

EAST LEAKE TOWN LANDS TRUST

ANNUAL REPORT – 2007/08

Charity Reg. No: 242405

Charity Address: 7 Hall Gardens, East Leake, Loughborough, Leics LE12 6NA

Charity Description: The Trust was established “for the good and ease of the inhabitants of East Leake”. It seeks to use its available funds for the benefit of the community as a whole, or for groups / organizations within the community.

Trustees: Mr M A Davis (Chair), Mrs D Elcock, Mrs M Jacques,
Councillor Mr C Oatey, Mr J Redfern, Mr R Vincent.

Secretary: Councillor Mr C Oatey

Activities – 2007/08

Support for the Christmas activities within village organizations continued, as did the distribution of food parcels to the elderly housebound. These traditional gifts continue to be much appreciated by recipients.

This year, three requests for financial support for village projects were approved: Preschool Playgroup (equipment), St Mary’s Church (crockery) and Allotment Association (path repairs). Other requests were considered during the year, but were not finalised before the end of March. In addition, the Trustees agreed to mark the 100th birthday of any resident in the village with a small gift. Grants totalling £810 were made during the year.

Income at around £2,415 was nearly £200 higher than last year. A surplus of nearly £745 was incurred during the year, similar to that of 2006/7. Some changes were made to the Trust’s investments, following discussions with financial advisors. The value of the Trust’s investments had reduced by over £6,000 by the end of the year as a result of the sharp falls in the Stock Market in the early part of 2008.

Signed: (M A Davis, Chairman)

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