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Since the last newsletter the Group has donated to multiple charities including, The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award Foundation, Afrika Tikkun, Great Ormond Street Hospital, the Laureus Foundation and the World Monuments Fund.

We are proud to share an update on our three-year commitment to supporting the Duke of Edinburgh's International Award Foundation (DoEIA). This partnership, delivered in collaboration with our charitable partner, Afrika Tikkun, has had an extraordinary impact on young people in disadvantaged communities in South Africa. Through the President's Award for Youth Empowerment, the programme equips participants with essential life skills, resilience, and confidence to thrive in their personal and professional lives.

### EMPOWERING THE NEXT GENERATION

The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award empowers young individuals to push their boundaries — both mentally and physically — through challenging and transformative experiences. Regardless of their background, culture, physical abilities, or interests, participants are encouraged to grow, learn, and achieve. The programme isn't a competition against others but a deeply personal challenge to unlock their potential.

In the first year of our collaboration, 140 young people across Afrika Tikkun's five centres began their Award journey. From trekking to painting, tutoring to creative workshops, they embraced a variety of activities that fostered growth and resilience. The results were remarkable: while we anticipated 70% of Bronze Award graduates would progress to Silver, an unprecedented 90% have done so. Additionally, 140 new Bronze candidates have signed up for Year Two, with a growing waiting list.



### DEVELOPING SKILLS AND CONFIDENCE THROUGH THE ARTS

In August 2023, Bronze and Silver participants took part in creative holiday workshops, including music, dance, theatre, and writing. These sessions not only enriched their artistic abilities but also supported their academic learning. Participants learned key skills such as audience connection, voice projection, and writing techniques, culminating in a Talent Day that showcased their development and potential.

Participants explored creative writing, poetry, and performance techniques, building confidence and enhancing their self-esteem. Through physical recreation, teamwork, and collaboration, they also developed healthier habits and improved their mental well-being.



#### ADVENTURE, GROWTH, AND ACHIEVEMENT

The New Year brought fresh excitement as Bronze and Silver participants embarked on their Adventurous Journeys a vital component of the Award. These journeys challenged participants to step out of their comfort zones, develop self-discovery, and embrace teamwork in a supportive environment.

Reflecting on the experience, Bronze participant Somila Nqeketho shared:

"The programme has been helping me a lot. I learned a lot of things in this programme including being physically fit (exercising regularly) and also being of service to others, and helping without expecting something in return."

Also, Silver participant Inathi Petsenge said:

"It was a privilege to be a part of the programme, but it was also a tough challenge that came with many obstacles. However, I managed to adapt to the challenges and learned to work with others while testing my own abilities."

#### **CELEBRATING SUCCESS**

In March and April 2024, Afrika Tikkun hosted graduation ceremonies across their centres to celebrate the achievements of 215 Bronze and Silver Award graduates. From Wings of Life in Diepsloot to Zolile Malindi in Mfuleni, these events highlighted the participants' dedication, perseverance, and commitment to leadership and social impact.

#### MENTORING THE FUTURE

Stonehage Fleming also proudly reinitiated a mentoring programme with Afrika Tikkun facilitators. Special thanks to our team members—Miki Caves, Thomas Withington, James Cook, Lucy Goldman, William Morris, Henry Kelleher, Michael McGeough, and Eva Sheppard—for volunteering their time and expertise to support these remarkable young individuals.



To hear directly from participants, donors, and volunteers about the transformative impact of the programme, watch this inspiring video.

### YEAR 2: A TESTAMENT TO PROGRESS SUCCESS

As Year 2 ends, the programme has seen outstanding results, with 83% of the 257 participants earning their Bronze or Silver Award. These achievements underscore the life-changing impact of the collaboration between Afrika Tikkun and the DoEIA. A recent evaluation highlighted significant increases in resilience among participants, with consistently strong scores across multiple life domains.

### LOOKING AHEAD TO GOLD

We're eagerly anticipating Year Three, where our first Gold Award participants will embark on the programme's most challenging and rewarding level yet. This journey will mark another milestone in our mission to empower young people and create lasting change.

In September, Afrika Tikkun celebrated 30 years of transformative impact with a meet-and-greet session at the London office. The event showcased the inspiring journeys of four young women from Alexandra Centre who completed the Duke of Edinburgh (DOE) Award. During the evening, Carole Day and Marc Lubner, CEO and Executive Chair of Afrika Tikkun respectively, welcomed guests as they honoured three decades of dedication to empowering communities and transforming lives across South Africa.

November was again a very productive month at Afrika Tikkun with students gearing up for various activities as part of the ongoing DOE programme.

During the month, the programme achieved significant progress in developing personal growth, leadership abilities, and community engagement among participants from various centres. Despite tight timetables and system delays (due to connectivity challenges), the programme has reached key milestones in Voluntary Service, Skills Development, and Physical Recreation.

The Gauteng Centre planned an Adventurous Journey trip for Gold participants within the next month.

The voyage lasted four days and three nights, with participants having the opportunity to participate in a tough yet rewarding expedition.

We look forward to sharing updates on this in due course. Read more.



**Great Ormond Street Hospital (GOSH)** is one of the world's leading children's hospitals. Founded in 1852 by Dr Charles West, who was driven to set up a children's hospital by the shockingly high level of infant mortality in London.

The hospital started in a seventeenth century townhouse with just 10 beds and two physicians. Since then, GOSH has become a place where multi–disciplinary teams of healthcare professionals and scientists improve the lives of children with rare or complex diseases.

Through carrying out research with local, national and international partners, GOSH has developed a number of new clinical treatments and techniques that are used across the NHS and around the world.

It hosts the UK's only National Institute for Health and Care Research funded Biomedical Research Centre (NIHR GOSH BRC) that solely focuses on child health, and is also home to the NIHR GOSH Clinical Research Facility, which provides specialist day care accommodation for children and young people taking part in clinical research studies.



The World Monuments Fund (WMF) is the leading independent organization devoted to safeguarding the world's most treasured places to enrich people's lives and build mutual understanding across cultures and communities.

Since 1965, their global team of experts has preserved the world's diverse cultural heritage using the highest international standards at more than 700 sites in 112 countries. Partnering with local communities, funders, and governments, the WMF draws on heritage to address some of today's most pressing challenges: climate change, underrepresentation, imbalanced tourism, and post-crisis recovery. With a commitment to the people who bring places to life, the WMF embraces the potential of the past to create a more resilient and inclusive society.



The Laureus Foundation was founded under the Patronage of Nelson Mandela and the Laureus Sport for Good uses sport as a powerful and cost-effective tool to help children and young people overcome violence, discrimination and disadvantage in their lives.

Over the past two decades, they have developed a global network of grantee partners and a worldwide charitable infrastructure. They have also developed a depth of understanding and corresponding credibility in their field and are recognised as a leading organisation in the fast-growing Sport for Development community. We are dedicated to supporting local communities and charities in the geographies in which we operate. Below are the highlights from each jurisdiction:



### SOUTH AFRICA

In South Africa the teams in Cape Town, Johannesburg and Stellenbosch have continued to support a number of charities including: Abraham Kriel Childcare, Ackerman Family Foundation, Afrika Tikkun Bambanani, Alzu Tour de Farm, Art School Africa Foundation, Axium Education, Chevrah Kadisha, Ernie Els & Fancourt Foundation, Hatzola Emergency Medical Service, Home from Home Trust, Kambaku Golf Club, Lifting Dreams, Norval Foundation, Paul Roos Gymnasium Foundation, Pondoland Conservation Trust, Raymond Ackerman Golf Academy, Rotary Club of Newlands, South African Rugby Development Board, UCT Online High School, UJC, Uplands Outreach, Volunteer Wildfire Service and ZipZap.

### ABRAHAM KRIEL BAMBANANI



Abraham Kriel Bambanani is a registered non-profit organisation providing care and skills development for traumatised children and youth in need, in the greater Johannesburg area. It provides shelter, physical care, rehabilitation and skills development for beneficiaries who have been subjected to trauma, abuse, molestation, poverty, neglect and unemployment. This is done via residential care, community services and educational programmes.

### LIFTING DREAMS



Lifting Dreams is a registered non-profit company which specialises in community upliftment through educational support in underprivileged schools and communities. They currently run a weekly academic programme in Soweto, Mamelodi, and Potchefstroom. Their education program is facilitated by both contract tutors, and an amazing team of volunteers to help children excel at various academic levels.

### AFRIKA TIKKUN BAMBANANI (ATB)



Afrika Tikkun Bambanani (ATB) is the coming together of Afrika Tikkun and Bambanani Sifunde. The ATB programme has brought together a team of teachers, theorists, educators, investors and therapists to create the best ECD curriculum available in South Africa.

### ART SCHOOL AFRICA



Art School Africa, a non-profit organisation established in 2022, they are dedicated to empowering individuals across the African continent to kickstart or advance their careers in the art industry. In partnership with the Harvard University Center for African Studies, they conduct comprehensive research, spanning countries such as South Africa, Kenya, and Ghana, to gain profound insights into the distinctive challenges faced by art practitioners as they embark on their professional journeys.

### CHEVRAH KADISHA



The Chevrah Kadisha, affectionately known as the "Chev", is the largest Jewish welfare organisation on the African continent and the oldest in Johannesburg. What started out as a burial society in 1888, has evolved into a full-scale welfare organisation caring for the needs of Jews from cradle to grave. The Chev has operated for 134 years and 82% of their annual budget is expended on welfare and providing care to those unable to care for themselves. Over 70% of that budget must be fund-raised through the generosity of their donor partners.

### ALZU TOUR DE FARM



The heart and motivation behind the Alzu Tour de Farm originated from the need and the will to give back to the children of Middelburg. This race is a family event with different distance categories, it draws competitive riders from all over the country and hosts between 1,000 and 1,500 cyclists every year – making it one of the biggest mountain bike races in Mpumalang and the fastest mountain bike race in South Africa! Their main beneficiaries include, Middelburg Primary School, Middelburg Hoërskool and Care Village, the local orphanage.

### **AXIUM EDUCATION**



Axium Education employs local community members to run education intervention programs. 15 years of pioneering work in improving rural education, their school leadership communities of practice strengthen over 33 schools, 30,500 sandwiches provided yearly so that their learners can focus on learning and not on their empty stomachs. Their work directly impacts 6,265 rural learners and over 2,687 children have regular access to books through community-based reading clubs, additionally, 169 volunteers & visitors have come from far and wide to advance the mission.



Hatzolah Poker evening

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### ERNIE ELS & FANCOURT FOUNDATION'S



The Ernie Els & Fancourt Foundation's stated mission is to identify and assist young talented individuals, in golf, predominantly from families of limited resources and to deliver to them educational assistance and playing opportunities in order to produce successful young leaders and develop their playing ability to their full potential. By focusing on the three pillars of golf, education and lifeskills, the Foundation constantly celebrates the success of its former members – and it certainly is not only on the golf course where that success is achieved!



### KAMBAKU GOLF COURSE

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With great community involvement over the past 25 years, and a love for the game, Kambaku Golf Course is uplifting the lives of local people in the area. The Club with its development program is making golf accessible by providing practice and play opportunities. As with building the course, the community puts hands together, and enhances golfers through the involvement of the South African Golf Development Board.

### UCT ONLINE HIGH SCHOOL'S



UCT Online High School's mission is to accelerate access to world-class high school education, so that they can unleash South Africa's potential. They're a team of mothers, fathers, dreamers, innovators, and believers who want the best for their children. They don't just believe in a brighter future; but believe in doing everything possible to make it happen.

#### HOME FROM HOME



Home from Home believes strongly in the power of family. Since 2005, their organisation has successfully provided support and family-style foster care to orphaned, abused, neglected and vulnerable children. They have grown significantly over the years and now run 36 homes in the greater Western Cape region of South Africa. In South Africa, the number of vulnerable children is staggering, it is crucial to tap into the natural resilience, hope and sense of community that exists. The African philosophy of Ubuntu, of being interconnected and sharing a sense of compassion and community is at the core of their purpose in building loving families. The success of their work has resulted in numerous organisations in South Africa using their Model of Care.

### NORVAL FOUNDATION





UCT Online High School's Mentoring F.L.

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### PAUL ROOS GYMNASIUM



Founded in 1866, this school is only a step away from the University of Stellenbosch and a variety of amenities, from sport to internet facilities, is shared with this institution. Paul Roos Gymnasium succeeds in preparing its pupils for the world of study, leisure and work. Since the establishment of the Chancellor's Medal of the University of Stellenbosch, 9 Paul Roosers have received the prestigious award. Together with Diocesan College (Bishops), the school produced the largest number of Springbok rugby players (54).

### RAYMOND ACKERMAN GOLF ACADEMY (RAGA)



In 2003, Clovelly Country Club launched a golf and caddy development programme to encourage transformation in golf. Young people living in the nearby areas of Ocean View and Masiphumelele benefitted not only from learning the skills required to play golf but also from the life skills inherent in the game. The programme was gradually expanded to meet the needs of the children and in 2007 Jonathan Ackerman founded the **Raymond Ackerman Golf Academy (RAGA)** as a Trust. Over the years, RAGA has grown into a unique youth development programme offering extensive after school academic support, a wide range of life skills activities and coaching in the fundamentals of golf under the guidance of qualified PGA professionals.

### HATZOLA

### ROTARY CLUB OF NEWLANDS



The Rotary Club of Newlands was chartered in 1994 and are now one of the largest clubs in their district and boast a vibrant membership of people between the ages of 28 – 80. Their club raises most of its funding through the management of marshals and other volunteer staff for events like the Cape Town Cycle Tour and the Cape Town Marathon to realise the vision of a country where every citizen has access to water and sanitation, education, basic healthcare, entrepreneurial opportunity and much more.

### THE UNITED JEWISH CAMPAIGN (UJC)



The United Jewish Campaign (UJC) is the Cape Town Jewish Community's umbrella fundraising body. In many ways, the UJC is the engine room of the community, powering its various organs and maintaining its vitality, viability, and ongoing growth and development. Through various fundraising events, campaigns and initiatives, the UJC sends funding pulsing through the veins of the community, bringing to life the constellation of schools, welfare organisations, and other communal bodies ensuring these institutions have the funding they need to fulfil their own crucial purposes fostering one of the most vibrant Jewish communities in the diaspora.



Hatzola is a non-profit, volunteer organisation established in 1979 to provide prehospital emergency medical response and transportation at no cost, to the North London community. Hatzola responds to thousands of emergencies every year, from minor injuries to life-threatening conditions.

### UPLANDS OUTREACH

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Uplands Outreach originated to be a self-supporting programme that would benefit the disadvantaged schools in the surrounding local community by providing expertise and facilities to overcome the disparity in educational standards. It has grown from strength to strength over the years, had a huge boost in 2019 with the building of the Japhet Outreach Centre which has helped the Outreach team with their continuing vision of 'raising achievement for all'.

### PONDOLAND CONSERVATION TRUST



Brad Fainsinger from our Johannesburg office took part in the Pondo Coaster trail run. It's was a three-stage team event (36km, 34km, 33km) from Port Edward to Port St Johns along the Wild Coast of South Africa. Stonehage Fleming supported him by donating R250 for every km he finished. R25,750 was donated to the charities Pondoland Conservation Trust and Miles for Smiles.

The Pondoland Conservation Trust — Fights for our planet through ecofriendly, non-invasive community development and food production; whilst actively resisting any unscrupulous exploitation along our coastline.

The Miles for Smiles Foundation — Facilitate reconstructive surgery to children born with cleft lip or palates. One in every ten babies born in Africa with a cleft palate die before their first birthday. A relatively simple and quick operation results in a life-changing smile for these children.

### ZIP ZAP



Zip Zap is a vibrant, uniquely South African social and professional circus. Through circus arts they inspire and empower young people from all walks of life to pursue their destinies. They promote social cohesion, create opportunities, unlock potential and transfer skills for life.

### VOLUNTEER WILDFIRE SERVICES (VWS)



The Volunteer Wildfire Services (VWS) has been on the front line, combating dangerous and sometimes deadly runaway wildfires since its inception during the devastating fires that ravaged Cape Town in 1999/2000. With a force of more than 350 volunteers, with women making up 34% of their volunteers, who operate from the four stations, Newlands, South Peninsula, Stellenbosch, and Helderberg. VWS is the largest volunteer firefighting organisation in South Africa. VWS stands tall as a powerful non-profit organization, driven by a team of fiercely passionate volunteers.



Pondoland Conservation Trust



### JERSEY

A number of local and national charities have been supported by our office over the past year through donations and fundraising, they include, Cancer Research UK, Centre Point Trust, Happy Heroes Jersey, Jersey Association for Youth & Friendship, Jersey Sports Association for the Disabled, Jersey Stroke Support, Pajama Fairies, RNLI, Tiny Seeds and Wetwheels.

### CANCER RESEARCH UK



Cancer Research UK exist to beat cancer, for the past 120 years, they've been making discoveries that save lives. But they still have so much more to do as cancer remains one of the world's greatest health challenges. Their strategy renews their focus on making discoveries, driving progress and bringing hope to those affected by cancer. They want to bring about a world where everybody can lead longer, better lives, free from the fear of cancer.

### HAPPY HEROES



Happy Heroes is an inclusive playgroup, currently held twice a month for children up to the age of 10 with additional needs, their siblings and parents/carers. Their aim is to be a safe, enclosed environment for children with additional needs to play, socialise with their peers and have a place where they can be completely themselves with no judgement.

### JERSEY SPORTS ASSOCIATION FOR THE DISABLED



Jersey Sports Association for the disabled (JSAD) is a charitable organisation and was formed 40 years ago with the purpose of providing support and encouragement to local residents with a disability who wish to take part in sport. It was, and remains, the general ethos that sport should be available to all, regardless of age or disability, and be fun!

### CENTREPOINT



The objective of Centrepoint is to promote the welfare of children in Jersey by providing child-first, leading quality childcare in nurturing environments within their nurseries, playcare and special needs centres. Centrepoint provide the absolute best possible start for the island's children supporting their emotional, physical and mental development through exploration, learning and fun.

### JERSEY ASSOCIATION FOR YOUTH & FRIENDSHIP



Jersey Association for Youth & Friendship (JAYF) is a charity founded in 1961 in Jersey. They are committed to helping young people experiencing homelessness by providing safe, secure accommodation. Their aim is to work proactively with young people facing complex barriers to help develop the skills they need to live independently.

### JERSEY STROKE SUPPORT



Jersey Stroke Support is a local charity supporting stroke survivors and their families by providing post-stroke reviews and raising awareness about stroke in the community.



JERSEY

### **PYJAMA FAIRIES**



Pyjama Fairies is the only UK charity to make pyjamas and surgical gowns specially designed for babies and children up to age 16 having surgery or any other associated medical test. Each garment is made in colourful, age-appropriate fabric and is designed to minimise discomfort when medical intervention is necessary.

### RNLI JERSEY

Lifeboats RNLI JERSEY

RNLI Jersey is a highly trained team of volunteers operating from two lifeboat stations (St Helier and St Catherine's) in Jersey, Channel Islands. During the summer months they are supported by our paid lifeguards who patrol Jersey's western beaches. They are part of the Royal National Lifeboat Institution which operates across the UK, Channel Islands and Republic of Ireland and which is made up primarily of volunteers united by selflessness, skill and courage.

#### WETWHEELS

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Wetwheels provides the opportunity for all disabled people, including those with profound and complex disabilities, to access the sea in a safe, stimulating and rewarding way on board specially-built, fully-accessible powerboats. By offering the opportunity to experience this as active participants they build confidence and improve physical and mental wellbeing.



#### TINY SEEDS



Tiny Seeds is a charity dedicated to supporting people in Jersey who are experiencing infertility or who need the help of fertility treatments to conceive. Through their monthly support meetings, regular meetings to discuss specific areas of treatment and infertility and a private online support group they provide practical and emotional support while helping people to know that they are not alone during what can be an incredibly difficult and very isolating time in their lives. They have an established link with the Government of Jersey Health Service in order to be the voice for fertility service users with regard to treatments, services and funding provided.



The London office have donated to a number of local and national charities including: Alzheimer's Society, Anne Frank, Anthony Nolan, British Friends of Migdal Ohr, Centrepoint Fundraising, Children's Cancer and Leukaemia Group, Alfred Dunhill Links Foundation, Evelina Children's Charity, Grouse and Grape, Helen Bamber Foundation, Jewish Care, Make a Difference (MAD), Queens Nursing Institute, Royal Osteoporosis Society, Shooting Star Children's Hospital, Sumbandila, The Imibala UK Trust, The St. James's Conservation Trust.

### ALZHEIMER'S SOCIETY



For over 40 years the Alzheimer's Society has been a powerful force for change, improving the lives of people living with dementia. Over those crucial years they've nurtured their relationships with people living with the disease, to better understand the complexities of delivering support within a challenging health and social care system. They've spent time listening to people who deal with the disease every day, and help amplify those voices to campaign governments for change. They have also been at the forefront of science and research, backing the world's brightest minds and funding life-changing breakthroughs.

### MIGDAL OHR



Migdal Ohr is Israel's largest welfare non-profit educational network that has been providing an enlightening framework of critical services and life-changing programmes to 40,000 disadvantaged and orphaned Jewish children across Israel.

### **EVELINA CHILDREN'S CHARITY**



Evelina Children's Charity cares for children and young people from across south London and south east England. They offer a unique range of services from antenatal diagnosis through to childhood, into adolescence and on into adult life.

### **ANNE FRANK**



Learning from Anne Frank and the Holocaust, the trust empowers young people aged 9 to 15 to challenge all forms of prejudice. Anne Frank is uniquely powerful as a catalyst for learning and reflection about prejudice. Her experiences as a young Jewish person during the Holocaust provide a powerful insight for young people to learn and reflect on the dangers of antisemitism and all forms of prejudice. Through their programmes, young people gain the knowledge, motivation and skills to make a real difference.



#### ANTHONY NOLAN

Anthony Nolan saves and improves the lives of people with blood cancer and blood disorders. By making lifesaving connections between patients and incredible strangers, ready to donate their stem cells; by funding groundbreaking research that could transform the future for more patients and, by providing the best experience for every patient before, during and after transplant.



### CENTREPOINT



The team in London took part in the annual J.P. Morgan Corporate Challenge. This event united teams of different speeds and abilities to triumph over a 5.6-kilometre race, all in support of Centrepoint, the leading youth homelessness charity in the UK. Alongside our partners, they support almost 14,000 young people every year and campaign to end youth homelessness by 2037.

### GROUSE & GRAPE



The greatest gathering of the Family Office ecosystem in Europe, the Grouse & Grape Luncheon is a unique networking event which has developed a loyal following since its inception ten years ago. Each year, this sociable networking event raises over £35,000 for Cure Parkinson's.

### HELEN BAMBER



Helen Bamber Foundation give survivors of trafficking and torture the strength to move on. With an allencompassing care for the whole journey, survivors have the dignity, strength and freedom to live their lives to the fullest. Their care ensures survivors are free, healthy, safe, are protected from re-victimisation, detention and poverty. It additionally guides survivors to recover following their experiences of trafficking and torture, and supports survivors for their whole journey enabling constant and sustained recovery.

### CHILDREN'S CANCER AND LEUKAEMIA GROUP



Children's Cancer and Leukaemia Group is a leading children's cancer charity and the UK and Ireland's professional association for those involved in the treatment and care of children with cancer. Over the last 40 years, CCLG has played a key role in the major improvements in survival rates and the standards of care for children so that over 80% of children are now cured. We are the central hub for childhood cancer through the specialist expertise of our members.

### ALFRED DUNHILL LINKS FOUNDATION



The official charity of the Alfred Dunhill Links Championship golf tournament. From the moment the first ball was struck in the Alfred Dunhill Links Championship in 2001, charity has always been an essential element in the makeup of this unique event. Many millions of pounds have been raised over the years. Initially funds were raised through the generosity of individual golfers and organisations, then in 2011 this commitment to charity was formalised with the creation of the Alfred Dunhill Links Foundation. The Foundation is now the official recipient of charitable funds raised by the Championship, which it then distributes to local and international charities and other benevolent organisations, benefiting a host of good causes.



### JEWISH CARE



Jewish Care is the leading provider of care and community services for the Jewish community in London and the South-East. Every week, we touch 12,000 lives through our: four dedicated campuses, nine care homes, four Retirement living schemes, one assisted living scheme, nine community centres including their connect@ services, three centres for people living with dementia, the Jewish Care direct helpline, and many more support services and groups for the Jewish community in London and the South-East.

### THE QUEEN'S NURSING INSTITUTE



The Queen's Nursing Institute is a registered charity dedicated to improving the nursing care of people in the home and community. In order to achieve this they have national network of Queen's Nurses, who are committed to the highest standards of care, through field specific standards that support specialist, advanced university qualifications for nurses, by funding nurses' own ideas to improve patient care, helping them develop their skills and innovate services, through our leadership programmes for senior executive nurses, and aspiring leaders in the community, by influencing government, policymakers and employers, and campaigning for investment in services, by helping working and retired community nurses in times of financial need and by linking up working and retired nurses for regular telephone contact.

### MAD FOUNDATION



To date, the MAD Foundation has helped build and renovate schools, pre-schools, orphanages, clinics, water and sanitation systems; provided scholarships, workshops and placements throughout Africa, South America, and South East Asia; creating lifechanging projects for developing communities. Every penny raised for the MAD Foundation directly benefits communities in the developing world, with all funds going to community projects for the purchase of building materials and equipment. Without the support of volunteers, donors, sponsors and supporters, their valuable work would not exist.

### ROYAL OSTEOPOROSIS SOCIETY



The Royal Osteoporosis Society is the UK's largest national charity dedicated to improving bone health and beating osteoporosis. They equip people with practical information and support to take action on their bone health. Working with healthcare professionals and policy-makers, they're influencing and shaping policy and practice at every level. Additionally, they drive research and development of new treatments, to beat osteoporosis.



### **SUMBANDILA**



Sumbandila is an educational non-profit organisation. They operate predominantly in rural Limpopo, South Africa and believe in the transformative power of education. They select extraordinary children from backgrounds of extreme poverty and offer them a world-class education alongside a strong mentorship program. Their ultimate goal is to help build future leaders who will make significant contributions to their communities and country.

### SHOOTING STAR CHILDREN'S HOSPICES



Shooting Star Children's Hospices cares for babies, children and young people with life-limiting conditions, and their families, across south-west London, northwest London and Surrey. They support families from diagnosis to end of life and throughout bereavement with a range of nursing, practical, emotional, and medical care. Their specialist care and support is free of charge and available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. They support around 500 babies, children, or young adults who have a life-limiting condition and their families, as well as around 200 bereaved families. It costs £10 million a year to run Shooting Star Children's Hospices, so they rely on the generosity of supporters to keep their services going.

### **IMIBALA TRUST**



The Imibala Trust is a registered South African NPO which works with children of school-age whose lives are affected by impoverished circumstances. The Trust, founded by Mrs Gaynor Rupert, provides a platform from which to offer programmes that make a substantial and measurable difference in the lives of the children, currently and as they prepare for their lives after school. All children, regardless of race or creed, are assisted through these programmes.

### ST JAMES'S CONSERVATION TRUST



The St James's Conservation Trust is a local group of residents and business interests that has been working for over fifteen years to protect and improve the beautiful and historic area of St James's in the heart of London. The St James's Conservation Trust works closely with the City of Westminster and English Heritage to bring attention to specific, locally relevant planning and design issues that will impact the extraordinary area of St James's.



### MONACO

Our office in Monaco was proud to support Children & Future and 'No Finish Line' and to participate in the event alongside local groups and residents of the region.

The No Finish Line is a charity event created in 1999 in Monaco: from its growing success

came the idea to see a No Finish Line organised every week in the world. Its goal is the promotion, defense and respect of children's rights in the world, as well as the improvement of their well-being and their living conditions.



The objectives of Children & Future are to promote and contribute to the defence and respect of children's rights throughout the world, by carrying out or supporting projects that improve their living conditions in terms of health, education, hygiene, nutrition, etc. and this, without distinction of origin, religion or sex.





### ISLE OF MAN

Our Isle of Man team is proud to support local and global initiatives that make a difference. Here are some highlights of their recent contributions to Cancer Research UK, Organ Donation Memorial Society and Manx Breast Cancer Support Group.

### CANCER RESEARCH UK



In September, our team—dubbed the Cure-ageous Crusaders—joined the Big Relay Weekend at the NSC, completing a 24-hour relay to support Cancer Research UK. This collaborative effort brought together colleagues, friends, and families to make a significant impact in the fight against cancer.

Cancer Research UK not only help beat cancer, fund scientists, doctors and nurses to help beat cancer sooner, but also provide cancer information to the public. They additionally raise money - every step they make towards beating cancer relies on every pound donated. A number of bodies work together to ensure that they make the best use of the funds received and continue to carry out world-class research.



Manx Breast Cancer Support Group

### MANX BREAST CANCER SUPPORT GROUP



As part of Pink October, the Isle of Man team raised £542.30 for Manx Breast Cancer Support Group. The funds raised help improve breast care services for patients on the Island, contributing to better outcomes for those affected by breast cancer.

### ORGAN DONATION



Organ Donation Isle of Man was set up in 2013 in loving memory of Daniel Thomas Boyde who passed away aged 15 after a car accident in 2007 left him with a catastrophic brain injury. His parents agreed to donate his organs, which gave the gift of life to 4 people.

The charity was initially set up to raise money to create the beautiful memorial garden at Nobles hospital to recognise organ donors for the wonderful gift of life they have given to others and to also encourage others to consider their own organ donation choices and to tell their nearest and dearest so they can honour their final wishes.



### ISRAEL

We are still shocked and saddened by the terror attacks on Israel. Our thoughts and prayers continue to be with our colleagues and their families in our Israel office and also with the many clients and friends of the firm who live or have family ties there. We pray for their safety and for peace.

We identified two local charities to which we have donated to order to assist with relief efforts, Magen David Adom (Israel emergency services) and Barzilai Hospital. We have also donated to the following charities, Bring Them Home Now, Collect Israel, Friends of the MDA Association in Israel, Give Hope, Tribes of Israel Synagogue, Western Alzheimers, Zaka Bescue

### BARZILAI MEDICAL CENTER



The Barzilai Medical Center in Ashkelon provides services to a population of about 500,000 people during peacetime and in times of emergency in a region defined as periphery including the cities Ashkelon, Ashdod, Kiryat Malachi, Kiryat Gat, Sderot and the settlements around Gaza.

Due to their location and its proximity to the Gaza Strip, the medical staff hold the responsibility for medical treatment and health care of the many citizens hospitalized or are evacuated to the medical center due to missile attack, as well as treatment of soldiers injured during conflict.

The center is committed to continue serving all people in need of their services with professionalism and loyalty and continue to develop more advanced services for the welfare of the residents.

### THE ISRAELI FRIENDS OF MAGEN DAVID ADOM



The Israeli Friends of Magen David Adom (MDA) is the sole authorised fundraising organisation within Israel, dedicated to providing financial support for the lifesaving efforts of MDA.

### BRING THEM HOME NOW



Bring Them Home Now was formed after the attack on Israeli villages and towns in 2023. The Hostages and Missing Families Forum is a civil, volunteer-based organization with no political affiliation, focused on bringing loved ones back home by any means necessary through all available channels. The forum includes thousands of volunteers, from the families themselves to senior figures in the security, judicial, communication, advertising, creative, and diplomatic sectors.

### MAGEN DAVID ADOM



Magen David Adom is the national rescue organisation recognised by the Israeli law ever since the state was founded, and serves as the formal organisation responsible for emergency pre-hospital medical care and blood services in the country. It handles hundreds of thousands of lifesaving cases every year and provides treatment to any individual who needs it regardless of ethnicity, race, political or religious affiliation.

The MDA belongs to the international Red Cross Movement and provides training and humanitarian aid to countries in need, all over the world.

### WESTERN ALZHEIMERS



ZAKA

Western Alzheimers was set up in 1996 as a direct response to the lack of support and services available to people living with dementia in the west of Ireland. From its humble beginnings in a 4-bedroom house in Claremorris it now provides a purpose- built "home from home" overnight respite unit in Ballindine as well as delivering other services to some 5000 families across Galway, Mayo and Roscommon. Their vision, mission and work are all underpinned by their commitment to provide essential support and services that meet the specific needs of people living with dementia across the region each year.

ISRAEL

#### LEKET ISRAEL



Additionally, members of our Israel team spent time sorting through food for the leading food rescue organisation, Leket Israel. The primary purpose of Leket Israel is to collect nutritious surplus food and distribute it to those in need through non-profit partners.



Founded in 1995, ZAKA is Israel's dominant non-governmental rescue and recovery organisation, with over 3,000 volunteers deployed around the country, on call 24/7 to respond to any terror attack, disaster or accident immediately, professionally and with the necessary equipment. ZAKA, a civilian volunteer organisation with sole responsibility in Israel for dealing with incidents of unnatural death, works in close cooperation with all the emergency services and security forces.

ZAKA has also created a bridge between the various sectors in Israeli society, with the values of volunteerism and dedication as the connecting forces. ZAKA volunteers include among their ranks Jews, Christians, Druze, Bedouin and Moslem; young and old; men and women; religious and secular. ZAKA aids all, regardless of religion, race or creed – because man is made in the divine image.

In 2005, ZAKA received United Nations recognition as an international humanitarian volunteer organization and has since become a model for emergency services around the world, sharing best practices and serving as a light unto the nations in the darkest of times.



### LUXEMBOURG

In Luxembourg, the office had four runners in the annual ING Night marathon, two completed the marathon and two ran the semi-marathon. The ING Night Marathon Luxembourg is the largest sports event in the Grand Duchy - and yet scores points above all with its family atmosphere. The four charities at the centre of this years' marathon were: SOS Village d'Enfants Monde, Unity Foundation, ONGD-FNEL and CARE Luxembourg.

CARE Luxembourg is a member of the CARE International confederation that supports humanitarian and development programs through technical support, advocacy, fundraising, and communications.

CARE works around the globe to save lives, defeat poverty and achieve social justice. They seek a world of hope, inclusion and social justice, where poverty has been overcome and all people live with dignity and security.

SOS Villages d'Enfants Monde support children and families in Ethiopia. For several years, the country has been affected by an unprecedented drought and has suffered violent internal conflicts. The charity helps strengthen local health services in order to control the spread of epidemics and reduce malnutrition among pregnant women, elderly people, and children under 5, who are the first victims of these extreme conditions.

ONGD-FNELisanot-for-profitorganisationfoundedinLuxembourgin1989.OriginatinginLuxembourg'sscoutingmovement (Luxembourg National Federation of Scouts and Guides-FNEL), it supports numerous projects promoting the development of education in Nepal.

ONGD-FNEL promotes the values of solidarity, cooperation, commitment and responsibility by establishing strong local partnerships which ensure that its activities will function properly and bring results.

Since 1991, the Unity Foundation have been on a mission to support the education and training efforts of local development organisations, they believe this is the best way to ensure the sustainability of projects and to guarantee that they meet the needs of local populations. They collaborate with partners in Cambodia, Colombia, the Central African Republic, Malawi, Uganda and Zambia. More recently, and drawing on the experiences being generated globally from these projects, they began their own initiatives in Luxembourg. All their efforts have one common goal: Building capacity in individuals and communities to bring lasting positive change in their own environment.





### NORTH AMERICA

Children's Hospital of Philadelphia Foundation, Els for Autism, Gary and Vivian Player Foundation, Jewish Community Foundation, Philadelphia Theatre Company

### THE JEWISH COMMUNITY FOUNDATION



Jewish Community Foundation mission is really very simple and their calling clearer than ever: Do good, They EMPOWER GIVING, INSPIRE LIVING and PROVIDE HELP. Their Giving Department empowers donors at all levels to know that their gifts are put to the most efficient and impactful use. Their Living Department creates programs that are crafted with the whole person in mind, inclusive of all ages and abilities, from physical fitness to intellectual growth to mental wellness to community belonging. Their Helping Department offers a food pantry, support groups, memory programs, and so much more. Additionally, they provide services to hundreds of people across three counties, in person, over the phone, and online.

### PHILADELPHIA THEATRE COMPANY

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The Philadelphia Theatre Company is a vital civic institution dedicated to the creation of extraordinary theatrical experiences that reflect the essential issues and ideas of our time, and which foster connection, understanding, and transformation. They engage and strengthen their community through exceptional productions of new and contemporary plays and musicals, inspiring education programs, and mutually beneficial civic partnerships. Additionally, they develop exciting new work that resonates both locally and nationally, an uphold a deep commitment to be a fully inclusive, welcoming home for the artists, audiences, and people of Philadelphia.

### CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL OF PHILADELPHIA

### Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

From clinical expertise, to lifechanging research, to impact within their communities, the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia Foundation advocate for and provide the best for children in their backyard and around the world. Because their patients deserve breakthroughs every day.

The Philadelphia team also took part in a corporate fun run in August with the team placing a respectable 3rd for best female and male team. The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia - Newborn/Infant Intensive Care Unit (N/IICU) benefited from the donations collected.



Children's Hospital of Philadelphia



### THE GARY & VIVIENNE PLAYER FOUNDATION



NORTH AMERICA

With the desire to support, uplift and develop underprivileged and vulnerable children, The Gary & Vivienne Player The foundation was established to nurture and educate a handful of children near their estate outside of Johannesburg in South Africa. Building on their legacy, Gary and Vivienne Player have devoted their life's work to making a difference in communities and to individuals. They remain committed to protecting and enriching the lives of our precious youth and will continue to do so in every way possible.

### **ELS FOR AUTISM**



The global mission of Els for Autism is to transform the lives of people with autism and those who care for them through lifetime services and collaborative partnerships.



### GUERNSEY

In Guernsey, the office were the proud sponsor of Toimoinous the Puffin (pictured on the front cover). As Puffins are one of the most iconic and much loved birds that visit the shores in the Bailiwick of Guernsey. Autism Guernsey and the GSPCA who rescue and help 1000's of seabirds, decided to bring to the island the 'Puffin Parade'. Following the parade the puffins were auctioned off to raise funds to continue carrying out their vital work supporting individuals impacted by autism and vulnerable animals in and round the Bailiwick.

### AUTISM GUERNSEY



Autism Guernsey, was established in 2012 and is a non-profit organisation. Their mission is to increase awareness, understanding, and acceptance of autism in Guernsey while providing meaningful support to autistic people, their families, and professionals.

### GSPCA



The aim of the GSPCA is to prevent cruelty to all animals; to rescue animals in distress; to provide shelter for strays; to foster and encourage kindness and consideration in the treatment of animals and birds, whether domestic or wild.



### SWITZERLAND

Our office in Switzerland supported several charities which included Football Is More, Gymotion and Simon Marais Mathematics.



### SIMON MARAIS

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The Simon Marais Mathematics Competition is an annual an Australian based competition that aims to: Encourage creative mathematical problem-solving among undergraduate students, identify talented students across many regions of the world, forge links between academics involved in the competition and promote healthy competition among students as well as between universities

Our Swiss offices also teamed up to take part in the B2Run Zurich corporate run at the end of May. The charity at the heart of the event was **Right To Play**. The organisation helps 2.7 million children in 15 countries in Africa, Asia, the Middle East and Canada. They create positive and safe environments where children can learn and succeed. In doing so, Right To Play uses play in all its forms to provide sustainable and active learning experiences both inside and outside the classroom.

### FOOTBALL IS MORE

- Football is more than a sport
- Football stands for team spirit and fair play.
- Football creates joy and excitement.
- Football is for everyone.
- And above all: football is a school of life.

This basic principle is both the cornerstone of and the driving force behind the non-profit FOOTBALL IS MORE foundation (FIM). It was established in 2011 in Vaduz in the Principality of Liechtenstein under the patronage of HSH Prince Constantin of Liechtenstein. The purpose of our foundation is to support and nurture disadvantaged people through the power of football – and therefore to empower them in the long term. We pay particular attention to children and young people who are socially disadvantaged, have mental and/or physical disabilities or live in crisis areas and developing countries.

### **GYMOTION**

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Gymotion is a show organized by the Swiss Gymnastics Federation that took place for the first time in French-speaking Switzerland, in Lausanne. On the theme "Together", more than 450 gymnasts, representing the best gymnastics clubs in the country, presented highlevel performances to live music, kicking off the year of the Lausanne 2025 Swiss Gymnastics Festival.

### STONEHAGE FLEMING CHARITABLE FOUNDATION

Stonehage Fleming Charitable Foundation's (SFCF) mission is to create a tangible legacy reflecting a commitment, primarily in the fields of education, healthcare, social and sport development where it is most desperately needed.

Over the past six years Stonehage Fleming Charitable Foundation has supported;

- Over **50** different charitable causes
- Charitable campaigns across more than **10** different countries
- Projects in sectors ranging from healthcare, to sports development, social development, the arts and beyond

The Stonehage Fleming Charitable Foundation is a UK registered charity administered by Exmoor Fiduciary Limited. Applicants are invited to submit support requests to enquiries@SFcharitablefoundation.org



### 2023/24 HIGHLIGHTS

The Stonehage Fleming Charitable Foundation has supported numerous causes in the past 12 months.



### FOR MORE INFORMATION



### Please click links below to view the;

- Group Philanthropy Service Guide
- Group Philanthropy Presentation

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