COMPANY NUMBER: 404951 CHARITY NUMBER: 306141



THE SEA CADET ASSOCIATION (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE) ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

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THE SEA CADET ASSOCIATION REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

TRUSTEES

All the Trustees are also Directors of The Sea Cadet Association The Directors during the period were

Vice Admiral Sir Jonathan Tod KCB CBE M Gladwyn Vice Admiral Sir Tom Blackburn KCVO CB

Registered Address:

202 Lambeth Road London SE1 7JF

THE SEA CADET ASSOCIATION REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

The Directors present their report and the accounts for the year ended 31 March 2010

OBJECTS

The Association's objects are the furtherance of education through the organisation, promotion, fostering and support of the continuing development either by itself, or with others, of the Sea Cadet Corps in the United Kingdom and elsewhere as shall seem appropriate to the Association from time to time

STATUS

Apart from the permanent endowment the Association transferred all assets, liabilities and operations to the Marine Society and Sea Cadets (Registered Charity Number 306141) on 30 November 2004. This charity is now the sole member of the Sea Cadet Association. The Association will continue to exist to collect legacies and hold residuary title to various Sea Cadet unit properties around the country.

CONSTITUTION

The Sea Cadet Association is a company limited by guarantee, and is governed by the Memorandum and Articles of Association dated 10 January 1946 as amended on 27 January 1995

Company Number 404951 Charity Number 306141

RESERVES

The charity has no reserves

RISK MANAGEMENT

The Directors are responsible for management of the risks faced by the Association, assisted by senior staff. Risks have been identified, assessed and controls established. A formal review of risk management processes is undertaken on a regular basis. The key controls used are

- Formal and periodic review by the Directors
- Comprehensive strategic planning, budgeting and management accounting
- Formal organisational and governance structure and lines of reporting
- Formal written policies
- Hierarchical authorisation and approval levels

The Directors are satisfied that major risks identified are adequately mitigated. It is recognised that systems can only provide reasonable but not absolute assurance that major risks are adequately managed.

THE SEA CADET ASSOCIATION REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS (CONTINUED) YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

Company law requires the directors to prepare accounts for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the Company's state of affairs at the end of the year and of its profit or loss for the period. In preparing those accounts the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the accounts,
- prepare the accounts on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to assume that the company will continue in business

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Company and to enable them to ensure that the accounts comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud or other irregularities.

On behalf of the Board

M Gladwyn

Trustee and Director

22 July, 2010

Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of The Sea Cadet Association

We have audited the financial statements of The Sea Cadet Association for the year ended 31 March 2010 set out pages 5 to 7. These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out therein and the requirements of the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

This report is made solely to the charitable 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 charitable company's 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 charitable company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

Respective responsibilities of trustees and auditor

The trustees' (who are also the directors of The Sea Cadet Association for the purpose of company law) responsibilities for preparing the Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) and for being satisfied that the financial statements give a true and fair view are set out in the Statement of Trustees' Responsibilities

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (United Kingdom and Ireland)

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view, have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice and have been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006. We also report to you if in our opinion the information given in the Trustees' Annual Report is consistent with the financial statements.

In addition, we report to you if, in our opinion, the charitable company has not kept adequate accounting records, if the charity's financial statements are not in agreement with those records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit or if certain disclosures of trustees' remuneration specified by law are not made

We read the Trustees' Annual Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it. Our responsibilities do not extend to other information

Basis of opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (United Kingdom and Ireland) issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgments made by the trustees in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the charitable company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

Opinion

In our opinion

- the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the charity's affairs as at 31
 March 2010 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income
 and expenditure, for the year then ended,
- the financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice applicable to Smaller Entities,
- the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006, and
- the information given in the Trustees' Annual Report is consistent with the financial statements

Tina M Allison

Senior Statutory Auditor

For and on behalf of

Horwath Clark Whitehill LLP

Statutory Auditor

London

St Bride's House

London EC4Y 8EH

Date 2 August 2010

THE SEA CADET ASSOCIATION STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

Income and expenditure	Notes	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Endowment Funds £	2010 Total £	2010 Total £
RESOURCES ARISING Other incoming resources						
Resources expended Net incoming/ (outgoing) resources for the year		-		-		-
Investment gains NET MOVEMENT IN RESERVES		<u>-</u>			-	
BALANCES AT 1 APRIL 2010		•	-	•	-	-
TRANSFER TO MARINE SOCIETY AND SEA CADETS		-	-		-	-
BALANCES AT 31 March 2010						

The notes on page 7 form an integral part of these accounts.

ALL ACTIVITIES DISCONTINUED ON 30 NOVEMBER 2004

THE SEA CADET ASSOCIATION **BALANCE SHEET** 31 MARCH 2010

	Notes	£	2010 £	2010 £
FIXED ASSETS Tangible assets Investments		_	-	
CURRENT ASSETS Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	2	<u>-</u>	-	- - -
CREDITORS amounts falling due within one year				
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES			-	
				<u>-</u>
RESERVES Unrestricted Funds Restricted Funds Endowment Funds	3		- - -	- - - -

Approved by the Directors and Directors on 22 July, 2010 and signed on their behalf $\,$

M Gladwyn Trustee and Director

The notes on page 7 forms an integral part of these accounts.

THE SEA CADET ASSOCIATION NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, as modified by the inclusion of fixed asset investments at market value, and in accordance with the Companies Act 1985, Statement of Recommended Practice, Accounting and Reporting by Charities (SORP 2000), Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2005) and the governing document