

## Report of the Trustees for the year 2013

This report on the activities of Green Aid is for the year from 1 September 2012 to 31 August 2013.

This year our income was slightly higher than last year and we were able to utilise some of our reserves to increase significantly the level of grants during the year

The principle fund raising activity is through the activities of our Chairman, Colin Green and other members and friends of the Green Family. Corporate donations come from companies in Israel and it is the charity's policy that funds donated by Israeli companies are used to support charitable causes in Israel.

This year we have focused mainly on supporting disabled or disadvantaged groups of people, as well as educational, medical and humanitarian causes.. The largest donation was to the Ha'emek Hospital in Afula to fund a breast imaging ultrasound room in the hospital. We visited the hospital during the year with some members of the Kingston Quaker Meeting, Kingston & Surbiton United Synagogue and Kingston Liberal Synagogue

We also made significant donations to the following charitable institutions:

- Magen David Adom, The Israeli Red Cross
- United Jewish Israel Appeal
- The Shalom Foundation
- Nightingale House

We also made a significant donation for the first time to the Bournemouth Hebrew Congregation

We have also supported among other charitable causes

- Laniado Hospital, Netanya
- University Jewish Chaplaincy
- Ohr Hanefesh
- Kingston Surbiton and District Synagogue
- Young Israel of North Netanya Synagogue
- British Youth Opera

• Research into leukaemia, cancer and osteoporosis

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.

Green Aid also administers the Antithesis Charitable Trust. This fund distributed CDs recorded specially for it by the artiste "Antithesis" with all the net sale proceeds being devoted to the objects of the Charity.

COLIN GREEN CHAIRMAN October 2013