REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES AND UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 28 FEBRUARY 2015 FOR HOLLYCOMBE WORKING STEAM MUSEUM

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REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 28 February 2015

The trustees who are also directors of the charity for the purposes of the Companies Act 2006, present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 28 February 2015. The trustees have adopted the provisions of the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities' issued in March 2005.

Solicitor

Environmental manager

Estate manager

Trust manager

IT project manager

Farmer

Editor

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered Company number

3099322 (England and Wales)

Registered Charity number

1061693

Registered office

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D M Baldock

J D Leigh-Pemberton

B M Gooding

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STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The charity is controlled by its governing document, a deed of trust, and constitutes a limited company, limited by guarantee, as defined by the Companies Act 2006.

Recruitment and appointment of new trustees

The existing trustees are receptive to the recruitment of new trustees who have experience in the operation of other charitable organisations or have specific skills in areas such as those related to the charitable objectives.

Induction and training of new trustees

New trustees are provided with information on the charity covering the governing document and explanations of the charitable objectives.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 28 February 2015

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Organisational structure

The charity is organised so that the trustees meet regularly to manage its affairs. A management committee meets between trustees' meetings to address operational issues.

Related parties

D M Baldock received part of the total rent as one of the Executors of Mrs P Baldock paid in the year of £17,667 (2014 - £17,386) under a formal lease for a 99 year period.

Risk management

The trustees have a duty to identify and review the risks to which the charity is exposed and to ensure appropriate controls are in place to provide reasonable assurance against fraud and error as well as potential risks associated with the charitable activities arising from public opening, with the collection being open for a significant number of days per annum.

Restoration and maintenance projects were taken forward on several items in the collection and improvements made to the site. Safety is a primary concern and there were no serious incidents reported during the year. Training of volunteers in safety procedures receives particular attention both in the fairground and railway operations.

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Objectives and aims

The principal activity of the charity continues to be for the assembly and operation at Hollycombe, of a comprehensive collection of working steam engines and associated equipment performing, so far as possible, their original functions in a rural setting.

Significant activities

As usual visitors were welcomed between Easter and mid October, with a programme of early evening opening in the closing weeks of the season. The programme of Christmas openings was not organised this year but there were other special events during the year including the fairground weekend and a country fair. , with selected rides on the fairground running as well as the quarry railway and attractions inside the visitor centre. This was well received. There were also special events during the year, including the fairground weekend.

Significant improvements have been made to the quarry railway track with a number of sections of rail lifted, new ballast and sleepers being laid together with new heavier gauge rail which should be in place for many years. We intend to continue this investment programme to bring the whole quarry railway up to a new standard.

Volunteers

The collection is managed and operated almost exclusively by volunteers with a wide range of ages, skills and backgrounds. Their work extends to maintenance and restoration projects, site maintenance, interpretation, outreach and publicity, the operation of the collection, catering, retailing, cleaning and many other aspects of the museum's operation. The trustees are grateful for their tremendous work and dedication on behalf of the collection for another year.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 28 February 2015

ACHIEVEMENT AND PERFORMANCE

Charitable activities

Restoration and maintenance projects were taken forward on several items in the collection and improvements made to the site. Safety is a primary concern and there were no serious incidents reported during the year. Training of volunteers in safety procedures receives particular attention both in the fairground and railway operations.

Visitor numbers were around the same level as in 2014 but receipts were slightly lower. This reflected the new policy of charging visitors an annual entrance fee allowing them to visit the collection as many times as they wish for the price of a single admission. Considerable number of visitors took advantage of this opportunity and visited the collection on several different occasions. This increased access to the site and enjoyment of the facilities.

There was some increase in sales in the café in particular arising from the greater number of visitors present. We believe that the new approach is building up a loyal base of visitors and supporters and will pay off over the medium term. Feedback from visitors is generally good with much appreciation of the volunteers as well as the collection that we are able to offer. There were some days when shortages of volunteers did result in some of the rides not being able to be run and this is an area where we need to continue to work hard to build on our community of supporters. Restoration costs were high again this year and there were not sufficient funds to cover some of the projects which we would like to undertake. For example there was regrettably slow progress in restoration of the quarry railway locomotive "Caledonia" and we were not able to undertake the required work on the traction engine "Sunset". Safety remains the critical priority and was the guiding principal for investment on the fairground rides as well as in the training of volunteers and staff.

Fundraising activities

The charity held various regular events which raised £35,189 in gift aid (2014 - £33,255 and school days raised £4,606 (2014 - £5,552).

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Reserves policy

The trustees have considered the appropriateness of the required reserves and have a policy of retaining sufficient available surplus funds to meet unforeseen damage or repairs to the collection. At present this is considered to be at around £50,000 or 5% of the original value of the collection.

Principal funding sources

The charity needs to raise sufficient funds from gate admission to the public and school visits to meet all costs of operating and maintaining the collection.

Approved by order of the board of trustees on 23 November 2015 and signed on its behalf by:

D M Baldock - Trustee

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF HOLLYCOMBE WORKING STEAM MUSEUM

I report on the accounts for the year ended 28 February 2015 set out on pages five to twelve.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees (who are also the directors for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year (under Section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act)) and that an independent examination is required.

Having satisfied myself that the charity is not subject to audit under company law and is eligible for independent examination, it is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under Section 145 of the 2011 Act
- to follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commission (under Section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act); and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of the independent examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair view' and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statements below.

Independent examiner's statement

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

- (1) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that, in any material respect, the requirements
 - to keep accounting records in accordance with Section 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006; and
 - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records, comply with the accounting requirements of Sections 394 and 395 of the Companies Act 2006 and with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities

have not been met; or

(2) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

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23 November 2015

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 28 February 2015

	U Notes	nrestricted fund £	Restricted fund £	2015 Total funds £	2014 Total funds £
INCOMING RESOURCES	110105	~		-	
Incoming resources from generated funds					
Voluntary income		213,092	_	213,092	216,799
Activities for generating funds	2	15,703	-	15,703	11,014
Incoming resources from charitable activities	_	10,700		,	,
Maintenance of collection		2,430	_	2,430	5,382
Educational		4,606	· •	4,606	5,552
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Total incoming resources		235,831	-	235,831	238,747
RESOURCES EXPENDED Costs of generating funds Costs of generating voluntary income		223,944		223,944	220,041
Charitable activities					
Maintenance of collection		4,331	-	4,331	-
Governance costs		14,237	-	14,237	10,355
Other resources expended		1,640	-	1,640	1,930
Total resources expended		244,152	-	244,152	232,326
NET INCOMING/(OUTGOING) RESOURCES		(8,321)	-	(8,321)	6,421
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS				·	
Total funds brought forward		124,328	2,099,840	2,224,168	2,217,747
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		116,007	2,099,840	2,215,847	2,224,168

The notes form part of these financial statements

BALANCE SHEET At 28 February 2015

U Notes	nrestricted fund £	Restricted fund £	2015 Total funds £	2014 Total funds £
6	177,143	2,065,636	2,242,779	2,244,419
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	177,144	2,065,636	2,242,780	2,244,420
8	35,343	-	35,343 1.081	25,846 1,807
				
	36,424	-	36,424	27,653
9	(97,561)	34,204	(63,357)	(47,905)
	(61,137)	34,204	(26,933)	(20,252)
	116,007	2,099,840	2,215,847	2,224,168
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BALANCE SHEET - CONTINUED At 28 February 2015

The charitable company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 28 February 2015.

The members have not required the charitable company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 28 February 2015 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for

- (a) ensuring that the charitable company keeps accounting records that comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- (b) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company as at the end of each financial year and of its surplus or deficit for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the charitable company.

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

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees on 23 November 2015 and were signed on its behalf by:

D M Baldock - Trustee

The notes form part of these financial statements

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 28 February 2015

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, with the exception of investments which are included at market value, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008), the Companies Act 2006 and the requirements of the Statement of Recommended Practice, Accounting and Reporting by Charities.

Preparation of consolidated financial statements

The financial statements contain information about Hollycombe Working Steam Museum as an individual charity and do not contain consolidated financial information as the parent of a group. The charity has taken the option under Section 398 of the Companies Act 2006 not to prepare consolidated financial statements.

Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included on the Statement of Financial Activities when the charity is legally entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy.

Incoming resources covers gift aid and other donations associated with the Inland Revenue tax refunds received, donations and lottery funding.

Resources expended

Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all cost related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

Depreciation

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

Buildings & improvements

- not provided

Steam collection

- not provided

Fixtures & Fittings

- 15% on reducing balance

No provision for depreciation has been made in regards to the steam collection or the buildings as in the trustees opinion the value has not depreciated in the period from acquisition. The value of the collection will be reviewed in each accounting period but the cost of repairs and maintenance to be charged against income is expected to cover any reduction in value.

Taxation

No provision for taxation has been made as the company is a registered charity and is therefore exempt from taxation.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees.

Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is included in the notes to the financial statements.

Hire purchase and leasing commitments

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

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 28 February 2015

2.	ACTIVITIES FOR GENERATING FUNDS		
	Covenanted profits from trading subsidiary	2015 £ 15,703	2014 £ 11,014
3.	NET INCOMING/(OUTGOING) RESOURCES	·	
	Net resources are stated after charging/(crediting):		
	Depreciation - owned assets Rent of land	2015 £ 1,640 17,667	2014 £ 1,929 17,386
4.	TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 28 February 2014.	uary 2015 no	r for the year
	Trustees' expenses There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 28 February 2019 28 February 2014.	5 nor for the	e year ended
5.	STAFF COSTS		
	Wages and salaries Social security costs	2015 £ 51,422 2,186 53,608	2014 £ 50,161 4,257 54,418
	The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows:		
		2015	2014

No employees received emoluments in excess of £60,000.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 28 February 2015

TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS			
	Buildings & improvements £	Steam collection £	Fixtures & Fittings £
COST			
At 1 March 2014 and 28 February 2015	1,132,879	1,111,735	42,904
DEPRECIATION			
At 1 March 2014	6,287	23,669	34,118
Charge for year	<u> </u>	322	1,318
At 28 February 2015	6,287	23,991	35,436
NET BOOK VALUE			
At 28 February 2015	1,126,592	1,087,744	7,468
At 28 February 2014	1,126,592	1,088,066	8,786
	Motor vehicles £	Historical attractions	Totals £
COST At 1 March 2014 and 28 February 2015	4,050	22,750	2,314,318
DEPRECIATION			
At 1 March 2014	4,050	1,775	69,899
Charge for year	-		1,640
At 28 February 2015	4,050	1,775	71,539
NET BOOK VALUE			
At 28 February 2015	•	20,975	2,242,779
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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 28 February 2015

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FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS		
-	· .	Shares in group undertakings £
MARKET VALUE At 1 March 2014 and 28 February 2015		1
NET BOOK VALUE At 28 February 2015		1
At 28 February 2014	•	1
There were no investment assets outside the UK.		
The company's investments at the balance sheet date in the share capital of con-	npanies include the fo	llowing:
Hollycombe Retailing Ltd		
Nature of business: Sale of museum merchandise and café		
Class of share: holding Ordinary 100		
Aggregate capital and reserves	2015 £	2014 £
DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		
Amounts owed by group undertakings Other debtors	2015 £ 14,748 20,595 35,343	2014 £ 16,272 9,574 25,846
CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		
Bank loans and overdrafts Trade creditors Taxation and social security Other creditors	2015 £ 7,946 22,884 1,298 31,229	2014 £ 10,078 4,864 1,056 31,907 47,905

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 28 February 2015

10. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS

	At 1.3.14 £	Net movement in funds £	At 28.2.15 £
Unrestricted funds General fund	124,328	(8,321)	116,007
Restricted funds Restricted	2,099,840	-	2,099,840
TOTAL FUNDS	2,224,168	(8,321)	2,215,847
Net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:			
	Incoming resources	Resources expended £	Movement in funds
Unrestricted funds General fund	235,831	(244,152)	(8,321)

11. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

TOTAL FUNDS

Hollycombe Retailing Ltd is a wholly owned subsidiary of the Charity. In the year the profits of the subsidiary amounting to £15,703 (2014 - £11,014) were covenanted in full to the Charity. At the year end a sum of £14,748 was due from Hollycombe Retailing Ltd (2014 - £16,272).

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(8,321)

D M Baldock received part of the total rent as one of the Executors of Mrs P Baldock paid in the year of £17,667 (2014 - £17,376) under a formal lease for a 99 year period.