# The Lacrosse Foundation Unaudited Financial Statements 31 March 2019

# **BEEVER AND STRUTHERS**

Chartered accountants St. George's House 215 - 219 Chester Road Manchester M15 4JE

# **Financial Statements**

# Year Ended 31 March 2019

	Page
Trustees' Annual Report	1
Chartered Accountant's Report to The Lacrosse Foundation on the Unaudited Financial Information	3
Statement of Financial Activities	4
Statement of Financial Position	5
Notes to the Financial Statements	6

# Trustees' Annual Report

### Year Ended 31 March 2019

The trustees present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2019.

### Reference and Administrative Details

Registered charity name The Lacrosse Foundation

Charity registration number 1117592

Principal office Flat 12

Walsingham

St Johns Wood Park

London NW8 6RG

### The Trustees

Mr R M Arnot Mr A Biswas

Ms G L Carter-Morris (resigned 15 July 2019)

Mr R Collinge Mr A Footitt Ms K M Harris Mr M W Hazy

Ms F Marshall (resigned 18 September 2018)

Ms S M Redfern

Accountants Beever and Struthers

Chartered accountants St. George's House 215 - 219 Chester Road

Manchester M15 4JE

### Structure, governance and management

The trust was established by a trust deed dated 1st July 2006 as the South of England Lacrosse Educational Trust and registered as a charity on 16th January 2007. The trust changed its name to The Lacrosse Foundation on 3rd March 2017.

Trustees are appointed in accordance with the trust deed. The Trustees have control of the Charity and it's funds. Every trustee must be appointed by a resolution of the trustees passed at a special meeting.

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

### Trustees' Annual Report (continued)

### Year Ended 31 March 2019

### Objectives and activities

The charities objectives are:

- (1) to promote community participation in health recreation by providing facilities for participating in lacrosse and other sports that constitute healthy recreation ("facilities" means land, buildings, equipment and organising sporting events);
- (2) To provide and assist in providing facilities for sport, recreation or other leisure time occupation of such persons who have need for such facilities by reason of their youth, age, infirmity or disablement, poverty or social or economic circumstance or for the public at large in the interests of social welfare and with the object of improving their conditions of life;
- (3) To advance the education of children and young people; and
- (4) To advance any other purpose that is charitable in accordance with the laws of England and Wales in association with sport.

### Achievements and Performance

During the year the trust has received a final payment as the executors wound up Roger Okill's estate. His legacy to The Foundation totalled £912,419.

Over the year the trustees have launched the charity using social media and a new website to engage with the GB lacrosse community.

Grants totalling £6,810 were made to fund school lacrosse development programmes and support junior lacrosse to the Cheadle Hulme LC, and to Heaton Mersey LC. In addition we supported fund raising by both Centurion LC and Guildford LC to develop club lacrosse and England Box Lacrosse to grow the indoor game. A donation of equipment from Rathbones Investment Management was passed to Kings College London LC to replace stolen kit. By this means we sought to increase the facilities to play lacrosse that are available to the general public.

### Financial Review

The results for the year are as set out on pages 5 to 13.

### Reserves Policy

The trustees hold cash reserves to meet two years projected expenditure. Funds will be invested to generate a return after expenses in excess of inflation of 4%. This should create income to meet administrative costs and grant giving whilst maintaining the real value of the assets.

### **Public Benefit**

In setting the objectives of the Charity the trustees have given careful consideration to the Charity Commission's general guidance on public benefit.

# Trustees' Annual Report (continued)

### Year Ended 31 March 2019

### Plans for Future Periods

The trustees intend to expand the trust's activity to become a national fundraising body to give grants to support good health by encouraging participation in the sport of lacrosse.

The financial objective of the Foundation is to use its assets to establish itself in this role, to generate further income streams from donations and bequests, and to support projects that develop the sport. Our intention is to hold cash sufficient to meet development needs over the next two years. The balance of the assets will be invested to generate a sustainable return to fund administrative costs and grant making.

It is our intention to relaunch our crowd funding platform following the withdrawal of our current provider MyDonate from this market.

We shall continue to work with England Lacrosse to support opportunities to grow the game and to seek opportunities to work with Lacrosse Scotland and Wales Lacrosse along with clubs throughout Great Britain on programmes to develop lacrosse.

### Trustees' responsibilities statement

The trustees are responsible for preparing the trustees' report and the financial statements in accordance with the 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 its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, for that period.

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

- select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently;
- · observe the methods and principles in the Charities SORP;
- · make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK 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 business.

The trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charity's transactions and 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 applicable Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 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' annual report was approved on 15 October 2019 and signed on behalf of the board of trustees by:

Mr R Collinge Trustee

Lother

# Chartered Accountant's Report to The Lacrosse Foundation on the Unaudited Financial Information of The Lacrosse Foundation

### Year Ended 31 March 2019

As described on the statement of financial position, the trustees of the charity are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2019, which comprise the statement of financial activities, statement of financial position and the related notes.

You consider that the charity is exempt from an audit under the Charities Act 2011.

In accordance with your instructions we have compiled these financial statements in order to assist you to fulfil your statutory responsibilities, from the accounting records and from information and explanations supplied to us.

BEEVER AND STRUTHERS
Chartered accountants

St. George's House 215 - 219 Chester Road Manchester M15 4JE

15 October 2019

# **Statement of Financial Activities**

# Year Ended 31 March 2019

		Unrestricted	2019 Restricted		2018
	Note	funds £	funds £	Total funds £	Total funds £
Income and endowments					
Donations and legacies	4	(4,059)	864	(3,195)	2,017
Investment income	5	22,360		22,360	7,746
Total income		18,301	864	19,165	9,763
Expenditure					
Expenditure on charitable activities	6,7	10,040	864	10,904	10,787
Total expenditure		10,040	864	10,904	10,787
Net income/(expenditure) before net					
gains/(losses) on investments		8,261	-	8,261	(1,024)
Net gains/(losses) on investments	9	32,004		32,004	(31,456)
Net income/(expenditure) and net move in funds	ement	40,265		40,265	(32,480)
Reconciliation of funds Total funds brought forward		885,305		885,305	917,785
Total funds carried forward		925,570		925,570	885,305

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year. All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

# **Statement of Financial Position**

# 31 March 2019

		2019		2018	
	Note	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets Investments	13		880,548		848,544
Current assets					
Debtors	14	557		10,298	
Cash at bank and in hand		45,065		28,277	
		45,622		38,575	
Creditors: Amounts Falling due Within One Year	15	600		1,814	
Net current assets			45,022		36,761
Total assets less current liabilities			925,570		885,305
Net assets			925,570		885,305
Funds of the charity					005.505
Unrestricted funds			925,570		885,305
Total charity funds	16		925,570		885,305

These financial statements were approved by the board of trustees and authorised for issue on 15 October 2019 and are signed on behalf of the board by:

Mr R Collinge Trustee

### Notes to the Financial Statements

### Year Ended 31 March 2019

### 1. General Information

The charity is a public benefit entity and a registered charity in England and Wales and is unincorporated. The address of the principal office is Flat 12, Walsingham, St. Johns Wood Park, London, NW8 6RG.

### 2. Statement of Compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with FRS 102, 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland', the 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) (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Charities Act 2011.

### 3. Accounting Policies

### **Basis of Preparation**

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, as modified by the revaluation of certain financial assets and liabilities and investment properties measured at fair value through income or expenditure.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the entity.

### Going Concern

There are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue.

### **Fund Accounting**

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the trustees to further any of the charity's purposes.

Designated funds are unrestricted funds earmarked by the trustees for particular future project or commitment.

Restricted funds are subjected to restrictions on their expenditure declared by the donor or through the terms of an appeal, and fall into one of two sub-classes: restricted income funds or endowment funds.

### Notes to the Financial Statements (continued)

### Year Ended 31 March 2019

### 3. Accounting Policies (continued)

### **Incoming Resources**

All incoming resources are included in the statement of financial activities when entitlement has passed to the charity; it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the charity and the amount can be reliably measured. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

- income from donations or grants is recognised when there is evidence of entitlement to the gift, receipt is probable and its amount can be measured reliably.
- legacy income is recognised when receipt is probable and entitlement is established.
- income from donated goods is measured at the fair value of the goods unless this is impractical to measure reliably, in which case the value is derived from the cost to the donor or the estimated resale value. Donated facilities and services are recognised in the accounts when received if the value can be reliably measured. No amounts are included for the contribution of general volunteers.
- income from contracts for the supply of services is recognised with the delivery of the contracted service. This is classified as unrestricted funds unless there is a contractual requirement for it to be spent on a particular purpose and returned if unspent, in which case it may be regarded as restricted.

### Resources Expended

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is classified under headings of the statement of financial activities to which it relates:

- expenditure on raising funds includes the costs of all fundraising activities, events, non-charitable trading activities, and the sale of donated goods.
- expenditure on charitable activities includes all costs incurred by a charity in undertaking activities that further its charitable aims for the benefit of its beneficiaries, including those support costs and costs relating to the governance of the charity apportioned to charitable activities.
- other expenditure includes all expenditure that is neither related to raising funds for the charity nor part of its expenditure on charitable activities.

All costs are allocated to expenditure categories reflecting the use of the resource. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs are apportioned between the activities they contribute to on a reasonable, justifiable and consistent basis.

### Investments

Unlisted equity investments are initially recorded at cost, and subsequently measured at fair value. If fair value cannot be reliably measured, assets are measured at cost less impairment.

Listed investments are measured at fair value with changes in fair value being recognised in income or expenditure.

### Notes to the Financial Statements (continued)

### Year Ended 31 March 2019

### 3. Accounting Policies (continued)

### **Financial Instruments**

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the charity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the amount receivable or payable including any related transaction costs. Current assets and current liabilities are subsequently measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received and not discounted.

Where investments in shares are publicly traded or their fair value can otherwise be measured reliably, the investment is subsequently measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in income and expenditure. All other such investments are subsequently measured at cost less impairment.

Financial assets that are measured at cost or amortised cost are reviewed for objective evidence if impairment at the end of each reporting date. If there is objective evidence of impairment, an impairment loss is recognised under the appropriate heading in the statement of financial activities in which the initial gain was recognised.

### 4. Donations and Legacies

	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total Funds
	Funds	Funds	2019
	£	£	£
<b>Donations</b> Donations Gift Aid	_	701	701
	_	163	163
Legacies	(4,059)	<u>-</u>	(4,059)
Legacies	(4,059)	864	(3,195)
	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total Funds
	Funds	Funds	2018
	£	£	£
<b>Donations</b> Donations Gift Aid	-	1,722	1,722
	-	295	295
Legacies Legacies		2,017	2,017

# Notes to the Financial Statements (continued)

# Year Ended 31 March 2019

_	_		_	
5	Inves	fment	Incom	ρ

6.

Income from listed investments Bank interest receivable	Unrestricted Funds £ 22,319 41 22,360	Total Funds 2019 £ 22,319 41 22,360	Unrestricted Funds £ 7,682 64 7,746	Total Funds 2018 £ 7,682 64 7,746
Expenditure on Charitable Activities b	y Fund Type			
Lacrosse promotion Support costs		Unrestricted Funds £ 6,801 3,239 10,040	Restricted Funds £ 864 864	Total Funds 2019 £ 7,666 3,238 10,904
Lacrosse promotion Support costs		Unrestricted Funds £ 8,769	Restricted Funds £ 2,017	Total Funds 2018 £ 2,017 8,770
		8,769	2,017	10,787

# 7. Expenditure on Charitable Activities by Activity Type

	Activities undertaken directly £	Support costs	Total funds 2019 £	Total fund 2018
Lacrosse promotion Governance costs	7,666	1,095 2,143	8,761 2,143	4,869 5,918
	7,666	3,238	10,904	10,787

# 8. Analysis of Grants

	2019	2018
	£	£
Grants to Institutions	7,666	2,017

Grants were made to 5 (2018: 4) institutions during the year.

# Notes to the Financial Statements (continued)

### Year Ended 31 March 2019

9.	Analysis	of Support	Costs
----	----------	------------	-------

ranaysis of support costs	Analysis of		
	support costs	Total 2019 £	Total 2018 £
General office	1.095	1,095	898
Governance costs	2,144	2,144	6,918
Room hire		_	1,955
	3,239	3,239	9,771

Governance costs consist of accountancy fees, consultancy and legal and professional fees.

### 10. Net Gains/(Losses) on Investments

,	Unrestricted	<b>Total Funds</b>	Unrestricted	Total Funds
	Funds	2019	Funds	2018
	£	£	£	£
Gains/(losses) on listed investments	32,004	32,004	(31,456)	(31,456)
			-	***************************************

# 11. Accountancy Fees

Accountancy Fees	2019 £	2018 £
Fees payable to the accountant for: Accountants preparation	600	600

### 12. Trustee Remuneration and Expenses

Travel expenses totalling £354 have been paid to three trustees during the year.

No remuneration or other benefits from employment with the charity or a related entity were received by the trustees.

13,	Investments	Listed investments £
	Cost or valuation	
	At 1 April 2018	848,544
	Additions	<del>-</del>
	Fair value movements	32,004
	At 31 March 2019	880,548
	Carrying amount At 31 March 2019	880,548
	At 31 March 2018	848,544
	Investments comprised:	°⁄ <sub>0</sub>
	Equities	74.8
	Property and alternative assets	13.8
	Bonds	8.9
	Cash and cash equivalents	2,5

All investments shown above are held at their fair value. The basis of fair value is equivalent to the market value per the investment portfolio.

# Notes to the Financial Statements (continued)

# Year Ended 31 March 2019

	Prepayments and accrued	I income			2019 £ 557	2018 £ 10,298		
15.	Creditors: Amounts Fa	lling due Within One	Year					
	Accruals and deferred in	come			2019 £ 600	2018 £ 1,814		
16.	Analysis of Charitable Funds							
	Unrestricted funds				Caina and			
	General funds	4t 1 April 2018 £ 885,305	Income £ 18,301	Expenditure $\pounds$ (10,040)	Gains and losses £ 32,004	At 31 Mar 2019 £ 925,570		
	General funds	At 1 April 2017 £ 917,785	Income £ 7,746	Expenditure £ (8,769)	Gains and losses £ (31,456)	At 31 Mar 2018 £ 885,306		
					<u>`</u>			
	Restricted funds Grants	At 1 April 2018 £ 	Income £	Expenditure £ (864)	Gains and losses	At 31 Mar 2019 £		
	Grants	4t 1 April 2017 £	Income £ 2,017	Expenditure £ (2,017)	Gains and losses	At 31 Mar 2018 £		

Restricted funds are monies received specifically for a given Lacrosse Club, Association or University. To help with development programmes or to purchase equipment.

# Notes to the Financial Statements (continued)

# Year Ended 31 March 2019

# 17. Analysis of Net Assets Between Funds

Investments Current assets Creditors less than 1 year	Unrestricted Funds £ 880,548 45,622 (600)	Total Funds 2019 £ 880,548 45,622 (600)
Net assets	925,570	925,570
Investments	Unrestricted Funds £ 848,544	Total Funds 2018 £ 848,544
Current assets Creditors less than 1 year	38,575 (2,814)	38,575 (2,814)
Net assets	885,305	885,305

# 18. Related party transactions

There were no related party transactions in the year.