed on idea sharing for the future.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	n/a
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	n/a
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	n/a
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Other		
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Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	See end of year accounts document
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	n/a
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	n/a
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	n/a
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	n/a
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	n/a

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	n/a
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	n/a
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	n/a
Other		n/a

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	CIO
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Personal recommendation and then vote by panel

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Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	n/a
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	n/a
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	n/a
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Arts Against Adversity
Other name the charity uses	-
Registered charity number	1183533

Charity's principal address	112 Haviland Road Boscombe BH7 6HJ

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	Paul Norton	Chair	October 2020-August 2021	
2	Adele Cleaver	Treasurer	March 2021-August 2021	
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Corporate trustees - names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	n/a
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	n/a
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	n/a

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address
General	Dr Brettany Hartwell	28 Shawford Road. BH8 0PF

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

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Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

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Other optional information

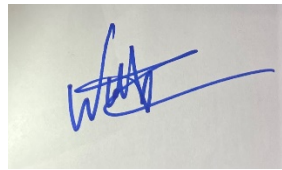
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Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)



Full name(s)

Paul Norton

Position (eg
Secretary, Chair, etc)

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Date

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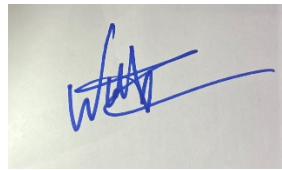
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