

James Gillespie's
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Treasurer's Annual Report 2021-22

Ros Ingle

JGHS Parent Council
treasurer

Accounts

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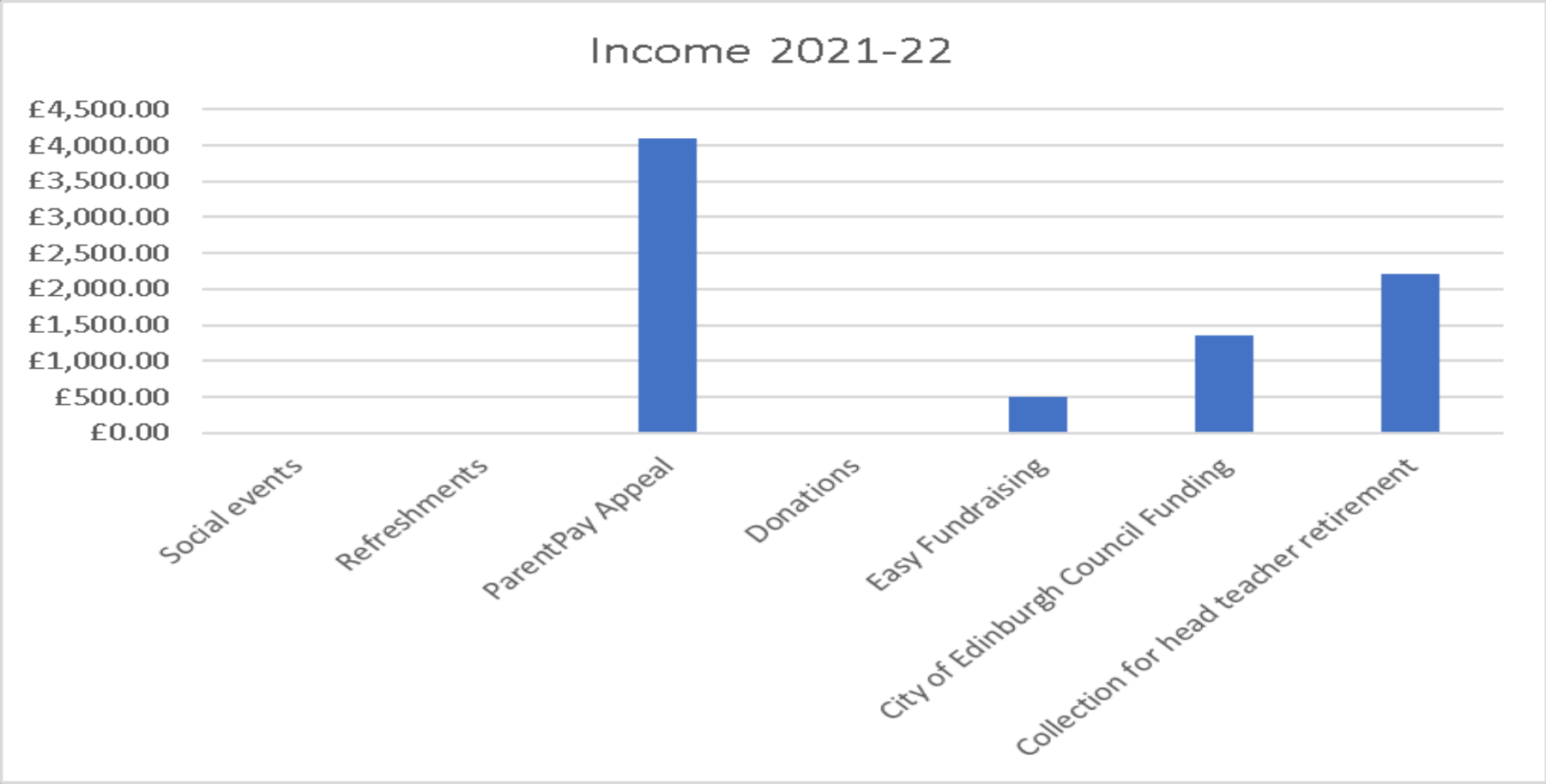


- ▶ Treasurer's annual report
- ▶ Accounts document including:
 - ▶ Transactions
 - ▶ Balance Sheet
 - ▶ Income/expenditure record
- uploaded to PC website under Documents>financial reports
- ▶ With thanks to Dougie Stirling for examining the accounts and invaluable advice!

Income

2020-21	Source	2021-22
£0.00	Social events	£0.00
£0.00	Refreshments	£0.00
£3,603.53	ParentPay Appeal	£4,102.48
£0.00	Donations	£0.00
£316.60	Easy Fundraising	£499.84
£1,201.71	City of Edinburgh Council Funding	£1,359.40
N/A	Collection for head teacher retirement	£2,212.86
£5,121.84	Total Income	£8,174.58

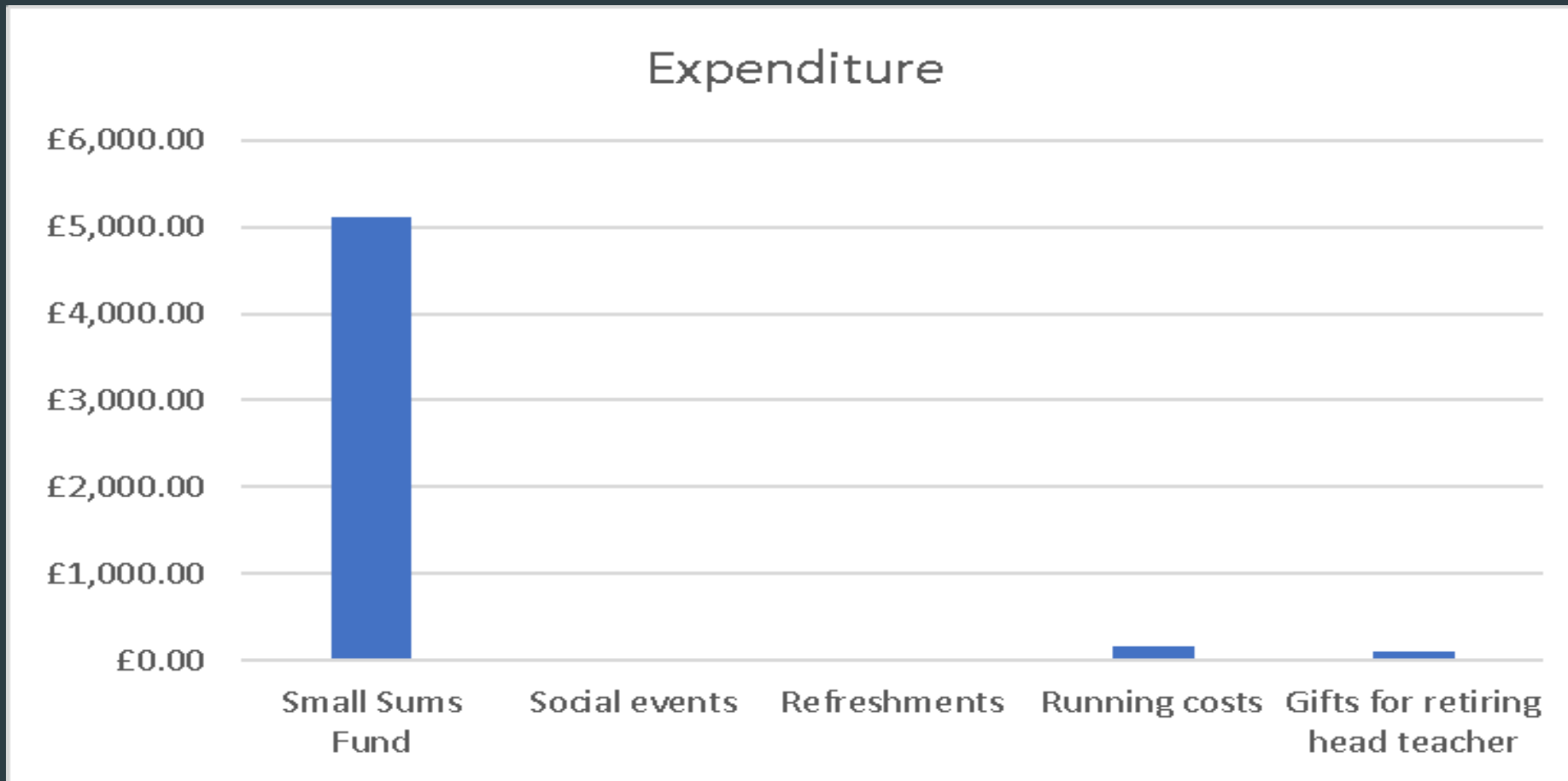
Income



2020-21	Expenditure	2021-22
£4,231.24	Small Sums Fund - paid to the school	£5,120.40
£0.00	Social events	£0.00
£0.00	Refreshments	£0.00
£0.00	Running costs	£167.26
N/A	Gifts for retiring head teacher	£103.00
£4,231.24	Total Expenditure	£5,390.66

Expenditure

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The JGHS Parent Council Small Sums Fund...

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...is open to staff, pupils and anyone connected to the school to bid for funding to support the aims of the Parent Council as set out in its constitution (Appendix 2):

- ▶ to raise standards of education in the school
- ▶ to secure improvements in the quality of education which the school provides
- ▶ to develop to their fullest potential the personality, talents and mental and physical abilities of the pupils attending the school.

Small Sums Fund

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- ▶ Donation to the school of funds raised by Parent Council in previous school year
- ▶ Annual process (Autumn Term)
- ▶ Staff apply for funding for their projects via application form
- ▶ A group of parents review applications and allocate funds

Liaison with JGHS Trust

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- ▶ Joint review of applications in Autumn 2021
- ▶ The Trust agreed to fund requests to the value of £1332.87
 - ▶ Emphasis on equity and mental well-being
- ▶ Thanks to Ann Henderson (former Trust chair) and Jan Melvin (trustee) for enabling this

Small Sums Grants 2021-22

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- ▶ Not all funds allocated Autumn 2021
- ▶ Supplementary round Feb 2022
- ▶ Some classroom resources requested, e.g.:
 - ▶ Equipment for media classrooms
 - ▶ Online resources for language teaching
 - ▶ Digimaps
- ▶ Also more bids for resources for extra-curricular activities than previous year, e.g.:
 - ▶ Basketball team strips
 - ▶ Resources to help pupils with ASN participate in DofE

SSF feedback

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English: The Week Junior subscription

Once again my huge thanks to the Parent Council for supporting our work in the English department as we strive to embed reading at the heart of our lessons. The money I received to purchase copies of The Week Junior has been really helpful with junior classes. It means there is always something current on hand to read - most useful when some of our pupils just don't have a book of their own at home...

SSF feedback

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Support for learning: resources to turn B6 into a base for SfL

We moved into a large, empty room in Bruntsfield House last year. We spent the money on making the room more welcoming for the students who access it and bought soft furnishings, plants, cabinets to display pupils' work and lots of picture frames.

More Feedback

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Funding for pupils known to SfL to participate in Duke of Edinburgh scheme

Thanks so much for your financial support. The money was exceptionally useful. We set up a curricular DofE Silver group for students in the senior school who would benefit from a supported DofE experience. Most of the young people were known to us in SfL. The money was used to help with ... kit hire ... accommodation, paying for them to 'volunteer' at Gorgie farm and ... Edinburgh Leisure passes so they could use the gym facilities regularly. The course has been a real success. All the youngsters who were still in school in June completed the Silver expedition and felt like a real team...

What can you do to help?

- ▶ Volunteer: jghscouncilcomms@gmail.com
 - ▶ Help with fundraising
- ▶ Donate via ParentPay
- ▶ Buy tickets and refreshments at events
- ▶ EasyFundraising

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