

LIVERPOOL SUPPORTERS UNION (LSU) LIMITED

ANNUAL REPORT AND UNAUDITED ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED

31st March 2024

REGISTERED NUMBERS: IP030494 (30494R)

LIVERPOOL SUPPORTERS UNION (LSU) LIMITED

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GENERAL INFORMATION

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

Registration number: IP030494 (30494R)

Committee of management: Paul Khan (Chair)
Peter Hooton (Vice-Chair)
Helen Brown (Secretary)
Roy Bentham
George Bevan
Joe Blott
Anna Burgess
Ian Byrne
Mark Johnson
Steph Jones
Jay McKenna
Brian Pickstock
Neil Pullar
Gareth Roberts
Goronwy Brookes
Graham Manley

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BANKERS: The Co-operative Bank
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Southway
Skelmersdale
WN8 6WT

ACCOUNTANTS: Invictus Accountancy Services Limited
Stable Court Business Centre
Water Lane Farm
Tarbock Green
Liverpool
L35 1RD

LIVERPOOL SUPPORTERS UNION (LSU) LIMITED
REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

The Committee of Management present their report together with the accounts of the Union for the year ended 31 March 2024.

INCORPORATION, REGISTRATION AND CONSTITUTION

The company was registered under the Industrial and Provident Societies Acts, registered under number 30494R on 11th June 2008. The Industrial and Provident Company number is IP030494.

OBJECTIVES

The objectives of the Union are:-

To carry on the business as a bona fide co-operative and any other trade, business or service as principals or agents, which may appear to the Union as being generally conducive to its interests. In particular, but not exclusively limited to, the following objectives:-

Constant Objectives

- To represent the best interests of our members and by extension the best interests of the supporters of Liverpool Football Club on both the local and international level.
- To hold whomever owns the football club to account.

Short Term Objectives

- To institute a functioning structure for the Liverpool Supporters Union (LSU) Limited.
- To create long lasting relationships with all aspects of Liverpool FC's supporting community.
- To improve the quality of service for Liverpool FC's supporters.
- To improve the standard and value of travel arrangements for Liverpool FC's supporters.

Medium Term Objectives

- To work with any relevant agencies to improve the area of Anfield.
- To build roots with grassroots supporter groups both home and abroad.

Long Term Objective

- To bring about supporter representation at boardroom level.

Ultimate Objective

- Supporter ownership of Liverpool Football Club.

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES OVER THE PERIOD INCLUDING IMPORTANT EVENTS

The principal activities in the period under review of Liverpool Supporters Union Limited were in accordance with achieving the objects of the Union as detailed above.

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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

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RESERVES POLICY

The profits of the Union shall be applied as follows in such proportions and in such manner as may be decided by the Union at the Annual General Meeting:-

- (a) firstly, to a general reserve for the continuation and development of the Union;
- (b) secondly, in making payments for social and charitable objects.

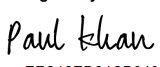
COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT

The Members of the Committee of Management who served during the period are shown on page 1.

All members were appointed at the thirteenth Annual General Meeting on the 22nd April 2023.

Members of the Committee of Management are appointed in accordance with the rules of the Union.

On Behalf of the Committee of Management

Signed by:

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P Khan
Chair

Date: 10 October 2024

LIVERPOOL SUPPORTERS UNION (LSU) LIMITED

Accountants Report to the Committee of Management on the Unaudited accounts of

Liverpool Supporters Union (LSU) Limited

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

In accordance with our terms of engagement, and in order to assist you to fulfil your duties in accordance with Section 9 of the Friendly and Industrial Provident Societies Act 1968, we have compiled the accounts of the Union which comprise the Income and Expenditure Account, Balance Sheet and the related notes from the accounting records and information and explanations you have given to us.

This report is made to the Union's Members, in accordance with the terms of our engagement. Our work has been undertaken so that we might compile the accounts that we have been engaged to compile, report to the Union's Members that we have done so, and state those matters that we have agreed to state to them in this 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 Union and the Union Members, for our work or for this report.

We have carried out this engagement in accordance with technical guidance issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales and have complied with the ethical guidance laid down by the Institute relating to members undertaking the compilation of accounts.

You have acknowledged on the balance sheet as at 31 March 2024 your duty to ensure that the Union has kept proper accounting records and to prepare accounts that give a true and fair view under the Industrial and Provident Societies Act 1965 and the Friendly and Industrial and Provident Societies Act 1968.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit of the accounts. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the accounts.

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Date: 10 October 2024

LIVERPOOL SUPPORTERS UNION (LSU) LIMITED**INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024**

		<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
	Notes	£	£
INCOME	2	39,827	227,445
Direct expenditure		<u>42,846</u>	<u>51,577</u>
GROSS SURPLUS		-3,019	175,868
Administrative expenses		<u>92,569</u>	<u>13,489</u>
		-95,588	162,379
Other operating income		<u>86,585</u>	<u>0</u>
OPERATING (DEFECIT) / PROFIT	3	-9,003	162,379
Interest receivable	5	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
(DEFICIT) / PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		-9,003	162,379
Tax on deficit on ordinary activities	6	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
(DEFICIT) / PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR		-9,003	162,379
Transfer from expired shares		<u>21,860</u>	<u>34,800</u>
		12,857	197,179
(Deficit)/Retained profit brought forward	4	<u>309,802</u>	<u>112,623</u>
(DEFICIT) / RETAINED PROFIT CARRIED FORWARD		<u><u>322,659</u></u>	<u><u>309,802</u></u>

The notes on pages 7 to 8 form part of these accounts.

LIVERPOOL SUPPORTERS UNION (LSU) LIMITED

BALANCE SHEET
MARCH 31 2024

	Notes	2024 £	2023 £
CURRENT ASSETS:			
Cash at bank and in hand		338,329	332,322
Debtors		0	0
		338,329	332,322
CREDITORS:			
Amounts falling due within one year	7	660	660
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES:			
		337,669	331,662
CAPITAL AND RESERVES:			
Share capital	8	15,010	21,860
Income and expenditure account		322,659	309,802
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS:			
	9	337,669	331,662

The members of the Committee of Management are satisfied that the Union is entitled to exemption from the provisions of the Friendly and Industrial and Provident Societies Act 1968 (the Act) relating to the audit of the accounts for the period by virtue of section 4A(1) and that no member or members have requested an audit pursuant to section 4A(3) of the Act.

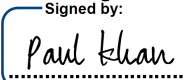
The members acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- (i) ensuring that the Union keeps adequate accounting records which comply with section 1 of the Act, and
- (ii) preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of the affairs of the Union as at the end of the financial period and of its surplus or deficit for the financial period in accordance with the requirements of section 3(1), and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the Union.

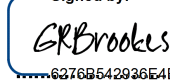
These accounts were approved by the members and authorised for issue on

September 12th 2024

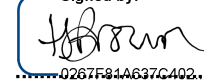
and are signed on their behalf by:

Signed by:


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 Paul Khan
 Chairman

Signed by:


 62762542936E4E8...
 Goronwy Brookes
 Treasurer

Signed by:


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 Helen Brown
 Secretary

The notes on pages 7 to 8 form part of these accounts.

**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024**

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

Cashflow statement

The Committee of Management have taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standards No 1 (Revised 1996) from including a cashflow statement in the accounts on the grounds that the Union is small.

Income

The income shown in the income and expenditure account represents amounts due during the period.

2 INCOME	2024	2023
	£	£
Grant	0	0
Merchandise	0	0
Events	0	0
Travel	39,827	39,670
	39,827	39,670
	39,827	39,670

3 OPERATING DEFICIT

Operating deficit is stated after crediting:

Donations	0	0
	0	0

4 STAFF COSTS

No remuneration was paid to any members of the Committee of Management in the period.

There was no employees for Union during the period.

5 INTEREST RECEIVABLE

Bank interest	£	£
	0	0
	0	0

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

6 TAXATION

There is no liability to corporation tax based on the results for the period.

7 CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year

	2024	2023
	£	£
Bank loans and overdrafts	0	0
Accruals	660	660
	<u>660</u>	<u>660</u>

8 SHARE CAPITAL

Issued, 1,501 shares at £10 each.	<u>15,010</u>	<u>21,860</u>
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9 RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN MEMBERS FUNDS

	£	£
Opening members' funds	331,662	147,423
Net Profit/(Deficit) for the period	-9,003	162,379
New shares subscribed	15,010	21,860
Closing members' funds	<u>337,669</u>	<u>331,662</u>

10 CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

The company had no capital commitments at 31 March 2024.

11 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

There were no contingent liabilities at 31 March 2024.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

	2024		2023	
	£	£	£	£
Grants Received		0		0
Merchandise Income	0		0	
Merchandise Expenditure	<u>3,111</u>		<u>7,317</u>	
		-3,111		-7,317
Fundraiser Income	0		187,775	
Fundraiser Expenditure	<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>	
		0		187,775
Travel Income	39,827		39,670	
Travel Expenditure	<u>39,735</u>		<u>44,260</u>	
		92		-4,590
		-3,019		175,868
Administrative Expenditure:				
Wages	0		0	
Office Rent	0		0	
Database administration	6,233		6,047	
A G M /Meetings	4,789		1,564	
Software	0		0	
Website Costs	2,794		1,272	
Newsletter costs	1,100		0	
Meetings and Campaigns	0		1,029	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	413		2,416	
Telephone	0		0	
General Expenses	0		0	
Subscriptions	0		0	
Professional Fees	0		0	
Bank Charges	0		0	
Accountancy Fees	660	15,989	660	12,988
		-19,008		162,880
Donations Received	86,585		0	
Donations Paid	<u>76,580</u>	10,005	501	-501
		-9,003		162,379
Bank Interest Receivable		<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>
NET PROFIT/(DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR		<u><u>-9,003</u></u>		<u><u>162,379</u></u>

This page does not form part of the statutory financial statements

