

# **Trustees' Annual Report for the period**

Period start date

01 February 2020 Period end date
31 Janua

date
January 2021



# Section A

## Reference and administration details

To

Charity name WorleWind Band

Registered charity number (if any) 1174211

Charity's principal address c/o The Beeches

**From** 

c/o The Beeches

Middle Road, Cossington

Somerset

Postcode

TA7 8LN

#### 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 | Julia Ractliffe | Founder Trustee | From registration to current      |   |
| 2 | Andy Ractliffe  | Founder Trustee | From registration to current      |   |
| 3 | Aimee Ractliffe | Founder Trustee | From registration to current      |   |
| 4 | Kerry Phillips  | Trustee         | From March 2020 to current        |   |

#### Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser Name Address

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|----------------------|---------------------------|---|
| Independent Examiner | Deiniol Hedd-<br>Richards | 25 Dyserth Road, Penarth, Vale of Glamorgan, CF64 3UQ |
|                      |                           |   |

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

No staff are employed by the Organisation

# Section B Structure, governance and management

#### Description of the charity's trusts

| Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)        | Constitution  |
|--|---|
| How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company) | Foundation Charitable Incorporated Organisation   |
| Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)         | Apart from the first charity trustees, every trustee must be appointed by a resolution passed at a properly convened meeting of the charity trustees. |

#### Section C

## Objectives and activities

Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

Summary of the main

activities undertaken for the

these objects (include within this section the statutory

declaration that trustees have

had regard to the guidance

issued by the Charity Commission on public

benefit)

public benefit in relation to

The objects of the CIO are:

- (1) To advance, improve, develop and maintain public awareness in, and appreciation of, the art and science of music in all its aspects by any means the trustees see fit, including through the presentation of public concerts.
- (2) To further such exclusively charitable purposes for the public benefit as the trustees in their absolute discretion shall think fit from time to time, in particular through the making of grants and donations.

The objects of the CIO are supported by the following activities:

- (1) Public performances booked by third parties for community or other benefit.
- (2) Performances arranged by the CIO independently or jointly with another organisation.
- (3) Providing facilities which promote the practice and enjoyment of the art of music for recreational well-being, through encouragement and support of the musical development of others.
- (4) Making of grants and donations.

In the planning of the activities, the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit.

Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include further statements, where relevant, about:

- policy on grantmaking;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.

WorleWind Band became a recognised charity on 10<sup>th</sup> August 2017. All policies and procedures are reviewed, updated where necessary and reapproved by the Trustees annually.

The COVID-19 pandemic policy was updated throughout the year in accordance with Government guidance, taking available advice from Public Health England, DCMS (Department for Culture, Media and Sport), and our insurers; Making Music.

Aligned to the COVID-19 policy is a COVID-19 Risk Assessment which has been ratified and published on the Band's website. Additionally, this has been seen as a best practice template and shared with other bands for their own assessments.

There were no significant updates to other existing policies in 2021.

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#### Section D

## Achievements and performance

# Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

The start of 2021 saw lockdown of many in-person activities due to COVID-19 saw the cessation of activities, however the band remained resilient and even welcomed new players who joined in with the ongoing online collaborations and small group events undertaken in accordance with the Risk Assessment.

In line with our Charitable Objects, and in addition to the ensemble work (recordings and on-line activities), the COVID-19 lockdowns also saw generous lending of personal instruments to people learning to play/improve. The experience has reinforced the need for continued outreach and engagement in music in the community. To this end, the band received a restricted donation of two clarinets which have already been used for public benefit.

The lifting of restrictions in May enabled the band to rehearse again, initially in controlled groups of <30 and distanced in accordance with guidance and returning to full rehearsals in the second half of the year.

We were able to put on full productions towards the end of the year including three festive celebrations to large audiences before the Omicron variant caused cancellations in the last week before Christmas.

#### Section E

#### **Financial review**

# Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

The reserves policy for the band is nominally calculated as at least the previous year's running costs plus three months of anticipated income. In any event the reserves must not be lower than £4k to cover any costs of dissolution.

The reserves position remains healthy and above the minimum level in the policy.

# Details of any funds materially in deficit

None

#### Further financial review details (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant about:

- the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);
- how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;
- investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

All revenue has supported the charitable objectives of the organisation with no-one receiving any form of remuneration.

2021 was heavily impacted by COVID-19 and again the trustees actively reduced outgoings as far as possible, to end the year marginally above break even.

The reserves balance remains in accordance with the policy.

Section F

## Other optional information

A sum of £1,915 represents the deposit money held by the organisation on behalf of members for the postponed trip to Isle of Wight – these are separately recorded and accounted for. Subject to COVID-19 restrictions being lifted, this trip is intended to be rescheduled.

2022 has enabled us to resume public performances and enjoy the postponed weekend tour to the Isle of Wight and Anniversary concert. The diary is filling up with bookings and activities including celebrating the Queens' Jubilee.

## Section G Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

| Signature(s)                        | Quit                      |  |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| Full name(s)                        | Andrew Nicholas Ractliffe |  |
| Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc) | Trustee                   |  |
| Date                                | 21/02/2021                |  |

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CHARITY COMMISSION Charity Name FOR ENGLAND AND WALES WorleWind Band

No (if any) 1174211

Receipts and payments accounts

For the period Period start date Period end date То from 01/02/2021 31/01/2022

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| Section A Receipts and   | d payments         |                  |                            |                  |                  |
|--|--------------------|------------------|----------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|  | Unrestricted       | Restricted       | Endowment                  | Total funds      | Loot year        |
|  | funds              | funds            | funds                      | rotal funds      | Last year        |
|  | to the nearest     | to the nearest £ | to the nearest £           | to the nearest £ | to the nearest £ |
| A1 Receipts  | £                  |                  | to the hourset a           | to the hourder a | to the nearest z |
| Donations  | 1,270              | 2,341            |                            | 2 044            | 44 000           |
| Charitable Events  | 3,148              | 2,341            |                            | 3,611<br>3,148   | 11,823           |
| Members' subscriptions   | 3,860              |                  |                            | 3,860            | 2,355            |
| Other  |                    | -                | -                          | -                | 2,000            |
|  |                    | •                |                            |                  | -                |
|  |                    |                  | -                          |                  |                  |
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| 2.1.1.10   | -                  | -                | -                          | -                | -                |
| Sub total (Gross income for  | 8,278              | 2,341            |                            | 10,619           | 14 550           |
| AR)  | 0,210              | 2,041            |                            | 10,019           | 14,556           |
| A2 Asset and investment sales,   |                    |                  |                            |                  |                  |
| (see table).   |                    |                  |                            |                  |                  |
| (occ table).   |                    |                  |                            |                  |                  |
|  |                    | -                |                            | •                | -                |
| Sub total  |                    |                  |                            |                  |                  |
| Sub total  | Control Extended B |                  | •                          | •                | -                |
| Total receipts   | 8,278              | 2,341            | -                          | 10,619           | 14,556           |
| 10.5   |                    |                  |                            |                  |                  |
| A3 Payments Cost of Charitable Events  | 0.700              |                  |                            |                  |                  |
| Property Hire Costs  | 2,702              | -                | -                          | 2,702            | 1,145            |
| Music  | 2,308<br>616       | -                | -                          | 2,308            | 1,972            |
| Insurance  | 355                |                  | -                          | 616<br>355       | 1,024            |
| Telephone and Website  |                    |                  | <u> </u>                   | -                | 315              |
| Printing, postage, stationery and computer   |                    |                  |                            |                  | 170              |
| supplies   | 549                |                  | -                          | 549              | 5,730            |
| Other  | 1,661              | -                | -                          | 1,661            | 1,474            |
|  | -                  | -                |                            |                  | -                |
|  | -                  | -                | -                          |                  | -                |
| Sub total  | 8,191              |                  | <u>-</u> 1                 | 8,191            | 11,830           |
| A4 Asset and investment  |                    |                  |                            |                  |                  |
|  |                    |                  |                            |                  |                  |
| purchases, (see table)   |                    |                  |                            |                  |                  |
| Purchase of assets and   |                    |                  |                            |                  |                  |
| investments  |                    | 1,825            | -                          | 1,825            |                  |
|  | -                  | •                | -                          | •                | -,               |
| Sub total  | -                  | 1,825            | •                          | 1,825            | •                |
| Total payments   | 8,191              | 4.005            | 0011011011 544451 Constant |                  |                  |
| i otal payments  | 0,191              | 1,825            |                            | 10,016           | 11,830           |
| Net of receipts/(payments)   | 87                 | 516              |                            | 603              | 2,726            |
| A5 Transfers between funds   |                    | 010              |                            | 003              | 2,126            |
| A6 Cash funds last year end  | 82                 | 0.004            |                            |                  | -                |
| The state of the s |                    | 9,901            | -                          | 9,983            | 7,257            |
| Cash funds this year end   | 169                | 10,417           | -                          | 10,586           | 9,983            |
|  |                    |                  |                            |                  |                  |

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| Section B Statement                          | of assets and liabilities at                           | the end of th     | ie period       |               |
|--|--|-------------------|-----------------|---------------|
|  |  | Unrestricted      | Restricted      | Endowment     |
| Categories                                   | Details  | funds             | funds           | funds         |
| B1 Cash funds                                | Bank Account   | to nearest £      | to nearest £    | to nearest £  |
| 5. Caon fands                                |  | 169               | 10,417          |               |
|  |  | -                 | -               |               |
|  |  | -                 | -               | -             |
|  | Total cash funds                                       | 169               | 10,417          | -             |
|  | (agree balances with receipts and payments account(s)) | OK                | OK              | ОК            |
|  | account(s))  | Unrestricted      | Restricted      | Endowment     |
|  |  | funds             | funds           | funds         |
| P0 0/1                                       | Details  | to nearest £      | to nearest £    | to nearest £  |
| B2 Other monetary assets                     |  | -                 | -               | -             |
|  |  | -                 | -               | -             |
|  |  | -                 | -               | -             |
|  |  | -                 | -               | -             |
|  |  | -                 | -               | -             |
|  |  | - 1               |                 |               |
|  |  |                   |                 | L             |
|  | Details  | Fund to which     | Cost (optional) | Current value |
| B3 Investment assets                         | no oberro  | asset belongs     | - 1             | (optional)    |
|  |  |                   | -               | -             |
|  |  |                   |                 |               |
|  |  |                   | _               |               |
|  |  |                   |                 | -             |
|  |  |                   | •               | -             |
|  |  | Fund to which     |                 | Current value |
| D4.4   | Details 2 x Clarinet Leblanc Serenade                  | asset belongs     | Cost (optional) | (optional)    |
| B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use | 2 x Glaffiet Lebiand Serenade                          | Restricted        | •               | 7             |
| chancy 3 Own use                             |  |                   | •               |               |
|  |  |                   | -               | -             |
|  |  |                   | -               | -             |
|  |  |                   | -               | -             |
|  |  |                   | - 1             | -             |
|  |  |                   | -               | -             |
|  |  |                   |                 | -             |
|  |  |                   |                 |               |
|  |  | L                 |                 |               |
|  | Details  | Fund to which     | Amount due      | When due      |
| B5 Liabilities                               | SOLUTIO  | liability relates | (optional)      | (optional)    |
|  |  |                   |                 |               |
|  |  |                   |                 |               |
|  |  |                   |                 |               |
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|  |  |                   |                 |               |
| Signed by one or two trustees on             | Cik  |                   |                 | Date of       |
| behalf of all the trustees                   | Signature  | Print N           | ame             | approval      |
|  | (Deut)   | A Ract            | liffe           | 18/02/2022    |
|  | 29   | /\\\acti          |                 | 10/02/2022    |
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| CCXX R2 accounts (SS)                        | 2  |                   |                 | 09/04/2022    |
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|  | -  | ,                 | 10/04/23        | L.            |
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