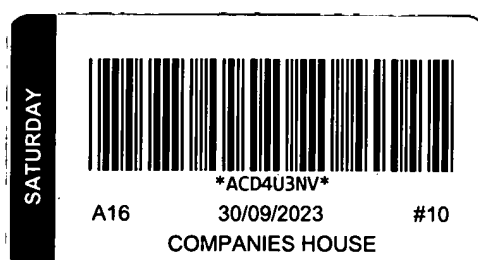


Financial Statements

for the Year Ended 31 December 2022

for

Hereford and County Liberal Club
Company Ltd



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**Report of the Independent Auditors to the Members of
Hereford and County Liberal Club
Company Ltd**

Although the company is only required to file a Balance Sheet, requires the accompanying Report of the Auditors to be a copy of our report to the members on the company's full Financial Statements. Readers are cautioned that the Income Statement is not required to be filed with the Registrar of Companies.

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Hereford and County Liberal Club Company Ltd (the 'company') for the year ended 31 December 2022 which comprise the Income Statement, Balance Sheet and Notes to the Financial Statements. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 105 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable to the Micro-Entities Regime' (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion, the financial statements are in all material respects:

- properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, specifically FRS 105; and
- prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 as applied to micro-entities.

Therefore under Section 495(3A) of the Companies Act 2006, in our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2022 and of its loss for the year then ended.

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 Auditors' 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.

Other matter - application of true and fair view

The financial statements have been prepared under the micro-entities regime which does not require the directors or the auditors to consider the inclusion of any disclosures necessary to give a true and fair view where these go beyond the minimum disclosures required by the Companies Act 2006 as applied to micro-entities.

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.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where 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 specified 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 micro-entities regime and take advantage of the micro-entities' exemption from the requirement to prepare a Strategic Report or in preparing the Report of the Directors.

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Responsibilities of directors

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 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.

Auditors' 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 a Report of the Auditors 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 these financial statements.

The extent to which our procedures are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud is detailed below:

In identifying and assessing risks of material misstatement in respect of irregularities, including fraud and non-compliance with laws and regulations, we considered the following:

- the nature of the industry and sector, control environment and business performance
- results of our enquiries of management about their own identification and assessment of the risks of irregularities
- any matters we identified having obtained and reviewed the policies and procedures relating to:
 - identifying, evaluating and complying with laws and regulations and whether they were aware of any instances of non-compliance
 - detecting and responding to the risks of fraud and whether they have knowledge of any actual, suspected or alleged fraud
 - the internal controls established to mitigate risks of fraud or non-compliance with laws and regulations
 - the matters discussed among the audit engagement team and involving internal specialists, regarding how and where fraud might occur in the financial statements and any potential indicators of fraud

As a result of these procedures we considered the opportunities that may exist within the organisation for fraud and identified the greatest potential for fraud in income, which was raised as a key audit matter in the current year. In common with all UK audits we are also required to perform specific procedures to respond to the risk of management override.

We also obtained an understanding of the legal and regulatory framework the organisation operates in, focusing on provisions of those laws and regulations that had a direct effect on the determination of material amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The key laws and regulations we considered in this context include the Companies Act, Charities Act and Charities SORP and tax legislation.

In addition we considered provisions of other laws and regulations that do not have a direct effect on the financial statements but compliance with which may be fundamental to the organisation's ability to operate. These include health and safety.

In addition to the above, our procedures to respond to risks identified include the following:

- reviewing the financial statements disclosures and testing to supporting documentation to assess compliance with provisions of relevant laws and regulations described as having an effect in the financial statements
- enquiring of management concerning actual and potential litigation claims
- performing analytical procedures to identify any unusual or unexpected relationships that may indicate risks of material misstatements due to fraud
- in addressing the risk of fraud through management override of controls, testing the appropriateness of journal entries and other adjustments; assessing with their judgements made in making accounting estimates are indicative of a potential bias; and evaluating the business rationale of any significant transactions that are unusual or outside the normal course of business.

We also communicated relevant laws and regulations and potential fraud risks to all engagement team members, including internal specialists and remained alert to any indications of fraud or non-compliance with laws and regulations throughout the audit.

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. This description forms part of our Report of the Auditors.

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Use of our 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 as applied to micro-entities. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in a Report of the Auditors 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.



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Date:28/9/23.....

**Hereford and County Liberal Club
Company Ltd (Registered number: 00031799)**

**Balance Sheet
31 December 2022**

	31.12.22	31.12.21
	£	£
CURRENT ASSETS	734,915	822,495
CREDITORS		
Amounts falling due within one year	(6,680)	(4,000)
NET CURRENT ASSETS	728,235	818,495
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES	728,235	818,495
CREDITORS		
Amounts falling due after more than one year	(875)	(875)
NET ASSETS	727,360	817,620
CAPITAL AND RESERVES	727,360	817,620

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. STATUTORY INFORMATION

Hereford and County Liberal Club Company Ltd is a private company, limited by shares, registered in England and Wales. The company's registered number and registered office address are as below:

Registered number: 00031799

Registered office: Brewery House
Norton Canon
Hereford
HR4 7BG

2. AVERAGE NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES

The average number of employees during the year was NIL (2021 - NIL).

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the micro-entity provisions and delivered in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors and authorised for issue on 27.9.23 and were signed on its behalf by:


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H S A Brooks - Director