Anrhydeddus Gymdeithas Y Cymmrodorion

Sefydlwyd 1751



The Honourable Society Of Cymmrodorion

Founded 1751

NODDWR/PATRON: EI UCHELDER BRENHINOL TYWYSOG CYMRU/ HRH THE PRINCE OF WALES

THE HONOURABLE SOCIETY OF CYMMRODORION ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR TO 31 DECEMBER 2014

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INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES

Accounts for the year ending 31 December 2014

I have examined the accounts on the following pages that have been prepared in accordance with what I understand to be current recommended accounting policies.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and independent examiner

As the charity's trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts; you consider that the audit requirement of section 43(2) of the Charities Act 1993 (the Act) does not apply. It is my responsibility to state, on the basis of procedures specified in the general Directions given by the Charity Commissioners under section 43(7)(b) of the Act whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of independent examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners. 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 such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit and consequently I do not express an opinion on the view given by the Accounts.

Independent examiner's statement

Nothing has come to my attention in connection with my examination that gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect

- (a) the accounting records in respect of the charity have not been kept in accordance section 41 of the Act, and
- (b) the accounts for the year ended 31 December 2014 do not accord with those records.

Further, nothing has come to my attention in connection with my examination that, in my opinion should be drawn to the trustees' attention in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

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Date. 25/2/15

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STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

Accounting Records

Section 41 requires charity trustees to ensure that accounting records are maintained that are sufficient to:

- a) show and explain all the charity's transactions
- b) disclose at any time, and with reasonable accuracy, the financial position of the charity at that time
- c) enable the trustees to ensure that any statement of account required by section 42(1) complies with the requirements of the Regulations made thereunder.

and, in particular, to contain

- d) entries showing, from day to day all sums of money received and expended by the charity, and the matters in respect of which the receipt and expenditure takes place; and
- e) a record of the assets and liabilities of the charity

The trustees are also responsible for safeguarding the charity's assets and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of error, fraud and other irregularities.

In preparing the accounts the trustees are expected to select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently, making judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent.

NOTE BY THE HONORARY TREASURER

A second edition of the Transactions, commissioned in 2013, was published early in 2014. The cost of that edition was included in the accounts for 2013. No other edition was published during 2014. The Society has decided to record the stock of medals elsewhere and so these are no longer reflected in the accounts. Thus the item of £79 included in the 2013 Schedule of Assets has been written off in these accounts.

The Society invested in its new website and made a donation to continue work on the Dictionary of Welsh Biography. The cost of these two items is included as an expense in these accounts. Finally, the Society received a donation of £3,058 from another charity.

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

	2014	2013			
RECEIPTS	£	${\mathfrak L}$			
Subscriptions	19,846	19,313			
Montgomery Society contribution	200	200			
Investment income	4,607	2,822			
National Savings Bank interest	<u>185</u> 4,792	<u>184</u> 3,006			
Sales of Dictionary of Welsh Biography	102	49			
Sales of other publications	37	687			
Gift Aid tax refund	3,299	2,181			
Publishers Licensing Society	327	289			
Legacies and donations	4,088	1,030			
Miscellaneous Income	10	26			
TOTAL RECEIPTS	32,701	26,781			
PAYMENTS	£	£			
Meeting expenses	7,024	6,113			
Transactions	22	8,944			
Website & IT	9,385	1,336			
AGM mailing	406	480			
Programme	633	561			
Examiner's fee	180	180			
PO Box	0	244			
Archives	53	218			
Other mailing	204	176			
Administration	93	616			
Sundry other costs and charges	30	43			
Dictionary of Welsh Biography Grant	5,000	0			
Charities Aid Foundation charges	25	536			
Education project	192	0			
Marketing	1,293	500			
Medals, presentations & memorials	2,241	1,988			
TOTAL PAYMENTS	26,781	21,935			
SURPLUS OF RECEIPTS					
OVER PAYMENTS	5,920	4,846			

SCHEDULE OF ASSETS AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2014

FIXED ASSETS	2014 £		2013 £
Investments at cost (Note)	114,767		114,767
CURRENT ASSETS			
National Savings Bank HSBC Main Account HSBC Deposit Account	24,835 18,254 8		24,650 12,836 8
HSBC Second Account PayPal Account	394 2		0
Stock of Medals (Note 2) TOTAL ASSETS	158,260		79
Note 1	2014 Cost	2014 Value	
Investments	£	v arue £	
M&G Charifund M&G Charibond Schroder Charity Equity Fund Schroder Charity Fixed Interest Fund	24,000 29,000 32,767 29,000	28,385 28,498 35,805 29,741	
Notes	114,767	122,429	

Note 2

The stock of medals has been written off and recorded elsewhere

Reconciliation of Funds	£
Funds at 1 January 2014 Surplus for the year	152,340 5,920
Funds at 31 December 2014	158,260

HR Wynne-Griffith

Honorary Treasurer On behalf of the Trustees

25 february 20/5 Date