Registered Number: 3002661 Charity Number: 1044532

The Actors of Dionysus (A Company limited by guarantee)

**TRUSTEES' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** For the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022 THE ACTORS OF DIONYSUS (A Company limited by guarantee)

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## Trustees

Brian Beaton David G. G. Bullen Steve Cowton Michael Edwin Dixon Olga Gekht Katherine Harloe Catherine B. Livesey Fiona Macintosh Shelley Warren Andy Powell (Chairman)

## Secretary

Maria Athini (appointed Secretary 16<sup>th</sup> May 2022)

Company Registered Number	3002661
Charity Registered Number	1044532
Registered Office	25 St Luke's Road Brighton BN2 9ZD
Accountants	R Kennedy t/a Brayhaven Limited Lower Ickneild Way, Marsworth, Tring, Herts, HP23 4LN
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THE ACTORS OF DIONYSUS (A Company limited by guarantee)

# THE ACTORS OF DIONYSUS

## TRUSTEES REPORT

# For the year end 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022

The Trustees, who are directors of the charity for the purposes of the Companies Act, submit their annual report and the financial statements of Actors of Dionysus (**aod**) Limited (the charitable company) for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2022. The Trustees confirm that the annual report and financial statements of the charitable company comply with current statutory requirements, the requirements of the charitable company's governing document and the provisions of the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) 'Accounting and Reporting by charities' revised 2019.

## Method of appointment or election of trustees

The management of the charitable company is the responsibility of the Trustees who are elected and co-opted under the terms of the Articles of Association.

## **Charitable Objectives**

The continuation of the performance of new adaptations of ancient Greek drama and new writings inspired by myth. The company intends to maintain its strong outreach programme with workshops and talks, published education materials including; resources, adaptations, and books of essays, DVDs, audio-CDs, digital material, as well as its highly physical, visual and poetic performance style. The company intends to maintain its strong events programme, working on a variety of high-end events to attract funding and increase the profile of the company.

## Review of activities and future development

## 1. Summary of 2022

At the start of 2022 **aod** was moving forward with our application to become an Arts Council England National Portfolio Organisation (at the time of writing in 2023 we are able to report that we were unsuccessful). This would have secured the company regular funding for a three-year period. Preparing this application necessitated the creation of a three-year plan of projects for **aod** and was a large undertaking, working closely with our Chair and members of our board. These proposed projects consist of the ongoing *Black Voices in Myth*, two new stages of *Wonder Women of the Ancient World*, further #DailyDose (now rebranded as #MiniMyth) commissions and an expanded Education Programme of free workshops. This application also gave us the opportunity to improve aspects of our governance, including recruiting new trustees, undertaking carbon literacy training and creating a programme to recruit young trustees. This application took several months and necessitated looking strategically at our ongoing operations and cashflow projections, budgeting for specific planned projects and events and although we were not successful it encouraged us to consider in detail our plans for the future and our priorities.

In May 2022 we again performed *Stories in the Garden: Ariadne*, part of our *Wonder Women of the Ancient World* series, originally developed with puppetry company Bee in

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My Beanie. We intend for this show to be the first in a series of three, each exploring the story of a different female hero of Greek mythology for children in Key Stage 2 of their education. We were able to utilise the funding we had received from the Fonthill Foundation to mount these performances. Our original intention with this funding was to perform this show in local primary schools, but due to ongoing COVID concerns and primary schools' desire to limit external visitors this was not possible. It was safer to perform these shows at our outdoor venue to Brighton Fringe, to the satisfaction of the funder as reflected in our end of project report. *Stories in the Garden: Ariadne* was awarded the FUSE International Best of Brighton Fringe Children and Families Award, part of the prize for which was the opportunity to perform at the FUSE International Festival in Kingston Upon Thames, which we undertook in July '22.

We presented another show at Brighton Fringe, *Lionhouse Cabaret*, a showcase of local performers across a variety of disciplines and styles, including music and comedy, primarily showcasing the talents of comedic duo Dyball and Kerr.

In October of 2022 our Trustee David Bullen put us in contact with Kings College London, with a view to **aod** taking on the role as Executive Director of their annual Greek Play. This role, which we have accepted, will see **aod** acting as professional consultants on the production, mentoring the students to achieve their artistic ambitions for the production. As part of this role **aod** now has access to an office on KCL Campus in the Strand in London. As of December 2022 **aod** has held interviews with potential student directors and have selected a team who will be creating a new piece of theatre based on the Iphigenia myths.

The #DailyDose continues, though now has been rebranded as #MiniMyth so as to give a clearer idea of the what the series consists of since it is no longer posting on a daily basis. This series remains a fantastic way for **aod** to expand our network and boost our number of followers on various social media platforms.

Our Education Officer has been leading workshops in person in schools across the UK, there has been an increase in bookings though they have still not yet returned to pre-COVID levels. Our General Manager has also been trained to deliver workshops. Our workshops continue to receive overwhelmingly positive feedback from teachers and pupils.

## 2. New Appointments

We appointed three new trustees in 2022. Fiona Macintosh, who is Professor of Classical Reception at St Hilda's College, Oxford, and Director of the Archive of Performances of Greek and Roman Drama. Shelley Warren, former CEO of the Arts Foundation. Brian Beaton, Employment Academy Manager at the House of St Barnabas.

Each of these trustees brings new perspectives and skills to our Board and have already made invaluable contributions to the balance and governance of our organisation.

## 3. Training, Awards and Conferences

The staff of **aod** took part in a digital mentoring scheme run by The Space, an organisation that supports the arts, culture and heritage sectors to create and enhance

digital content and experiences. Our mentor Dominic Kennedy has been leading targeted sessions developing different aspects of our digital presence. This has enabled us to more effectively use our digital presence to reach audiences interested in our work.

The Board of Trustees and staff at **aod** also took part in carbon literacy training with Royal Holloway University of London. This has enabled us to make informed choices about our carbon impact as an organisation and individuals as well as has giving us tools and principles to guide our future as an organisation.

# 4. Education

Education Officer Mark Katz continues to deliver workshops in schools and colleges across the UK. His workshops regularly receive 10/10 feedback along with positive comments from teachers and pupils. He has also trained General Manager Lucy Ruddiman to deliver workshops. We hope that this will increase the number of workshops we are able to deliver. The provision of paid workshops continues to be an effective method of generating revenue for the company.

"Mark's infectious enthusiasm for Greek theatre meant that the workshop was very fun and interesting. I enjoyed finding out about the two plays Oedipus and Antigone (now I want to read them!). It was an amazing opportunity and I also liked thinking about what it would be like on an ancient Greek stage."

- Pupil, Workshop with Classics for All

# 5. #MiniMyth

Rebranding the #DailyDose as #MiniMyth was one of the big takeaways from our participation in The Space's digital mentoring scheme. The new title gives a better idea of what the online series is and also reflects the fact that it is no longer being updated on a daily basis. This series continues to be a fantastic way for **aod** to network with performers and academics as well as a way of raising our profile on social media. These recordings continue to be uploaded to YouTube, to help raise the company's online presence.

# 6. Black Voices in Myth

We have secured an Arts Council England NLPG (National Lottery Project Grant) for the second stage R&D (research and development) to take place in March 2023 at Chickenshed Theatre in London. This R&D will develop the draft script written by Kaleya Baxe into a realised production concept.

# 7. The Big Give Christmas Challenge & the Big Night In

We again held The Big Night In as part of our fundraising efforts for the Big Give Christmas Challenge. This year we were raising funds to support the development of *Black Voices in Myth*. We were able to secure Champion Funding from the Rampion Foundation which meant that our target was much higher than last year's. We were able to meet our target, but we feel that the Big Night In was more effective as a fundraiser during lockdown. Now that the world has opened up more people are less interested in attending solely virtual events. Next year we aim to hold an in person fundraising event instead.

# 8. Funding

Aod received the following pots of funding in 2022: Arts Council England Black Voices in Myth: £27,000 (granted in 2022, to be paid in 2023) Big Give Christmas Challenge: £7,040

# **Risk Management**

The Trustees have assessed the major risks to which the Company is exposed, in particular those related to the operations and finances of the Company and are satisfied that systems are in place to mitigate the Company's exposure to the major risks.

# Trustees' responsibilities

Company and charity law applicable to charities in England and Wales requires the Trustees to prepare financial statement for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company and of the surplus or deficit of the charitable company for that period. In preparing those financial statements the Trustees have:

- 1. Selected suitable accounting policies and applied them constantly;
- 2. Made judgments and estimates that are fair and reasonable;
- 3. Stated whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- 4. Prepared the financial statements on a going concern basis (unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Trust will continue in operation)

The Trustees have overall responsibility for ensuring that the charitable company has an appropriate system of controls, financial and otherwise. They are also responsible for keeping proper accounting records, which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charitable company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act, 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charitable company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the detection and prevention of fraud and other irregularities.

This report was approved by the board on INSERT DATE and signed on its behalf by

A. Powell - Director

# INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNTS

for the year ended 31 December 2022

	Note	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	2022 Total £	2021 Total £	2020 Total £
INCOME						
From Generated Funds Voluntary Inco	me 2	5302	4938	10240	36486	83586
Activities for generating fur		3237	4938	3237	2302	625
	140 0	8539	4938	13477	38788	84211
From Charitable Activity Worksho	ane	11828	0	11828	2000	8780
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Other Income						
Sundry Inco		253	0	253	2500	956
Theatre Tax Re	lief	4299	0	4299	4564	6109
TOTAL INCOME		24919	4938	29857	47852	100056
EXPENDITURE		0	0	0	0	0
Costs of generating Voluntary Income		0	0	0	0	0
Cost of Goods Sold and other costs	4	38563	11270	49832	67467	53698
From Charitable Activity						
Worksho	ops	0	0	0	0	0
Governance co	•	434	0	434	1211	441
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		38997	11270	50266	68678	54139
NET INCOME/(DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR		(14,078)	(6,332)	(20,409)	(20,826)	45,917
NET INCOME/(DEFICIT) FOR THE FEAR		(14,070)	(0,332)	(20,409)	(20,020)	40,917
FUND BALANCES B/FWDS		35283	8051	43333	64159	18242
FUND BALANCES C/FWDS		21205	1719	22924	43333	64159

BALANCE SHEET								
At December 31st 2022								
	Note	£ <u>2022</u>	£ <u>2021</u>	£ <u>2020</u>				
TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	1	86	115	154				
CURRENT ASSETS								
Stock	1	0	0	1350				
Debtors	7	4299	9958	8013				
Cash at Bank and in Hand		18889	33644	54992				
subtotal		23188	43602	64355				
CREDITORS falling due within 1 year	8	(350)	(384)	(350)				
NET CURRENT ASSETS		22838	43218	64005				
NET ASSETS		22924	43333	64159				
Represented By: Restricted Funds Unrestricted Funds		1719 21205 22924	8051 35283 43333	0 64159 64159				

In preparing these accounts:

(a) For the year ended 31 December 2022 the company is entitled to the exemption from audit under Section 477(2) of the Companies Act 2006;

(b) Members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with Section 476

of the Companies Act 2006, and;

(c)The directors acknowledge their responsibility for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the propagation of accounts

with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

(d) These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime.

The financial statements were approved by the Board on .....

# A Powell

Director

# NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS for the year ended 31 December 2022

#### **1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

#### Basis of Preparation of Financial Statements

The financial statements have been prapared under the historical cost convention.

#### **Company Status**

The Charitable Company is a company limited by guarantee. The members of the company are the Trustees named on page I. In the event of the charitable company being wound up the liability in respect of the guarantee is limited to £10 per member of the charitable company.

#### **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 Charitable Company and which have not been designated for other purposes.

Restricted funds are funds which are to be used accordance with specific instructions imposed by the donors which have been raised by the Trustees for particular purposes.

#### Income

All incoming resources are included in the Income & Expenditure Account when the Charitable company is legally entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy.

#### Expenditure

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been included under expense categories that aggregate all costs for allocation to activities. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular activities, they have been allocated on a basis consistent With the use of the resources. Overheads have been allocated on the basis of charity expenditure

#### Cash Flow

The company has taken advantage of the exemption from the requirement to produce a cash flow statement on the grounds that it is a small charitable company.

#### Turnover

Tumover comprises the invoiced value of the goods and services supplied by the company. The company is not registered for Value Added Tax.

#### Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and market value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow - moving items.

#### **Tangible Fixed Assets**

Office Equipment is written off on a 25% reducing balance basis.

	Cost	Depreciation	2022 Net Book Value
Balance at 1 January 2021	912	797	115
Additions during the year	0		0
Charge during the year		29	-29
Balance at 31 December 2022	912	826	86

# NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS for the year ended 31 December 2022

INCOME	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	2022 Total £	2021 Total £	2020 Total £
2 - Voluntary Income					
Membership Fees	738	0	738	2962	4945
Donations	2500	3438	5938	10123	18611
Grants	0	1500	1500	23002	59419
Gift Aid Tax Repayment	2064	0	2064	399	611
	5302	4938	10240	36486	83586
3 - Activities for Generating Funds					
Publications	0	0	0	0	0
Venue Income	3237	0	3237	2302	625
	3237	0	3237	2302	625
EXPENDITURE					
4 - Cost of Goods Sold and other costs					
Production costs and purchases	3875	0	3875	3016	3647
Staff costs	41182	0	41182	59137	44950
Miscellaneous	911	0	911	2483	1787
Postage	166	0	166	116	66
Staff Expenses & Travel	1823	0	1823	807	1385
Stationery	41	0	41	31	0
Computer Costs	0	0	0	0	0
Phone/Internet	489	0	489	472	579
Depreciation	29	0	29	39	51
Publicity	0	0	0	0	0
Repairs & Renewals	0	0	0	0	0
Hire of Space	550	0	550	600	600
Insurance	766	0	766	766	633
Expenditure Allocated to restricted	d funds -11270	11270	0	0	0
Training	0	0	0	0	0
-	38563	11270	49832	67467	53698
5 - Governance					
Accountancy	350	0	350	384	350
Consultancy	0	0	0	720	0
Claiming Theatre Tax Relief	0	0	0	0	0
Bank Charges	84	0	84	107	91
	434	0	434	1211	441

## 6 - Trustees Remuneration & Expenses

No Trustee received any remuneration or reimbursement of expenses during the year. (2021 £nil)

7 - Debtors			
Trading Debtors	0	0	0
Gift Aid Repayment	0	460	821
Theatre Tax Relief	4299	9498	7191
	4299	9958	8012
8 - Creditors			
Trade	0	0	0
Loan	0	0	0
Accruals	350	384	350
	350	384	350

## Accountant's Report

## Accounts for the year ended 31 December 2022

In accordance with instructions received I have prepared, without carrying out an audit, the accounts set out on pages 1 to 4 from the accounting records of The Actors of Dionysus and from the information and explanations supplied to me.

R Kennedy FCMA Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Timbers House, Lower Icknield Way, Marsworth, Tring, Herts, HP23 4LN

Restricted Funds Analysis

		2022		2021		2020
Opening Balance						4389
Received During Year						
Sussex Community Foundation	0		0		6559	
The Big Give	3438		10123		9052	
Arts Council England (ACE)	1500		18513		14303	
Fonthill Foundation	0		2989		0	
Cultural Recovery Fund	0		0		45116	
Chalk Cliff funding	0		0		3000	
subtotal		4938		31625		78030
Carried Forwards from prior year						
The Big Give	5062		9052			
Fonthill Foundation	2989		0			
Cultural Recovery Fund	0		22558			
subtotal		8051		31610		
Carried Forwards to 2023						
The Big Give	1719		5062		9052	
Fonthill Foundation	0		2989		0	
Cultural Recovery Fund	0		0		22558	
subtotal		1719		8051		31610
Used in 2022		11270		55185		50809

# INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNTS

for the year ended 31 December 2022

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BALANCE SHEET								
At Dec	At December 31st 2022							
	Note	£ <u>2022</u>	£ <u>2021</u>	£ <u>2020</u>				
TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	1	86	115	154				
CURRENT ASSETS								
Stock	1	0	0	1350				
Debtors	7	4299	9958	8013				
Cash at Bank and in Hand		18889	33644	54992				
subtotal		23188	43602	64355				
CREDITORS falling due within 1 year	8	(350)	(384)	(350)				
	C C	(000)	(001)	(000)				
NET CURRENT ASSETS		22838	43218	64005				
NET ASSETS		22924	43333	64159				
Represented By:								
Restricted Funds		1719	8051	0				
Unrestricted Funds		21205	35283	64159				
		22924	43333	64159				

In preparing these accounts:

(a) For the year ended 31 December 2022 the company is entitled to the exemption from audit under Section 477(2) of the Companies Act 2006;

(b) Members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with Section 476

of the Companies Act 2006, and;

(c)The directors acknowledge their responsibility for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the propagation of accounts

with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

(d) These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime.

The financial statements were approved by the Board on .....

# A Powell

Director

# NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS for the year ended 31 December 2022

#### **1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

#### Basis of Preparation of Financial Statements

The financial statements have been prapared under the historical cost convention.

#### **Company Status**

The Charitable Company is a company limited by guarantee. The members of the company are the Trustees named on page I. In the event of the charitable company being wound up the liability in respect of the guarantee is limited to £10 per member of the charitable company.

#### **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 Charitable Company and which have not been designated for other purposes.

Restricted funds are funds which are to be used accordance with specific instructions imposed by the donors which have been raised by the Trustees for particular purposes.

#### Income

All incoming resources are included in the Income & Expenditure Account when the Charitable company is legally entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy.

#### Expenditure

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been included under expense categories that aggregate all costs for allocation to activities. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular activities, they have been allocated on a basis consistent With the use of the resources. Overheads have been allocated on the basis of charity expenditure

#### Cash Flow

The company has taken advantage of the exemption from the requirement to produce a cash flow statement on the grounds that it is a small charitable company.

#### Turnover

Tumover comprises the invoiced value of the goods and services supplied by the company. The company is not registered for Value Added Tax.

#### Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and market value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow - moving items.

#### **Tangible Fixed Assets**

Office Equipment is written off on a 25% reducing balance basis.

	Cost	Depreciation	2022 Net Book Value
Balance at 1 January 2021	912	797	115
Additions during the year	0		0
Charge during the year		29	-29
Balance at 31 December 2022	912	826	86

# NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS for the year ended 31 December 2022

INCOME	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	2022 Total £	2021 Total £	2020 Total £
2 - Voluntary Income					
Membership Fees	738	0	738	2962	4945
Donations	2500	3438	5938	10123	18611
Grants	0	1500	1500	23002	59419
Gift Aid Tax Repayment	2064	0	2064	399	611
	5302	4938	10240	36486	83586
3 - Activities for Generating Funds					
Publications	0	0	0	0	0
Venue Income	3237	0	3237	2302	625
	3237	0	3237	2302	625
EXPENDITURE					
4 - Cost of Goods Sold and other costs					
Production costs and purchases	3875	0	3875	3016	3647
Staff costs	41182	0	41182	59137	44950
Miscellaneous	911	0	911	2483	1787
Postage	166	0	166	116	66
Staff Expenses & Travel	1823	0	1823	807	1385
Stationery	41	0	41	31	0
Computer Costs	0	0	0	0	0
Phone/Internet	489	0	489	472	579
Depreciation	29	0	29	39	51
Publicity	0	0	0	0	0
Repairs & Renewals	0	0	0	0	0
Hire of Space	550	0	550	600	600
Insurance	766	0	766	766	633
Expenditure Allocated to restricted	d funds -11270	11270	0	0	0
Training	0	0	0	0	0
-	38563	11270	49832	67467	53698
5 - Governance					
Accountancy	350	0	350	384	350
Consultancy	0	0	0	720	0
Claiming Theatre Tax Relief	0	0	0	0	0
Bank Charges	84	0	84	107	91
	434	0	434	1211	441

### 6 - Trustees Remuneration & Expenses

No Trustee received any remuneration or reimbursement of expenses during the year. (2021 £nil)

7 - Debtors			
Trading Debtors	0	0	0
Gift Aid Repayment	0	460	821
Theatre Tax Relief	4299	9498	7191
	4299	9958	8012
8 - Creditors			
Trade	0	0	0
Loan	0	0	0
Accruals	350	384	350
	350	384	350

## Accountant's Report

## Accounts for the year ended 31 December 2022

In accordance with instructions received I have prepared, without carrying out an audit, the accounts set out on pages 1 to 4 from the accounting records of The Actors of Dionysus and from the information and explanations supplied to me.

R Kennedy FCMA Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Timbers House, Lower Icknield Way, Marsworth, Tring, Herts, HP23 4LN

Restricted Funds Analysis

		2022		2021		2020
Opening Balance						4389
Received During Year						
Sussex Community Foundation	0		0		6559	
The Big Give	3438		10123		9052	
Arts Council England (ACE)	1500		18513		14303	
Fonthill Foundation	0		2989		0	
Cultural Recovery Fund	0		0		45116	
Chalk Cliff funding	0		0		3000	
subtotal		4938		31625		78030
Carried Forwards from prior year						
The Big Give	5062		9052			
Fonthill Foundation	2989		0			
Cultural Recovery Fund	0		22558			
subtotal		8051		31610		
Carried Forwards to 2023						
The Big Give	1719		5062		9052	
Fonthill Foundation	0		2989		0	
Cultural Recovery Fund	0		0		22558	
subtotal		1719		8051		31610
Used in 2022		11270		55185		50809