FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

31ST JANUARY 1997

Registered number: 1347568

Registered charity number: 275241

ELLIOTT BUNKER

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

Bristol

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for the year ended 31st January 1997

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COMPANY INFORMATION

31st January 1997

NUMBER 1347568

CHAIRPERSON M. Bucknall

OTHER COUNCIL MEMBERS H. Berger

T. Koeller
C. Lauppe
S. Acland
M. Hailey
E. Havernaas
S. Hopewell

SECRETARY C. H. Van Rooy

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Westbury on Trym

Bristol BS9 3PF

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Bristol BS99 7UG

SOLICITORS Burroughs Day & Co.

14 - 15 Charlotte Street

Bristol

AUDITORS Elliott Bunker

Chartered Accountants

19 Orchard Street

Bristol BS1 5EG

REPORT OF THE COUNCIL OF MANAGEMENT

31st January 1997

The council members present their report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31st January 1997.

Members of council

The council members who served during the year were as follows

- M. Bucknall
- M. Berger (Resigned 22nd May 1996)
- H. Berger
- T. Koeller
- C. Lauppe
- S. Acland
- M. Hailey
- E. Havernaas
- S. Hopewell (Appointed 23rd March 1996)

Auditors

Elliott Bunker have agreed to offer themselves for re-appointment as auditors of the company.

Small company exemptions

Advantage has been taken in the preparation of this report of special exemptions applicable to small companies provided by Part II of Schedule 8 to the Companies Act 1985.

Donations

During the year, the company made a donation to Goetheannum Domach of £500.

REPORT OF THE COUNCIL OF MANAGEMENT (CONT.)

31st January 1997

REPORT OF THE CHAIRPERSON

Principal activity and organisation

The principal activity of the company is the provision of a therapeutic environment for persons with mental health problems or those with special needs.

The company is a registered charity and a company limited by guarantees, supported by fees.

Cherry Orchards continued to offer opportunities for mainly younger adults to make steps from a situation of dependency to a degree of personal independence, self responsibility and improved health. Most residents have problems of mental health, and many of these come to us from a hospital or similar situation.

During the year we employed six part-time paid staff in addition to the average of twelve full-time volunteers (co-workers), four of whom carry the daily responsibility for the operation of Cherry Orchards as the Management Group under delegated powers from the Council of Management. The Council of Management met seven times during the year. Cherry Orchards is a member of the Association of Camphill Communities.

Review of progress and achievements

The full-time co-workers and residents continued to live and work together as an integrated therapeutic community. This way of living together and the added support from part-time employed therapists continued to offer opportunities in the areas of practical and human/social involvement.

Since the last report there has been a significant improvement of the financial situation. Income has gone up and expenditure down. Our weekly fee has been increased to £450. Expenditure was lowered by the postponement of some maintenance work and frugal housekeeping. Resident numbers went up slightly.

The present financial situation leaves us better prepared for the year to come.

During the year we achieved a more balanced situation in the co-workers/
residents number. This in turn created opportunities to consolidate our aims as
a therapeutic community.

C.H.Van Rooy Secretary

16th April 1997

CHERRY ORCHARDS (CAMPHILL) COMMUNITY LIMITED STATEMENT OF COUNCIL MEMBERS' RESPONSIBILITIES

We are required under company law to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the surplus or deficit of the company for that period. In preparing those financial statements we are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently;
- make reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

We are also responsible for:

- keeping proper accounting records;
- safeguarding the company's assets;
- taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud.

On behalf of the board

E.Havernaas Council Member

A 16th April 1997

AUDITORS' REPORT

Auditors' report to the members of

Cherry Orchards (Camphill) Community Limited

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 12 which have been prepared under the accounting policies set out on page 8.

Respective responsibilities of council members and auditors
As described on page 3, the company's council members are responsible for the
preparation of financial statements. It is our responsibility to form an
independent opinion, based on our audit, on those statements and to report our
opinion to you.

Basis of opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error or other irregularity. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the company's affairs as at 31st January 1997 and of its surplus for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act 1985 applicable to small companies.

Bristol

Elliott Bunker Registered Auditors Chartered Accountants

16th April 1997

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

for the year ended 31st January 1997

	Note	1997 £	1996 £
Turnover	2	221,793	200,161
Donations		3,253	1,900
Net operating expenses			
Administrative expenses Other operating income		(186,910) 59	(226,409)
Operating surplus/(deficit)	3	38,195	(24,449)
Interest payable	5	(23,689)	(26,029)
Surplus/(deficit) on ordinary a retained for the year	activities 13	14,506	(50,478)

Movements in reserves are shown in the notes to the financial statements.

None of the company's activities were acquired or discontinued during the above two financial years.

BALANCE SHEET

at 31st January 1997

	lote	19 97 £ £		1996 £ £	
Fixed assets	Mce	1.	~	~ ∴	_
rixed assets					
Tangible assets Investments	6 7		533,693 51	_	562,710 51
			533,744		562,761
Current assets					
Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	8	23,085 17,102		26,016 8,969	
		40,187		34,985	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	9	(87,655)		(103,486)	
Net current liabilities			(47,468)		(68,501)
Total assets less current liabilities	ទ		486,276		494,260
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	10		(246,393)		(268,883)
			239,883		225,377
Capital and reserves					
Repair fund Income and expenditure account	12 13		- 239,883		12,000 213,377
Total funds	11		239,883		225,377

The council members have taken advantage in the preparation of these financial statements of special exemptions provided by Part I of Schedule 8 to the Companies Act 1985 on the basis that the company qualifies as a small company.

The financial statements on pages 5 to 12 were approved by the council members on 16th April 1997.

E.Havernaas Council Member Golmed Enveren.

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

for the year ended 31st January 1997

	General Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Total £	General Funds 1996 £
Incoming resources				
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Fees	213,503		213,503	194,944
Seminar	_	6,500	6,500	5,117
Workshop income	90		90	-
Grants receivable	1,700		1,700	<u>-</u>
Bank deposit interest	59		59	200,061
	215,352		221,852	1,900
Donations	3,253		3,253	201,961
	218,605	6,500	225,105	201,301
Direct charitable expenditure			÷	
Food	35,092	_	35,092	32,152
Household expenditure	10,622		10,622	8,977
Wages and national insurance	13,089		13,089	16,244
Medical costs	24,539		24,539	20,519
Co-workers expenses	11,119		11,119	12,667
Cultural and educational expenses	-		20,307	34,445
Workshop expenses	345		345	-
Motor expenses	8,608		8,608	12,063
Bad debts	359		35 <i>9</i>	•
Support costs	49,061	4,385	53,446	78,484
3upp010 00011	173,141		177,526	215,551
Other expenditure				
Management and administration	33,073		33,073	36,888
Total resources expended	206,214	4,385	210,599	252,439
Net incoming/(outgoing) resources	12,391	2,115	14,506	(50,478)
Transfer from repair fund	12,000	-	12,000	-
Fund balances brought forward	213,377	7 -	213,377	263,855
Fund balances carried forward	237,768	2,115	239,883	213,377

NOTES ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

31st January 1997

1 Accounting policies

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost accounting rules and in accordance with SORP Accounting by Charities.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement conferred by Financial Reporting Standard No. 1 on the grounds that it is entitled to the exemptions available in Sections 246 to 247 of the Companies Act 1985 for small companies.

Depreciation

Depreciation of fixed assets is calculated to write off their cost or valuation less any residual value over their estimated useful lives as follows:

Freehold land Freehold buildings Motor vehicles No depreciation 4% straight line basis 25% straight line basis

An amount equal to the excess of the annual depreciation charge on revalued assets over the notional historical cost depreciation charge on those assets is transferred annually from the revaluation reserve to the profit and loss reserve.

Grants

Grants received in the year are revenue based and are credited to the profit and loss account in the year that the relevant projects are undertaken.

Capital expenditure

Capital expenditure, except that on motor vehicles and new buildings, is written off as it is incurred.

2 Turnover

Turnover represents the amount derived from the provision of goods and services which fall within the company's ordinary activities stated net of value added tax.

In the opinion of the council members, none of the turnover of the company is attributable to geographical markets outside the UK. (1996 nil)

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31st January 1997

3	Operating surplus/(deficit)	1997 £	19 96 £
	Operating surplus/(deficit) is stated after crediting		
	Interest receivable Profit on sale of assets	59 4,500	- -
	and after charging		· · · ·
	Auditors' remuneration	2,274	2,198
	Depreciation of tangible fixed assets		
	(note 6) owned assets	29,017	31,847
4	Directors and employees	1997	1996
		£	£
	Staff costs		
	Wages and salaries	12,487	10,748
		Number	Number
	Average monthly number employed	2	2
5	Interest payable		
		1997 £	1996 £
	Interest payable	23,689	<u>26,029</u>

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31st January 1997

6 Tangible fixed assets

Cost or valuation	Motor Vehicles £	Land and Buildings £	Total £
1st February 1996 Disposals	27,530 (10,800)	723,100 -	750,630 (10,800)
31st January 1997	16,730	723,100	739,830
Depreciation			
1st February 1996 Charge for year Disposals	22,933 1,533 10,800	164,987 27,484 -	187,920 29,017 10,800
31st January 1997	13,666	192,471	206,137
Net book amount			
31st January 1997	3,064	530,629	533,693
1st February 1996	4,597	558,113	562,710
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7 Fixed asset investments

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Cost	Investments other than loans f
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1st February 1996 and at 31st January 1997	51
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Net book amount	
31st January 1997	51
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1st February 1996	51

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31st January 1997

8	Debtors	1997 £	1996 £
	Amounts falling due within one year		·
	Trade debtors Prepayments and accrued income	12,067 11,018 23,085	23,777 2,240 ————————————————————————————————————
9	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	1997 £	1996 £
	Bank loans Other loans Bank overdraft Trade creditors Other taxation and social security Other Creditors	15,608 2,667 56,106 - 138 13,136 87,655	9,816 2,667 74,578 875 336 15,214
10	Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	. 1997 £	1996 £
	Bank loans Other creditors	238,397 7,996 246,393	258,220 10,663 268,883
	Maturity of debt included above		
	In one year or less, or on demand Between one and two years Between two and five years In five years or more Creditors other than finance lease	18,275 18,275 52,153 175,965 264,668	268,883 268,883
	and hire purchase contracts		
	Amounts falling due after more than five years	264,668	268,883

The bank loan is secured on the legal mortgage given by the Community over freehold property. The other loan from Mercury Provident Pension Scheme is secured on a second charge on the property.

NOTES ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

31st January 1997

11	Reconciliation of movements in funds	1997 £	1996 £
	Surplus/(deficit) for the financial year	14,506	(50,478)
	Net addition to/(subtraction from) funds		
	Opening funds	225,377	275,855
	Closing funds	239,883	225,377 ———
12	Repair fund		1997 £
	1st February 1996 Transfer to income and expenditure account		12,000 (12,000)
	31st January 1997		-
13	Income and expenditure account		1997 £
	1st February 1996 Retained surplus for the year Transfer from repair fund		213,377 14,506 12,000
	31st January 1997		239,883

14 Guarantees and other financial commitments

The company has withheld the sum of £9,800 in the form of a retention against incompleted building works. In the opinion of the council members this amount will not be payable.