

Woodchurch High School Trust - Annual Accounts & Report 2011 - Company No 07095939 & Charity No 1136931

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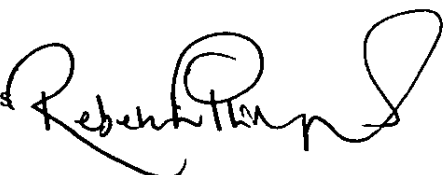
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

For Year Ended 31st December 2011

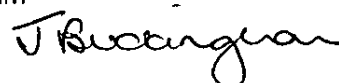
	Unrestricted Funds £	Designated Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Total 2011	Total 2010
INCOME					
Planned contribution	-	-	-	-	5,000 00
Total Income	-	-	-	-	5,000 00
EXPENDITURE					
None	-	-	-	-	-
Total Expenditure	-	-	-	-	-
Net Income	-	-	-	-	5,000 00
Net transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
Net Movement in Funds	-	-	-	-	5,000 00
Bank Balance as at 1st January 2011	<u><u>5,000 00</u></u>				
Liabilities					
Current Liabilities	-				
Net Movements in Funds 2011	-				
Bank Balance as at 31st December 2011	<u><u>5,000 00</u></u>				

Approved at the Trust AGM on the 19th March 2012 and signed on its behalf by

Ms R Phillips
Chair of Trustees



Mrs J Buckingham
Trustee



Dated 19.03.12

Dated 19.3.12

WOODCHURCH HIGH SCHOOL TRUST
BALANCE SHEET as at 31 DECEMBER 2011

	31.12 2011	31.12 2010
	£	£
Current Assets		
Debtors - owe the Trust	-	-
Prepayemnts & Accrued Income	-	-
Cash in Bank / Office	5,000 00	5,000 00
Total	5,000 00	5,000 00
Current Liabilities		
Creditors - Trust owes	-	-
Accruals and deferred income	-	-
Total		
Net Current Assets	5,000.00	5,000.00

For the year ending 31 12 11, the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006

The directors acknowledge their responsibility for

- i) Ensuring the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 386, and
- ii) Preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of its profit and loss for the financial year in accordance with section 393, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the company

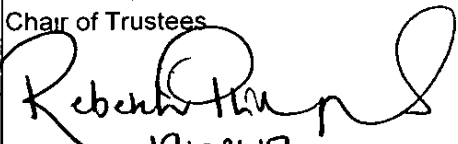
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The accounts have been prepared in accordance with IAS/IFRS

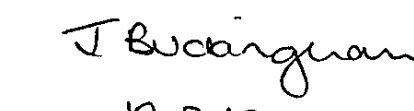
The members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006

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**WOODCHURCH HIGH SCHOOL TRUST
REGISTERED CHARITY 1136931
TRUSTEE'S/DIRECTOR'S ANNUAL REPORT**

The Woodchurch High School Trust, Carr Bridge Road, Woodchurch, Wirral CH49 7NG, is registered with the Charity Commissioners (No 1136931) and constituted by a Memorandum and Articles of Association

The Board of Directors is comprised as follows

Ms R Phillips	Headteacher of Woodchurch High School
Mrs J Buckingham	Chair of the Governing Body of Woodchurch High Sch
Mr D Cumberland	Liverpool Hope University
Canon J Turnbull	Church of England

Trustees/Director's are appointed annually by the Board of Governors at the Annual General Meeting

The Trust exists for the purpose of advancing the education of the pupils of Woodchurch High School by contributing to whole school improvement, strategy and vision

The accounts show a balance of £5,000 in the year, net asset value is also £5,000

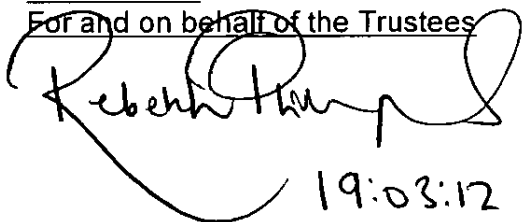
The accounts have been prepared using accruals accounting procedures and comply with the guidelines laid down by the Charity Commissioners for charitable companies

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The accounts were prepared by Mrs S Rogers, Business Manager and Trust Company Secretary

Ms R Phillips
Headteacher
For and on behalf of the Trustees

March 2012



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Woodchurch High School Trust

Monday 19th March 2012

Update of Partnership

Church of England

On 15th March Woodchurch High School hosted a group of Second Year Curates as part of their IME (Initial Ministerial Education), entitled 'School Matters' Aspects covered, Every Child Matters, Social and Emotional Aspects of Learning, as well as seeing how a secondary school operates

9th February, school hosted Wirral SACRE (Standing Advisory Council for Religious Education), and presented an overview of activities undertaken in Religious Studies, as well as the work of the Chaplaincy

6th-10th February, St Mary's Upton have taken two pupils for Work Experience, and have worked in their office as well as assisting in the Bank (the Youth Centre)

Rev L Bannon is also a co-opted member of the Diocesan Board of Education

The Headteacher attends the Wirral Church of England Headteacher Network meetings, run by the Diocesan Director of Education

School has established links with a variety of church primary schools, offering support and training Schools where collaborative working has included

- Woodchurch C of E Primary School, Wirral
- Christchurch C of E Primary School, Birkenhead
- St Mark's C of E Primary School, Antrobus
- Oxtan St Saviour's Primary School, Birkenhead

School has also developed links with the following C of E High Schools in the Diocese in order to share good practice and expertise

- Bishop's High School, Chester
- Hartford High School, Hartford
- Sir Thomas Boteler School, Warrington

The Senior Leadership Team has benefitted from the support of Robert Haigh, consultant for the DBE During his sessions, Robert has worked with the SLT in supporting the thinking around the distinctiveness of a Church school

Intake 2012/13 – 17 25% from Church of England primary schools

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We were sorry that Nigel Brook resigned as a Trustee due to increased work commitments

Nigel's contribution was invaluable and he provided support and challenge
Following conversations between Nigel and myself, it would seem to be a natural end to the partnership when we gain Academy Status

David Jenkins continues to be an excellent Chair of the premises Committee and we greatly appreciate his work in helping us to resolve some of the issues around the defects list

Liverpool Hope University

Woodchurch High School's contribution to the education of those who aspire to become qualified teachers is a well established part of the life of the school. In the past ten years I have worked as professional mentor with a variety of providers including Liverpool Hope University but we have always accommodated more trainees on placements from Hope University than from any other HEI or other training programme.

From October 2008 to July 2010 47% of those on PGCE placements came from Liverpool Hope. From October 2010 up to July 2011 that increased to 56%, an increase which reflected a growing commitment to ITE in the school as part of our Training School Specialism. More departments were getting involved in subject mentoring and Liverpool Hope supported the initiative by providing training for aspiring mentors. Hence the numbers of trainees has increased per semester from the mid teens pre 2010 to the mid twenties.

This year the long standing relationship with Liverpool Hope University has been reaffirmed by Woodchurch becoming one of the designated Training Colleges chosen to work together with a new model for ITE at Liverpool Hope. As a consequence 80% of our trainees on placement this academic year are from Liverpool Hope. We are still accommodating trainees from other programmes but they are fewer in number and subject mentors in Science and ICT are an example of two subject areas who had previously worked only with other ITE providers. The professional placement tutors, Mary Stevenson and Joy Schmack have been given 65 hours across the two semesters to work with Woodchurch High School. They have already helped me observing the first semester trainee cohort and Mary held a twilight session for established mentors as well as those wanting to get involved. Mark Turner and Tim Shelton both attended that session and are now embarking on taking on the responsibilities of subject mentors with second semester trainees from Liverpool Hope in the Religious Education Department.

Liverpool Hope University continues to endorse the work of the WITT programme in Wirral Schools, which is accommodated and run from Woodchurch High School and offers CPD sessions across the two semesters to 15 Wirral schools involved in ITE work. In addition our initiative to provide paired placements to trainees supports the University's endeavour to work with fewer schools who can accept multiple placements. This academic year we have also offered trainees the opportunity to work alongside and take on the role of a Teaching Assistant during their placement. Mr John Murphy the external moderator/ advisor from Liverpool Hope visited Woodchurch High School in November 2011 and commented on how that particular initiative was regarded as an example of good practice in ITE.

In conclusion therefore, the relationship between Woodchurch High School and Liverpool Hope University goes from strength to strength, even in these uncertain times for Initial Teacher Training.

In further supporting our partnership with Liverpool Hope University, we were delighted to welcome to Woodchurch High School 11 trainee teachers from

Chonnam University in South Korea The students spent two days in school observing lessons in a variety of curriculum areas This initiative is the desire on the part of the Korean government to develop a greater measure of creativity in the day to day learning and teaching practices across the country and teaching force

During their visit, the students were able to observe the various teaching methods employed by the staff at Woodchurch High School which directly involve pupils in their learning whilst maintaining high standards of achievement

Mr Cumberland continues to support the school as Vice Chair of Governors We greatly appreciate his skill and expertise, particularly in curriculum development and more recently during the redundancy procedures