

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

Period start date: 01/04/2021

Period end date: 31/03/2022

Charity name: Old Town Hall

Charity registration number: 204907

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	An 18th-century listed building in Reigate which has been converted into a coffee shop. The Grade II-listed building dates back to 1728, It was purchased and returned to the borough for the benefits of the inhabitants in 1922. Its key features from this period were maintained and conserved including the original brickwork and clock tower.
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	Through a partnership with Café Nero, the Old Town Hall was restored and brought back into everyday use for the first time in nearly 40 years. Café Nero has agreed that they will retain an element of community use in the building, for example a display of local artists' paintings and evening use by community groups.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	The charity trustees have complied with their duty of public benefit; in as much as the assets mentioned have been maintained, conserved and made available for public use.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policy on grant making	SORP reference Para 1.38	
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	
	Para 1.38	

Contribution made by volunteers		
Other		

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	Rental income was received from Café Nero, the coffee chain, which has contributed to the charity's objective of preserving the building.

Additional information (optional) You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	
Other		

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Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	See accounts.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	n/a
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	n/a
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	Reserves are not required because the Council funds the charity.
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	n/a
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	n/a

Additional information (optional) You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	
Other		

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Trust Deed
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	Trust
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Reigate & Banstead Borough Council is the sole trustee

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Additional information (optional) You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Old Town Hall	
Other name the charity uses	n/a	
Registered charity number	204907	
Charity's principal address	Reigate & Banstead Borough Council,	
	Town Hall,	
	Castlefield Road,	
	Reigate,	
	Surrey	
	RH2 0SH	

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	45 Reigate & Banstead Borough Council Councillors			Reigate & Banstead Borough Council
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		
n/a		

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	
n/a		

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	n/a
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	n/a
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	n/a

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

n/a

Other optional information

Declarations

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)	
Full name(s)	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	
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Date 26th January 2023