THE NISBET TRUST ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

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TRUSTEES' REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

The trustees present their report and financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out in note 1 to the financial statements and comply with the charity's trust deed, the Charities Act 2011 and "Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)" (as amended for accounting periods commencing from 1 January 2016).

Objectives and activities

The objects of the charity are to act as a resource (whether directly or by providing funding or assistance to existing organisations) for young people living in and around the area of benefit by providing advice, assistance and organising programmes of physical, educational and other activities as a means of:

- Advancing in life and helping young people by developing their skills, capacities and capabilities to enable them to participate in society as independent, mature and reasonable individuals;
- · Advancing education;
- · Relieving unemployment; and
- Providing recreational and leisure time activity in the interests of social welfare for people living in the area of benefit who have need by reasons of their youth, age, infirmity or disability, poverty or social and economic circumstances with a view to improving the conditions of life for such persons.

The "area of benefit" is that of Greater Bristol.

The trustees have paid due regard to guidance issued by the Charity Commission in deciding what activities the charity should undertake. In the opinion of the trustees all of the grants and donations made are in accordance with the objects of the trust and accordingly benefit the public.

The young people of Bristol benefit from the donations made by the charity as it funds people and organisations which enables them to carry out activities that would not be possible without the funding.

TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

Achievements and performance

During the year under review the charity has made 94 new grants and donations and 54 instalments of multiyear grants pledged in previous years. The key areas of interest are:

- Children and Young People Prioritising organisations and projects which support disadvantaged young people to gain skills and qualifications for employment.
- The Arts Supporting performance venues and groups across Bristol.
- Prevention of Homelessness Including support for organisations who provide advice and guidance to people at risk of losing their homes.
- Community Cohesion Projects which support equality, diversity and social inclusion for high need groups from all communities in the city.

Grants and donations awarded during the year can be summarised by the following sectors:-

Children & Young people Arts Prevention of Homelessness Community Cohesion Other	49% 18% 15% 7 % 11%
Total	100%

Decision making process for grants

The Trust has an established application process detailed on their website (www.nisbettrust.co.uk). Applicants apply using an electronic application form. Trustees meet quarterly to discuss applications and make funding decisions. Where appropriate, the Director and Trustees visit applicant organisations as part of the due diligence process. Visits are also made during the grant period to learn about progress. Successful applicants are required to provide a detailed report annually during their grant or at the end of the grant period.

Post balance sheet events

Due to the ongoing uncertainty surrounding Covid 19 and sources of income, the Nisbet Trust has ceased making new donations. The Trustees are regularly reviewing the Trust's income and will look to return to historic levels of donations once sustainable income is assured. The Trust forecasts that all ongoing donations and pledges will be honoured as and when agreed conditions have been met.

Financial review and reserves

During the year the charity made grants totalling £1,857,732 from the total donations received of £2,500,000. Net income for the year was £608,336 (2018: £451,073). There were accumulated funds brought forward of £1,016,006, thus leaving a balance of reserves of £1,624,342 to carry forward. All funds are unrestricted.

With charity running costs being minimal, reserves represent amounts available to the trustees to make further grants, including meeting commitments relating to multi-year grant awards. All such awards are conditional on the awardee meeting specified criteria and are therefore not reflected as liabilities on the charity's balance sheet. However, the trustees recognise the importance of maintaining reserves to meet those commitments.

The trustees have assessed the major risks to which the charity is exposed, and are satisfied that systems are in place to mitigate exposure to the major risks.

Plans for future periods

The charity aims to continue their objectives and activities for the foreseeable future.

TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

Structure, governance and management

The charity is controlled by its governing document, a deed of trust dated 4 August 2011 and constitutes an unincorporated charity.

The trustees who served during the year and up to the date of signature of the financial statements were:

Mr A Nisbet

Mrs A M Nisbet

Mr J P Nisbet

Miss E R Nisbet

Ms Z J Joyner

Mr H L M Bothamlev

The power of appointing new trustees of the charity is vested in the continuing Trustees.

Statement of trustees' responsibilities

The trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

The law applicable to charities in England and Wales requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity and of the incoming resources and application of resources of the charity for that year.

In preparing these financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charities SORP;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in operation.

The trustees are responsible for keeping sufficient accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the Charity (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 and the provisions of the trust deed. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The trustees' report was approved by the Board of Trustees.

Mrs A M Nisbet

Trustee

Dated: 6 August 2020

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE NISBET TRUST

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of The Nisbet Trust (the 'charity') for the year ended 31 December 2019 which comprise the statement of financial activities, the balance sheet, the statement of cash flows and the notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 *The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland* (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion, the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the charity's affairs as at 31 December 2019 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice;
 and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the charity in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the ISAs (UK) require us to report to you where:

- the trustees' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate; or
- the trustees have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt about the charity's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Other information

The trustees are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (CONTINUED) TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE NISBET TRUST

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 require us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- the information given in the financial statements is inconsistent in any material respect with the trustees' report; or
- sufficient accounting records have not been kept; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

Responsibilities of trustees

As explained more fully in the statement of trustees' responsibilities, the trustees are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the trustees determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the trustees are responsible for assessing the charity's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the trustees either intend to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

We have been appointed as auditor under section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and report in accordance with the Act and relevant regulations made or having effect thereunder.

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at: http://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (CONTINUED) TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE NISBET TRUST

Use of our report

This report is made solely to the charity's trustees, as a body, in accordance with part 4 of the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the charity's trustees those matters we are required to state to them in an auditors' 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 charity and the charity's trustees as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Jonathan Williams BSc ACA CTA (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of Simpkins Edwards LLP

14 August 2020

Chartered Accountants Statutory Auditor

Michael House Castle Street Exeter Devon EX4 3LQ

Simpkins Edwards LLP is eligible to act as an auditor in terms of section 1212 of the Companies Act 2006

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES INCLUDING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

		Unrestricted Unrestricted	
		funds 2019	funds 2018
	Notes	£	£
Income from:			
Donations		2,500,000	2,000,000
Investments		2,029	3,000
Total income		2,502,029	2,003,000
Expenditure on:			
Charitable activities	2	1,893,693	1,551,927
Net income for the year/			
Net movement in funds		608,336	451,073
Fund balances at 1 January 2019		1,016,006	564,933
Fund balances at 31 December 2019		1,624,342	1,016,006

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.

All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2019

		20	19	20	18
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Current assets					
Debtors	7	-		100,971	
Cash at bank and in hand		1,630,092		920,535	
		1,630,092		1,021,506	
Creditors: amounts falling due within					
one year	8	(5,750)		(5,500)	
Net current assets			1,624,342		1,016,006
Income funds					
Unrestricted funds			1,624,342		1,016,006
			1,624,342		1,016,006
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The financial statements were approved by the Trustees on 6 August 2020

Mrs A M Nisbet **Trustee**

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

		201	9	2018	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Cash flows from operating activities Cash generated from operations	10		707,528		445,083
Investing activities Interest received		2,029		3,000	
Net cash generated from investing activities			2,029		3,000
Net cash used in financing activities			-		-
Net increase in cash and cash equivale	ents		709,557		448,083
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of	of year		920,535		472,452
Cash and cash equivalents at end of ye	ear		1,630,092		920,535

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

1 Accounting policies

Charity information

The Nisbet Trust is an unincorporated charity and registered in England and Wales. The charity's principal address is 22 Clifton Road, Bristol, BS8 1AQ.

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the charity's governing document, the Charities Act 2011 and "Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)" (as amended for accounting periods commencing from 1 January 2016). The charity is a Public Benefit Entity as defined by FRS 102.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the charity. Monetary amounts in these financial statements are rounded to the nearest \mathfrak{L} .

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention. The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

1.2 Going concern

At the time of approving the financial statements, the trustees have a reasonable expectation that the charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Thus the trustees continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements.

1.3 Charitable funds

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of their charitable objectives.

1.4 Income

Income is recognised when the charity is legally entitled to it after any performance conditions have been met, the amounts can be measured reliably, and it is probable that income will be received.

1.5 Expenditure

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred and when there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to that expenditure and when it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement and the amount can be measured reliably.

1.6 Grant Making

Grants that fulfil the objectives of the charity are offered subject to conditions.

Grants offered subject to conditions which have not been met at the year end date are noted as a commitment but not accrued as expenditure.

2	Charitable	activities
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		2019 £	2018 £
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	Audit and accountancy fees	3,506	3,950
	Consultancy fees	32,166	26,400
	Printing, postage and stationery	-	117
	Bank fees	73	405
	IT Software and Consumables	216	
		35,961	30,872
	Grants payable (see note 3)	1,857,732	1,521,055
		1,893,693	1,551,927
3	Grants payable		
		2019	2018
		£	£
	Grants to institutions:		
	Bristol Music Trust	200,000	100,000
	Southmead Development Trust Ltd	40,000	36,000
	Bristol Law Centre	30,000	30,000
	Creative Youth Network	30,000	30,000
	One 25 Limited	30,000	30,000
	The Matthew Tree Project	30,000	-
	The Watershed Arts Ltd	30,000	30,000
	Young Bristol	30,000	50,500
	Barton Hill Settlement	30,000	-
	The Park Community Centre Ltd	25,500	-
	Bridgwater YMCA	25,000	-
	South Bristol Consortium for Young People	25,000	-
	Venturers Trust	25,000	20,000
	Youth Moves	25,000	15,000
	Oasis Community Hub	24,283	24,283
	Trinity Community Arts Ltd	24,053	-
	One Bristol Consortium Pilot	23,720	-
	Bristol North West Food Bank	22,000	-
	Urban Pursuit CIC	21,000	-
	1625 Independent People	20,000	20,000
	BABASSA (One Bristol)	20,000	10,000
	Bristol Area Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends	20,000	-
	Bristol Rugby Community Foundation	20,000	20,000
	Caring in Bristol	20,000	30,000
	CHAS Bristol	20,000	5,000
	Crisis Centre Ltd	20,000	15,000
	FareShare South West	20,000	20,000
	Full Circle @ Docklands Ltd	20,000	

3	Grants payable	(C	ontinued)
	Julian House	20,000	20,000
	Lawrence Weston Out of School Activity	20,000	5,000
	North Bristol Advice Centre	20,000	20,000
	NSPCC	20,000	20,000
	Sea Mills Primary, Nova & Oasis Academy Bank Leaze	20,000	-
	Stand Against Racism & Inequality	20,000	-
	StreetSpace Knowle	20,000	-
	The Wheels Project Ltd	20,000	20,000
	Ujima Radio	20,000	20,000
	APE Project C.I.C.	18,000	18,000
	Bristol Old Vic Theatre School	18,000	18,000
	Lawrence Weston Community Farm	16,000	16,000
	Bristol Refugee Rights	15,000	15,000
	Easton Community Centre	15,000	-
	Key4Life CIO	15,000	-
	Learning Partnership West CIC	15,000	20,000
	Rework Ltd	15,000	-
	SARSAS	15,000	-
	Talking Money	15,000	15,000
	We the Curious Ltd	15,000	15,000
	Womankind Bristol Woman's Therapy Centre	15,000	15,000
	YMCA Bath Group	15,000	-
	Unique Voice CIC	14,940	-
	SS Great Britain Trust	13,000	13,000
	Developing Health & Independence	12,500	12,500
	St George's Bristol	12,500	-
	Changing Tunes	12,000	-
	Bristol Arts CIC	11,803	-
	St Werburgh's City Farm	11,000	16,000
	One Bristol Group	10,600	-
	Access Sports	10,000	-
	All Aboard Watersports	10,000	-
	Architecture Centre	10,000	-
	Bricks	10,000	-
	Bristol 247 CIC	10,000	10,000
	Bristol Ensemble	10,000	-
	Bristol Playbus	10,000	-
	Crofts End Church	10,000	-
	Empire Fighting Chance	10,000	10,000
	GBS	10,000	-
	Hawkspring	10,000	10,000
	Lockleaze Neighbourhood Trust	10,000	-
	Love Bristol	10,000	-
	MAYK Theatre CIC	10,000	-
	Nova Primary School	10,000	
	Second Step Ltd	10,000	10,000
	Sixty-One	10,000	10,000
	St Pauls Advice Centre	10,000	-
	St Pauls Carnival (Bristol) CIC	10,000	10,000
	Step Together Volunteering Ltd	10,000	10,000

3	Grants payable	(Continued)
	The Big Issue Foundation	10,000	-
	The Bridge Foundation	10,000	20,000
	The Carers Centre - Bristol & South Gloucestershire	10,000	10,000
	The Springboard Charity	10,000	30,000
	Unseen UK	10,000	20,000
	Bristol Drugs Project Ltd	9,996	-
	Universify Education	9,615	-
	Incredible Kids	9,000	_
	The Green House Bristol	9,000	20,000
	ERIC	8,473	8,473
	Linkage Network	8,413	-
	The Groundwork South Trust Ltd	8,360	_
	Alive Activities Ltd	8,000	8,000
	The Jessie May Trust	7,000	35,000
	The Rainbow Centre for Children	7,000	-
	Kinergy	6,968	_
	Forest of Avon Trust	6,775	_
	The Misfits Theatre Company UK	5,854	4,854
	Ablaze	5,000	10,000
	Bristol Cathedral Trust	500	50,000
	Bristol Zoological Society Ltd	-	50,000
	EMMAUS Bristol	- -	28,775
	Park Community	-	25,500
	Prince's Trust International	-	25,000
	Winston's Wish	-	20,000
	South Bristol Youth	-	20,000
	Bristol Aero Collection Trust	-	20,000
			15,000
	St Mungos	-	15,000
	Somerset & Avon rape and sexual abuse support Buzz Lockleaze		15,000
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	Above & Beyond	-	10,000
	Charity - Bristol Drugs Project	-	10,000
	Feeding Britain (Bristol)	-	10,000
	Great Western Ambulance Service	-	10,000
	Help Bristol's Homeless	-	10,000
	Jacari	-	10,000
	Nilaari Agency	-	10,000
	Southern Brooks Community Partnership	-	10,000
	Teach First	-	10,000
	The Avon Riding Centre for the Disabled	-	10,000
	Windmill Hill City Farm Ltd	-	10,000
	Bristol Initiative	-	9,320
	Urban Pursuit CIC	-	8,000
	Rainbow Centre Ltd	-	7,000
	The Southmead Project Ltd	-	6,000
	Amounts < £5,000	146,879	95,850
		1,857,732	1,521,055

3	Grants payable		Continued)
	Grants to individuals		
	The Trust has made a number of grant commitments to fund charitable active periods of up to three years from the date of offer. All such grants include a annual report by a specified period before subsequent funding is released. Such recognised as a liability in these financial statements due to this performant commitments will be funded from reserves and future income from donations.	requirement t h subsequent f	o provide ar unding is no
4	Trustees		
	None of the trustees (or any persons connected with them) received any remuncharity during the year.	eration or bene	fits from the
5	Employees		
	There were no employees during the year.		
6	Taxation		
	The charity is exempt from taxation on its charitable activities.		
7	Debtors	2040	2040
	Amounts falling due within one year:	2019 £	2018 £
	Loan to Bristol Together CIC	-	100,971
	The loan was unsecured and repayable in full on 31 October 2019.		
8	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2019 £	2018 £
	Accruals and deferred income	5,750	5,500

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

9 Related party transactions

Transactions with related parties

During the year the charity entered into the following transactions with related parties:

The charity received donations in the year of £2,500,000 (31 December 2018: £2,000,000) from Key West (Holdings) Ltd. Mr A Nisbet, Mrs A M Nisbet, Mr J P Nisbet and Miss E R Nisbet are directors and shareholders of that company.

The charity awarded grants of £200,000 (31 December 2018: £100,000) to The Bristol Music Trust. Mr A Nisbet is a trustee of that charity.

Cash generated from operations	2019 £	2018 £
Surplus for the year	608,336	451,073
Adjustments for: Investment income recognised in statement of financial activities	(2,029)	(3,000)
Movements in working capital: Decrease in debtors	100,971	-
Increase/(decrease) in creditors	250	(2,990)
Cash generated from operations	707,528	445,083
	Surplus for the year Adjustments for: Investment income recognised in statement of financial activities Movements in working capital: Decrease in debtors Increase/(decrease) in creditors	Surplus for the year 608,336 Adjustments for: Investment income recognised in statement of financial activities (2,029) Movements in working capital: Decrease in debtors 100,971 Increase/(decrease) in creditors 250

11 Analysis of changes in net funds

The charity had no debt during the year.