



Annual Report of the Trustees for year ending December 31st 2022.

### **General Information**

### **Trustees:**

David Neale (Chair)

Andrew Blackman

Jonathan Bowyer

**Daniel Eduardo** 

### Founder and CEO:

Elliot Berry

### **Book keeper:**

Helen Greenbank

### **Professional Fundraisers**,

Chell Perkins Ltd, Levine House 233 Wigan Road, Ashton In Makerfield, Wigan, WN4 9SL

### Bank:

Cumberland Building Society. 18 Main Rd, Windermere LA23 1DY, UK

### **Contact details:**

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### Legal status:

The Noah Initiative is a registered Incorporated Charitable Organization; charity number 1164099. Registered in October 2015.

### Noah Initiative: Providing youth with the skills and knowledge to battle life's storms

### **Director's Summary**



2022 has been a great year of progress and development. The Noah Initiative currently supports 43 young people and 45 adults through our student and community empowerment programs. Following the disruption of the Covid-19 pandemic, the Kenyan School dates are almost back to normal now. This has really helped us to streamline our programs and resources. The Kenyan School System is currently changing, with the introduction of Junior High, between Primary and High School, and this is something we are excited to reflect in the structure of our program.

We are currently enjoying a successful relationship with an external fundraising specialist to help us fundraise through Grant Applications. We are also developing our Medium- and Long-Term Fundraising Plan to ensure the longevity of the

program. This includes, grant proposals, face to face and online events, as well as income generating projects involving the young people and adults in the program.

My heartfelt gratitude goes to all the Trusts, Churches and individuals who have supported us during 2022.

Elliot Berry
The Noah Initiative Director
August 2023

### **Trustees' Summary**

As trustees we have a duty to act within The Noah Initiative's interest of providing grants to promote education and help eradicate poverty. We are happy to report that this has continued throughout 2022.

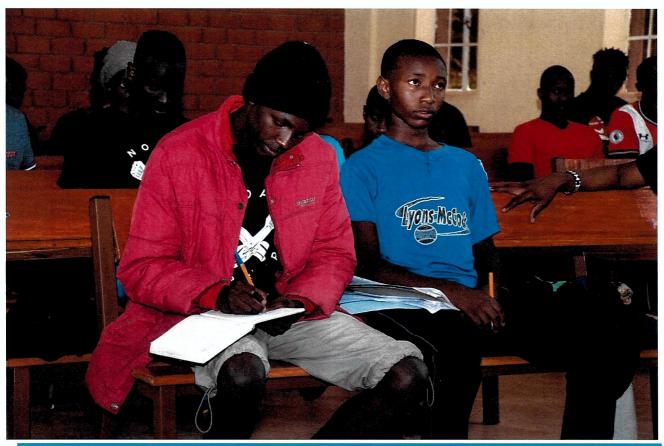
We have close oversight of The Noah Initiative's and Noah Society's activities and finances and can report that they are in good order and managed in accordance with appropriate laws and regulations. We have regular contact with the director and management of The Noah Initiative, based in Eldoret. Regular board meetings have been held throughout the year. Safe guarding policies are in place and are regularly reviewed.

The work in Eldoret is truly transformational for those supported by the programme. The impact of the Covid-19 pandemic has been significant but we are immensely proud of the work done by the great team on the ground in adapting to find ways to support the boys, their families and their communities. It is encouraging to see many young men moving into university and higher education as a result of the program.

Along with many charities, we have been impacted by the very challenging economic climate in both the UK and Kenya. We are therefore extremely grateful to all existing and new donors, supporters and governmental agencies for enabling this truly lifechanging work to continue.

Thank you for partnering with us.

David Neale Chair of Trustees - The Noah Initiative August 2022



Elliot Berry – Director

David Neale - Chairman



Charity Name

### Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Report to	the	trustees/
members	of	

THE NOAH INITIATIVE

On accounts for the year ended

31st DECEMBER 2022

Charity no (if any)

1164099

Set out on pages

(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended DD / MM / YYYY:

31/12/2022

Responsibilties and basis of report

As the charity's trustees, 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 Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

### Independent examiner's statement

[The charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 and I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a qualified member of [insert name of applicable listed body]]. Delete [ ] if not applicable.

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination (other than that disclosed below \*) which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did 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 accounts to be reached.

\* Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.

Signed:	Dillain	Date:	19.05.2023
Name:	MATTHEW JOHN WIKIN	602	
Relevant professional			



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Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.	
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The NOAH INITIATIVE - REGISTERED CHARITY NO. 1164099
INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD 1st JANUARY TO 31st DECEMBER 2022

202 <u>2</u> £	95912.12	95912.12	0.00	95912.12
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EXPENDITURE	Kenya Grants Expenses in Kenya Staffing and Professional Fees Administration	TOTAL EXPENDITURE	EXCESS OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE	
202 <u>1</u> £	51332.00 7712.50 17586.83 406.61	77037.94	8	77037,94
2022 £	14666.00 68701.75 3078.39 4571.74 0.00	91017.88	4894.24	95912.12
INCOME	Student Sponsorship Grants and Trusts Gift Aid Fundraising & Donations UK Government Grants - JRS	TOTAL INCOME	EXCESS OF EXPENDITURE OVER INCOIME	
2021 £	19249.00 20067.00 2963.46 3576.38 9727.83	59.68	22,452,27	28022

THE NOAH INITIATIVE - REGISTERED CHARITY NO. 1164099

BALANCE SHEET - 31st DECEMBER 2022

OPENING BANK BALANCE - 1st JANUARY 2022	EXCESS OF EXPENDITURE OVER INCOME	CLOSING BANK BALANCE - 31st DECEMBER 2022

5104.35

9998.59

-4894.24

### NOTES TO THE INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

2022 0.00	7000.00	20932.60	3300.00	2000.00	5199.00		1895.15	325.00	25000.00	2000.00	2400.00		020.00		68701.75
APP Giving	Barnabas Irust CAF - Scott Crossmate Church	English Lakes Hotel	Lakes Christian Centre Ltd	Lancaster Foundation	Luis Paulo Association	Open Arms International	PayPal Charitable Giving	Stewardship Donations	The Grace Charitable Trust	The Jerusalem Trust	The Message Trust	The Shepherds Charitable Fund	Zoom Zoom Trust	Other Donations	
<u>2021</u> 1383.00	250.00	0.00	2000.00	0.00		0.00	42.00	1242.00	10000.00	1000.00	2800.00	0.00	250.00	740.00	20807.00



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Signed:	Tollain	Date:	19.05.2023

MATTHEW JOHN WILKINGON

Relevant professional

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