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Style Acre Friends

Report and Financial Statements

Year Ended 31 March 2002





Annual report and financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2002

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Trustees

E Atkins

E Cobb

C Dennis

K Faulkner

P McClurking

D Riglen

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L Sheldon

U Thornton

D Vallins

P Wilmot

Secretary, registered office and principal place of business

P Wilmot, Style Acre, Brightwell-cum-Sotwell, Oxfordshire OX10 0PT

Company number

2677365

Registered charity number

1010701

Auditors

BDO Stoy Hayward, Kings Wharf, 20-30 Kings Road, Reading, Berkshire, RG1 3EX.

Report of the trustees for the year ended 31 March 2002

The trustees present their report, (in their capacity as directors of a company limited by guarantee) together with the audited financial statements, for the year ended 31 March 2002.

Results and dividends

The statement of financial activities is set out on page 5 and shows the result for the year.

Charitable objects

Style Acre Friends is a registered charity and is governed by its Memorandum and Articles of Association. It is committed to providing the highest quality of supported living to men and women who are unable to live fully independent lives in the community. It does this by the provision of residential and day care services, with facilities according to different levels of need. Style Acre Friends ensures that staff are appropriately trained and supervised, with sufficient resources, specialised equipment and staff-to-client ratios to provide a very high standard of care to the clients.

Principal activities, trading review and future developments

The trustees have continued to provide 26 adults with learning difficulties a high quality of residential care and day service.

The charity shop continues to successfully operate both financially and as a provider of work experience for some of our clients.

The skill centre ("Turnstyle") has operated throughout the year offering day care facilities to our clients and increasingly to those with learning difficulties living within the surrounding area.

The Trustees are pleased with the continued development of the Trust and continue to seek further opportunities to further its objectives of providing a high quality of life to those with learning difficulties.

Reserves policy

The Trust's policy is to endeavour to maintain Unrestricted Funds at or around a level which enables the ongoing activities of the Trust to be funded for a period of approximately three months looking forward, in the light of current forecasts and budgets.

In determining the level of funds required consideration will be given to planned expenditure, the capital expenditure programme, anticipated revenue streams and the risks and effects of any contingencies.

Restricted and designated funds are separately recorded and reported.

Risk Management

The Trustees are aware of the requirement to include a statement on risk assessment and are in the process of undertaking a risk assessment to enable them to make the appropriate statement in future years.

Report of the trustees for the year ended 31 March 2002 (Continued)

Trustees

The trustees of the company during the year were:

M Adams (resigned November 2001)

E Atkins (appointed November 2001)

E Cobb (appointed November 2001)

C Dennis

K Faulkner

P McClurking

D Riglen

I Riglen

L Sheldon

U Thornton

D Vallins

P Wilmot

The existing trustees may make appointments of new trustees but all trustees must retire at the AGM and can seek re-election.

Trustees' responsibilities

Company law requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the surplus or deficit of the company for that year. In preparing those financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The trustees 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 financial statements 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 and other irregularities.

Auditors

BDO Stoy Hayward have expressed their willingness to continue in office and a resolution to re-appoint them will be proposed at the annual general meeting.

On behalf of the Trustees

P W Wilmot

Trustee

3 October 2002

Report of the independent auditors

To the members of Style Acre Friends

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 11 which have been prepared under the accounting policies set out on page 7.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and auditors

The trustees' responsibilities for preparing the annual report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards are set out in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom Auditing Standards.

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the Trustees' Report is not consistent with the financial statements, if the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and transactions with the company is not disclosed.

We read the Trustees' Report which includes the statutory disclosure as required under the Companies Act 1985 and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it.

Basis of opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards 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 judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the 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 charitable company's affairs as at 31 March 2002 and of its statement of financial activities including its income and expenditure for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

BDO STOY HAYWAI Chartered Accountants

and Registered Auditors

Reading

4 October 2002

STYLE ACRE FRIENDS

Income and expenditure account and statement of financial activities for the year ended 31 March 2002

U	restricted funds	Restricted funds	Designated funds	Total 2002	Total 2001
Note	£	£	£	£	£
1					
	17,069	9,700	-	26,769	39,881
	687,497	-	-	687,497	501,284
	40,977	-	-	40,977	33,518
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	290	5	-	295	2,798
	809,578	9,705	-	819,283	590,420
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4	808,223 2,494	-	- -	808,223 2,494	602,231 3,384
	810,717	-	-	810,717	605,615
5	(1,139)	9,705		8,566	(15,195)
on	-	-	-	-	372,057
	21,455	(5,466)	(15,989)	-	-
	20,316	4,239	(15,989)	8,566	356,862
	130,210	189,357	631,447	951,014	594,152
13	150,526	193,596	615,458	959,580	951,014
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All amounts relate to continuing activities

All recognised gains and losses are included in the income and expenditure account

The notes on pages 7 to 11 form part of these financial statements

Balance sheet at 31 March 2002

	Note	2002 €	2002 £	2001 £	2001 £
Fixed assets					
Intangible assets	6		2,917		3,917
Tangible assets	7		1,188,272		1,195,248
			1,191,189		1,199,165
Current assets			2,222,203		1,27,200
Debtors	8	6,559		19,950	
Cash at bank and in hand		95,051		82,335	
		101,610		102,285	
Creditors: amounts falling due		ŕ		,	
within one year	9	45,599		56,595	
Net current assets			56,011		45,690
Total assets less current liabilities			1,247,200		1,244,855
Creditors: amounts falling due	4.0				
after more than one year	10		287,620		293,841
Net assets			959,580		951,014
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Capital and reserves Designated funds	11		61 <i>E AE</i> 0		621 447
Restricted funds	12		615,458 193,596		631,447 189,357
Unrestricted funds	12		150,526		130,210
			959,580		951,014
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The financial statements were approved by the trustees on 3 October 2002.

PW Wilmot

D Vallins

The notes on pages 7 to 11 form part of these financial statements

Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2002

1 Accounting policies

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of freehold and long lease-hold property and are in accordance with applicable accounting standards The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP), 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities' published in October 2000 and the Charities Act 1993.

Incoming resources

Incoming resources represent income receivable from fundraising, donations and gifts, interest received and residential care fees.

Restricted funds

Restricted funds received to be used for specifically nominated expenditure by the donor are credited to income in the year in which they are received. Where amounts are not specifically allocated against expenditure in that year the balance is deferred and added to the balance brought forward on the restricted funds and is used in subsequent years in line with the restrictions placed by the donor.

Designated funds

Designated funds represent monies set aside for specific purposes at the discretion of the trustees rather than the donors.

Depreciation and amortisation

Freehold and long leasehold land and buildings are included in the financial statement at open market value.

Depreciation and amortisation is provided to write off the cost, less estimated residual values, of all fixed assets over their expected useful lives. It is calculated at the following rates:-

Purchased goodwill

- 10% per annum

Freehold and Long Leasehold buildings

- 2% per annum

Office equipment, fixtures and motor vehicles

- 10% per annum

Direct charitable expenditure

Direct charitable expenditure includes the direct functional costs of the activity and depreciation on related assets.

Pension contributions

Pension contributions are charged to the Statement of Financial Activities in the year in which they are due.

2 Company status

The company does not have a share capital and is limited by the guarantee of its members to the extent of £1 each. The membership at 31 March 2002 comprised 81 individuals.

Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2002 (Continued)

3 Taxation

The charitable status of the organisation has been confirmed and that the company is not liable to corporation tax on its surplus or gains to the extent that they are applied for charitable purposes.

4 Care costs

	2002	2001
	£	£
Wages, salaries and employee costs	523,707	383,641
Employers national insurance contributions	38,813	28,922
Pension contributions	15,157	12,066
	577,677	424,629
Building costs and services	102,209	64,048
Consumables	40,931	36,013
Training (staff and residents)	5,325	16,889
Administration	22,105	21,626
Interest charges	25,069	16,864
Depreciation and amortisation	34,907	22,162
	808,233	602,231

The average number of employees during the year was 38 (2001-30).

Reimbursement of expenses were made to the Trustees during the year amounting to £264 (2001: £264).

There were no employees earning over £50,000 per annum (2001: Nil).

5 Net (outgoing)/incoming resources

This is stated after charging:	2002 £	2001 £
Auditors' remuneration	5,464	4,406
Depreciation and amortisation	34,907	22,162
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Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2002 (Continued)

6	Intangible assets				2002 £	2001 £
	Purchased goodwill broug	ght forward and c	arried forward		10,000	10,000
	Amortisation brought for Charge for the period	ward			6,083 1,000	5,083 1,000
	Amortisation carried forw	vard			7,083	6,083
	Net book value carried for	rward			2,917	3,917
7	Tangible assets	Long leasehold land and buildings	Freehold land and buildings	Office equipment and fixtures	Motor vehicles	Total
	Cost or valuation At 1 April 2001 Additions	\$40,000 -	£ 800,000 -	£ 52,519	\$ 31,619 26,931	1,224,138 26,931
	At 31 March 2002	340,000	800,000	52,519	58,550	1,251,069
	Depreciation At 1 April 2001 Charge for the period	6,800	16,000	18,607 5,252	10,283 5,855	28,890 33,907
	At 31 March 2002	6,800	16,000	23,859	16,138	62,797
	Net book value At 31 March 2002	333,200	784,000	28,660	42,412	1,188,272
	At 31 March 2001	340,000	800,000	33,912	21,336	1,195,248

The net book value represents fixed assets used for direct charitable purposes.

The freehold and long leasehold property have been included at open market valuations obtained by the Trustees for the purposes of bank finance. Depreciation on the revalued assets is £11,583 higher than under the historical cost convention.

Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2002 (Continued)

8	Debtors		
		2002	2001
		£	£
	Accrued income	6,559	19,950
	All amounts shown under debtors fall due for payment within one year.		
9	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year		
		2002	2001
		£	£
	Current instalment due on bank loans (secured, see note 10)	20,153	7,600
	Other taxes and social security costs	10,513	9,308
	Accruals	14,933	39,687
		45,599	56,595
10	Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year		
		2002	2001
		£	£
	Bank loans repayable after two but less than five years	10,097	_
	Bank loans repayable after more than five years	277,523	293,841
		287,620	293,841

The bank loans repayable after more than five years which are interest bearing are secured on the company's leasehold and freehold land and buildings and are repayable by monthly instalments expiring between March 2015 and March 2021.

11 Designated Funds

The designated fund represents the value of the Trust's interest in freehold and long leasehold land and buildings (net of bank loans) which were financed from previously donated funds. The fund has been amortised to match depreciation charged in the year.

Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2002 (Continued)

12	Restricted funds	Balance brought forward £	Incoming resources	Resources expended £	Balance carried forward £
	Skill centre Minibus appeal Special needs appeal	169,240 20,117	- 9,705	(3,454) (2,012)	165,786 18,105 9,705
	Special fieeds appear	189,357	9,705	(5,466)	193,596

The restricted funds applied in the construction of the Skill centre have been capitalised into tangible fixed assets. The fund will be amortised to match depreciation being charged in future periods.

13 Analysis of net assets between funds

Fund balances at 31 March 2002 are represented by:

	Designated funds	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Total funds
	£	£	£	£
Intangible assets	-	2,917	-	2,917
Tangible fixed assets	905,961	98,420	183,891	1,188,272
Current assets	-	91,905	9,705	101,610
Current liabilities	(12,980)	(32,619)	-	(45,599)
Long term liabilities	(277,523)	(10,097)	-	(287,620)
				
Total net assets	615,458	150,526	193,596	959,580
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Sufficient resources are considered to be held to enable each fund to be applied in accordance with any restrictions imposed.

Sufficient unrestricted funds are held to ensure efficient operations of the Charity.

14 Cash flow statement

The company has taken advantage of the exemption available not to prepare a cash flow statement.

15 Pension commitments

The company operates a defined contribution scheme open to all employees. Contributions are charged in the financial statements as incurred and there were no outstanding contributions as at the balance sheet date. Pension costs charged in the year were £15,157 (2001 - £12,066).