WASONIC BOYS BENEFIT FUND REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 2017

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COMMITTEE AND OTHER INFORMATION

COMMITTEE - EX OFFICIO MEMBERS

M. W. Grand Master R. W. Deputy Grand Master

COMMITTEE - ELECTED MEMBERS

A Bell D A Brennan S Conn W Craig R N Espie K McClure W K McFarland J McKinstry

B Mooney B Morrison S O'Brien G Peden A G Sherlock N Sufferin M P Tyrrell

SOLICITORS

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Tilman Brewin Dolphin Ltd 3 Richview Office Park Clonskeagh Dublin 14

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REPORT OF THE ACCOUNTANTS	

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE		Year Ended 31 December		
	Notes	2017 €	2016 €	
INCOME			700 105	
Investment Income Rent from investment Property Deposit and other interest Secretary Grahame pupils	2	442,506 125,029 648 845	539,435 5,673 3,400 824 200	
Subscriptions Profit on sale of Investments Bequests & donations	7 7	664 -	743,001 46,334	
		569,692	1,338,867	
EXPENDITURE				
Office administration expenses Investment property costs	3	74,502 37,097	65,339	
Management Committee expenses Computer Costs	4	3,914 13,676	3,271 6,000	
Unfunded pensions to former school staff Accountants fee		4,090 4,104	3,230 6,000	
Legal Fees (Cy-Pres Scheme Update) Investment management fee Bank Charges		2,883 45,014 1,610	43,394 2,288	
TOTAL ADMINISTRATION		186,891	129,522	
INCOME BEFORE PAYMENTS TO BENEFIC AND TRANSFERS TO CAPITAL RESERVES		382,802	1,209,345	
School fees and maintenance of boys	5	507,103	528,412	
SURPLUS FOR YEAR		(124,301)	680,933	
Transfer to Capital Reserve Transfer from Currency Exchange Reserve	7 9	(664) (28,037)	(789,335) (127,246)	
Surplus / (Deficit) for year after transfers	8	(153,003)	(235,648)	
Chairman # //				

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STATEMENT OF TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES		Year Ended 31 December	
	Notes	2017 €	2016 €
Surplus for year		(124,301)	680,933
Currency translation gains /(losses) on foreign currency net investments		(28,037)	(127,246)
Total recognised gains / (losses) for the year		(152,338)	553,687
Opening capital account and reserves		10,752,349	10,198,662
Closing capital account and reserves		10,600,011	10,752,349

Chairman

Member

BALANCE SHEET		31 December	
	Notes	2017 €	2016 €
CURRENT ASSETS			
Bank Balance Debtors Tax recoverable		424,722 23,874 3,477	437,065 129,050 3,477
		452,073	569,592
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Creditors		68,766	45,269
NET CURRENT ASSETS		383,307	524,323
INVESTMENTS AT COST (Market Value:€ 15,320,387)	2	8,347,382	8,359,341
HEATHER HOUSE CARRICK MANOR		1,869,322 -	1,868,685 -
		10,600,011	10,752,349
CAPITAL ACCOUNT			
Capital Reserve Accumulated Surplus	7 8	10,201,193 398,818	10,200,528 551,821
		10,600,011	10,752,349
CURRENCY EXCHANGE RESERVE	9	-	-
Chairman Member Collaboration of the collaboration		10,600,011	10,752,349

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The significant accounting policies adopted are:

- (a) The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention. The market value of investments (mid-market price on the balance sheet date) is disclosed on the balance sheet.
- (b) Revenue and costs with the exception of investment income are accrued as they are earned or incurred. Investment income is dealt with on a cash receipts basis and the related tax credits recoverable are accrued at the same time.
- (c) The book value of investments is the cost of purchased investments or the market value on the date an investment is received where the investment is received by way of bequest or donation.
- (d) Assets and liabilities denominated in currencies other than Euro are translated into Euro using the closing rate method. Differences on translation are taken into Income & Expenditure. Income and expenditure in currencies other than Euro are included in the income and expenditure account at the average rate of exchange ruling during the year.
- (e) The units at Carrick Manor are stated at cost and no depreciation is provided.
- (f) Expenditure of a capital nature is charged to the income and expenditure account in the year of expenditure.

	2 INVESTM	IENTS			
	2017			Market	Gross
			<u>Book Value</u> €	<u>Value</u> €	<u>Income</u> €
	Fixed inte	erest securities			
<i>)</i>		Irish U.K. and overseas	274,812	245,311	17,984
			274,812	245,311	17,984
	Equities	Irish U.K. and overseas	620,890 6,702,958	1,556,176 12,770,181	23,800 400,722
			7,323,848	14,326,356	424,523
	Cash		748,722	748,720	_
	Total		8,347,382	15,320,387	442,506
	2016				
)			<u>Book Value</u> €	<u>Market</u> <u>Value</u> €	<u>Gross</u> <u>Income</u> €
	Fixed inte	erest securities			27,837
		Irish U.K. and overseas	391,990 	366,234	9,113
			391,990	366,234	36,950
	Equities	Irish U.K. and overseas	620,890 6,757,146	1,425,124 11,884,146	11,943 490,542
			7,378,036	13,309,270	502,485
	Cash		589,315	589,315	
	Total		8,359,341	14,264,819	539,435

3 OFFICE ADMINISTRATION EXPENSES Salaries Pension Funding	2017 € 48,765 2,069	2016 € 37,749 2,289
Apportionment of Grand Lodge expenses Rent Rates and Insurance Fuel and light Wages, cleaning and maintenance	1,200 3,096 1,303 10,362 66,795	40,038 1,200 3,046 1,125 11,637 57,046
Office equipment Postage and telephone Printing and stationery Travel Miscellaneous	1,073 871 661 5,102	269 207 3,042 1,022 3,753 65,339
4 MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE EXPENSES Committee meeting expenses Pupils personal accident/property insurance Sundries	3,886 - 28 3,914	3,233 - 38 - 3,271

5 SCHOOL FEES AND MAINTENANCE OF BOYS	2017 €	2016 €
School Fees & Grants - (Including :-Tuition fees, books, uniforms, travel & school meals, accomodation, etc.)	476,963	498,280
Field Visitor's fees and expenses	30,140	30,132
	507,103	528,412
Number of Beneficiaries	157	157

6 CARRICK MANOR

In 1985, the Masonic Boys Benevolent Fund purchased residential leases of 900 years each for three units of accomodation, for the use of their beneficiaries in the Masonic Havens Limited scheme at Carrick Manor.

	2017 €	2016 €
7 CAPITAL RESERVE		
Balance at 1 January Transfer from Income and Expenditure	10,200,528	9,411,193
Account	664	789,335
Balance at 31 December	10,201,193	10,200,528

Profits realised on the sale of investments and bequests received during the year are transferred to the Capital Reserve. This treatment has been adopted as the Trustees believe these profits should be retained as part of the capital base of the Fund.

8 ACCUMULATED SURPLUS	2017 €	2016 €
Balance at 1 January Surplus for year after transfers	551,821 (153,003)	787,469 (235,648)
Balance at 31 December	398,818	551,821
9 CURRENCY EXCHANGE RESERVE		
Balance at 1 January (Losses) / Gains on currency Restatement into Euro of investments historically denominated	(28,037)	- (127,246)
in Sterling Transfer to Income and Expenditure Account	28,037	127,246
Balance at 31 December	-	-

Investments purchased in Sterling were historically denominated in Sterling as the fund operated in both Sterling and Euro. At the 1st of January 2013 the investments denominated in Sterling were restated at their historical equivalent Euro cost. This resulted in an increase in cost of €698,835 which has now been taken to the Statement of Total recognised Gains and Losses. The balance of the currency exchange reserve has been transferred to the Accumulated Surplus.

The rate of exchange used as at 31 December 2017 was € = Stg£0.88723 (2016:€ = Stg£0.85618)

10 APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

These financial statements were approved by the Trustees.