Registered number 06916509

Building Bridges Training Community Interest Company

Report and Accounts

31 March 2023



Building Bridges Training Community Interest Company Registered number: 06916509

Directors' Report

The directors present their report and accounts for the year ended 31 March 2023.

The following persons served as directors during the year:

E A Tilly S Singh

Small company provisions
This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions in Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

This report was approved by the board on 30 October 2023 and signed on its behalf.

E A Tilly . Director

Building Bridges Training Community Interest Company Profit and Loss Account for the year ended 31 March 2023

	2023 £	2022 E
Turnover	25,576	23,230
Cost of sales	(17,331)	(16,196)
Gross profit	8,245	7,034
Administrative expenses	.(8,727)	(7,186)
Operating loss	(482)	(152)
Loss before taxation	(482)	(152)
Tax on loss	•	•
Loss for the financial year	(482)	(152)

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Registered number: **Balance Sheet** as at 31 March 2023

Capital and reserves Profit and loss account

•	Notes	÷	2023 £	:	2022 £
Current assets			· • ·		•
Debtors	4	•		1,021	
Cash at bank and in hand		5,688		8,495	
•		5,688		9,516	
Creditors: amounts falling	due				
within one year	5	(3,938)		(7,284)	•
Net current assets	· -	<u> </u>	1,750	· ·	2,232
Net assets		· <u>-</u>	1,750		2,232

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The members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Act.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

The accounts have been prepared and delivered in accordance with the special provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime. The profit and loss account has not been delivered to the Registrar of Companies.

Director

Approved by the board on 30 October 2023

Building Bridges Training Community Interest Company Notes to the Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2023

1 Accounting policies

Basis of preparation

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with FRS 102, The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (as applied to small entities by section 1A of the standard).

Turnove

Turnover is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, net of discounts and value added taxes. Turnover includes revenue earned from the sale of goods and from the rendering of services. Turnover from the sale of goods is recognised when the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods have transferred to the buyer. Turnover from the rendering of services is recognised by reference to the stage of completion of the contract. The stage of completion of a contract is measured by comparing the costs incurred for work performed to date to the total estimated contract costs.

Tangible fixed assets

Tangible fixed assets are measured at cost less accumulative depreciation and any accumulative impairment losses. Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets, other than freehold land, at rates calculated to write off the cost, less estimated residual value, of each asset evenly over its expected useful life, as follows:

Computer equipment

over 4 years

Debtors

Short term debtors are measured at transaction price (which is usually the invoice price), less any impairment losses for bad and doubtful debts. Loans and other financial assets are initially recognised at transaction price including any transaction costs and subsequently measured at amortised cost determined using the effective interest method, less any impairment losses for bad and doubtful debts.

Creditors

Short term creditors are measured at transaction price (which is usually the invoice price). Loans and other financial liabilities are initially recognised at transaction price net of any transaction costs and subsequently measured at amortised cost determined using the effective interest method.

Taxation

A current tax liability is recognised for the tax payable on the taxable profit of the current and past periods. A current tax asset is recognised in respect of a tax loss that can be carried back to recover tax paid in a previous period. Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences between the recognition of income and expenses in the financial statements and their inclusion in tax assessments. Unrelieved tax losses and other deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits. Deferred tax is measured using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date and that are expected to apply to the reversal of the timing difference, except for revalued land and investment property where the tax rate that applies to the sale of the asset is used. Current and deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted.

Building Bridges Training Community Interest Company Notes to the Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2023

2	Employees		2023 Number	2022 Number
	Average number of persons employed by the compa	'nγ		<u> </u>
•	Taxalble flood coosts	•		
3	Tangible fixed assets		,	Plant and machinery
				etc
	Cost At 1 April 2022			602
	At 31 March 2023	•	.: .·	602
	Depreciation At 1 April 2022			602
	At 31 March 2023			602
	Net book value At 31 March 2023			<u></u>
4	Debtors		2023 £	2022 £
•	Other debtors		· · · ·	1,021
5	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year		2023 £	2022 £
	Trade creditors	•	1,565	7.004
	Other creditors		2,373 3,938	7,284 7,284

Other information

Building Bridges Training Community Interest Company is a private company limited by guarantee and incorporated in England. Its registered office is: 295 Long Lane Halesowen England B62 9LB

Building Bridges Training Community Interest Company Detailed profit and loss account for the year ended 31 March 2023 This schedule does not form part of the statutory accounts

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	2023 £	2022 £
Sales		-
Sales	13,565	19,568
Grants receivable	12,011	3,662
	25,576	23,230
Cost of sales		
Artwork and design	1,630	-
Project and training delivery	9,109	14,187
Research group	6,592	2,009
	17,331	16,196
Administrative expenses		
Contracting	5,444	3,971
Travel and subsistence	142	. 309
Computer and IT costs	1,088	1,596
Postage and stationery	<u>-</u>	19
Subscriptions	457	457
Insurance	589	241
Sundry expenses	124	. 30
Accountancy fees	883	563
	8,727	7,186

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Community Interest Company Report

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Company Name in full	Building Bridges Training CIC	
Company Number	06916509	
Year Ending	31 3 23	

Please complete in typescript, or in bold black capitals. This template illustrates what the Regulator of Community Interest Companies considers to be best practice for completing a simplified community interest company report. All such reports must be delivered in accordance with section 34 of the Companies (Audit, Investigations and Community Enterprise) Act 2004 and contain the information required by Part 7 of the Community Interest Company Regulations 2005. For further guidance see chapter 8 of the Regulator's guidance notes and the alternate example provided for a more complex company with more detailed notes.

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PART 1 - GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THE COMPANY'S ACTIVITIES AND IMPACT

In the space provided below, please insert a general account of the company's activities in the financial year to which the report relates, including a description of how they have benefited the community.

We are an independent social enterprise which makes a difference to the lives of people with a learning disability through delivering training and research. Building Bridges Training enables people with a learning disability to be included and have full and valued roles in their local community. We do this through the following five activities;

- 1. Doing inclusive research with people with a learning disability to understand the issues that affect the lives of people with a learning disability.
- 2. Training the staff who work with people with a learning disability such as giving good support to parents with a learning disability
- 3. Training the staff from mainstream organisations so they can better understand and support people with a learning disability who use their services
- 4. Delivering courses for people with a learning disability on topics such as Managing my Money and well-being
- 5. By producing resources; these include good practice guidelines for staff and easy read resources for people with a learning disability such as a keep safe check list

In 2022/3 we

- 1. We have held monthly meetings and the agenda for discussion comes from the members
- 2. Fran in our group has been supporting one member a month to produce their personal PowerPoint presentation.
- 3. Activism is a big part of our meetings. We have tackled some issues as a group, such as road safety issues.
- 4. Some people have had individual support with issues to do with living independently but these barriers are then used for a basis for discussion and action, for example some activism, production of easy read etc.
- 5. A spin-off project to our lottery funded project has been our book project, due for publication in Feb 24 Rights in Practice
- 6. We held 2 world café meetings for other people with a learning disability to come in small groups and share some of the barriers and issues they experience and what they think should be done. This project was more challenging to do than we expected and we are still working on it!
- 7. One of the biggest areas of work is producing easy read information for people with a learning disability.
- 8. We make these resources freely available though our online shop https://www.building-bridges-training.org/online-store In the previous 12 months we have distributed 240 Easy Read documents to just over 100 individuals, organisations and professional bodies

(Please continue on separate continuation sheet if necessary.)

PART 2 – CONSULTATION WITH STAKEHOLDERS – Please indicate who the company's stakeholders are; how the stakeholders have been consulted and what action, if any, has the company taken in response to feedback from its consultations? If there has been no consultation, this should be made clear.

We have consulted with;

People with a learning disability

People in the community

People who work with people with a learning disability in a paid or volunteer role Staff in frontline services

We have meetings as a team including trainers with a learning disability

We are involved in our community, and are members of SCVO (Sandwell council for Voluntary Organisations.

We ask all people who attend our events to complete an evaluation form and we use this feedback to improve our future events.

(If applicable, please just state "A social audit report covering these points is attached").

PART 3 – DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION – if you have provided full details in your accounts you need not reproduce it here. Please clearly identify the information within the accounts and confirm that, "There were no other transactions or arrangements in connection with the remuneration of directors, or compensation for director's loss of office, which require to be disclosed" (See example with full notes). If no remuneration was received you must state that "no remuneration was received" below.

No remuneration was received.

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PART 5 - SIGNATORY

The original report must be signed by a Signe	ed BAT	1/4	Date	16.12.23]
director or secretary of the company	Office held	ر (delete as appro	priate) Dired	ctor/Secretary	
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