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ORCHESTRA OF THE AGE OF ENLIGHTENMENT

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

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REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS OF THE CHARITY, ITS TRUSTEES AND ADVISERS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

Directors

Sir Martin Smith, Chair
Cecelia Bruggemeyer, Vice Chair
Stephen Carpenter, Chief Executive (resigned 31 December 2014)
Crispin Woodhead, Chief Executive (appointed 3 December 2014)
S Jane Carter (resigned 11 July 2014)
Robert Cory
Deborah Diamond (resigned 2 May 2014)
Nigel Jones
Martin Lawrence
Susannah Simons
Matthew Truscott
Andrew Watts
Mark Williams

Lisa Beznosiuk (appointed 2 May 2014)

Company registered number

2040312

Charity registered number

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Registered office

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Company secretary

Ivan Rockey

Chief executive officer

Crispin Woodhead

Independent auditors

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DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

The Directors (who are also trustees of the charity for the purposes of the Charities Act) present their annual report together with the audited financial statements of Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment (the charity) for the year ended 30 September 2014. The Directors confirm that the Annual Report and financial statements of the charity comply with the current statutory requirements, the requirements of the charity's governing document and the provisions of the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) "Accounting and Reporting by Charities" issued in March 2005.

Structure, governance and management

The Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment is a charitable company limited by guarantee and has no share capital. In the event of a winding up, while a Member or within one year of ceasing to be a Member, the Member's liability is limited to £1. The Company was incorporated in 1986 and is governed by its Memorandum and Articles of Association.

The Board of Trustees comprises up to 16 Directors, including both Player Members of the Orchestra and non-player Directors. The Player Members appointed to the Board are those who have been elected to the Players Artistic Committee (see below), and the Board must comprise a majority of non-player Directors.

The Players Artistic Committee comprises five Player Members drawn from at least two sections of the Orchestra, elected by the Player Members at the Annual General Meeting. They are elected for a period of three years and are eligible for re-election at the end of that period, up to a maximum of six years. A Player Member may be re-elected to the Players Artistic Committee after an absence of at least three years.

Non-player Directors are selected and proposed by the Board of Trustees for election by the Members at the Annual General Meeting. Non-player Directors are elected for a period of three years and are eligible for reelection at the end of that period up to a maximum of nine years, except in the case of the Chief Executive. However, by means of a special resolution approved by the Members, two non-player Directors, Sir Martin Smith and Susannah Simons, have been invited to serve beyond nine years to assist during a transition period.

Upon appointment, each Trustee receives a detailed induction pack including a copy of the constitution and latest accounts. The Trustee receives support and on-going training in the areas in which they may have specific responsibility or detailed involvement. There is currently a wide mix of skills amongst the Board of Trustees including legal, music & arts, educational, and financial backgrounds.

Details of related party transactions are included in the notes to the financial statements.

The day to day management of the Company is delegated to the Chief Executive, who reports directly to the Board of Trustees. The Orchestral management team, reporting to the Chief Executive, includes 11 full time and 4 part time staff, in addition to several freelance staff and office-based volunteers.

Risk management

The Board of Trustees is responsible for the management of the risks faced by the charity. All significant activities undertaken are subject to risk review as part of the initial project assessment and implementation. The Board of Trustees reviews the major risks that the charity faces on a regular basis and controls are established accordingly.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

Objectives and Activities

The principal objectives of the charity are to advance education through the promotion, support and encouragement of the art of music (including opera, music, drama, singing and all forms consisting in whole or in part of music) and in particular the promotion, encouragement and appreciation of music as played on period instruments.

The principal activity of the Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment is the performance of music on period instruments and its mission is to advance education through bringing the very best of the period instrument tradition to modern audiences in performances characterised by commitment, excellence and passion.

The OAE aims to provide a full programme of concerts, broadcasts and recordings within the UK and elsewhere around the world, for the enjoyment and education of the widest possible audience, together with a comprehensive education and outreach programme.

In determining the objectives for the future and planning the OAE's artistic activity, the trustees have considered the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit, including the guidance on public benefit and fee charging.

The OAE relies on grants, donations, sponsorship, engagement fees and income from sales of tickets to cover its operating costs. In setting the level of ticket prices and concessions, the trustees give careful consideration to the accessibility of the OAE to those on low incomes. All education work, schools concerts, and ensembles are free to students of participating schools. Charges for public outreach work also have regard to ensuring those activities are accessible to the widest possible community, whatever their means.

In addition the trustees aim to ensure financial stability and continued solvency year-on-year so it can pursue its artistic objectives.

Achievements and performance

The Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment continued to fulfil its principal objectives described above through a series of concert promotions, education programmes, recordings and broadcasts. The Orchestra is acutely aware of its responsibilities, as a charity, to offer benefit to the public. We believe that the following analysis demonstrates that this responsibility is being met:

Through its concert and opera performances in the UK and abroad, the Orchestra reached an audience of over 95,000 people in 2013-14. A further estimated 5 million have been reached through its radio, TV and web broadcasts, and CD and DVD recordings. Reduced-price tickets (£4) are available to young people at all OAE concerts at Southbank Centre, and the Night Shift has also attracted a new audience of young people to hear our performances with over 70% being aged 35 and under. Through our education work, we have reached over 10,000 participants of all ages from early years to the elderly.

The OAE works with a wide range of other organisations in bringing its work to the widest possible audience including the Southbank Centre and other venues in the UK and abroad, Glyndebourne Festival Opera and Opera Rara, BBC Radio 3 and other broadcasting and recording companies, and schools and education partners across the country. We have continued to work with conductors and soloists of the highest international status, including Sir Mark Elder, Sir Simon Rattle, William Christie and Sigiswald Kuijken.

The Orchestra's relationship with Southbank Centre where we continue to be one of four Resident Orchestras remains central to the OAE's artistic activity. During the period we performed a series of 11 concerts, 7 at the Queen Elizabeth Hall and 4 at Royal Festival Hall.

Highlights of the 13-14 Southbank season included our season opener of Rameau and Handel conducted by William Christie with Sandrine Piau as soloist; a new commission from Clare Connors entitled Corelli Leaves which also toured in the UK and was performed as a Night Shift; a critically- and publicly-acclaimed concert with conductor Semyon Bychkov; a programme of Beethoven and Mendelssohn with fortepiano soloists Robert Levin and Ya-Fei Chuang which began with a Works event and toured to St George's Bristol and the Anvil in Basingstoke; and three concerts of French repertoire with the Labeque Sisters which also toured to the Hexagon in Reading.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

Key collaborations included the first of a three-year partnership with Opera Rara, with the Orchestra performing Offenbach's Fantasio at the Royal Festival Hall in December, conducted by our joint Principal Artist Sir Mark Elder. This was also recorded in the studio for distribution on the Boosey & Hawks Offenbach Edition Keck series.

We were delighted to continue our valuable relationship as a Glyndebourne Resident Orchestra over the summer months performing Mozart's La finta giardiniera conducted by Robin Ticciati and Handel's Rinaldo, conducted again by Ottavio Dantone in a revival of the 2011 production.

Taking our music to venues outside the Southbank Centre remains a crucial part of our strategic goal to make classical music more accessible and relevant to our audiences; throughout the season, we visited a total of 48 venues nationally and internationally. Regionally, we are pleased to have developed a close association with the Anvil in Basingstoke, with the venue describing the OAE as 'Resident Orchestra' with three performances in 13-14, and three more planned in each season beyond. Other regional highlights included a programme of works by Graupner, Jomelli, Locatelli and CPE Bach at the York Early Music Festival. Other key partnerships included performances in Bristol, Reading and Bradford-on-Avon.

International highlights included a tour to Spain, giving ten concerts in 12 days, starting in the Canary Islands before going to Madrid, Zaragoza, Pamplona and Coruna on the mainland and a revival of our programme of works by Rameau and Handel that had opened our season, again conducted by William Christie at the Flanders Festival in Ghent, in a concert that marked the 200th anniversary of the signing of the Treaty of Ghent.

In addition to the Offenbach recording listed above and a recording of Rameau's Anacréon with Dr Jonathan Williams, we recorded the Fauré Requiem and Cantique de Jean Racine with Stephen Cleobury and the Choir of King's College Cambridge with Gerald Finley as soloist for their own label. Further to this a disc of CPE Bach Symphonies with Rebecca Miller continued our collaboration with Signum Records to co-produce recordings on a joint label OAE RELEASED, also available as digital downloads.

We continued our excellent relationship throughout the season with BBC Radio 3 who broadcast many of our concerts, both from the Southbank Centre and whilst on tour, thus achieving a core aim to ensure that our music reached the widest possible audience inside and outside the concert hall.

We remain at the forefront of audience development initiatives with the continuation of our ground-breaking latenight series The Night Shift which attracts a mainly under-35 audience to our work. A particular innovation this year was the partnership with Sound and Music which saw three young composers work with OAE musicians to develop new pieces for our first national Night Shift Pub Tour. This saw performances take place for the first time in pubs outside London, with events in Brighton and Bristol.

At Southbank Centre we have also continued with The Works which aims to provide a similar introduction to classical music to The Night Shift but for a slightly older audience which is equally as unfamiliar with the form.

Our student scheme, Attitude, also continues, offering £4 tickets to all our London own promoted concerts. By offering a range of different concert experiences we hope to be able to have the broadest possible reach.

During the year we have also continued our Experience scheme for young players, giving the next generation of young, talented period-instrument professionals the opportunity of rehearsing and performing with the Orchestra, as well as taking part in our Education programme. We are delighted that the scheme acts as a springboard into the profession and since the scheme's inception in 2002, 35% of participants have gone on to perform with the OAE. Indeed, in 2014, after an intensive audition process, the Orchestra appointed a 2011 alumnus as a permanent member of the violin section.

OAE Education continues to be at the core of the OAE's work and the 2013-14 year was no exception. Reaching 10,000 participants from early years to the elderly, the education team delivered projects across the UK and also launched a national tour Watercycle – an ambitious water themed music project designed to bring music to nine cities across England, particularly in disadvantaged areas and those which do not currently benefit from significant music provision. Watercycle continues into 2014-15 and 2015-16.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

Financial review

The company reported a surplus in the year of £20,394 (2012-13: a deficit of £83,923), increasing the level of funds at the year end to £339,087 (2012-13: £318,693).

This surplus was a result of raising £238,660 of funding towards the OAE's Catalyst Endowment Fund, a 25-year expendable endowment to support increased regional touring, extend the geographical reach of education work and support the Orchestra to take a lead in green touring initiatives. In 2014-15 the organisation is establishing a new OAE Trust, comprising a group of senior members of the community with good fundraising connections aimed at raising funds to safeguard the OAE's future; the Catalyst Endowment Fund will form a key part of the OAE Trust's reserves.

The consequent decrease of £217,266 in the company's unrestricted funds was due to a number of factors, of which the most significant were a continued decrease in the level of European touring and a second year of shortfalls in unrestricted development income (which was more than offset by the restricted income raised towards the Catalyst Endowment Fund).

The Board acknowledges the disappointing operating deficits which have been reported over the last three years, reducing the Orchestra's unrestricted reserves to £56,427. The Directors consider this to be lower than the level required to withstand further downturns in operating results and have therefore taken steps to eliminate future losses including: the establishment of the OAE Trust; installing new leadership of the Development and Finance teams; requiring the Executive team to make significant savings in carefully identified areas during 2014-15, including deferring increases in personnel costs; and, using the succession and transition planning for the position of Chief Executive as an opportunity to significantly review management priorities and processes. Since the period covered by this report these steps have provided the Directors with the confidence that the financial outcome of 2014-15 will be a modest increase in the organisation's unrestricted reserves and an improvement in its ability to deliver concerts of the highest artistic standards in a financially secure manner.

Plans for the future

In setting objectives and planning the activity of the charity in 2014-15 and beyond, the Trustees continue to give careful consideration to the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit.

The OAE plans to maintain the level of audiences reached in 2013-14 through its concert giving, media work and education programme and will seek to develop new audiences for our work as well as continuing to appeal to our loyal long-term supporters.

Following the disappointing financial outcomes of the past three years, the Orchestra has taken steps to minimise the effects of the current economic recession and the outlook for 2014-15 is that activity levels will be reduced from 2013-14 levels in such a way as to achieve a modest surplus whilst maintaining a suitable artistic profile for the OAE's 30th birthday year.

The Orchestra maintains strong relations with its key partners, as described in its 2013-14 activities, and attaches great importance to its status as one of Arts Council England's (ACE's) National Portfolio Organisations (NPOs), which has been extended to 2018.

The formation of the OAE Trust in 2014-15 and the income received into the Catalyst Endowment Fund are also making significant contributions towards supporting the Orchestra's long-term stability.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES STATEMENT

The Directors (who are also directors of Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment for the purposes of company law) are responsible for preparing the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Company law requires the Directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under company law the Directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company and of the incoming resources and application of resources, including the income and expenditure, of the charitable company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the Directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charities SORP;
- make judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charitable company will continue in operation.

The Directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charitable company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charitable company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charitable company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

Each of the persons who are Directors at the time when this Directors' Report is approved has confirmed that:

- so far as that Director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the charitable company's auditors are unaware, and
- that Director has taken all the steps that ought to have been taken as a Director in order to be aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the charitable company's auditors are aware of that information.

In preparing this report, the Directors have taken advantage of the small companies exemptions provided by section 415A of the Companies Act 2006.

This report was approved by the Directors on 18 May 2015 and signed on their behalf by:

Ivan Rockey
Company secretary

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF ORCHESTRA OF THE AGE OF ENLIGHTENMENT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

We have audited the financial statements of Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment for the year ended 30 September 2014 set out on pages 9 to 24. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008) (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice applicable to Smaller Entities).

This report is made solely to the charity'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 charity's members those matters we are required to state to them in an Auditors' 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 charity and its members, as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinion we have formed.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement, the Directors (who are also the directors of the charity for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view.

Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors.

We have undertaken the audit in accordance with the requirements of APB Ethical Standards including APB Ethical Standards - Provisions Available for Small Entities, in the following circumstances:

SCOPE OF THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of: whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the charity's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed; the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the Directors; and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the Directors' Report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements and to identify any information that is apparently materially incorrect based on, or materially inconsistent with, the knowledge acquired by us in the course of performing the audit. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

OPINION ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the charity's affairs as at 30 September 2014 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice applicable to Smaller Entities; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

OPINION ON OTHER MATTER PRESCRIBED BY THE COMPANIES ACT 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF ORCHESTRA OF THE AGE OF ENLIGHTENMENT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

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 trustees' 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 small companies regime and to take advantage of the small companies' exemption from the requirement to prepare a Strategic Report or in preparing the Directors' Report.

Neil Williams (Senior Statutory Auditor)

for and on behalf of

Lubbock Fine

Chartered Accountants & Statutory Auditors

Paternoster House 65 St Paul's Churchyard

London EC4M 8AB

Date: 28 |5 |15

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

	Note	Unrestricted funds 2014 £	Restricted funds 2014 £	Endowment funds 2014 £	Total funds 2014 £	Total funds 2013 £
INCOMING RESOURCES						
Incoming resources from generated funds: Voluntary income Investment income Incoming resources from	2 3	583,054 2,810	489,707	238,660 -	1,311,421 2,810 1,306,511	1,178,663 3,153
charitable activities Other incoming resources	4 5	1,298,934 4,208	7,577	-	4,208	1,949,175 13,103
TOTAL INCOMING RESOURCES	Ü	1,889,006	497,284	238,660	2,624,950	3,144,094
RESOURCES EXPENDED						
Costs of generating funds: Costs of generating voluntary income Charitable activities Governance costs	6 9	196,044 1,432,625 38,279	18,333 918,275 -	1,000	214,377 2,351,900 38,279	175,381 2,958,896 93,740
TOTAL RESOURCES EXPENDED		1,666,948	936,608	1,000	2,604,556	3,228,017
NET INCOMING / (OUTGOING RESOURCES BEFORE TRANSFERS	i)	222,058	(439,324)	237,660	20,394	(83,923)
Transfers between Funds	17	(439,324)	394,324	45,000	-	-
NET MOVEMENT IN FUNDS FOR THE YEAR		(217,266)	(45,000)	282,660	20,394	(83,923)
Total funds at 1 October 2013		273,693	45,000	<u>-</u>	318,693	402,616
TOTAL FUNDS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2014		56,427		282,660	339,087	318,693

The notes on pages 11 to 24 form part of these financial statements.

BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

	Note	£	2014 £	3	2013 £
FIXED ASSETS		_	· .	_	
Tangible assets	13		18,447		16,938
CURRENT ASSETS				1	
Debtors	14	245,649		484,051	
Cash at bank	•	556,947	•	531,620	4.5
		802,596		1,015,671	
CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year	15	(481,956)		(713,916)	
NET CURRENT ASSETS	,		320,640		301,755
NET ASSETS		_	339,087		318,693
CHARITY FUNDS		=			
Endowment funds	17		282,660		-
Restricted funds	17		₹ .		45,000
Unrestricted funds	17	_	56,427		273,693
TOTAL FUNDS		·	339,087		318,693

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to small companies within Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

The financial statements were approved by the Directors on 18 May 2015 and signed on their behalf, by:

Sir Martin Smith

Director

The notes on pages 11 to 24 form part of these financial statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, with the exception of certain fixed assets which are included at market value, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008). The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP), 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities' published in March 2005, applicable accounting standards and the Companies Act 2006.

1.2 Cash flow

The financial statements do not include a Cash Flow Statement because the charitable charity, as a small reporting entity, is exempt from the requirement to prepare such a statement under the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

1.3 Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included in the Statement of Financial Activities when the charity has entitlement to the funds, certainty of receipt and the amount can be measured with sufficient reliability.

Income tax recoverable in relation to donations received under Gift Aid or deeds of covenant is recognised at the time of the donation.

Donations

Donations are recognised as income when the charity has entitlement to the donated resource and there is reasonable certainty of measurement and receipt.

Donations received with imposed restrictions are classified as restricted funds.

Donations in kind are valued and included in income to the extent that it represents goods or services which would otherwise be purchased. The valuation is based on what a third party would pay for the good or service. An equivalent amount is charged as expenditure. Income and the corresponding expense are recognised in the year that the goods or service are received/used.

Grants receivable

Revenue grants are credited as incoming resources when they are receivable provided conditions for receipt have been complied with, unless they relate to a specified future period or project, in which case they are deferred within restricted funds.

Charitable trading activities

Charitable trading activities represents income received from concerts and sessions undertaken during the year. The income is recognised on the completion of the concerts.

Other charitable trading activities represents royalties and amounts receivables on the sale of compact discs, net of direct expenses. The income is recognised when receivable.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

1.4 Resources expended

Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been included under expense categories that aggregate all costs for allocation to activities. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular activities they have been allocated on a basis consistent with the use of the resources.

Support costs are those costs incurred directly in support of expenditure on the objects of the charity and include project management costs. Governance costs are those incurred in connection with administration of the charity and compliance with constitutional and statutory requirements.

1.5 Fund accounting

General funds are unrestricted funds which are available for use at the discretion of the Directors in furtherance of the general objectives of the charity and which have not been designated for other purposes.

Designated funds comprise unrestricted funds that have been set aside by the Directors for particular purposes. The aim and use of each designated fund is set out in the notes to the financial statements.

Restricted funds are funds which are to be used in accordance with specific restrictions imposed by donors or which have been raised by the charity for particular purposes. The costs of raising and administering such funds are charged against the specific fund. The aim and use of each restricted fund is set out in the notes to the financial statements.

Endowment funds are split between permanent endowment funds, where the capital must be retained, and expendable endowment funds, where both the capital and the interest are expended for the purpose specified by the donor.

Investment income, gains and losses are allocated to the appropriate fund.

1.6 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Assets costing above £500 intended for use by the Charity over more than one year are capitalised as Fixed Assets on the balance sheet at cost.

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost of fixed assets, less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives on the following bases:

Long-term leasehold property

over 5 years

Office equipment

over 4 years

Computer equipment

over 5 years

The Orchestra has adopted a revaluation policy in regards to its musical instruments. As per the SORP paragraph 265, the Orchestra will review the value of the assets regularly, at least every five years. No depreciation is charged on musical instruments as the expected residual value will be equal to valuation.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

1.7 Operating leases

Rentals under operating leases are charged to the Statement of Financial Activities on a straight line basis over the lease term.

Benefits received and receivable as an incentive to sign an operating lease are recognised on a straight line basis over the period until the date the rent is expected to be adjusted to the prevailing market rate.

1.8 Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date.

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate ruling on the date of the transaction.

Exchange gains and losses are recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities.

1.9 Company status

Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment is a charitable company limited by guarantee and accordingly does not have a share capital.

The 88 (2013 - 75) members of the company have agreed to contribute £1 each to the assets of the company in the event of it being wound up.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2014

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	Unrestricted funds 2014	Restricted funds 2014	Endowment funds 2014	Total funds 2014	Total funds 2013
Oife in Kind	£	30.057	£	30.057	30.057
Gift in Kind Individual	232,787	79,657 181,267	-	79,657 414,054	79,657 470,506
General donations and	232,707	101,207	-	414,054	470,506
support	141,666	108,055	10,000	259,721	134,680
Educational donors	-	17,661	, 10,000	17,661	112,598
Arts Council England		.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		,	, , _,,
(National Portfolio)	202,601	-	-	202,601	202,340
Arts Council England			·		
(Catalyst Endowment)	-	-	137,050	137,050	-
Andor Charitable Trust	-	-	-	-	1,000
Angus Allnatt Charitable					
Foundation	-	-	-	-	1,000
Apax Foundation	-	7,634	-	7,634	8,782
Aquarius Charitable Trust	-	-	-	-	600
Austin and Hope Pilkington		4 000		4 000	
Trust	-	1,000	-	1,000	-
Brian Mitchell Charitable		F 000		5 000	10.000
Trust Charles Peel Charitable	-	5,000	-	5,000	10,000
Trust	_	5,600	_	5,600	5,400
Coutts Charitable Trust	_	3,000	_	5,000	500
D'Oyly Carte Charitable					300
Trust	_	-	-	-	1,700
Ernest Cook Trust	-	-	-	-	8,000
Esmée Fairbairn Foundation	-	40,000	-	40,000	40,000
Fenton Arts Trust	-	3,000	-	3,000	· -
Foyle Foundation	-	10,000	-	10,000	10,000
Garfield Weston Foundation	-	-	-	-	10,000
Garrick Trust	-	-	-	· -	2,500
Golden Bottle Trust	-	2,500	-	2,500	2,400
Gurney Charity	-	-	-	-	1,000
H Courts Trust	-	-	-	-	1,000
John Ellerman Foundation	-	10,000	-	10,000	30,000
John Lyon's Charity		-	-	. -	6,000
John and Sue Edwards Charitable Trust					10.000
Mark Williams Foundation	6,000	1,000	91,610	98,610	12,000
Mercers Company	0,000	1,000	91,010	90,010	5,000
Michael Marks Charitable					3,000
Trust	_	-	-	-	5,000
Nugee Foundation	-	5,500	-	5,500	5,500
Patrick Rowland Foundation	-	-	_	-	5,000
Rayne Foundation	-	8,333	-	8,333	-
R & I Pilkington Charitable		•		•	
Trust	-	-	-	-	3,000
RK Charitable Trust	-	2,500	-	2,500	2,500
Sound and Music	-	1,000	-	1,000	-
Thistle Trust					1,000
Voluntary income	583,054	489,707	238,660	1,311,421	1,178,663

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3.	INVESTMENT INCOME					
	·	Unrestricted funds 2014 £	Restricted funds 2014 £	Endowment funds 2014 £	Total funds 2014 £	Total funds 2013 £
	Bank interest receivable	2,810		-	2,810	3,153
4.	INCOMING RESOURCES F	ROM CHARITA	BLE ACTIVIT	IES		
		Unrestricted funds 2014 £	Restricted funds 2014	Endowment funds 2014	Total funds 2014 £	Total funds 2013 £
	Charitable trading activities	1,298,934	7,577	-	1,306,511	1,949,175
5.	OTHER INCOMING RESOL	IRCES		t .		
		Unrestricted funds 2014	Restricted funds 2014 £	Endowment funds 2014 £	Total funds 2014 £	Total funds 2013 £
	Other charitable trading activities	funds 2014	funds 2014	funds 2014	funds 2014	funds 2013
6.		funds 2014 £ 4,208	funds 2014 £	funds 2014	funds 2014 £	funds 2013 £
6.	activities	funds 2014 £ 4,208	funds 2014 £	funds 2014	funds 2014 £	funds 2013 £
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7. EXPENDITURE BY CHARITABLE ACTIVITY

SUMMARY BY FUND TYPE

	Unrestricted funds 2014 £	Restricted funds 2014 £	Endowment funds 2014 £	Total funds 2014 £	Total funds 2013 £
Concerts Educational Activities	1,343,300 89,325	719,739 198,536	1,000	2,063,039 288,861	2,706,920 251,976
•	1,432,625	918,275	1,000	2,351,900	2,958,896
SUMMARY BY EXPENDIT	URE TYPE				
		Staff costs 2014 £	Other costs 2014 £	Total 2014 £	Total 2013 £
Concerts Educational Activities		245,370 74,794	1,817,669 214,067	2,063,039 288,861	2,706,920 251,976
	•	320,164	2,031,736	2,351,900	2,958,896

The charity undertakes direct charitable activity only and does not make grant payments.

Included in charitable activity costs are direct costs of £1,963,401 (2013 - £2,551,556) and £199,536 (2013 - £240,160) in relation to concerts and educational activities respectively.

8. SUPPORT COSTS

	Fundraising costs	Concerts	Educational Activities	Total 2014	Total 2013
	3	£	3	£	£
Premises costs	9,611	80,439	9,768	99,818	103,546
Maintenance	646	5,406	656	6,708	6,454
Legal fees	1,660	13,896	1,687	17,243	6,000
Telephone	221	1,853	225	2,299	3,666
Office expenses	5,054	46,446	992	52,492	28,241
Computer costs	-	11,832	-	11,832	13,180
Subscriptions	-	4,646	-	4,646	5,893
Conferences	253	2,118	257	2,628	1,682
Finance costs	-	2,818	342	3,160	3,030
Sundry	549	4,594	558	5,701	4,127
Depreciation	47	384	46	477	-
	18,041	174,432	14,531	207,004	175,819

The support costs have been allocated at percentage rates of 10% (cost of generating voluntary income), 80% (Concert costs) and 10% (Educational costs), which is consistent with the use of the resources (2013 - 5%, 88% and 7% respectively).

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9.	GOVERNANCE COSTS				,	
		Unrestricted funds 2014 £	Restricted funds 2014	Endowment funds 2014 £	Total funds 2014 £	Total funds 2013 £
	Audit fees Professional fees Salaries and wages	13,925 8,172 14,220	- - -	- , - , -	13,925 8,172 14,220	11,900 65,702 14,181
	Employer's NIC	1,962	<u>.</u>	-	1,962	1,957
		38,279	-	-	38,279	93,740
10.	NET INCOMING / (OUTGO	ING) DESCUIDO	· Ee			
10.	This is stated after charging		LS			
					2014 £	2013 £
	Depreciation of tangible fixe - owned by the charit Auditors' remuneration				477 13,925	181 11,900
11.	STAFF COSTS Staff costs were as follows:				·	
					2014	2013
	Wages and salaries Social security costs				£ 453,570 43,168	£ 404,797 39,485
		•			496,738	444,282
	The average monthly numb	er of employees o	during the year	was as follows:	•	
-					2014 No.	2013 No.
	Number of fundraising staff Number of management and	d administrative s	taff		6 10	7 9
	•				16	16
	The number of higher paid	employees was:				
					2014 No.	2013 No.
	In the band £60,001 - £70,0	00		_	1 =	1

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DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION 12.

Number of Directors receiving remuneration:

		2014 £	2013 £
Consultancy fees and salary for management services		7	6
Musicians' fees and playing members of the Orchestra	, 	6 .	9
Librarian fees		-	1

No other remuneration, apart from as disclosed in note 20, was received by a director or connected party during the year (2013 - £nil).

Expenses of £2,645 (2013 - £4,245) were reimbursed to 6 (2013 - 9) directors during the year.

The Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Orchestra permit the Directors to receive remuneration for certain services, which overrides the restriction given in the Charities Act 2011. All such services are paid at rates agreed independently and on an arm's length basis.

TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS 13.

	Instruments £	Office & other equipment £	Computer equipment £	Leasehold property £	Total £
Cost or valuation					
At 1 October 2013 Additions	13,500	27,294 1,596	4,868 390	41,256	86,918 1,986
At 30 September 2014	13,500	28,890	5,258	41,256	88,904
Depreciation					
At 1 October 2013 Charge for the year	-	23,856 399	4,868 78	41,256 -	69,980 477
At 30 September 2014	-	24,255	4,946	41,256	70,457
Net book value					
At 30 September 2014	13,500	4,635	312	-	18,447
At 30 September 2013	13,500	3,438	-	-	16,938

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13. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS (continued)

Instruments:

In respect of assets stated at valuations, the comparable historical cost and depreciation values are as follows:

	Net book value at end of year	<u>-</u>	13,500
	Historical cost	· =	12,333
	The Directors revalued the instruments of the Orchestra to these musical instruments was £12,333 at the year end. The office equipment and computer equipment is used in thactivities.		
14.	DEBTORS		
		2014 £	· 2013 £
	Trade debtors	110,128	357,444
	Other debtors Prepayments and accrued income	135,521	631 125,976
	:	245,649	484,051
15.	CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year		
		2014	2013
		£	£
	Trade creditors	71,571	247,720
	Other taxation and social security Other creditors	66,368 7,733	119,596 10,160
	Accruals and deferred income	336,284	336,440
		481,956	713,916
		·	3
	Deferred income		
	Deferred income at 1 October 2013		291,991 241,956
	Resources deferred during the year Amounts released from previous years		(228,325)
	Deferred income at 30 September 2014		305,622

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16. OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

At 30 September 2014 the charity had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows:

·	Land and buildings			Other
	2014	2013	2014	2013
	3	3	£	3
Expiry date:				
Between 2 and 5 years	2,000	2,000	3,053	3,053

17. STATEMENT OF FUNDS

	Brought Forward £	Incoming resources £	Resources Expended £	Transfers in/out £	Carried Forward £
Designated funds					
Oxford collaboration fund Revaluation reserve Night Shift	29,090 4,967 -	- - 6,450	(12,350) - -	- - -	16,740 4,967 6,450
·	34,057	6,450	(12,350)	-	28,157
General funds					
General Funds	239,636	1,882,556	(1,654,598)	(439,324)	28,270
Total Unrestricted funds	273,693	1,889,006	(1,666,948)	(439,324)	56,427
Endowment funds					
Catalyst Endowment Fund		238,660	(1,000)	45,000	282,660
Restricted funds.					
Futures Core Catalyst Endowment Fund Education projects OAE Experience Scheme Instrument fund Gift in kind - Rent	45,000 - - - - - - 45,000	297,251 - 61,395 25,000 33,981 79,657 	(604,400) - (193,570) (25,000) (33,981) (79,657) - (936,608)	307,149 (45,000) 132,175 - - - - 394,324	- - - - - -
Total of funds	318,693	2,624,950	(2,604,556)	<u>-</u>	339,087

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17. STATEMENT OF FUNDS (continued)

<u>Designated Funds</u>: These comprise amounts which the charity has set aside for the following specific purposes:

Oxford Collaboration Fund: Funds raised through ticket sales to a concert at Oxford University which are to be used to support further events there.

Night Shift: Funds raised through ticket sales which are to be used to fund Night Shift concerts to be held in Autumn 2014.

Revaluation reserve: The revaluation reserve was created by the revaluation of instruments in 2002 at open market value by various members of the orchestra, directors and employees familiar with market values of the instruments in question.

Endowment funds: These comprise funds which are held on trust to be retained for the benefit of the charity as a separate fund. These are as follows:

Catalyst Endowment Fund: This comprises donations and matched funding from Arts Council England, the Department for Culture, Media and Sport and the National Lottery forming an expendable endowment fund to support increased regional touring, extend the geographical reach of education work and support the orchestra to take a lead in green touring initiatives over a period of 25 years. Matched funding payments will be made up to July 2015, after which the Fund will be transferred to the newly established OAE Trust.

<u>Restricted Funds</u>: These comprise donations received for the specific projects that the charitable company administers. These are as follows:

Futures core: OAE Futures is the long term artistic development programme of the OAE. It comprises projects grouped under three headings: Futures Orchestra, Futures performers and Futures Audience.

Catalyst Endowment Fund: This is the Catalyst Endowment Fund as detailed above under Endowment Funds.

Education projects: To support the Orchestra's work with primary school children, secondary school children and young professional musicians.

OAE Experience Scheme: To support the Anne and Peter Law OAE Experience Scheme for young players which assists talented instrumentalists at the start of their professional careers. During the year ended 30 September 2013, £75,000 was received for the years ended 30 September 2014, 2015 and 2016. At the balance sheet date, an amount of £50,000 was included within deferred income to be used in 2014/15 and 2015/16.

Instrument fund: This consists of a one-off donation made to support the purchase of an instrument for the use of an OAE Member.

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SUMMARY OF FUNDS					
	Brought Forward £	Incoming resources	Resources Expended £	Transfers in/out £	Carried Forward £
Designated funds General funds	34,057 239,636	6,450 1,882,556	(12,350) (1,654,598)	(439,324)	28,157 28,270
	273,693	1,889,006	(1,666,948)	(439,324)	56,427
Endowment funds Restricted funds	45,000	238,660 497,284	(1,000) (936,608)	45,000 394,324	282,660
	318,693	2,624,950	(2,604,556)	-	339,087

18. FUND TRANSFERS

During the year, expenditure on education projects and the futures core programme exceeded restricted income received by £439,324 in total. Therefore a transfer has been made from unrestricted funds to fund the resulting deficit.

During the prior year, donations of £45,000 were received towards the Catalyst Endowment Fund prior to the conditions for receipt of matched funding from the Arts Council England being met. Therefore, these amounts were recognised as restricted income. During the current year matched funding conditions were met and therefore donations and matched funding received during the year were recognised as endowment income. The restricted funds brought forward were transferred to the new endowment fund.

19. ANALYSIS OF NET ASSETS BETWEEN FUNDS

	Unrestricted funds 2014 £	Restricted funds 2014	Endowment funds 2014 £	Total funds 2014 £	Total funds 2013 £
Tangible fixed assets	18,447	-	-	18,447	16,938
Current assets	519,936	-	282,660	802,596	1,015,672
Creditors due within one year	(481,956)	-	-	(481,956)	(713,917)
	56,427		282,660	339,087	318,693

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20. TRANSACTIONS WITH DIRECTORS

	2014 £	2013 £
S Carpenter	63,526	64,603
C Bruggemeyer	825	400
D Diamond	525	75
M Lawrence	675	675
M Truscott	750	150
A Watts	1,175	600
L Beznosiuk	650	-
Total	68,126	66,503
·		
b) During the year musicians fees were paid to the following trustee	s:	
2) Burning the year medicians rose were paid to the renorming traction	2014	2013
	£	3
C Bruggemeyer	31,209	31,150
D Diamond	12,924	18,451
S Jackson	-	15,297
M Kelly	-	24,474
C Kitchling	.	30
M Lawrence	12,594	30,563
A Roberts		17,607
M Truscott A Watts	36,585	26,241 16,280
L Beznosiuk	17,611 17,311	10,200
L Beznosiuk		
Total	128,234	180,093
		
c) During the year librarian fees were paid to the following trustees:		
c) During the year librarian fees were paid to the following trustees:	2014	2013
c) During the year librarian fees were paid to the following trustees:	2014 £	2013 £

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d) At the balance sheet date, trade creditors include the following amounts due to the trustees:

Due to trustees

	2014 £	2013 £
C Bruggemeyer	467	2,341
C Kitchling	-	1,530
A Roberts	-	388
R Cory*	2,006	-
M Williams*	1,060	-
Total	3,533	4,259

^{* -} These amounts relate to donations or payments made towards 2014-15 and are therefore included within creditors at the year end.

e) At the balance sheet date, trade debtors include the following amounts due from the directors:

Pledges made by trustees during the year outstanding at 30 September 2014

	2014	2013
	£	£
R Cory	-	76,883
M Smith	5,005	-
N Jones	4,935	-
		
Total	9,940	76,883

f) During the year the charity made a contribution of £1,520 (2013 - £2,020) to the Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment Benevolent Fund, a charity which shares common trustees with the Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment. Included in other creditors at the balance sheet date is £5,540 (2013 - £5,554) due to the Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment Benevolent Fund.