Financial Statements The Wondering Wine Company Limited

For the year ended 31 March 2013

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Registered number: 07603133

Company Information

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Directors' Report For the year ended 31 March 2013

The directors present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2013

Directors' responsibilities statement

The directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). 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 company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to

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

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the 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 company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Principal activities

The principal activity of the company is the selling of wine at events

Directors

The directors who served during the year were

S A Swift J S P Kowszun

Provision of information to auditor

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 company's auditor is 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 information needed by the company's auditor in connection with preparing its report and to establish that the company's auditor is aware of that information

Directors' Report For the year ended 31 March 2013

Auditor

Under section 487(2) of the Companies Act 2006, Grant Thornton UK LLP will be deemed to have been reappointed as auditor 28 days after these financial statements were sent to members or 28 days after the latest date prescribed for filing the accounts with the registrar, whichever is earlier

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 board on 20 June 2013 and signed on its behalf

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Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of The Wondering Wine Company Limited

We have audited the financial statements of The Wondering Wine Company Limited for the year ended 31 March 2013, which comprise the Profit and loss account, the Balance sheet and the related notes. 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 company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an Auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditor

As explained more fully in the Directors' responsibilities statement, the directors 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 (APB's) Ethical Standards for Auditors.

Scope of the audit of the financial statements

A description of the scope of an audit of financial statements is provided on the Auditing Practices Board's website at www frc org uk/apb/scope/private cfm

Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 March 2013 and of its loss 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 Auditor's Report to the Members of The Wondering Wine Company Limited

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 directors' 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 take advantage of the small companies' exemption in preparing the Directors' report

Mark Henshaw (Senior statutory auditor)

for and on behalf of

Grant Thornton UK LLP Chartered Accountants

Statutory Auditor

London (Euston)

20 June 2013

Profit and Loss Account

For the year ended 31 March 2013

	Note	2013 £	2012 £
Turnover	1	559,111	148,349
Cost of sales		(143,232)	(43,816)
Gross profit		415,879	104,533
Distribution costs		(338,450)	(97,471)
Administrative expenses		(246,290)	(225,371)
Operating loss	2	(168,861)	(218,309)
Interest payable and similar charges		(13,048)	(7,156)
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation		(181,909)	(225,465)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	4	486	(4,012)
Loss for the financial year	10	(181,423)	(229,477)

The notes on pages 7 to 10 form part of these financial statements

Balance Sheet As at 31 March 2013

	Note	£	2013 £	£	2012 £
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	5		158,743		160,334
Current assets					
Stocks		109,468		63,101	
Debtors	6	23,422		2,284	
Cash at bank and in hand		46,575		51,433	
	•	179,465	•	116,818	
Creditors, amounts falling due within one year	7	(745,443)		(502,478)	
Net current liabilities	•		(565,978)	······································	(385,660)
Total assets less current liabilities		•	(407,235)	•	(225,326)
Provisions for liabilities					
Deferred tax	8		(3,526)		(4,012)
Net liabilities		:	(410,761)	:	(229,338)
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	9		99		99
Share premium account	10		40		40
Profit and loss account	10	_	(410,900)	_	(229,477)
Shareholders' deficit		:	(410,761)	:	(229,338)

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to companies subject to the small companies regime 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 and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf on 20 June 2013

S Kowszun

The notes on pages 7 to 10 form part of these financial statements

Notes to the Financial Statements

For the year ended 31 March 2013

1. Accounting Policies

1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

1.2 Turnover

Turnover comprises revenue recognised by the company in respect of goods and services supplied during the year, exclusive of Value Added Tax and trade discounts

1.3 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

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.

Motor vehicles - 15% straight line

Fixtures & fittings - 15% straight line

Computer equipment - Straight line over 3 years

Other fixed assets - 15% straight line

14 Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value after making due allowance for obsolete and slow-moving stocks

1.5 Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme and the pension charge represents the amounts payable by the company to the fund in respect of the year

2. Operating loss

The operating loss is stated after charging

	2013	2012
	£	£
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets		
- owned by the company	32,562	19,187
Auditor's remuneration	5,500	5,000
Pension costs	2,993	2,205

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Notes to the Financial Statements For the year ended 31 March 2013

3. **Directors' remuneration**

	2013	2012
	£	£
Aggregate emoluments	87,515	128,029
		

During the year retirement benefits were accruing to 1 director (2012 - 1) in respect of defined contribution pension schemes

Taxation

	2013	2012
	£	£
Analysis of tax charge in the year		
Deferred tax (see note 8)		
Origination and reversal of timing differences	(486)	4,012
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	(486)	4,012

Tangible fixed assets 5.

	Motor vehicles £	Fixtures & fittings	Computer equipment	Other fixed assets	Total £
Cost					
At 1 April 2012 Additions	154,963 -	1,950	9,076 2,975	15,482 26,046	179,521 30,971
At 31 March 2013	154,963	1,950	12,051	41,528	210,492
Depreciation					
At 1 April 2012 Charge for the year	17,441 23,245	- -	541 3,746	1,205 5,571	19,187 32,562
At 31 March 2013	40,686	-	4,287	6,776	51,749
Net book value					
At 31 March 2013	114,277	1,950	7,764	34,752	158,743
At 31 March 2012	137,522	-	8,535	14,277	160,334

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6.	Debtors		
		2013	2012
		£	£
	Trade debtors	6,803	-
	Other debtors	16,619	2,284
		23,422	2,284
			2,204
7.	Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year		
	Amounts failing due within one year		
		2013	2012
		£	£
	Trade creditors	18,403	3,699
	Amounts owed to group undertakings	624,151	485,575
	Social security and other taxes	4,058	-
	Other creditors	98,831	13,204
		745,443	502,478
		•	
8.	Deferred taxation		
		2013	2012
		£	£
	At beginning of year	4,012	-
	(Released during)/charge for year	(486)	4,012
	At end of year	3,526	4,012
	The provision for deferred taxation is made up as follows		
		2013	2012
		£	£ 2012
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	Accelerated capital allowances	3,526	4,012

Notes to the Financial Statements

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9. Share capital

	2013 £	2012 £
Allotted, called up and fully paid	~	~
89 Ordinary A shares of £1 each	89	89
10 Ordinary B shares of £1 each	10	10
	99	99

10. Reserves

	Share	
	premium	Profit and
	account	loss account
	£	£
At 1 April 2012	40	(229,477)
Loss for the year	-	(181,423)
At 31 March 2013	40	(410,900)

11. Pension commitments

The company operates a defined contributions pension scheme. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in an independently administered fund. The pension cost charge represents contributions payable by the company to the fund and amounted to £2,993 (2012 - £2,205)

12. Related party transactions

	2013	2012
	£	£
Wine purchased from Bibendum Wine Limited	134,545	53,063
Services provided to Bibendum Wine Limited	2,000	-
Balance owed to Bibendum Wine Limited at year end	623,790	485,214
Balance owed to Bibendum Wine Holdings Limited at year end	361	361
		

Bibendum Wine Limited is related as it is a fellow subsidiary undertaking of the parent company, Bibendum Wine Holdings Limited

13. Ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party

The immediate and ultimate parent company is Bibendum Wine Holdings Limited, a company registered in England and Wales