# THE JOHN ROBINSON YOUTH CHESS TRUST TRUSTEES ANNUAL REPORT AND ACCOUNTS FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2014

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#### **FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2014**

#### **LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION**

## **Registered Charity number**

1116981

#### **Trustees**

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#### **Independent Examiners**

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#### **FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2014**

#### **REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES**

#### Charity

The Charity was registered by the Charity Commissioners on 24 November 2006

#### **Governing document**

Deed of Variation dated 24 June 2006

#### **Charity objectives**

To advance education by providing or assisting in the provision of facilities for the teaching development and supervision of the playing of chess amongst persons under the age of twenty one, resident in England or eligible to represent England at chess.

#### **Trustees**

Appointment of new trustees is vested in the Council of the British Chess Federation.

Trustees may be appointed at any time (either by way of replacement or addition) so that the total number of Trustees shall at no time exceed four.

Trustees may be removed by a resolution of the Council of the British Chess Federation passed with a majority in favour of 75% of those present in person or present by proxy and voting thereon.

During the year Cynthia Gurney, who had been a Trustee since the establishment of the Trust, stood down and was replaced by John Philpott whose appointment was approved by the British Chess Federation Council meeting held in October 2013.

#### Summary of the main achievements in the period

The Trust continues to provide support towards the English Chess Federation's Junior budget and to make grants towards the British Chess Championships.

The John Robinson annual Fellowship was awarded to Akshaya Kalaiyalahan. Grants for events, and to individuals, were also made.

#### **Financial review**

The Trust funds remain fully invested and have increased in overall value during the financial year.

The main sources of funds during the period have been dividends and interest.

The majority of income is applied to coaching grants and support to events. Expenses and professional fees incurred in the investment of funds are the other main heads of expenditure.

#### **Charity policy on investments**

The return objective of the Charity is to receive income, after fees, of £20,000 per annum whilst maintaining the real value of the assets. The income generated (net of fees) is to be distributed quarterly. The risk tolerance is formally" lower risk" but, given the long investment time horizon and the desire to maintain the real value of the assets, there is scope for an allocation to equities. Constraints: The Charity is to be managed with a long time horizon in mind as there is currently no intention to distribute more than the annual income. Given that there is little chance of cash distributions beyond the quarterly distributions of dividends, there are little or no liquidity constraints for the Charity. Given the charitable status there are no tax constraints nor are there any legal or regulatory constraints. Finally the Trustees have requested several ethical constraints and there are to be no investments in armaments, tobacco or gambling.

#### **Charity policy on reserves**

The Charity holds cash at bank of £14,324, representing unrestricted funds to be applied for the Charity's objectives. It is a policy of the trustees:

- (i) To retain the capital of the Trust as a permanent endowment and not to spend more than the accumulated income on grants from the Trust.
- (ii) To give three months prior written notice to the BCF Management Board of any proposed expenditure of capital.

Also held are funds of £3,314 by the Trust's investment managers: to the extent that these do not represent accumulated income due to be paid over, these are to be applied for the purchase of investments.

On behalf of the Trustees

John Philpott Trustee

#### **FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2014**

# INDEPENDENT EXAMINERS' REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE JOHN ROBINSON YOUTH CHESS TRUST

We report on the accounts for the year ended 31 August 2014, which are set out on pages 8 to 13.

#### Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and that an independent examination is needed.

Having been satisfied that the charity is not subject to audit under charity law and is eligible for independent examination it is our responsibility it is our responsibility:

- To examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act;
- To follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act; and
- To state whether particular matters have come to our attention

#### Basis of independent examiner's report

Our examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission. 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 the seeking from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be included in an audit and, consequently, no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair view' and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

#### Independent examiner's statement

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

- (1) Which gives cause to believe that, in any material respect, the requirements:
  - To keep accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the 2011 Act

- To prepare accounts which comply with the accounting records and to comply
  with the accounting requirements of the 2011 Act and with the methods and
  principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and
  Reporting by Charities (revised 2005) have not been met; or
- (2) To which, in our opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Clifford R Chandler FCA
Goatcher Chandler Audit Ltd
Chartered Accountants
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Kent

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# THE JOHN ROBINSON YOUTH CHESS TRUST FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2014 STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

	Note	<b>2014</b> £	<b>2013</b> £
Incoming resources			
Incoming resources from generated funds			
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Investment income		20,045	24,209
Bank interest		2	2
Loan interest		-	600
Profit on sale of investments	3	13,070	19,678
Total incoming resources		37,443	44,489
Resources expended	_		
Costs of generated funds			
Grants	2	21,855	16,748
Governance costs	4	4,449	3,808
Total resources expended	_	26,304	20,556
Net incoming resources		11,139	23,933
Reconciliation of funds			
Funds brought forward		531,217	507,284
Funds carried forward		£542,356	£531,217
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A Statement of Total Recognised Gains and Losses is not required as all gains and losses are included in the statement of Financial Activities.

All incoming resources, resources expended and resulting net movement in funds are derived from continuing activities.

# **FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2014**

# **BALANCE SHEET**

Fixed assets  Investments 7 523,689 510,040  Current assets  Cash at bank 14,324 14.931 Investment Managers 3,314 7,210 Debtors 8 2,000 22,141  Creditors  Amounts falling due within one 9 971 964 year  Net current assets 18,667 21,177  Total assets less current liabilities  Reserves  Unrestricted funds 542,356 531,217		Note	£	2014	£	2013
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#### **FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2014**

#### **NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS**

#### 1. Accounting policies

The principal accounting policies are summarised below. The accounting policies have been applied consistently throughout the year and in the previous year.

#### i. Basis of accounting

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008), the Statement of Recommended Practice 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities (SORP 2005) and with applicable UK Accounting Standards and the Charities Act 2011, and comply with the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008.

#### ii. Fund accounting

All funds are unrestricted, and are available for use by the Trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the trust.

#### iii. Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included in the statement of financial activities when the Trust is entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable certainty.

#### iv. Resources expended

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Governance costs include those costs associated with the constitutional and statutory requirements of the charity and include costs linked to the strategic management of the charity.

#### v. Fixed assets

Investments held as fixed assets are shown at cost. The mid-market value on the balance sheet date is shown as a note. Gains and losses on the disposal of investments are taken to the statement of financial activities.

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# NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

2. Grants	2014	2013
	£	3
English Chess Federation		
<ul><li>Junior Grand Prix</li><li>Olympiad</li><li>Other, including Junior coaching</li></ul>	2,400 750 5,600	2,100 - 2,000
British Chess Championships		
<ul><li>Event support</li><li>Junior coaching</li></ul>	5,000 2,000	5,000 2,000
John Robinson Fellowship	2,000	2,000
Grant for events	500	2,000
Other grants	3,605	1,848
	21,855	16,748
3. Profit on sale of investments		
Morgan Stanley 5.37% Bds 14/11/13 Marks & Spencer 5.625% Bds 24/03/14 WPP Finance SA 6.37% Gtd Bds 06/11/20 Xstrata Finance Corp 7.375% Bond 27/05/20	13,070	3,584 1,552 14.542 - 19,678
4. Governance costs		
Investment management costs Administration fees Accountancy fees	3,766 305 378	3,083 345 380
	4,449	3,808

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#### THE JOHN ROBINSON YOUTH CHESS TRUST

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#### **NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS**

#### 5. Trustees' remuneration and benefits

There were no Trustees remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 31 August 2014 nor for the year ended 31 August 2013.

#### 6. Trustees' expenses

Trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 31 August 2014 totalled £47 (2013 - £87)

#### 7. Investment assets

All investments are listed. The nominal amount held and the cost were as follows.

	Nominal £	Cost 2014 £	Cost 2013 £
Smith & Williamson UK Equity Income Trust BT 3.5% Index Linked Bonds 25/04/25 Xstrata Finance Corp 7.375% Bond 27/05/20 BNY Mellon Investment Fund Newton Higher Inc Schroder Unit Trust Income Z Provident Financial 7% Notes 04/10/17 Tesco Personal Finance 5% Notes 21/05/20 Capita Financial Trojan Managers Trojan Income Veritas Funds Plc Global Equity Income A Enterprise Inns 6.5% Sec Bonds 06/12/18	68,368 45.000 61,000 25,780 54,879 30,000 23,000 19,546 164 35,000	88,708 59,649 26,695 26,724 30,770 23,000 25,341 23,500 35,820	88,263 60,040 60.128 26,695 26,725 30,810 23,000 25,664 23,500 36,939
Beazley PLC 5.375% MTN 25/09/19 London Stock Exchange Group 4.75% NB Global Floating Rate Inc – Preference shares International Public Partnerships Ord Artemis Fund Managers Global Income Units Credit Suisse 10% FTSE100/ES50 A/Call 02/04/20	37,000 30,000 35,000 16,000 40,000 30,000	37,283 30,000 35,764 20,173 29,692 30,570	37,282 30,000 20,821 20,173
	-	523,689	510,040

The market value of the investments at 31 August 2014 was £583,526.



# THE JOHN ROBINSON YOUTH CHESS TRUST FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2014 NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

8. Debtors	2014	2013
	£	£
English Chess Federation	2,000	2,000
	2,000	2,000
9. Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year		
Accrued expenses	.971	964
	971	964