



Minutes of Business section of the Annual General Meeting held online via Zoom on Saturday, 25 July 2020.

In attendance: Trustees – John Lardge, Edwin de Leon, Gay Bryant, Soozie de Leon, Joanna Bowley Laycock, Susan Thomas. JCSRR team – Margaret Scott, Lydia Backshall, Louis Sentinella. Plus approximately 50 online participants.

1. Opening

The Annual General Meeting was opened with readings from the Bible, Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures and Miscellaneous Writings by Mary Baker Eddy.

2. Business Meeting

- Minutes of meeting held on 29 June 2019. No comments were made on the accuracy of these minutes and they were accepted by online voting.
- Report and Accounts
JCSRR Treasurer, Joanna Bowley Laycock presented the accounts for the year to December 2020.
She highlighted that:
Income for the year was up overall against the previous year. Online sales were lower because there were fewer new products launched in the year. Donations from churches were substantially higher including those from closing churches. Stock orders are placed with CSPA roughly every two months. Margaret Scott had taken over as librarian during the year while Kate Hatley was on maternity leave. Some new equipment and software had been purchased for our growing live streaming work.
Remotely managed display screens for Reading Rooms was a new activity begun during the year.
Other costs and expenses are probably self explanatory.
There were no questions on the accounts.
- Having been put to the meeting, these were approved by online vote.
- Joanna gave an update on the charity's finances for the first six months of 2020. Some areas of expenditure – eg live streaming equipment – were high because, due to lockdown, equipment could not be installed in the churches that there ordered for.



- The following individuals were elected as trustees of the JCSRR charity: Gay Bryant, Joanna Bowley, Edwin de Leon, Peter Mills, Sozzi de Leon, Susan Thomas and John Lardge.

3. Updates on activities

The rest of the meeting was devoted to updates on the Online CS Reading Room, livestreaming of lectures and other CS events, social media and Google Adwords

The entire AGM can be watched on <https://www.spirituality4.m3e/jcsrr>