

Trustees' Report 2016/2017

Trustees of the Ranaviru Fund have the pleasure of producing this report for the Financial Year 2016-2017.

A total of £4,428 carried forward from the financial year 2015/2016. A total of £4,316 received as donations during this year. During the financial year the Charity has invested £5,111 in charitable activities.

Charity has spent £2,513.87 hosting the Sri Lankan New Year community event in April 2016 as a commitment to the local community. Funds required were raised with the support from community and also any balance from the raised funds after the above expenses were added to the reserve.

In 2 occasions, Charity has paid £221.10 to Silipos Holding LLC to purchase 26 Socket Gel Liners. These Gel Liners were later donated to a number of amputees in Sri Lanka at different occasions.

A further sum of £450.00 was raised in support for the 'Legal Aid' appeal for the benefits of soldiers who needed Legal assistance. This amount has been donated to the local campaign group in Sri Lanka in order to be utilised to support those in subject.

Charity has involved with providing financial assistance for the benefit of a cancer patient, who is the wife of a disabled soldier. It was our privilege to provide financial assistance through the funds we raised during the previous financial year. The charity has learnt that the patient was recovering well but she was further prescribed to undergo continuous screening, which costs a significant amount of money. Therefore, the Charity has decided to fund one of such screening at a cost of £289.00. This amount was paid directly to the Asiri Surgical Hospital in Sri Lanka, where the screening was conducted.

The welfare Association of the Sri Lanka Army Artillery Brigade has approached the Charity requesting for financial assistance in order to support the soldiers and their families those who are affected by the War. Responding to the appeal, the Charity has donated £100.00 to their ongoing welfare activities.

Committing to the Charity's objectives, the Charity has decided to support those affected by the Floods and Landslides in Sri Lanka in 2016. After assessing the situation through responsible authorities and those in Sri Lanka connected to the Charity, a total of £1,307.50 was donated to deliver the relief efforts to support a local community affected by the landslides in Sri Lanka.

At the end of the financial year 2016/2017 a total of £3,633 retained in the Charity's bank account.

Every possible measure has been taken by the Trustees of the Charity to minimise the administrative costs and other operational costs. It is our pleasure to state that such costs are nil in this financial year as well.

Charity Trustees would like to thank and extend their warmest gratitude to everyone who supported the Charity and its objectives in numerous ways.

Yours faithfully,

Dhammika Siripala Chairperson

On behalf of the Trustees of Ranaviru Fund

30 December 2017