

Company Number: 1284837  
Registered in England & Wales

# **THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED**

## **ANNUAL ACCOUNTS**

**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER 2020**

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# THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED

## COMPANY INFORMATION

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER 2020

<u>Directors</u>	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
Bankers	HSBC Bank plc 19 Great Darkgate Street Aberystwyth Ceredigion SY23 1DE
Solicitors	Morris & Bates P.O.Box 1, Ffordd Alexandra Road Aberystwyth Ceredigion SY23 1PT
VAT Registration Number	594 0392 24
Website	<a href="http://www.corris.co.uk">www.corris.co.uk</a>

## THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED

### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The Directors present their report and the unaudited financial statements for the year ended 31st December 2020.

#### 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, which had a significant impact on trading 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 C Shipman retires as director, and being eligible, offers himself for re-election.

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## THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED

### 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 :-

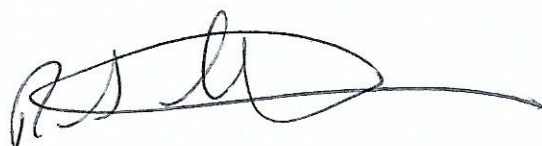
##### Ordinary Shares

	<u>At 31.12.2020</u>		<u>At 31.12.2019</u>	
	£1 each	£10 each	£1 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

23 09 2021



# THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LTD

## PROFIT & LOSS ACCOUNT

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2020

	Notes	2020 £	2019 £
<b>TURNOVER</b>			
Sales & Fares	3	3,437	25,561
Cost of Sales	-	<u>9,736</u>	<u>- 10,784</u>
Gross Profit (Loss)	-	6,299	14,777
Overheads	-	<u>38,249</u>	<u>- 59,372</u>
Operating Loss	-	44,548	- 44,595
<b>OTHER INCOME</b>			
Grants Received		13,000	-
Rent & Wayleaves received		28	26
Dividend & Interest Received		7	24
Miscellaneous income		50	-
		<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>
Loss before taxation	-	31,463	- 44,545
Taxation		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Loss after Taxation	-	31,463	- 44,545
Deficit brought forward	-	<u>406,984</u>	<u>- 362,439</u>
Deficit carried forward	-	<u><u>438,447</u></u>	<u><u>-£406,984</u></u>

# THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED

## BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31st DECEMBER 2020

	Notes	2020		2019	
		£	£	£	£
<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>					
Tangible	7		305,738		251,245
Investments	8		288		288
			<u>306,026</u>		<u>251,533</u>
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>					
Stock	9	16,139		20,015	
Debtors & Prepayments	10	788		1,305	
Cash at Bank and in Hand		<u>14,661</u>		<u>6,528</u>	
		31,589		27,848	
<b>CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year</b>	11	-	8,829	-	11,021
<b>Net Current Assets</b>			<u>22,760</u>		<u>16,828</u>
<b>Total Assets, less Current Liabilities</b>			328,787		268,360
<b>CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year</b>	12				
Corris Railway Society		729,909		638,120	
		-	729,909	-	638,120
<b>Total Net (Liabilities)/Assets</b>			<u><u>-£401,123</u></u>		<u><u>-£369,759</u></u>
<b>CAPITAL AND RESERVES</b>					
Called Up Share Capital	13		£37,324		37,224
Profit & Loss Account (deficit)	14		-£438,447	-	406,983
<b>Equity Shareholders Funds (deficit)/surplus</b>			<u><u>-£401,123</u></u>		<u><u>-£369,759</u></u>

# THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED

## BALANCE SHEET (CONTD.)

AS AT 31st DECEMBER 2020

### Audit Exemption Statement

For the year ending 31st December 2020 the company was entitled to exemption under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

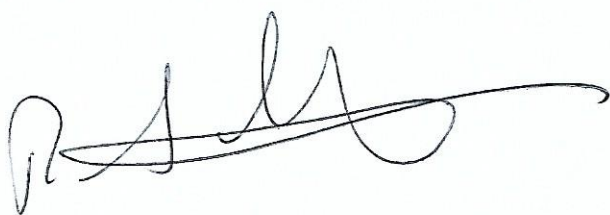
### Director's Responsibilities

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 23 09 2021



.....  
R.S.Greenhough

Director

Company Number 1284837

The attached notes form part of these Accounts.

23 09 2021



# **THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED**

## **NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS**

### **FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2020**

#### **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.

# THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2020

#### 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 2020

3	<b>Analysis of Turnover</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2019</b>
		£	£
	Sales	3,437	9,332
	Train Fares	-	16,229
		<u>£3,437</u>	<u>£25,561</u>

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

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



# THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2020

#### 7 Tangible Fixed Assets

	Land & Buildings £	Plant & Machinery £	Permanent Way £	TOTAL £
Movement in Year:				
Cost or Valuation				
At 1st January 2020	237,052	87,889	127,771	452,712
<b>Additions</b>				
Workshop, CCTV & PA equipment	-	1,011	-	1,011
Carriage 22-24 Construction	-	1,038	-	1,038
Waggon Shelter Construction	1,028			1,028
Goedwig Deviation Construction	61,046			61,046
<b>Disposals</b>	-	-	-	-
At 31st December 2020	<u>£299,126</u>	<u>£89,939</u>	<u>£127,771</u>	<u>£516,835</u>
Accumulated Depreciation				
At 1st January 2020	56,354	26,190	118,924	201,467
Charge for year	5,268	2,653	1,708	9,630
Disposals	-	-	-	-
At 31st December 2020	<u>£61,622</u>	<u>£28,843</u>	<u>£120,632</u>	<u>£211,097</u>
NET BOOK VALUE:				
At 1st January 2020	180,699	61,699	8,847	251,245
At 31st December 2020	<u>£237,503</u>	<u>£61,095</u>	<u>£7,139</u>	<u>£305,738</u>

#### 8 Listed Investments

	2020	2019
At Cost	<u>£288</u>	<u>£288</u>
156 Ordinary Shares of 5p each in BT Group plc		

#### 9 Stocks (note 2d)

<u>£16,139</u>	<u>20,015</u>
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#### 10 Debtors

Value Added Tax refund	563	1,305
Prepayments	-	-
Sundry Debtors	225	-
	<u>£788</u>	<u>£1,305</u>

# THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2020

#### 11 Creditors : Amounts falling due within one year

	2020	2019
	£	£
Debenture Loans	310	310
Unsecured Loans	1,741	6,741
Trade Creditors	6,455	3,551
Value Added Tax	-	-
Prepayments	300	-
Sundry Creditors	23	418
	<u>£8,829</u>	<u>£11,021</u>

#### 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 2020 and 2019.

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

	2020	2019
	£	£
Corris Railway Society	<u>729,909</u>	<u>638,120</u>
	<u>£729,909</u>	<u>£638,120</u>

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.



# THE CORRIS RAILWAY COMPANY LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2020

<b>13 Called Up Share Capital</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2019</b>
	£	£
<b>Authorised</b>		
100 Ordinary Shares of £1 each	100	100
10,000 Ordinary Shares of £10 each	<u>100,000</u>	<u>100,000</u>
<b>Allotted and Fully Paid</b>	£	£
4 Ordinary Shares of £1 each	4	4
3,732 Ordinary Shares of £10 each	<u>37,320</u>	<u>37,220</u>
Total	<u><u>£37,324</u></u>	<u><u>£37,224</u></u>

At 31st December 2020 The Corris Railway Society held 1,966 Ordinary Shares of £10 (2019 : 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

	<b>2020</b>	<b>2019</b>
	£	£
At 1st January 2019 (Deficit)	- 406,984	- 362,439
(Loss) for the year	- <u>31,463</u>	- <u>44,545</u>
At 31st December 2019 (Deficit)	<u><u>-£438,447</u></u>	<u><u>-£406,984</u></u>