Annual Accounts 2020-2021

The accounts for the period October 2020 to September 2021 are attached below. Thank you to Charlie Hallam who is acting as our independent examiner for the fourth year.

Income

Income at £8,597 was substantially lower this year compared to £14,769 to Sept 20 and £16,819 in the last normal year. The biggest factor was that we reduced our subs to reflect the lack of activity over 2020 and 2021. Gift aid income was proportionally reduced and income from the Minibus was again very low. I am grateful as ever to John Wasiak for his work as Subscription Secretary which relieves me of a very significant workload.

Expenditure

Our expenditure remained lower than usual principally because of a reduced payment to All Saints for accommodation due to the extended closure.

The substantial loss on the group account is principally the result of the reduced income. The overall loss for the year was reduced by a surplus on the Scout Activity Account and interest on reserves.

There continues to be an abnormal reduction in expenditure due to there being no further depreciation to the minibus which has now been written down to zero. The minibus was being written off at £2,500 per annum (about 10%) over the last few years and when we eventually replace it, this cost will return.

Balance Sheet

The loss for the year was anticipated and is partly offset by the previous year's surplus when costs turned out lower after subs had already been collected. The reduced subs this year is in recognition of that.

The blance sheet has also been reduced by the purchase of 5 new cub tents for £1,400 which was funded from the New Camping Equipment reserve.

Richard Snape

BALANCE SHEET _____ NOTES

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Surplus for the Year	-2,289.51	3,732.40	
Net Other Income	1,619.55	1,001.38	
Total Other Expense	8,764.61	5,644.62	
Scout Activity Spending	8,120.90	3,333.47	11
Cub Activity Spending	643.71	2,311.15	10
Other Expense			
Total Other Income	10,384.16	6,646.00	
Scout Activity Receipts	9,014.00	3,279.26	11
Cub Activity Receipts	430.00	2,424.05	10
Interest Received	940.16	942.69	
Other Income			
Other Income/Expense			

NOTES

- 1 Three Jack Petchey award not yet spent due to cancelled activities.
- 2 Cub Activity account lower as not yet re-imbursed for tent purchase.
- Fixed Assets The cost of boats and other equipment (except the minibus) is written off when incurred. The insured value of equipment as at 30 September 2019 was as follows:

 Tents and equipment £18,590

Boats £4,000
Trailers £3,800
Trophies and flags £1,855

- 4 Minibus though now written off in accounts, may still be worth about £5,000.
- 5 Fees for Scout Winter Camp received in advance.
- 6 Minibus income substantially lower than usual due to pandemic.
- 7 Lower clothing sales income balanced by cost of sales.
- 8 Increased expenditure due to resumption of sailing at Fairlop and Broxbourne.
- 9 Reduced All Saints accommodation charge to reflect lack of use.
- 10 Little Cub camping activity
- 11 Surplus on Scout activity account

Independent Examiner's Report to the 36th EFS Sea Scouts Group

I report on the accounts of the Group as presented to me in the Treasurer's Annual Report for the year ended 30 September 2021.

Respective responsibilities of the Group and Examiner

The Group is responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The Group considers that an audit is not required for the year under Section 142(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to:

- Examine the accounts under Section 145 of the 2011 Act;
- To follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Charity Commission under Section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act; and
- · To state whether particular matters have come to my attention

Basis of the independent examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the general Directions given by the Charities Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes considerations of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from the Group concerning such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required for an audit and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts represent a 'true and fair view' and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

Independent examiner's statement

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

- 1. Which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:
 - To keep accounting records in accordance with Section 130 of the 2011 Act; and
 - To prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with the accounting requirements of the 2011 Act

Have not been met; or

To which, in my opinion attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

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