

Report of the Trustees for the year 2016

This report on the activities of Green Aid is for the year from 1 September 2015 to 31 August 2016.

This year our income was broadly the same as last year though we used some of our reserves to maintain the level of grants for causes that the Trustees wish to suport

The principle fund raising activity is through the activities of our Chairman, Colin Green and other members and friends of the Green Family. Generous donations were made to the Charity by friends of Colin & Hazel Green to celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary

We have focused mainly on supporting disabled or disadvantaged groups of people, as well as educational, medical and humanitarian causes..

We continued to make significant donations to the following charitable institutions:

- Magen David Adom, The Israeli Red Cross
- United Jewish Israel Appeal
- The Shalom Foundation
- Nightingale House
- British Friends of Israeli War Disabled
- Laniado Hospital in Netanya, Israel
- Toronet (for widows & orphans of IDF killed in action)
- The Shalom Foundation

We have also supported among other charitable causes

- Nightingale Hammerson
- The Jewish National Fund
- British Youth Opera
- Great Ormond Street hospital
- Kingston Surbiton and District Synagogue Cheder
- Apples & Honey Nursery
- The Israeli Dance Institute

- Kingston Surbiton and District Synagogue
- Young Israel of North Netanya Synagogue
- the Anglo Israel Association
- WIZO

We have thus made a large number of smaller donations to a wide range of charities, particularly supporting causes in Israel whose work is in fields relevant to our Objects.

For the future, the trustees aim to seek out individuals or groups in the Jewish Community where direct grants can make a significant difference to their wellbeing or life prospects

COLIN GREEN CHAIRMAN February 2016