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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2005 FOR ETHELBURGA FAMILY CENTRE

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2005

COMPANY INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2005

DIRECTORS

Kim Bronock Patricia Clarke Jean Crowley Sonja Healy Daniel Healy

SECRETARY

Susan Lawrence

REGISTERED OFFICE

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REGISTERED NUMBER;

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CHARITY NUMBER

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ACCOUNTANTS

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BANKERS

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2005

LEGAL STATUS

The Ethelburga Family Centre is a limited company, number 3683177; this charitable company is limited by guarantee.

Ethelburga Family Centre's governing document is its Memorandum and Articles of Association.

DIRECTOR/TRUSTEE APPOINTMENT

Directors and Trustees are elected at our Annual General Meeting by members of the Family Centre

ORGANISATIONAL STRUCTURE

Ethelburga Family Centre functions as an independent charitable entity, but is also a member of the Wandsworth Primary Play Association. Wandsworth Primary Play Association provides some grant funding, as well as certain administrative services.

OBJECTIVES OF ETHELBURGA FAMILY CENTRE

The primary aims of the charity, as defined by the Memorandum and Articles of Association, are:

To advance the education of all children below the age of eleven years by:

- (1) providing safe and satisfying group play in which parents have the right to take part and
- (2) encouraging other charitable activities through which parents may help the children.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2005

REVIEW OF DEVELOPMENTS, ACTIVITIES AND ACHIEVEMENTS

Ethelburga Family Centre believes our overall objectives were achieved during the year.

Sessional Care

The Centre continues to offer sessional care for those parents who do not wish for full day care and this still proves to be popular.

Full Day Care

The Family Centre has managed to keep its finances stable this year, following on from the previous year's losses. The numbers of children attending are still not up to capacity and we are advertising on a regular basis. We are now in our second year of providing five neighbourhood nursery initiative places through Wandsworth Council.

Staff

Sadly, Sue Lawrence left Ethelburga last Christmas as she and her family have moved to Suffolk. Sue was our Co-ordinator for many years and she will be sorely missed. Interviews took place and Sandra Kendall was appointed as our new Co-ordinator. We wish her every success in the future. Carol Cherry also left us earlier this year to concentrate on her new career as a foster parent. We are currently advertising for new staff but the Centre's existing staff team continues to work extremely well together.

Staff training has been ongoing and staff members have undertaken NVQ Levels 2 and 3, as well as Health & Safety, Child Protection, and Special Needs.

Fund Raising

This year to March 2005 saw our usual round of fund-raising events, such as photographs and raffles, successfully taking place.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2005

FUTURE PLANS

Our plans for the future are still to try to find funds to build an Outside Nature area to benefit all the children in the Centre. We are still investigating whether it is possible to extend the staff room, but this has been put on hold at the moment until our finances are more stable.

RISKS

The trustees have reviewed the major risks to which the charity is exposed and have ensured that systems are in place to mitigate those risks. These systems are periodically reviewed to ensure they still meet the needs of the charity.

RESERVES POLICY

The Directors have established a policy whereby the unrestricted funds not committed or invested in tangible fixed assets ('the free reserves') held by the charity should be 6 months of the staff salaries, which equates to approximately £75,000 in general funds. At this level, the Directors feel that they would be able to continue the current activities of the charity in the event of a significant drop in financial income. It would obviously be necessary to consider how the funding would be replaced or activities changed. At present, the free reserves do not reach this target level and the Directors are considering ways in which additional unrestricted funds will be raised.

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2005

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DIRECTORS

Law applicable to charities in England and Wales and the Companies Act 1985 require the Directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year, which give a true and fair view of the charity's financial activities during the year and of its financial position at the end of the year (unless the charity is entitled to prepare accounts on the alternative receipts and payments basis). In preparing financial statements giving a true and fair view, the Directors should follow best practice and:

Select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently

Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent

State whether applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice have been followed, subject to any 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 charity will continue in operation

The directors are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and irregularities.

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of part V11 of the Companies Act 1985, relating to small companies.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

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J CROWLEY DIRECTOR

Date (6/10/55

ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS ON THE UNAUDITED ACCOUNTS OF ETHELBURGA FAMILY CENTRE

We report on the accounts for the year ended 31 March 2005 set out on pages 7 to 11.

Respective responsibilities of directors and the reporting accountant

As described on pages 4 and 5, the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the accounts, and they consider that the company is exempt from an audit. It is our responsibility to carry out procedures designed to enable us to report our opinion.

Basis of opinion

Our work was conducted in accordance with the Statement of Standards for Reporting Accountants, and so our procedures consisted of comparing the accounts with the accounting records kept by the company, and making such limited enquiries of the officers of the company as we consider necessary for the purposes of this report. These procedures provide only the assurance expressed in our opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion:

- (a) the financial statements are in agreement with the accounting records kept by the company under s221 of the Companies Act 1985;
- (b) having regard only to, and on the basis of, the information contained in those accounting records:
 - (i) the financial statements have been drawn up in a manner consistent with the accounting requirements specified in s249C(6) of the Act; and
 - (ii) the company satisfied the conditions for exemption from an audit of the financial statements for the year, specified in s249A(4) of the Act as modified by s249A(5) and did not, at any time within that year, fall within any of the categories of companies not entitled to the exemption specified in s249B(1).

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Reporting Accountants and Chartered Accountants

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Putney

London SW15 1AZ

Dated: 7 Other 2001

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES (INCORPORATING THE INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2005

	Note	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds £	Total funds 31.03.05 £	Total funds 31.03.04 £
INCOMING RESOURCES					
From activities in furtherance of the charity's objectives Grants receivable Changes in deferred grant income Fees from childcare & other related services	2	- - 154,371	25,084	25,084 - 154,371	15,730 - 161,048
From activities for generating funds Fund-raising activities		154,371 561	25,084	179,455 561	176,778 1,843
Other income		1,746	-	1,746	717
TOTAL INCOMING RESOURCES	-	156,678	25,084	181,762	179,338
RESOURCES EXPENDED					
Charitable expenditure Direct charitable expenditure Management & administration	4 5 _	108,846 41,230 150,075	25,084	133,930 41,230 175,159	127,849 <u>43,278</u> 171,127
Costs of generating funds Fund-raising & publicity		-	· -	-	936
TOTAL RESOURCES EXPENDED	-	150,075	25,084	175,159	172,063
NET INCOMING / (OUTGOING) RESOURCES BEFORE TRANSFERS		6,602	-	6,602	7,275
TRANSFERS		-	-	-	-
NET INCOME / (EXPENDITURE) AND NET INCOMING / (OUTGOING) RESOURCES FOR THE YEAR	-	6,602		6,502	7,275
OTHER RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES				, -	,
NET MOVEMENT IN FUNDS RELATING TO THE YEAR	-	6,602	-	6,602	7,275
BALANCES BROUGHT FORWARD		5,316	-	5,316	(1,959)
BALANCES CARRIED FORWARD	-	11,918	-	11,918	5,316

TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES

The company has no recognised gains or losses other than the net income or expenditure for the current and previous years

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 2005

			31.03.0	05	31.03.0	4
FIXED ASSETS: Tangible assets		Notes 8	£	£ 1,365	£	£ 1,076
CURRENT ASSETS			12,552 12,552		7,239 7,239	
CREDITORS: Amo		9	1,999		2,999	
NET CURRENT AS	SSETS			10,553		4,240
TOTAL ASSETS L' LIABILITIES (NET				11,918		5,316
FUNDS: Unrestricted:	Designated Undesignated	10	11,918	11,918	5,316 	5,316
Restricted funds		11				
				11,918		5,316

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

For the year in question:

- (a) the company was entitled to the exemption under s249A(2);
- (b) no notice has been deposited under s249B(2) in relation to account for this financial year: and
- (c) the directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:
 - (i) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records compying with s221; and
 - (ii) preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year, and of its profit or loss for the financial year in accordance with s226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 1985.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

J CROWLEY DIRECTOR

Date: 10 1005

The notes form part of these financial statements

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2005

ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice, Accounting and Reporting by Charities (SORP 2000) issued in October 2000, the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective June 2002) and the Companies Act 1985.

Incoming Resources

Income represents all amounts receivable during the year. Grant income is recorded and accounted for according to its source and any applicable restrictions. Parental fees are accounted for when they are received.

No incoming resources have been included in the SOFA net of expenditure

Allocation of costs

Expenditure falling directly into one cost category is allocated to only that particular category.

Expenditure involving more than one category is apportioned on a reasonable, justifiable and consistent basis.

Costs that cannot be allocated to other categories are included within 'management and administration' of the charity.

Income is deferred where it has been received but relates to future accounting periods. No income has been deferred at 31 March 2005.

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life:

Computer equipment

- 33% on cost

Furniture and equipment

- 20% on cost

GRANTS RECEIVABLE

Nursery Education grant Wandsworth Borough Council Start grant Nursery Neighbourhood Iniative grant Other grants 3 FEES FROM CHILDCARE AND OTHER RELATED SERVICES Parental fees - full time activity 4 DIRECT CHARITABLE EXPENDITURE IN FURTHERANCE OF THE CHARITY'S OBJECTS Unrestricted Restricted Total funds fun					31.03.05 £	31.03.04 £
Nursery Neighbourhood Iniative grant Other grants Total funds funds f Nursery Neighbourhood Iniative grant 13,500 3 3 3 5 5 5 5 5 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7		Nursery Education grant				4,699 6,572
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funds funds 31.03.05 31.0 \pm \pm	4	DIRECT CHARITABLE EXPENDITURE IN FURTHERA	ANCE OF THE CHARITY'S OBJE	ECTS		
						Total funds 31.03.04
			£	£	£	£
Provision of charitable services:			100.045	25.004	133.030	127.040
Full time activity 108,846 25,084 133,930 127 After school care			108,846	25,084	133,930	127,849

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2005

5 MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

	31.03.05 £	31.03.04 £
Salaries Office costs Accountancy fees in respect of their external scrutiny	38,814 1,417 999 41,230	41,017 1,144 1,117 43,278
The aggregate payroll costs were:	31.03.05 £	31.03.04 £
Wages and salaries Social security costs	129,262 9,996 139,258	130,039 9,988 140,027
The average number of staff employed throughout the year was:	31.03.05 No.	31.03.04 No.
Management and admin staff Charitable workers	2 10 12	2 10 12

No trustee's have received any renumeration or expenses from the charity during the year

No employees receive emoluments in excess of £50,000 per annum.

6 INSURANCE

During the year the charity paid insurance costs of £1186. This premium covers the charity from loss arising from the neglect or defaults of its trustees, employees or agents as well as general contents insurance on items held at the charity's premises.

7 ANALYSIS OF TOTAL RESOURCES EXPENDED

		Staff costs	Depreciation £	Other costs	Total 31.03.05 £	Total 31.03.04 £
	Direct charitable expenditure Full time activity After school care	100,444		33,485	133,930	127,849
		100,444	-	33,485	133,930	127,849
	Other expenditure Fund-raising and publicity Management and administration	38,814 139,258	677 677	140,997 174,482	180,488 314,418	936 43,278 172,063
8	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS			Furniture and equipment	Computer Equipment £	Total £
	COST OR VALUATION:					
	At 1 April 2004			2,292 781	1,248 185	3,540 966
	Additions Disposals			781	100	900
	At 31 March 2005			3,073	1,433	4,506
	DEPRECIATION: At 1 April 2004 Charge for year Eliminated on disposal At 31 March 2005			1,216 615 - 1,831	1,248 62 1,310	2,464 677 - 3,141
	NET BOOK VALUE:					
	At 31 March 2005			1,242	123	1,365
	At 31 March 2004			1,076		1,076
	The Net Book Value at 31 March 20	05 represents Fixed A	ssets used for:			
	Direct charitable purposes Other purposes			1,242 1,242	123 123	1,365 1,365

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2005

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				31.03.05 £	31.03.04 £
	Accrued expenses Loan from Patmore Children's Centre			999 1,000 1,999	999 2,000 2,999
10	DESIGNATED FUNDS				
		Balance at 31.03.04 £	New designations £	Utilised/ released £	Balance at 31.03.05 f
	Full Time Activity unrestricted fund	5,316 5,316	156,678 156,678	(200,243) (200,243)	(38,250) (38,250)

Set out above are funds which although not subject to any restrictions as to their use have been designated to one or other of the Association's main areas of activity. These are described in more detail below.

Full Time Activity unrestricted fund
This fund was established for the unrestricted income and expenditure relating to the full time charitable activities of the charity. This activity operates for fifty weeks of the year and centres around the provision of childcare to children between the age of six months and five years.

RESTRICTED FUNDS

	8alance at 31.03.04 £	Incoming £	Outgoing & transfers £	Balance at 31.03.05 £
Full time activity restricted fund	<u> </u>	25,084 25,084	(25,084) (25,084)	

Full time activity restricted fund

This fund was established for the restricted grants receivable from various sources. These sources include Wandsworth Primary Play Association, the Peabody Trust and Wandsworth Borough Council.

ANALYSIS OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES BY FUND

	Fixed Assets £	Current assets £	Current liabilities £	Investments ${f f}$	Total £
Full time activity restricted fund	1,365	12,552	(1,999)	-	11,918
Full time activity unrestricted fund	1,365	12,552	(1,999)		11,918