



The Princess Project

(A Charitable Incorporated Organisation)

Report and Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2016

Charity Number 1155021

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Report of the Trustees for the year ended 31st March 2016

The trustees present their trustees annual report together with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31st March 2016. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out in note 1 to the accounts and comply with the charity's governing document, the Charities Act 2011 and Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland published on 16 July 2014.

Objectives and activities for the public benefit

The objects of the Princess Project as set out in its governing document are:

- the promotion of social inclusion for the public benefit amongst mothers between the ages of 16 to 30 who are socially excluded, by means of employment, financial hardship, age, substance abuse or dependency, relationship/family breakdown, poor educational or skills attainment, poor physical or mental health. This is achieved by providing a befriending scheme and drop-in support, to relieve the needs of those mothers and their children and to assist them to integrate into society.
- to advance education in accordance with Christian principles by running parenting courses, and to teach or provide training for parents in other life skills such as nutrition, budgeting and first aid.
- to relieve financial hardship among new parents and their dependents by providing good quality second hand baby and toddler clothing, equipment and toys free of charge.
- to relieve financial hardship among local families by equipping parents with the skills and opportunity to be able to make and sell a range of goods.
- to advance the Christian faith in accordance with our statement of faith.

The trustees confirm that they have referred to the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit when reviewing the charity's aims and objectives and in planning future activities. The objects are achieved through a variety of activities:

- Mum2Mum Befriending Service
- Princess Project Boxes
- Parenting Groups and Courses
- Totcyle
- Drop in support
- Providing supported volunteering opportunities
- Running free family-friendly events

