Company Number: 1284837 Registered in England & Wales

# THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED

# **ANNUAL ACCOUNTS**

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2021

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## **COMPANY INFORMATION**

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2021

**Directors** 

R.S.Greenhough

R.W.Hamilton-Foyn

P.J.Jolley R.C.Shipman G.D.Jolley

Secretary

G.D.Jolley

Registered Office

Corris Railway Museum

Station Yard

Corris

Machynlleth

Powys

**SY20 9SH** 

Company Number

1284837

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#### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The Directors present their report and the unaudited financial statements for the year ended 31st December 2021.

#### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company is that of the construction and operation of a narrow gauge heritage railway.

The company acts as the trading arm of its majority shareholder, the Corris Railway Society (registered charity number 506908).

Due to the Covid pandemic, the company was unable to run train services in 2020; services were able to resume in 2021 on a pre-booked basis only, which continued to impact on income. However, this was partly offset by the receipt of Covid-related grants from Gwynedd Council.

#### **DIRECTORS**

The following directors served during the year:

R.S.Greenhough P.J.Jolley R.C.Shipman R.W.Hamilton-Foyn G.D.Jolley

In accordance with the Articles of Association, R W Hamilton-Foyn retires as director, and being eligible, offers himself for re-election.

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# REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS (CONTD.)

# DIRECTORS' INTEREST IN SHARES OF THE COMPANY

The interests of the Directors and their families in the shares of the company were as follows:-

## **Ordinary Shares**

	At 31.	.12.2021		At 31.	12.2020
	£1 each	£10 each			£10 each
R.S.Greenhough		30			30
P.J.Jolley		_			-
R.C.Shipman	·	1			1
R.W.Hamilton-Foyn		_	•	_	-
G.D.Jolley				_	

### SMALL COMPANY PROVISIONS

This report has been prepared in accordance with the small companies regime of the Companies Act 2006.

SIGNED ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

R.S.Greenhough

Director

Company Number 1284837

25th September 2022

## **PROFIT & LOSS ACCOUNT**

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2021

	2021	2020
TURNOVER	Notes £	£
Sales & Fares Cost of Sales	3 23,278 - 14,389	3,437 - 9,736
Gross Profit (Loss)	8,889	- 6,299
Overheads	- 45,880	_ 38,249
Operating Loss	- 36,991	- 44,548
OTHER INCOME		
Grants Received Rent & Wayleaves received Dividend & Interest Received Miscellaneous income	10,000 28 - 1	13,000 28 7 50
Loss before taxation	- 26,962	- 31,463
Taxation		
Loss after Taxation	- 26,962	- 31,463
Deficit brought forward	- 438,447	_ 406,984
Deficit carried forward	- 465,409	-£438,447

# THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED BALANCE SHEET

## AS AT 31st DECEMBER 2021

		20	021	20	20
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					-
Tangible	7		346,689		305,738
Investments	8		288		288
CURRENT ASSETS			346,977		306,026
Stock	9	14,756		16,139	
Debtors & Prepayments	10	4,368		788	
Cash at Bank and in Hand		5,497		14,661	
		24,620		31,589	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due					
within one year	11	9,015		- 8,829	
Net Current Assets			15,605		22,760
Total Assets, less Current Liabilities			362,583		328,787
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year	10				
Corris Railway Society	12	700.060			
Coms Ranway Society		790,268	-00-40	729,909	
			- 790,268		729,909
Total Net (Liabilities)/Assets			-£427,685		-£401,123
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called Up Share Capital	13		£37,724		37,324
Profit & Loss Account (deficit)	14		-£465,409		438,447
Equity Shareholders Funds (deficit)/surp	olus	-	-£427,685	_	-£401,123

# BALANCE SHEET (CONTD.)

## **AS AT 31st DECEMBER 2021**

#### **Audit Exemption Statement**

For the year ending 31st December 2021 the company was entitled to exemption under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

### **Director's Responsibilities**

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

These accounts have been prepared and delivered in accordance with the provisions of the small companies regime applicable to micro-entities.

APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON 25th September 2022

R.S.Greenhough

Director

Company Number 1284837

The attached notes form part of these Accounts.

25th September 2022

# THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2021

## 1 DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing those financial statements, the directors are required to:

- \* Select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently
- \* make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent
- \* prepare the statements on a going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time, the financial position of the company, and to enable them to ensure the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

#### NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2021

## 2 Accounting Policies

#### Basis and standards

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the historical cost convention, and in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard FRS 105.

The principal accounting policies which the Directors have adopted within that Convention are set out below.

#### a) Accounting Standards

The accounts are prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards. A cash flow statement as required under Financial Reporting Standard No.1 is not provided as the company qualifies as a small company under the Companies Act 2006.

#### b) Turnover

Turnover is the amount receivable for sales of goods & services in the UK, during the financial year, stated net of Value Added Tax.

#### c) Depreciation

Depreciation is provided on all Tangible Fixed Assets other than Freehold Land at rates calculated to write off their cost evenly over their expected useful life as follows:

Railway Plant

10% p.a. straight line basis

Permanent Way Materials

10% p.a. straight line basis

**Building Improvements** 

10% p.a. straight line basis

New Buildings

2% p.a. straight line basis

Transport costs on acquisition of Plant and Permanent Way Materials and Development costs such as surveys are written off as incurred.

No Depreciation is written off the Freehold Land, as the Directors are of the opinion that the value of the Freehold Land would not be less than cost.

Depreciation of assets under construction at the end of the year will not commence until the assets are completed and in use.

#### d) Stocks

Stocks comprise items purchased for sale, and are valued at the lower of Cost and Net Realisable Value. Cost is computed on a first in first out basis. Net realisable value is based on the estimated selling price less the estimated cost of disposal.

#### e) Taxation

A taxation liability is not expected to arise in respect of the trading to date.

# THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2021

3	Analysis of Turnover	<b>2021</b> £	<b>2020</b> £
	Sales Train Fares	6,477 16,802	3,437
		£23,278	£3,437

In the opinion of the Directors, none of the Turnover is attributable to geographical markets outside the U.K.

4	Employees Full-Time Equivalent	<u>No.</u> 0	<u>No.</u> 0
5	Directors' Remuneration	Nil	Nil
6	Tax on (loss) on ordinary activities	Nil	Nil

# NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2021

## 7 Tangible Fixed Assets

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		Land & Buildings £	Plant & Machinery	Permanent Way	TOTAL
	Movement in Year:	£	£	£	£
	Cost or Valuation				
	At 1st January 2021	299,126	89,939	127,771	516,836
	Additions				
	Workshop, CCTV & PA equipment		2,789		2,789
	Carriage 22-24 Construction		2,555		2,555
	Waggon Shelter Construction				
	Goedwig Deviation Construction	12,446			12,446
	Permanent Way			32,922	32,922
	Disposals		<u>.</u>		
	At 31st December 2021	£311,572	£95,283	£160,693	£567,548
	Accumulated Depreciation				
	At 1st January 2021	61,622	28,843	120,632	211,097
	Charge for year	5,258	2,796	1,708	9,762
	Disposals		-	-,	5,702
	At 31st December 2021	£66,880	£31,639	£122,340	£220,859
	NET BOOK VALUE:				
	At 1st January 2021	237,504	61,096	7,139	305,739
	At 31st December 2021	£244,692	£63,645	£38,353	£346,689
	Listed Investments		2021		2020
	At Cost	_	£288		£288
	156 Ordinary Shares of 5p each in BT Gro	up plc		_	2200
	Stocks (note 2d)	_	£14,756		16,139
)	Debtors				
	Value Added Tax refund		4,319		563
	Prepayments				-
	Sundry Debtors	_	48	_	225
			£4,368		£788

## NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2021

## 11 Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year

	2021	2020
	£	£
Debenture Loans	310	310
Unsecured Loans	1,741	1,741
Trade Creditors	6,948	6,455
Value Added Tax		-
Prepayments		300
Sundry Creditors	16	23
	£9,015	£8,829
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#### **Debentures**

The 1998 issue of Debentures carries interest at 4% per annum from 1st January 1998. This issue was due for repayment on 31st December 2007. Holders have waived repayment indefinitely.

All Debenture interest was waived by Debenture Holders for the years 2021 and 2020.

Each Debenture of the issue as and when issued, shall rank as a floating charge on the Assets of the company, equally and rateable without discrimination or preference to the other Debentures. These Debentures carry a charge over the company's undertaking and all its property and assets both present and future, including its uncalled capital for the time being.

**Unsecured Loans** represent sums advanced by members of the Corris Railway Society; there is no fixed date for their repayment.

No interest is payable on these loans.

## 12 Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year

	2021	2020
Corris Railway Society	£	£
	790,268	729,909
	£790,268	£729,909

The sum due to the **Corris Railway Society** represents sums advanced by the company's majority shareholder to enable the company to undertake projects supported by the Society. It is not anticipated that these sums will be required to be repaid in the foreseeable future.

# NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2021

13	Called Up Share Capital	2021	2020
	Authorised	£	£
	100 Ordinary Shares of £1 each 10,000 Ordinary Shares of £10 each	100 100,000	100 100,000
	Allotted and Fully Paid 4 Ordinary Shares of £1 each 3,772 Ordinary Shares of £10 each Total	£ 4 37,720 £37,724	£ 4 37,320 £37,324

At 31st December 2021 The Corris Railway Society held 1,966 Ordinary Shares of £10 (2020: 1,966) each in the Company, the remaining Ordinary Shares of £10 each were held by members of the Society.

The 4 Fully Paid Ordinary Shares of £1 each are also held by members of the Society.

## 14 Profit & Loss Account

	2021	2020
	£	£
At 1st January 2021 (Deficit)	- 438,447	- 406,985
(Loss) for the year	- 26,962	- 31,463
At 31st December 2021 (Deficit)	-£465,410	- 438,447