

# **PILTON YOUTH & CHILDREN'S PROJECT**

*Registered Number: SC207455*

**Annual Report**

**For the year ended 31 March 2021**



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# **PILTON YOUTH & CHILDREN'S PROJECT**

## **Directors' Report**

**For the year ended 31 March 2021**

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

### **Governing Documents**

The organisation is a charitable Company limited by guarantee, founded in 1997, incorporated on 24 May 2000 and registered as a charity on 25 May 2000. The Company was established under a Memorandum of Association which established the objects and powers of the charitable Company and is governed under its Articles of Association.

### **Recruitment and Appointment of the Board of Directors**

The Directors of the Company are also charity Trustees for the purposes of charity law and under the Company's Articles are known as members of the Management Committee. Under the requirements of the Memorandum and Articles of Association the members of the Management Committee are elected to serve for a period of one year after which they must be re-elected at the next Annual General Meeting.

### **Directors Induction and Training**

Many of the Directors are familiar with the work of the charity, having had involvement either personally or professionally prior to joining the Board of Directors. New Directors are encouraged to meet with the management team to familiarise themselves with the charity and the context within which it works. Additionally at every Board meeting a member of the staff team will make a presentation on a piece of their work and answer questions.

There is an expectation the Directors attend our Open Days and visit our groups and clubs throughout the year. All new Directors are given our Memorandum and Articles of Association and our latest financial statements. Directors are invited to attend our review of service and in-service training. Feedback from new Directors suggests that they get all relevant information and that the charity is welcoming.

### **Organisational Structure**

Pilton Youth & Children's Project has a Management Committee of up to 15 members who meet regularly and are responsible for the strategic direction and policy of the charity. At present the Committee has 7 members who are local residents or from a variety of professional backgrounds relevant to the work of the charity. The board meets 8 times a year (every 6 weeks) as well as additional sub-group meetings to focus on themes such as fundraising and strategic development. Our Board meetings are focused on a set template, including matters arising, Project Manager's report (reporting on the service, strategic aspects, human resources and a fundraising update) and then a finance report from our Business Manager including updated management accounts. Our management team provide monthly updates to the Chairperson and also liaise with the Board on any ad-hoc issues and concerns.

### **Risk Statement**

The Management Committee has conducted a review of the major risks to which the charity is exposed. Where appropriate, systems or procedures have been established to mitigate the risks the charity faces. Significant external risks to funding have led to the development of a business plan which will allow for the diversification of funding and activities. Internal control risks are minimised by the implementation of procedures for authorisation of all transactions and projects. Procedures are in place to ensure compliance with Health and Safety of staff, volunteers, visitors and children and young people to the Project.

## PILTON YOUTH & CHILDREN'S PROJECT

### Directors' Report

For the year ended 31 March 2021

#### Impact of the COVID-19 coronavirus

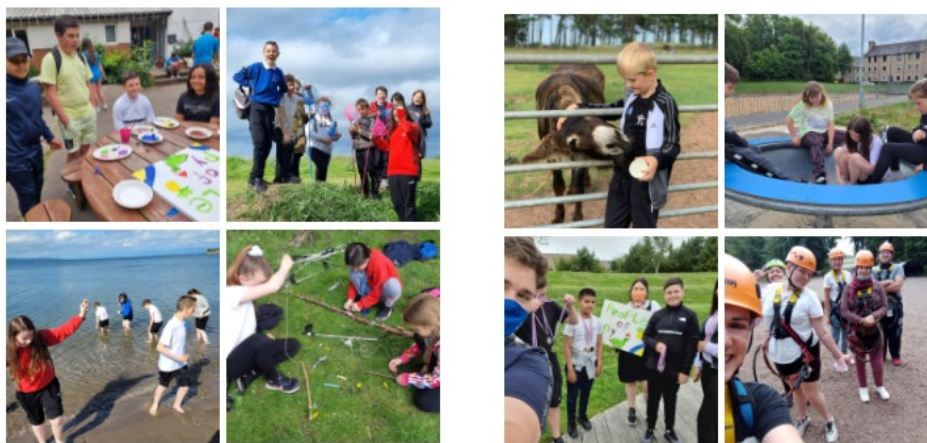
Although the PYCP centre closed in March 2020 in line with Government guidelines, the organisation quickly adapted to the changing circumstances and needs of the community. Many families were forced into increased poverty, as people lost jobs and there was a gap in Universal Credit applications being processed. Some families were very isolated due to shielding status and children were no longer receiving school meals. Grant funders were extremely supportive and worked with us to negotiate some alternative use of funds, enabling us to help families with IT support for online learning or helping us deliver food and essentials packages. We also applied to a range of COVID-19 specific funds to this end, such as The Winter Fund. This was in partnership with Cash for Kids who were chosen by the Scottish Government to distribute this grant funding. We received over £24,000 of funding to support families in need over winter with basic essentials such as food, fuel and warm winter clothing. All of our core staff team started to work from home, communicating with each other, partners and young people digitally. We continued to offer the majority of our services this way including 1:1 support and group work.

#### Objects of the Charity, Principal Activities and Organisation of our work

The charity's principal activity during the year continued to be to offer children and young people aged between 5 and 18 years old residing in Forth Ward in Edinburgh an innovative programme of personal and social development. It aimed to provide opportunities to pursue activities and interests, not as an end in themselves, but as part of a wider development process through which children and young people learn about themselves and their relationship with the society in which they live.

#### The Project's objectives and principal activities are to:

- Work with the children and young people to promote their social, emotional and physical well-being as they move from childhood to adulthood.
- Ensure children and young people's needs are being met through the resources of the Project, their families, the local community and other organisations.



#### The strategies employed to assist the charity to meet these objectives include the following:

- Provide a range of groups, clubs and individual work that gives children and young people an opportunity to try new activities, make friends, offer support and develop new skills;
- Support children and young people in the local primary and secondary schools either through group or individual work; and
- Work in partnership with other agencies to secure the widest range of services that best suit the needs of the child or young person.

# **PILTON YOUTH & CHILDREN'S PROJECT**

## **Directors' Report**

**For the year ended 31 March 2021**

### **Achievements and Performance**

The main area of charitable activity is the provision of youth and children's services for the Forth Ward, North West Edinburgh.

### **Open Groups and Clubs**

We normally provide open groups and clubs at least 5 days and evenings per week in the project building. In any one school term we run around 12 different clubs as well as outreach provision with partners in the area. For our younger children we offer a play based approach, in line with Government agenda regarding the benefits of play for child development. We also offer a range of youth work based activities for ages 11 – 18, offering young people a safe space to develop skills, explore issues and reduce risk taking and harmful behavior.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, our services were disrupted with lockdown starting in March 2020. Our centre had to close and staff set up working from home. We quickly developed an alternative programme of activities, engaging virtually with children and young people where possible through video sessions and online activities such as reading stories, cooking activities, dance and sports workshops and craft activities. We even arranged for a virtual magic show! We sent out additional activity packs to families with art materials and cooking ingredients.

We were able to resume "face to face" work again between August and December 2020. In this time we had to develop a range of COVID-19 specific health and safety policies and procedures and adapt our building to allow for social distancing. We also upgraded our toilet facilities and purchased safety screens, hand sanitising stations and so on. We closely followed the National Framework for Youth Work to ensure that we were complying with Government regulations. We reverted to our online programme again with the second lockdown, then opening up face to face services in April 2021. At the start of the pandemic we had over 450 children and young people attending our provision, but in lockdown the numbers naturally reduced. We are now receiving new registrations again and clubs are as popular as before lockdown.

### **Intensive Support**

We offer individual and group based support to children and young people in Forth Ward. This can cover a range of issues such as low self-esteem, difficulties with peers or family issues and is on a referred basis. It involves using a range of strategies and activities to engage young people, giving them a safe space to work through issues with a trusted adult. Many of our referrals come from Craigmyle High School, Broughton High School as well as Forthview and Pirniehall Primaries. This work includes primary to secondary school transition support and our "Roots and Branches" nurture group work. Again, these sessions had to convert to online throughout both lockdowns. We also set up online messaging groups for young people supervised by staff to reduce social isolation. Our new Family Support Service was launched in Autumn 2020, aimed at children aged 5 to 8 and their parents.

### **Alternatives to Crime**

Youth crime and anti-social behaviour has long been an issue in our locality, but this has peaked in the last few years with motorbike crime (theft and dangerous driving) being especially prevalent. PYCP's FACENorth (Focusing on Alternatives to Crime, Edinburgh North) Project began in April 2015 and has had a range of success in engaging with these groups of young people in the area. We provide a range of activities and respond to the needs of each young person involved in the project, including diversionary activity sessions, "Scheme of Work" programmes where we offer a range of projects such as gardening, community clean ups and construction. We also combine "Scheme of Work" with residential experiences.

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### Directors' Report

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#### Alternatives to Crime (continued)

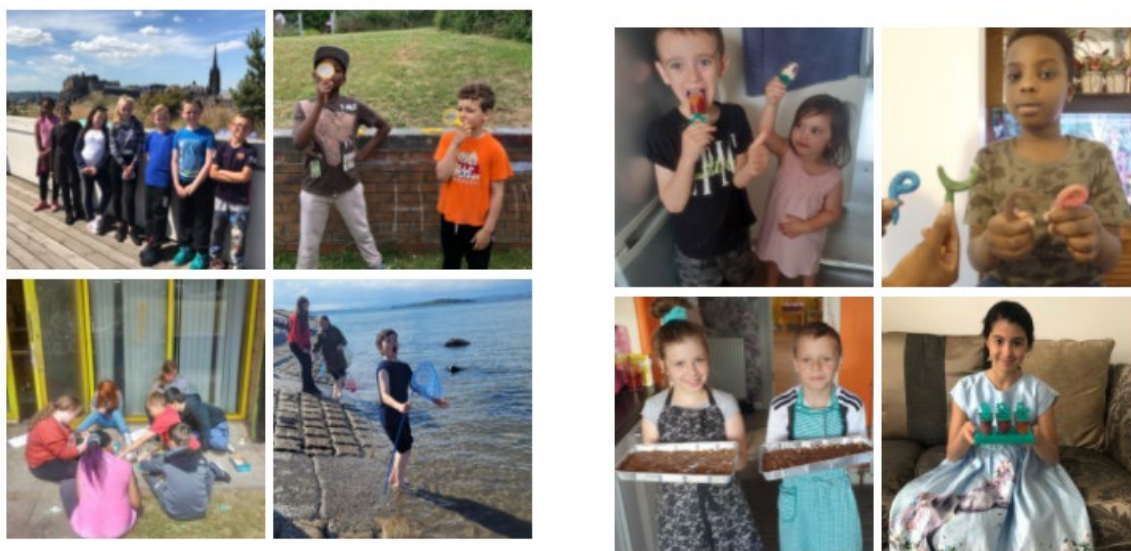
The FACENorth team continued to support young people and the wider community throughout the last year and through both lockdowns, providing emotional support, crisis support and practical support such as food vouchers and parcels, helping apply for universal credit crisis loans and getting set up with WiFi. A total of 89 families received support in both lockdowns from the FACENorth team.

#### School Holiday Provision

Summer 2020 was different to any we have ever experienced and we delivered our first ever virtual summer programme.

- 60+ families participated including 120 children;
- 18 different cooking and baking activities and ingredients were sent out;
- 24 arts and crafts activities were delivered;
- 32 different online activities were offered ranging from a magic show, balloon modelling, yoga, keep fit, storytelling, a Sports Day, Bingo and Quiz nights; and
- a 6 week online support programme for young people in the transition from primary to secondary school was delivered.

We also continued with our virtual 1:1 support service, online peer support group and our FACENorth project continued to support young people at risk of offending.



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## Directors' Report

For the year ended 31 March 2021

### Transactions and Financial Position

The net income before other recognised gains and losses on ongoing activities for the year ended 31 March 2021 was £114,426 (2020: £4,486). At 31 March 2021 all restricted income had been expended at the year end.

### Principal Funding Sources

The principal funding sources for the charity are currently grants income from The City of Edinburgh Council. Monies have also been received from various other trusts and companies which include Cash for Kids, The National Lottery Community Fund, The Robertson Trust, First Foundation, The RS Macdonald Charitable Trust, The IGY Foundation, KPE4, William Wates, The Tudor Trust, Dullatur Foundation, and Walter Scott Trust. Without their support the organisation would not have been able to carry out all of its activities.

### Reserves Policy

The Directors consider it prudent to maintain general reserves sufficient to enable the charity to meet its short term cash flow requirements and match their risk management policy. The Directors consider this to equate to between 3 and 6 months expenditure. The reserves held, are currently considered to be adequate for this purpose.

### Plans for Future Periods

Following an uncertain time regarding our funding from City of Edinburgh Council, it was approved finally for another 3 years in June 2020, following an extension from March 2020 while the new grant programme was developed. Due to the uncertainty of ongoing local authority funding, we diversified our income sources and continued to be successful in fundraising from a range of Trusts and Foundations. We also continued to develop relationships with corporate partners, especially important in generating unrestricted funds so that we can continue to build our reserves and to encourage "in kind" support, further reducing costs.

### Statement of Directors' Responsibilities

The Directors are required by law to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the financial activities of the charity and of its financial position at the end of the year. In preparing those financial statements the Directors are required to:

- a) Select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently;
- b) Make judgments and estimates that are responsible and prudent;
- c) State whether the policies adopted are in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 and with applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- d) Prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to assume that the charity will continue in operation.

The Directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

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**Directors' Report**

**For the year ended 31 March 2021**

**Directors active in the year**

Richard Armstrong (resigned 25/11/2020)  
Margaret Traylor (resigned 25/02/2021)  
John Nicholson (appointed 25/03/2021, resigned 27/07/2021)  
Roger Candy  
David Phillips  
Mark Wilson  
Megan Binns  
Lauren Purdie  
Jacqueline Michie (appointed 24/08/2021)  
Morag Macpherson (appointed 26/08/2020)  
Arabella Kornahrens (resigned 22/06/2021)

**Statement as to disclosure of information to auditors**

So far as the Directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the charity's auditor is unaware and each Director has taken all the steps that he or she ought to have taken as a Director in order to make himself or herself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the charity's auditor is aware of that information.

**Auditors**

The Auditor, Mazars LLP, will be proposed for reappointment in accordance with Section 485 of the Companies Act 2006.

This report has been prepared in accordance with the small companies regime of the Companies Act 2006 and was approved by the Board of Directors on Oct 15, 2021 and signed on its behalf by

  
Roger Candy (Oct 15, 2021 10:38 GMT+1) \_\_\_\_\_ Director  
**Roger Candy**



## **PILTON YOUTH & CHILDREN'S PROJECT**

### **Independent Auditor's Report to the Directors and Members**

**For the year ended 31 March 2021**

#### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of Pilton Youth & Children's Project for the year ended 31 March 2021 which comprise the Statement of Financial Activities, the Balance Sheet, the Statement of Cash Flows and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion, the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the charitable Company's affairs as at 31 March 2021 and of its income and expenditure for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

#### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### **Conclusions relating to going concern**

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the Directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the Directors with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report

#### **Other information**

The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The Directors are responsible for the other information contained within the annual report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the course of the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material

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### **Independent Auditor's Report to the Directors and Members**

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#### **Other information (continued)**

misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

#### **Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006**

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- the information given in the Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the Directors' Report has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

#### **Matters on which we are required to report by exception**

In light of the knowledge and understanding of the Company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the Directors' Report.

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- certain disclosures of Directors remuneration specific by law are not made; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- the Directors were not entitled to prepare the financial statements in accordance with the small companies regime and take advantage of the small companies' exemption from the requirement to prepare a Strategic Report.

#### **Responsibilities of Directors**

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors responsibilities set out on pages 6, the Directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the Directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the Directors are responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Directors either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

## **PILTON YOUTH & CHILDREN'S PROJECT**

### **Independent Auditor's Report to the Directors and Members**

**For the year ended 31 March 2021**

#### **Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. Based on our understanding of the Company and its industry, we identified that the principal risks of non-compliance with laws and regulations related to the pensions legislation, employment regulation and health and safety regulation, non-compliance with implementation of government support schemes relating to COVID-19, and we considered the extent to which non-compliance might have a material effect on the financial statements. We also considered those laws and regulations that have a direct impact on the preparation of the financial statements, such as the Companies Act 2006.

We evaluated the Directors' and management's incentives and opportunities for fraudulent manipulation of the financial statements (including the risk of override of controls) and determined that the principal risks were related to posting manual journal entries to manipulate financial performance.

Our audit procedures were designed to respond to those identified risks, including non-compliance with laws and regulations (irregularities) and fraud that are material to the financial statements. Our audit procedures included but were not limited to:

- Discussing with the Directors and management their policies and procedures regarding compliance with laws and regulations;
- Communicating identified laws and regulations throughout our engagement team and remaining alert to any indications of non-compliance throughout our audit; and
- Considering the risk of acts by the Company which were contrary to applicable laws and regulations, including fraud.

Our audit procedures in relation to fraud included but were not limited to:

- Making enquiries of the Directors and management on whether they had knowledge of any actual, suspected or alleged fraud;
- Gaining an understanding of the internal controls established to mitigate risks related to fraud;
- Discussing amongst the engagement team the risks of fraud; and
- Addressing the risks of fraud through management override of controls by performing journal entry testing.

There are inherent limitations in the audit procedures described above and the primary responsibility for the prevention and detection of irregularities including fraud rests with management. As with any audit, there remained a risk of non-detection of irregularities, as these may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations or the override of internal controls.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at [www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities](http://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities). This description forms part of our auditor's report.

#### **Use of the audit report**

This report is made solely to the Company's members as a body in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the Company's

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**Independent Auditor's Report to the Directors and Members**

**For the year ended 31 March 2021**

**Use of the audit report (continued)**

members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the Company and the Company's members as a body for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

*Craig Maxwell*

Craig Maxwell (Oct 15, 2021 11:33 GMT+1)

Craig Maxwell (Senior Statutory Auditor)  
for and on behalf of Mazars LLP  
Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditor

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Date:

**PILTON YOUTH & CHILDREN'S PROJECT**

**Statement of Financial Activities  
(Incorporating Income and Expenditure Account)**

**For the year ended 31 March 2021**

	Note	Unrestricted Funds 2021 £	Restricted Funds 2021 £	Total Funds 2021 £	Unrestricted Funds 2020 £	Restricted Funds 2020 £	Total Funds 2020 £
<b>Income and endowments from:</b>							
Investment income		140	-	140	390	-	390
Donations and legacies		4,973	-	4,973	15,325	-	15,325
Charitable activities	2	318,259	235,162	553,421	121,871	276,352	398,222
<b>Total</b>		<b>323,372</b>	<b>235,162</b>	<b>558,534</b>	<b>137,585</b>	<b>276,352</b>	<b>413,937</b>
<b>Expenditure on:</b>							
Charitable activities	3	170,220	273,888	444,108	119,944	289,507	409,451
<b>Total</b>		<b>170,220</b>	<b>273,888</b>	<b>444,108</b>	<b>119,944</b>	<b>289,507</b>	<b>409,451</b>
<b>Net income/ (expenditure)</b>	5	<b>153,152</b>	<b>(38,726)</b>	<b>114,426</b>	<b>17,641</b>	<b>(13,155)</b>	<b>4,486</b>
Transfer between funds		(28,528)	28,528	-	-	-	-
<b>Net movement in funds</b>		<b>124,624</b>	<b>(10,198)</b>	<b>114,426</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Reconciliation of funds:</b>							
Total funds brought forward		128,827	10,198	139,025	111,186	23,353	134,539
<b>Total funds carried forward</b>	11	<b>253,451</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>253,451</b>	<b>128,027</b>	<b>10,198</b>	<b>139,025</b>

The notes on pages 15 to 22 form part of these financial statements

## PILTON YOUTH & CHILDREN'S PROJECT

### Balance Sheet

As at 31 March 2021

		2021 £	2020 £
<b>Fixed assets</b>			
Tangible fixed assets	7	67,112	50,210
		<u>67,112</u>	<u>50,210</u>
<b>Current assets</b>			
Debtors	8	2,627	3,690
Cash and cash equivalents		285,251	176,408
		<u>287,878</u>	<u>180,098</u>
<b>Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year</b>	9	(32,901)	(21,378)
<b>Net current assets</b>		<u>254,977</u>	<u>158,720</u>
<b>Creditors: Amounts falling due after one year</b>	10	(68,638)	(69,905)
<b>Net assets</b>		<u>253,451</u>	<u>139,025</u>
<b>The funds of the Company</b>			
Unrestricted funds	11	253,451	128,827
Restricted funds	11	-	10,198
<b>Total funds</b>		<u>253,451</u>	<u>139,025</u>

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with small companies regime of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies and were approved by the Board of Directors on Oct 15, 2021 and signed on its behalf by:

  
Roger Candy (Oct 15, 2021 10:38 GMT+1)

Roger Candy  
Director

Company number: SC207455

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**Statement of Cash Flows**

**For the year ended 31 March 2021**

	<b>2021</b> £	<b>2020</b> £
<b>Cash flows from operating activities:</b>		
Net movement in funds	114,426	4,486
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation	8,579	5,686
Movement in debtors	1,063	(3,203)
Movement in creditors	10,256	16,417
Interest received	(140)	(390)
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<b>Net cash flows generated from operating activities</b>	<b>134,184</b>	<b>22,996</b>
<b>Cash flows from investing activities:</b>		
Purchase of tangible fixed assets	(25,481)	(28,527)
Interest received	140	390
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<b>Net cash flows used in investing activities</b>	<b>(25,341)</b>	<b>(28,137)</b>
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<b>Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents during the reporting period</b>	<b>108,843</b>	<b>(5,141)</b>
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Cash at bank and in hand at 1 April	176,408	181,549
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Cash at bank and in hand at 31 March	<b>285,251</b>	<b>176,408</b>

## **PILTON YOUTH & CHILDREN'S PROJECT**

### **Notes to the Financial Statements**

**For the year ended 31 March 2021**

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

##### **General Information**

Pilton Youth and Children's Project is a private company limited by guarantee and a charity registered in Scotland. The registered office is 33 West Pilton Brae, Edinburgh, EH4 4BH.

##### **Basis of Preparation**

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102, the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland (FRS102), 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 (FRS102) (effective 1 January 2015), and the Companies Act 2006. Pilton Youth and Children's Project meets the definition of a public entity under FRS102.

##### **Going Concern**

Pilton Youth and Children's Project reported a net income of £114,426 and had total funds of £253,451 as at 31 March 2021.

The Directors have robust processes in place to monitor and assess financial performance of the Company. The Directors have prepared financial projections for the period of 12 months from the date of signing the financial statements. The financial projections indicate that the Company will be able to discharge its liabilities as they fall due for a period of no less than 12 months from approval of these financial statements.

The Directors have considered the impact on the current operations in light of the COVID-19 pandemic as outlined in the Directors' Report.

##### **Expenditure**

Expenditure on charitable activities comprises those costs incurred by the Company in the delivery of its activities and services for its beneficiaries. It includes both costs that can be allocated directly to such activities and those costs of an indirect nature necessary to support them.

Governance costs include those costs associated with meeting the constitutional and statutory requirements of the Company and include the audit fees and costs linked to the strategic management of the Company.

All costs are allocated between the expenditure categories of the Statement of Financial Activities ("SoFA") on a basis designed to reflect the use of the resource.

##### **Income**

Income is recognised in the year in which it is receivable.

Income is deferred only when the Company has to fulfil conditions before becoming entitled to it or where the donor has specified that the income is to be expended in a future period.



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Income from charitable activities includes grant income. Grant income provides funding to support performance activities and is recognised where there is entitlement, certainty of receipt and the amount can be measured with sufficient reliability. Income is deferred when grants are received in advance of the period to which they relate.

#### **Value Added Tax**

Value Added Tax is not recoverable by the Company and as such is included in the relevant costs in the Statement of Financial Activities.

#### **Fund Accounting**

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the Directors in furtherance of the general objectives of the Company.

Designated funds are unrestricted funds earmarked by the Directors for particular purposes.

Restricted funds are subjected to restrictions on their expenditure imposed by the donor or through the terms of an appeal.

#### **Tangible Fixed Assets**

Tangible fixed assets are held at cost, less depreciation and impairment losses, and depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off the cost of each asset over its estimated useful life.

Property improvements	- 10% straight line
Computer equipment	- 33% straight line
Fixtures and fittings	- 10% straight line
Motor vehicles	- 10% straight line

All expenditure incurred on tangible fixed assets is capitalised at cost and depreciated over the useful life at rates disclosed above.

#### **Operating Leases**

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged against income on a straight line basis over the lease term.

#### **Taxation**

Pilton Youth and Children's Project has been recognised by HM Revenue and Customs as a charity for the purposes of Section 505, Income and Corporation Taxes Act 1998. Accordingly the Company is potentially exempt from taxation in respect of income or capital gains to the extent that such income or gains are applied to charitable purposes. Pilton Youth and Children's Project's trading subsidiary company is subject to Corporation Tax in the same way as any other commercial organisation. Surpluses, where they arise, are paid to Pilton Youth and Children's Project under gift aid and taking account of any applicable reserves policy.

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**Debtors**

Short term debtors are measured at transaction price, less any impairment. Loans receivable are measured initially at fair value, net of transaction costs, and are measured subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any impairment.

**Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash is represented by cash in hand and deposits with financial institutions repayable without penalty on notice of not more than 24 hours. Cash equivalents are highly liquid investments that mature in no more than three months from the date of acquisition and that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash with insignificant risk of change in value.

**Financial Instruments**

The Company only has financial assets and financial liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments. Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at transaction value and subsequently measured at their settlement value with the exception of bank loans which are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

**Creditors**

Short term creditors are measured at the transaction price. Other financial liabilities, including bank loans, are measured initially at fair value, net of transaction costs, and are measured subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

**Pensions**

Pension costs charged in the financial statements represent contributions paid in respect of money purchase pension scheme.

**Judgments in applying accounting policies and key sources of estimation uncertainty**

In the application of the Company's accounting policies, which are described in note 1, the Directors are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amount of the assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are not considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to account for estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised, if the revisions affects only that period, or in period of revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

The following are the Company's key sources of estimation uncertainty:

**Accruals**

The Company considers whether there have been any past transactions for which an obligation is likely to arise however, no record of liability has been received at the reporting date.

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**Tangible fixed assets**

The annual depreciation charge for tangible fixed assets is sensitive to residual values of the assets and changes in the estimated useful economic lives, which are assessed annually. See note 7 for the carrying amount of the property, plant and equipment and note 1 for the useful economic lives.

**2. INCOME FROM ACTIVITIES TO FURTHER CHARITY'S OBJECTIVES**

**Grants Receivable – Educational Programme and Support Services**

	<b>2021 Unrestricted Funds £</b>	<b>2021 Restricted Funds £</b>	<b>2021 Total Funds £</b>	<b>2020 Unrestricted Funds £</b>	<b>2020 Restricted Funds £</b>	<b>2020 Total Funds £</b>
Revenue grants	105,518	59,269	164,787	-	142,244	142,244
Other grant income	210,449	159,088	369,537	76,334	134,108	210,442
	<u>315,967</u>	<u>218,357</u>	<u>534,324</u>	<u>76,334</u>	<u>276,352</u>	<u>352,686</u>

**3. TOTAL EXPENDITURE BY SPLIT OF ACTIVITY**

	<b>Basis of allocation</b>	<b>Educational Programmes and Support Services £</b>	<b>Governance £</b>	<b>2021 Total £</b>	<b>2020 Total £</b>
<b>Costs directly allocated to activities</b>					
Staff costs	Staff time	305,136	-	305,136	288,443
Centre supplies	Usage	81,131	-	81,131	63,904
Travel	Usage	232	-	232	701
Audit & accountancy fees	Usage	-	7,161	7,161	4,752
<b>Support costs allocated to activities</b>					
Premises	Usage	34,739		34,739	32,931
Consultancy	Usage	-	-	-	-
Legal and professional	Usage	3,329	-	3,329	2,760
Bank charges	Usage	-	142	142	326
Finance costs	Usage		3,658	3,658	9,948
Depreciation	Usage	8,580	-	8,580	5,686
<b>Total</b>		<u>433,147</u>	<u>10,961</u>	<u>444,108</u>	<u>409,451</u>

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**4. EXPENDITURE SPLIT BY FUND**

	<b>2021 Unrestricted Funds £</b>	<b>2021 Restricted Funds £</b>	<b>2021 Total Funds £</b>	<b>2020 Unrestricted Funds £</b>	<b>2020 Restricted Funds £</b>	<b>2020 Total Funds £</b>
Staff costs	33,294	271,842	305,136	37,326	251,117	288,443
Centre supplies	79,317	1,814	81,131	27,331	36,573	63,904
Travel	-	232	232	-	701	701
Audit and accountancy	7,161	-	7,161	4,752	-	4,752
Premises	34,739	-	34,739	32,931	-	32,931
Consultancy	-	-	-	-	-	-
Legal and professional	3,329	-	3,329	2,760	-	2,760
Bank charges	142	-	142	326	-	326
Finance costs	3,658	-	3,658	9,948	-	9,948
Depreciation	8,580	-	8,580	4,570	1,116	5,686
	<u>170,220</u>	<u>273,888</u>	<u>444,108</u>	<u>119,944</u>	<u>289,507</u>	<u>409,451</u>

**5. NET INCOME**

The net income before other recognised gains and losses are stated after charging:

	<b>2021 £</b>	<b>2020 £</b>
Auditor's remuneration	4,500	4,045
Non-audit fees	800	455
	<u>5,300</u>	<u>4,500</u>

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**6. STAFF COSTS**

There were no expenses reimbursed to any Directors nor any remuneration paid to them. The staff costs of the remaining staff were:

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Wages and salaries	274,609	264,261
Social security costs	14,186	13,999
Pensions	7,961	8,079
	<u>296,757</u>	<u>286,339</u>

No employee earned £60,000 or more.

The average number of staff, employed by the Company during the year was:

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>
Direct charitable work	16	18
Administrative	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
	<u>18</u>	<u>20</u>

The above figures include sessional workers.

**7. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS**

	Property improvements	Computer equipment	Fixtures & fittings	Motor Vehicles	Total
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>COST:</b>					
At 1 April 2020	35,596	8,916	8,255	22,326	75,093
Additions in year	10,900	2,519	12,062	-	25,481
At 31 March 2021	<u>46,496</u>	<u>11,435</u>	<u>20,317</u>	<u>22,326</u>	<u>100,574</u>
<b>DEPRECIATION:</b>					
At 1 April 2020	10,192	6,611	6,964	1,116	24,883
Charge for year	4,014	1,499	833	2,233	8,579
At 31 March 2021	<u>14,206</u>	<u>8,110</u>	<u>7,797</u>	<u>3,349</u>	<u>33,462</u>
<b>NET BOOK VALUE:</b>					
At 31 March 2020	<u>25,403</u>	<u>2,305</u>	<u>1,291</u>	<u>21,210</u>	<u>50,210</u>
At 31 March 2021	<u>32,290</u>	<u>3,325</u>	<u>12,520</u>	<u>18,977</u>	<u>67,112</u>

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**8. DEBTORS**

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	£	£
Prepayments	855	978
Accounts receivable	1,772	2,712
	<u>2,627</u>	<u>3,690</u>

**9. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR**

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	£	£
Accruals and deferred income	17,877	14,454
Pension scheme deficit liability (note 16)	5,405	5,877
Trade creditors	8,380	-
Other creditors	1,238	1,047
	<u>32,901</u>	<u>21,378</u>

**10. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER ONE YEAR**

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	£	£
Pension scheme deficit liability (note 16)	68,560	68,890
Other creditors	78	1,015
	<u>68,638</u>	<u>69,905</u>

**11. MOVEMENTS IN FUNDS**

	<b>At 1 April 2020</b>	<b>Income</b>	<b>Expenditure</b>	<b>Transfers</b>	<b>At 31 March 2021</b>
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>RESTRICTED FUNDS:</b>					
Restricted Funds	10,198	235,162	(273,888)	28,528	-
<i>Total restricted funds</i>	<u>10,198</u>	<u>235,162</u>	<u>(273,888)</u>	<u>28,528</u>	<u>-</u>
<b>UNRESTRICTED FUNDS :</b>					
Designated fund	40,546	-	-	-	40,546
General funds	88,281	323,372	(170,220)	(28,528)	212,905
<i>Total unrestricted funds</i>	<u>128,827</u>	<u>323,372</u>	<u>(170,220)</u>	<u>(28,528)</u>	<u>253,451</u>
Total funds	<u>139,025</u>	<u>558,534</u>	<u>(444,108)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>253,451</u>

**12. PURPOSES OF FUNDS**

**Restricted Funds**

Restricted fund income includes monies received from Children in Need, KEP4, Cash for Kids and Big Lottery and others to provide a range of targeted activities which include 1:1 work and group based support. All such monies, were expended during the financial year.

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#### Designated Funds

Designated Funds: The Company has utilised £nil (2020: £nil) of designated funds to cover any future redundancy payments, Statutory Maternity Pay, Statutory Sick Pay and wind down costs which may impact upon the Company in future periods.

#### 13. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

There were no related party transactions during the year.

#### 14. LEGAL STATUS

The organisation is registered as a private company, limited by guarantee, without any share capital.

#### 15. OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

At 31 March 2021 the organisation had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases for office equipment as follows:

<b>Expiry date:</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Due in less than one year	1,921	1,992
Between 2 – 5 years	6,751	996
	<u>8,672</u>	<u>2,988</u>

#### 16. PENSION COMMITMENTS

An actuarial pension deficit was settled in the year ended 31 March 2017 and a payment plan over 22 years was agreed.