

## **Bridges Hull Annual Return**

Period 13 Months ended 31<sup>st</sup> October 2008

Registered at Companies House: Bridges Hull Limited

Company registration number: 6467743

Registered Office 22 Appin Close

Bransholme

Hull

Hu7 5DB

Charity Registration number 1123951

Principle office and place of business 22 Appin Close

Bransholme

Hull

Hu7 5DB

## Principle officers

Trustees Mr R J Bailey

McKenzie House Gloucester Drive

London N4 2LE

Length of Service All of year in question

Mr A Dorton 16 Harlech Close

Hull Hu7 5DB

Length of Service All of year in question

Mr P Martindale 15 Ditmas avenue Anlaby Common

Hull Hu4 7SA

Length of Service All of year in question

Secretary Mrs T Strode

13 Harlech Close Bransholme

Hull Hu7 5DB

Length of Service All of year in question

Structure, governance and management

The charity is incorporated with companies House.

The trustee's meet not less than 4-6 times a year, in addition to the trustee's and the secretary Nicholas Strode is present at the meetings.

The trustee's revue the current activities that have been run, understanding what works and what doesn't work and how this affects the lives of those people we are working with. The trustee's then discuss what we can do in the short term and medium term.

Part of the meeting revues the financial position of the charity, income against expenditure, and an update of grant applications made and grants received.

It is felt at the present time that the trustees have the right level of experience in different areas and so no changes to the trustees are made at this time.

Policy on financial reserves

It is not felt that any major reserves need to be held, building up reserves would jeopardise the current work that is being done. It is not felt appropriate to use grants which are the major source of funding should be used for this purpose.

Public Benefit statement

The charities trustees confirm that they have complied with their duty that the Charity is operating for the public benefit.

## Objectives and activities.

The charity aims to help disengaged / disaffected young people in the Bransholme area of Hull. It does this by developing positive relationships with them and engaging them in a broad range of social and educational activities.

## Achievements and performance

During the year we run a weekly youth club, a gym club with a qualified gym instructor, a 5-aside football club, a kayaking club and an educational course for young people excluded from school. We have also worked with young people to repair bikes donated by the local police which culminated in a full days bike ride to Hornsea and back. We undertake various trips outside the immediate area as well as short residentials up to a week long. Through our work, many of the young people have successfully gained Duke of Edinburgh Bronze awards for volunteering, skills and physical sections.