

REGISTERED COMPANY NUMBER: SC285959 (Scotland)  
REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER: SC032387

Report of the Trustees and  
Unaudited Financial Statements for the Year Ended 30 June 2014  
for  
Sgoil an Iochdair agus A'Chòimhearsnachd

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**Sgoil an Iochdair agus A'Chòimhearsnachd**

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for the Year Ended 30 June 2014**

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**Report of the Trustees  
for the Year Ended 30 June 2014**

The trustees who are also directors of the charity for the purposes of the Companies Act 2006, present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 30 June 2014. The trustees have adopted the provisions of the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities' issued in March 2005.

**REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS**

**Registered Company number**  
SC285959 (Scotland)

**Registered Charity number**  
SC032387

**Registered office**  
The Old Schoolhouse  
lochdar  
South Uist  
Western Isles  
HS8 5RQ

**Trustees**

J H Warner  
M Bremner  
R MacPhee  
A Campbell  
S MacAulay  
P Bird  
R MacRury

- resigned 20.3.14

- appointed 20.3.14

**Company Secretary**  
S K Dawson

**Independent examiner**  
Faye MacLeod CA  
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**Bankers**

Bank of Scotland  
Balivanich  
Isle of Benbecula  
HS7 5LA

**STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT**

**Governing document**

Sgoil an lochdair agus a'Chòimhearsnachd was incorporated as a company limited by guarantee on 9 June 2005, on which date it acquired the entire assets and liabilities of Sgoil an lochdair agus a'Chòimhearsnachd, an unincorporated body. The trust was established under a Memorandum of Association which established the objects and powers of the charitable company and it is governed by its Articles of Association. In the event of the trust being wound up, each member may be required to contribute up to £1. The company is recognised as a Scottish charity under reference SC032387.

**Report of the Trustees  
for the Year Ended 30 June 2014**

**STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT**

**Recruitment and appointment of new trustees**

Membership is open to all individuals and organisations, with the exception of employees of the trust. Individuals aged 18 or over living in, or a member of an amateur sports or recreational organisation in, the catchment area of the lochdair School are eligible for membership as ordinary members. All other individuals and organisations may become associate members; such members are neither eligible to stand for election to the Board nor to vote at any general meeting.

Subject to the conditions set out in the Articles of Association, the board shall consist of up to three elected trustees, up to three appointed trustees and up to one co-opted trustee, appointed at the AGM. The board may fill any vacancy arising as a result of a retirement until the next AGM.

All trustees and ordinary members, who have paid their current subscription fee, are entitled to take part in any general meetings and each have one vote. The chairperson has an additional casting vote when necessary.

**Organisational structure**

The board of trustees currently manage the trust.

**Risk management**

The trustees have a duty to identify and review the risks to which the charity is exposed and to ensure appropriate controls are in place to provide reasonable assurance against fraud and error.

**OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES**

**Objectives and aims**

The object of the trust is to support recreation and sport in the catchment area of the lochdair school, in particular:

- to promote interest and participation in sport, and related recreations in the catchment area of the lochdair School, especially in the interests of education, social welfare and health.
- to assist in the coordination of various sports clubs and recreational organisations operating in the catchment area, both generally and in relation to specific projects.
- to examine the available sports and recreation facilities in the lochdair area as against current and anticipated need and to make application to the local council, local enterprise trust and any other appropriate body in this connection.
- to liaise with the council's sports development staff in furtherance of these objects.
- to raise funds for such charitable purposes as the association may deem appropriate.



**Report of the Trustees  
for the Year Ended 30 June 2014**

**ACHIEVEMENT AND PERFORMANCE**

**Charitable activities**

In March 2014 we met for our eighth AGM, reviewing the year 2012-2013 and setting our aims for 2013-2014. Our main aim in the year was to develop the plans for the football pitch.

For 2013-2014 we set ourselves the following objectives:

1. General maintenance of benches and tree planted areas.
2. To develop the pitch plans for lochdar Hall
3. Liaison with the school, pupils and parents' council concerning the maintenance and development of the school playground.
4. Liaison with third parties with reference to footpaths
5. Involving other groups especially potential user groups
6. Fundraising

**1. General maintenance of facilities, benches and tree planted areas:**

We undertook a planned litter clearance day, tidying around the Creagorry o-op

We have agreement for the placement of amenity seating at the graveyard at Ardivachair and at the social housing at Rubha Doigeag. We have raised sufficient funds for the benches.

We arranged for the repair of the shelter at lochdar School, and have raised funds and enough stone to erect a stone wall at lochdar School.

We continue to keep the path at lochdar road end clear from grass.

**2. To develop the pitch plans for lochdar Hall**

We used funding for awards for all to commission plans for the football pitch. These are now being costed so that we can start raising funds towards the construction of the pitch.

**3. Liaison with the school, pupils and parents' council**

We have continued to keep lochdar School informed of our activities. We are also in contact with the council concerning general maintenance issues around the school and play areas, including drainage.

**4. Liaison with third parties with reference to footpaths:**

We have kept in touch with Angela at the WISE project. She has been invited to present her work to us.

**5. Involving other groups and user groups**

The following groups were members of our organisation in 2013-2014:

- lochdar Junior Youth Club
- lochdar Saints Football club

We have maintained links with:

- SUBAS (South Uist and Benbecula Annual Show)
- Storas Uibhist
- lochdar Hall Committee
- Grazings committee
- lochdar School & lochdar School Board

In 2013-14, we were members of:

- Uists and Barra Sports Council
- Third Sector Hebrides

We continue to maintain a website and a facebook page. One of our trustees sits on the Local Advisory Group for the council's development office. Another trustee is a member of the board of trustees for Storas Uibhist.

Our secretary, Dr Dawson, represented the association when she carried the baton for the Commonwealth Games.

**6. Fundraising**

Report of the Trustees  
for the Year Ended 30 June 2014

**ACHIEVEMENT AND PERFORMANCE**

**Charitable activities**

During the accounting year, we continued to raise funds for recurring costs.

**FINANCIAL REVIEW**

**Reserves policy**

The trustees have examined the requirement for free reserves which are those unrestricted funds not invested in fixed assets, designated for specific purposes or otherwise committed but do not yet have a formal policy in place. At the balance sheet date the trust held unrestricted funds of £10,958 (2013 - £11,937) of which £5,755 were invested in fixed assets (2013 - £6,033).

**Principal funding sources**

Funding was received from Awards for All and will be expended after the year end on detailed plans for the football pitch at lochdar Hall.

**FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS**

The trust's main aim remains to improve opportunities for outdoor activities for children and adults living in the catchment area of lochdar School. Some of the forthcoming projects include:

- Parking facilities at lochdar Hall
- Interpretative signage for walks
- Sculpture/outdoor art installation
- Griminish Play Park
- Creagorry Play Park
- Walks and footpaths
- Adventure trail through the trees
- Installation of amenity benches
- Further development of the playing fields at lochdar School

Approved by order of the board of trustees on ..... and signed on its behalf by:



.....  
S K Dawson - Secretary

**Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of  
Sgoil an Iochdair agus A'Chòimhearsnachd (Registered number: SC285959)**

I report on the accounts for the year ended 30 June 2014 set out on pages six to eleven.

**Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner**

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the terms of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) Act 2005 and the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006. The charity's trustees consider that the audit requirement of Regulation 10(1)(a) to (c) of the Accounts Regulations does not apply. It is my responsibility to examine the accounts as required under Section 44(1)(c) of the Act and to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

**Basis of the independent examiner's report**

My examination was carried out in accordance with Regulation 11 of the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006. 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 any 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 audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

**Independent examiner's statement**

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

- (1) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that, in any material respect, the requirements
- to keep accounting records in accordance with Section 44(1)(a) of the 2005 Act and Regulation 4 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations; and
  - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and to comply with Regulation 8 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations

have not been met; or

- (2) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

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Date: .....



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Statement of Financial Activities  
(Incorporating an Income and Expenditure Account)  
for the Year Ended 30 June 2014

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted funds £	Endowment fund £	30.6.14 Total funds £	30.6.13 Total funds £
<b>INCOMING RESOURCES</b>						
<b>Incoming resources from generated funds</b>						
Voluntary income		194	-	-	194	2,005
Activities for generating funds	2	625	-	-	625	960
<b>Incoming resources from charitable activities</b>						
Projects		-	8,400	-	8,400	-
<b>Total incoming resources</b>		819	8,400	-	9,219	2,965
<b>RESOURCES EXPENDED</b>						
<b>Costs of generating funds</b>						
Costs of generating voluntary income		-	-	-	-	410
<b>Charitable activities</b>						
Projects		903	6,245	-	7,148	7,665
Governance costs		895	-	-	895	942
<b>Total resources expended</b>		1,798	6,245	-	8,043	9,017
<b>NET INCOMING/(OUTGOING) RESOURCES</b>		(979)	2,155	-	1,176	(6,052)
<b>RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS</b>						
<b>Total funds brought forward</b>		11,937	174,282	8,219	194,438	200,490
<b>TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD</b>		10,958	176,437	8,219	195,614	194,438

The notes form part of these financial statements



Balance Sheet  
At 30 June 2014

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted funds £	Endowment fund £	30.6.14 Total funds £	30.6.13 Total funds £
<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>						
Tangible assets	5	5,755	155,559	8,219	169,533	175,366
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>						
Debtors	6	34	-	-	34	33
Cash at bank		6,034	20,878	-	26,912	20,004
		<u>6,068</u>	<u>20,878</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>26,946</u>	<u>20,037</u>
<b>CREDITORS</b>						
Amounts falling due within one year 7		(865)	-	-	(865)	(965)
<b>NET CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<u>5,203</u>	<u>20,878</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>26,081</u>	<u>19,072</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		<u>10,958</u>	<u>176,437</u>	<u>8,219</u>	<u>195,614</u>	<u>194,438</u>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>		<u>10,958</u>	<u>176,437</u>	<u>8,219</u>	<u>195,614</u>	<u>194,438</u>
<b>FUNDS</b>	9					
Unrestricted funds					10,958	11,937
Restricted funds					176,437	174,282
Endowment funds					8,219	8,219
<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>					<u>195,614</u>	<u>194,438</u>

The charitable company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 30 June 2014.

The members have not required the charitable company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2014 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for

- ensuring that the charitable company keeps accounting records that comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company as at the end of each financial year and of its surplus or deficit for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the charitable company.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small charitable companies and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees on ..... and were signed on its behalf by:

.....  
J H Warner -Trustee

The notes form part of these financial statements

## Sgoil an lochdair agus A'Choimhearsnachd

### Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 30 June 2014

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

##### Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008), the Companies Act 2006 and the requirements of the Statement of Recommended Practice, Accounting and Reporting by Charities.

All gains and losses are reported in the Statement of Financial Activities, and all income is derived from continuing activities, unless otherwise stated

##### Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included on the Statement of Financial Activities when the charity is legally entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy. Grants, where entitlement is not conditional on the delivery of a specific performance by the trust, are recognised when the charity becomes unconditionally entitled to the grant. Long-term membership subscriptions are recognised in full on receipt.

Donations in kind are valued at cost, or the trustees estimation thereof, in the period in which the goods or services are received.

##### Resources expended

Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under appropriate headings which aggregate all relevant costs. Where expenditure cannot be directly attributed to particular headings it has been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

The charity is not registered for VAT purposes and costs therefore include the irrecoverable element of VAT with the item of expenditure to which it relates.

Charitable expenditure comprises those costs incurred by the charity in the delivery of its activities and services to beneficiaries. It includes both costs that can be directly allocated to such activities and those costs of an indirect nature necessary to support them.

Costs of generating funds comprise the costs associated with attracting voluntary income with the exclusion of those costs associated with delivering or supporting the charity's objects.

Governance costs include those costs associated with meeting the constitutional and statutory requirements of the charity and include accountancy fees and costs relating to the strategic management of the charity.

##### Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Heritable property	- not provided, on land and related costs
Leasehold improvements	- 4% on cost and 2% on cost
Plant & machinery	- 15% on reducing balance

##### Taxation

The charity is exempt from corporation tax on its charitable activities.

##### Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees.

Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is included in the notes to the financial statements.

##### Operating lease commitments

Rental payments due under operating lease contracts are charged to the SOFA as incurred. Lease commitments at the balance sheet date are disclosed in the notes to the accounts.



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Notes to the Financial Statements - continued  
for the Year Ended 30 June 2014

2. ACTIVITIES FOR GENERATING FUNDS

	30.6.14	30.6.13
	£	£
Fundraising events	<u>625</u>	<u>960</u>

3. NET INCOMING/(OUTGOING) RESOURCES

Net resources are stated after charging/(crediting):

	30.6.14	30.6.13
	£	£
Depreciation - owned assets	6,373	6,865
Fees for independent examination	447	471
Fees for accountancy	<u>448</u>	<u>471</u>

4. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 30 June 2014 nor for the year ended 30 June 2013.

**Trustees' expenses**

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 30 June 2014 nor for the year ended 30 June 2013.

5. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Heritable property £	Leasehold improvements £	Plant & machinery £	Totals £
<b>COST</b>				
At 1 July 2013	8,968	170,038	58,526	237,532
Additions	-	540	-	540
At 30 June 2014	<u>8,968</u>	<u>170,578</u>	<u>58,526</u>	<u>238,072</u>
<b>DEPRECIATION</b>				
At 1 July 2013	-	23,262	38,904	62,166
Charge for year	-	3,429	2,944	6,373
At 30 June 2014	<u>-</u>	<u>26,691</u>	<u>41,848</u>	<u>68,539</u>
<b>NET BOOK VALUE</b>				
At 30 June 2014	<u>8,968</u>	<u>143,887</u>	<u>16,678</u>	<u>169,533</u>
At 30 June 2013	<u>8,968</u>	<u>146,776</u>	<u>19,622</u>	<u>175,366</u>

Land, leasehold improvements and playground equipment purchased with restricted funds are partially subject to donor imposed conditions that such assets may not be disposed of within their specified periods.

6. DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	30.6.14	30.6.13
	£	£
Other debtors	<u>34</u>	<u>33</u>

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Notes to the Financial Statements - continued  
for the Year Ended 30 June 2014

7. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	30.6.14 £	30.6.13 £
Other creditors	<u>865</u>	<u>965</u>

8. OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

The following operating lease payments are committed to be paid within one year:

	30.6.14 £	30.6.13 £
Expiring: In more than five years	<u>6</u>	<u>6</u>

9. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS

	At 1.7.13 £	Net movement in funds £	At 30.6.14 £
<b>Unrestricted funds</b>			
General fund	11,937	(979)	10,958
<b>Restricted funds</b>			
lochdair School playground and playing fields	170,956	(5,746)	165,210
Cycle racks	785	(118)	667
Tree planting maintenance	129	(19)	110
Fencing	2,412	(362)	2,050
Awards for All	-	8,400	8,400
	<u>174,282</u>	<u>2,155</u>	<u>176,437</u>
<b>Endowment funds</b>			
Land	8,219	-	8,219
	<u>194,438</u>	<u>1,176</u>	<u>195,614</u>
<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>			

Net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
<b>Unrestricted funds</b>			
General fund	819	(1,798)	(979)
<b>Restricted funds</b>			
Awards for All	8,400	-	8,400
lochdair School playground and playing fields	-	(5,746)	(5,746)
Cycle racks	-	(118)	(118)
Tree planting maintenance	-	(19)	(19)
Fencing	-	(362)	(362)
	<u>8,400</u>	<u>(6,245)</u>	<u>2,155</u>
<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>	<u>9,219</u>	<u>(8,043)</u>	<u>1,176</u>



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**Notes to the Financial Statements - continued  
for the Year Ended 30 June 2014**

**9. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued**

Resources expended against the 'lochdair School playground', 'Cycle racks' and 'Fencing' funds include depreciation of assets purchased with these restricted funds.

'lochdair School playground' funds of £152,733 were held as fixed assets at the balance sheet date. The remaining amounts are carried forward to be expended on further costs and amounts retained for the defects period.

'Cycle racks' and 'Fencing' funds have been fully expended and funds represent the net book value of fixed assets purchased with these funds.

'Tree planting maintenance' funds are carried forward to be expended in accordance with the terms of this fund.

The 'Awards for All' fund has been carried forward and will be expended after the year end on detailed plans for the football pitch at lochdar Hall.

**10. CONTROLLING PARTY**

The company is limited by guarantee and is controlled by its board of trustees.

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Detailed Statement of Financial Activities  
for the Year Ended 30 June 2014

	30.6.14 £	30.6.13 £
<b>INCOMING RESOURCES</b>		
<b>Voluntary income</b>	25	1,817
Donations	169	188
Donated services and facilities	194	2,005
<b>Activities for generating funds</b>	625	960
Fundraising events		
<b>Incoming resources from charitable activities</b>	8,400	-
Grants	9,219	2,965
<b>Total incoming resources</b>		
<b>RESOURCES EXPENDED</b>		
<b>Costs of generating voluntary income</b>	-	410
Fundraising costs		
<b>Charitable activities</b>	6	6
Rent	161	187
Website costs	250	250
Maintenance	3,429	3,400
Improvements to property	2,944	3,463
Fixtures and fittings	6,790	7,306
<b>Governance costs</b>	895	942
Accountancy		
<b>Support costs</b>		
<b>Management</b>	333	334
Insurance	25	25
Subscriptions	358	359
<b>Total resources expended</b>	8,043	9,017
<b>Net income/(expenditure)</b>	1,176	(6,052)

This page does not form part of the statutory financial statements