

BRIPPA (British Paediatric Pathology Association)

Statement of Balances at 31st December 2024

Balance at 1 st Jan 2025	£15591.52
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Receipts

Membership fees/AGM	£685.22
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Payments

BRIPPA website + AGM IT support	£1165
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Deficit of income over expenditure	<u>-£479.78</u>
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Balance at 1 st Jan 2024	<u>£16071.30</u>
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The balance is represented by monies lodged with the Virgin Money Bank BRIPPA Cash flow Account

The above account has been prepared from the records of the Association and information supplied by Dr P French (Honorary Treasurer since November 2015)

BRIPPA (British Paediatric Pathology Association)

Trustees annual report and accounts for year ended 31st December 2024

Scottish Charity Number SC005836

Current Trustees

(Committee members)

Dr T Marton – President

Dr W Simmons – Secretary

Dr E Cheesman – SAC representative

Dr P French – Treasurer

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Recruitment and appointment of Trustees

All of the Association's trustees are appointed or reappointed by the members at the Annual General Meeting, held in May each year.

Governing Document

The Association is a charitable unincorporated association, and the purposes and administration arrangements are set out in the constitution.

Charitable Purposes

Our purpose, as recorded in the constitution, is to provide support for paediatric pathology in the United Kingdom.

Outputs:

The annual General meeting was held online in May 2024. This meeting also includes the review of the External Quality Assurance programme for paediatric and perinatal pathologists in the UK and Ireland.

There are approximately 70 full members of BRIPPA (subject to retirements) and 6 associate members. New members are due to be confirmed at the BRIPPA AGM in May 2024.

During 2024, the expenditure was for maintaining BRIPPA website and IT support for the online AGM.

The committee is to place new proposals for expenditure by the Association before the membership at the AGM in 2024.

Achievements:

The association has continued throughout the year to provide advice on matters of paediatric pathology to the Royal College of Pathologists and to the Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health. It has also supplied speakers to various scientific meetings on matters of paediatric pathology. The association has also been a vehicle for the dissemination of information to all members of the Paediatric Pathology Society. The association also supports and its members present in the Paediatric Pathology Training Days that provide training and education to specialist and general histopathology trainees in the UK.

Impact:

The Association has maintained the profile of paediatric pathology at the national level.

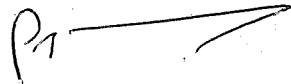
Trustee Remuneration and expenses

None

Reserves

As a result of the deficit of income over the expenditure of -£479.78 for the year, the association holds unrestricted funds of £15591.52 at the year end. This includes membership dues. We plan to spend some of this on the BRIPPA website, providing prizes for trainee pathologists at future AGMs and plan to discuss use of the accrued monies again at the 2025 AGM.

Approved by the trustees and signed on their behalf



Dr P French
Honorary Treasurer

16 April 2026

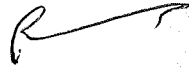
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Statement of Balances at 31st December 2024

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bank and cash in hand						
Opening Balance	<u>16071.30</u>	<u>16839.10</u>	<u>17016.48</u>	<u>16336.12</u>	<u>15994.00</u>	<u>16330.31</u>
Surplus/(deficit) for year	<u>-479.78</u>	<u>-767.80</u>	<u>-177.38</u>	<u>681.36</u>	<u>341.12</u>	<u>-336.31</u>
Closing balances	<u>15591.52</u>	<u>16071.30</u>	<u>16839.10</u>	<u>17016.48</u>	<u>16335.12</u>	<u>15994.00</u>
Reserves						
General funds	<u>15591.52</u>	<u>16071.30</u>	<u>16839.10</u>	<u>17016.48</u>	<u>16335.12</u>	<u>15994.00</u>
Closing balances	<u>15591.52</u>	<u>16071.30</u>	<u>16839.10</u>	<u>17016.48</u>	<u>16336.12</u>	<u>15994.00</u>
Assets						
Nil	Zero	Zero	Zero	Zero	Zero	Zero

All funds are unrestricted

Approved by the trustees and signed on their behalf



Dr P French

Date: 16 April 2026

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Receipts and Payments Account for the year ended 31st December 2024

	2024
	£
Receipts	
Membership subscriptions/AGM	£685.22
Total receipts	£685.22
Payments	
BRIPPA website hosting and AGM IT support	£1165
Charitable activities:	Zero
Governance costs:	Zero
Accountant fees	Zero
Total Governance costs	Zero
Total payments	£1165
Surplus/(deficit) for year	-£479.78
All funds are unrestricted	

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	2023
	£
Receipts	
Membership subscriptions/AGM	£734.58
Total receipts	£734.58
Payments	
BRIPPA website hosting and AGM IT support	£1502.38
Charitable activities:	Zero
Governance costs:	Zero
Accountant fees	Zero
Total Governance costs	Zero
Total payments	£1502.38
Surplus/(deficit) for year	-£767.80
All funds are unrestricted	

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Receipts and Payments Account for the year ended 31st December 2022

	2022
	£
Receipts	
Membership subscriptions/AGM	£530.00
Total receipts	£530.00
Payments	
BRIPPA website hosting	£155.88
BRIPPA website update	£49.50
BRIPPA website SLL certificate renewal	£89.00
AGM Speaker fee (Prof Heazell)	£150
Trainee presentation prizes	£150
BRIPPA domain name and update	£113
Charitable activities:	Zero
Governance costs:	Zero
Accountant fees	Zero
Total Governance costs	Zero
Total payments	£707.38
Surplus/(deficit) for year	-£177.38
All funds are unrestricted	

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Receipts and Payments Account for the year ended 31st December 2021

	2021
	£
Receipts	
Membership subscriptions/AGM	£1040.23
Total receipts	£1040.23
Payments	
BRIPPA website hosting	£143.88
Clair Evans (Glengoyne Distillery)	£69.99
BRIPPA website update	£60.00
Greig Sumerville	£85.00
Charitable activities:	Zero
Governance costs:	Zero
Accountant fees	Zero
Total Governance costs	Zero
Total payments	£358.87
Surplus/(deficit) for year	£681.36
All funds are unrestricted	

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Receipts and Payments Account for the year ended 31st December 2020

	2020
	£
Receipts	
Membership subscriptions/AGM	£670.00
Total receipts	£670.00
Payments	
BRIPPA website hosting	£143.88
BRIPPA website SLL certificate	£80.00
BRIPPA website domain name reg.	£75.00
BRIPPA website news update	£30.00
Charitable activities:	Zero
Governance costs:	Zero
Accountant fees	Zero
Total Governance costs	Zero
Total payments	£328.88
Surplus/(deficit) for year	£341.12
All funds are unrestricted	

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	2019
	£
Receipts	
Membership subscriptions	£435.00
Total receipts	£435.00
Payments	
AGM catering (2018)	£437.93
Travel expenses for SAC meeting	£109.50
Website hosting	£143.88
SLL certificate	£80.00
Charitable activities:	Zero
Governance costs:	Zero
Accountant fees	Zero
Total Governance costs	Zero
Total payments	£771.31
Surplus/(deficit) for year	£-336.31

All funds are unrestricted

Independent examiner's report

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of "BRIPPA"

I report on the accounts of the charity for the year ended 31st Dec 2024 which are set out on pages 1 to 5.

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 trustees consider that the audit requirement of Regulation 10(1) (d) 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 independent examiner's statement

My examination is 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 seeks explanations from the 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 the course of 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 comply with Regulation 9 of the 2006 Accounts Regulationshave 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.

Name: JANICE HANCOCK

Relevant Professional qualification/professional body:

Date: 4/5/26

Signed: Janice Hancock

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