

Smashing Times Theatre Company Limited
Annual Report and Financial Statements
for the financial year ended 31 December 2019

Smashing Times Theatre Company Limited

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DIRECTORS AND OTHER INFORMATION

Directors	Sandra Berger Edwina Albbrecht (Resigned 21 November 2019) Olivia O'Hagan Bryony May (Resigned 21 November 2019) Eric Weitz Mary Lawlor
Company Secretary	Eric Weitz
Company Number	245850
Registered Office and Business Address	Coleraine House Coleraine Street Dublin 7
Auditors	KSi Faulkner Orr Limited Registered Auditors, Behan House, 10 Lower Mount Street, Dublin 2
Bankers	AIB Bank, Capel Street, Dublin 1.

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DIRECTORS' REPORT

for the financial year ended 31 December 2019

The directors present their report and the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2019.

Principal Activity and Review of the Business

The principal activity of the organisation is the operation and management of a theatre company with a view to advancing and encouraging the theatrical arts.

The directors are satisfied that the results for the year are consistent with expected levels.

As for many companies of this size, the industry in which it operates continues to be challenging. With the risks and uncertainties faced in mind, as detailed below, the directors are aware that any plans for the future development of the company may be subject to unforeseen future events outside of our control.

Results and Dividends

The profit for the financial year after providing for depreciation amounted to €398 (2018 - €435).

The directors do not recommend payment of a dividend.

At the end of the financial year, the company has assets of €304,813 (2018 - €261,481) and liabilities of €260,461 (2018 - €217,527). The net assets of the company have increased by €398.

Directors and Secretary

The directors who served throughout the financial year, except as noted, were as follows:

Sandra Berger
Edwina Albrecht (Resigned 21 November 2019)
Olivia O'Hagan
Bryony May (Resigned 21 November 2019)
Eric Weitz
Mary Lawlor

The secretary who served throughout the financial year was Eric Weitz.

The directors had no direct beneficial interest in the shares of the company at the beginning or end of the financial year.

Future Developments

The directors are satisfied with the progress made during the year and intend to continue to achieve high standards.

Post Balance Sheet Events

The Coronavirus Crisis has had a significant impact on the company's activities. The Directors have not been able to quantify the financial effects at this time.

Auditors

The auditors, KSi Faulkner Orr Limited, (Registered Auditors,) have indicated their willingness to continue in office in accordance with the provisions of section 383(2) of the Companies Act 2014.

Taxation

The company is a registered charity and has charitable status with the revenue commissioners (CHY No. 11932). The company is also registered with the Charities Regulatory Authority (Registered Charity No. 20033927).

Statement on Relevant Audit Information

In accordance with section 330 of the Companies Act 2014, so far as each of the persons who are directors at the time this report is approved are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the statutory auditors are unaware. The directors have taken all steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and they have established that the statutory auditors are aware of that information.

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DIRECTORS' REPORT

for the financial year ended 31 December 2019

Accounting Records

To ensure that adequate accounting records are kept in accordance with sections 281 to 285 of the Companies Act 2014, the directors have established appropriate books to adequately record the transactions of the company. The directors also ensure that the company retains the source documentation for these transactions. The accounting records are maintained at the company's office at Coleraine House, Coleraine Street, Dublin 7.

Signed on behalf of the board

Eric Weitz
Director

18 November 2020

Sandra Berger
Director

18 November 2020

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DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES STATEMENT

for the financial year ended 31 December 2019

The directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable Irish law and regulations.

Irish company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under the law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with the Companies Act 2014 and FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland", applying Section 1A of that Standard, issued by the Financial Reporting Council. Under company law, the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities and financial position of the company as at the financial year end date and of the profit or loss of the company for the financial year and otherwise comply with the Companies Act 2014.

In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies for the company financial statements and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards, identify those standards, and note the effect and the reasons for any material departure from those standards; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for ensuring that the company keeps or causes to be kept adequate accounting records which correctly explain and record the transactions of the company, enable at any time the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit or loss of the company to be determined with reasonable accuracy, enable them to ensure that the financial statements and Directors' Report comply with the Companies Act 2014 and enable the financial statements to be readily and properly audited. 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.

Signed on behalf of the board

Eric Weitz
Director

18 November 2020

Sandra Berger
Director

18 November 2020

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

to the Shareholders of Smashing Times Theatre Company Limited

Report on the audit of the financial statements

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Smashing Times Theatre Company Limited ('the company') for the financial year ended 31 December 2019 which comprise the Income Statement, the Balance Sheet, the Reconciliation of Shareholders' Funds and the related notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies set out in note 2. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is Irish Law and FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland", applying Section 1A of that Standard.

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities and financial position of the company as at 31 December 2019 and of its profit for the financial year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland", applying Section 1A of that Standard; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2014.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (Ireland) (ISAs (Ireland)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the company in accordance with ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of financial statements in Ireland, including the Ethical Standard for Auditors (Ireland) issued by the Irish Auditing and Accounting Supervisory Authority (IAASA), and the Provisions Available for Audits of Small Entities, in the circumstances set out in note 4 to the financial statements, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which ISAs (Ireland) require us to report to you where:

- the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate; or
- the directors have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt about the company's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Other Information

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report other than the financial statements and our Auditor's Report thereon. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2014

Based solely on the work undertaken in the course of the audit, we report that:

- in our opinion, the information given in the Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- in our opinion, the Directors' Report has been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2014.

We have obtained all the information and explanations which we consider necessary for the purposes of our audit.

In our opinion the accounting records of the company were sufficient to permit the financial statements to be readily and properly audited. The financial statements are in agreement with the accounting records.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

Based on the knowledge and understanding of the company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified any material misstatements in the Directors' Report. The Companies Act 2014 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion, the disclosures of directors' remuneration and transactions required by sections 305 to 312 of the Act are not made. We have nothing to report in this regard.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

to the Shareholders of Smashing Times Theatre Company Limited

Respective responsibilities

Responsibilities of directors for the financial statements

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the directors are responsible for assessing the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the company or to cease operation, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an Auditor's Report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (Ireland) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is contained in the appendix to this report, located at page 9, which is to be read as an integral part of our report.

The purpose of our audit work and to whom we owe our responsibilities

Our report is made solely to the company's shareholders, as a body, in accordance with section 391 of the Companies Act 2014. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's shareholders those matters we are required to state to them in an Auditor's Report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume any responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's shareholders, as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

John G. Kelly
for and on behalf of
KSI FAULKNER ORR LIMITED
Registered Auditors,
Behan House,
10 Lower Mount Street,
Dublin 2

18 November 2020

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APPENDIX TO THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Further information regarding the scope of our responsibilities as auditor

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs (Ireland), we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our Auditor's Report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our Auditor's Report. However, future events or conditions may cause the company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

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INCOME STATEMENT

for the financial year ended 31 December 2019

	Notes	2019 €	2018 €
Turnover		269,945	204,933
Gross profit		269,945	204,933
Administrative expenses		(269,547)	(204,498)
Profit before taxation		398	435
Tax on profit		-	-
Profit for the financial year		398	435
Total comprehensive income		398	435

Approved by the board on 18 November 2020 and signed on its behalf by:

Eric Weitz
Director

Sandra Berger
Director

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BALANCE SHEET

as at 31 December 2019

	Notes	2019 €	2018 €
Fixed Assets			
Tangible assets	7	<u>6,368</u>	<u>7,733</u>
Current Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents		298,445	253,748
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	8	<u>(260,461)</u>	<u>(217,527)</u>
Net Current Assets		<u>37,984</u>	<u>36,221</u>
Total Assets less Current Liabilities		<u><u>44,352</u></u>	<u><u>43,954</u></u>
Capital and Reserves			
Called up share capital presented as equity		127	127
Income statement		<u>44,225</u>	<u>43,827</u>
Equity attributable to owners of the company		<u><u>44,352</u></u>	<u><u>43,954</u></u>

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime and in accordance with FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland", applying Section 1A of that Standard.

Approved by the board on 18 November 2020 and signed on its behalf by:

Eric Weitz
Director

Sandra Berger
Director

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RECONCILIATION OF SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

as at 31 December 2019

	Share capital	Retained earnings	Total
	€	€	€
At 1 January 2019	127	43,392	43,519
Profit for the financial period	-	435	435
At 31 December 2018	127	43,827	43,954
Profit for the financial year	-	398	398
At 31 December 2019	127	44,225	44,352

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

for the financial year ended 31 December 2019

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Smashing Times Theatre Company Limited is a company limited by shares incorporated in the Republic of Ireland. Coleraine House, Coleraine Street, Dublin 7 is the registered office, which is also the principal place of business of the company. The nature of the company's operations and its principal activities are set out in the Directors' Report. The financial statements have been presented in Euro (€) which is also the functional currency of the company.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the company's financial statements.

Statement of compliance

The financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 December 2019 have been prepared in accordance with the provisions of FRS 102 Section 1A (Small Entities) and the Companies Act 2014.

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis and in accordance with the historical cost convention except for certain properties and financial instruments that are measured at revalued amounts or fair values, as explained in the accounting policies below. Historical cost is generally based on the fair value of the consideration given in exchange for assets. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is the Companies Act 2014 and FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" Section 1A, issued by the Financial Reporting Council.

The company qualifies as a small company as defined by section 280A of the Companies Act 2014 in respect of the financial year, and has applied the rules of the 'Small Companies Regime' in accordance with section 280C of the Companies Act 2014 and Section 1A of FRS 102.

Turnover

The total turnover of the company for the year has been derived from its principal activity wholly undertaken in Ireland.

Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost or at valuation, less accumulated depreciation. The charge to depreciation is calculated to write off the original cost or valuation of tangible fixed assets, less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives as follows:

Fixtures, fittings and equipment	- 15% Straight Line
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The carrying values of tangible fixed assets are reviewed annually for impairment in periods if events or changes in circumstances indicate the carrying value may not be recoverable.

Trade and other creditors

Trade and other creditors are initially recognised at fair value and thereafter stated at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method, unless the effect of discounting would be immaterial, in which case they are stated at cost.

Taxation

Smashing Times Theatre Company Limited is registered with the Charities Regulatory Authority (Registered Charity No. 20033927) and has been granted charitable exemption under Section 207, Taxes Consolidation Act, 1997 (CHY No. 11932).

Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rates of exchange ruling at the Balance Sheet date. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated at the rates of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction. Non-monetary items that are measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when the fair value was determined. The resulting exchange differences are dealt with in the Income Statement.

Ordinary share capital

The ordinary share capital of the company is presented as equity.

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3. PERIOD OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The comparative figures relate to the 12 month period ended 31 December 2018.

4. PROVISIONS AVAILABLE FOR AUDITS OF SMALL ENTITIES

In common with many other businesses of our size and nature, we use our auditors to prepare and submit tax returns to the Revenue and to assist with the preparation of the financial statements.

5. OPERATING PROFIT	2019	2018
	€	€
Operating profit is stated after charging:		
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	1,365	1,365
(Profit)/loss on foreign currencies	-	127
	<u><u>1,365</u></u>	<u><u>1,492</u></u>

6. EMPLOYEES

The average monthly number of employees, including directors, during the financial year was 4, (2018 - 3).

	2019	2018
	Number	Number
Administration	4	3
	<u><u>4</u></u>	<u><u>3</u></u>

7. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Fixtures, fittings and equipment	Total
	€	€
Cost		
At 1 January 2019	9,098	9,098
At 31 December 2019	9,098	9,098
Depreciation		
At 1 January 2019	1,365	1,365
Charge for the financial year	1,365	1,365
At 31 December 2019	2,730	2,730
Net book value		
At 31 December 2019	6,368	6,368
At 31 December 2018	7,733	7,733

8. CREDITORS	2019	2018
Amounts falling due within one year	€	€
Taxation	14,044	1,390
Other creditors	23,871	54,779
Accruals	8,929	4,491
Deferred Income	213,617	156,867
	<u><u>260,461</u></u>	<u><u>217,527</u></u>

9. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

The company had no material capital commitments at the financial year-ended 31 December 2019.

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10. POST-BALANCE SHEET EVENTS

The Coronavirus Crisis has had a significant impact on the company's activities. The Directors have not been able to quantify the financial effects at this time.

11. GRANTS RECEIVABLE

	2019	2018
	€	€
DFA - Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade: Reconciliation Fund (Total funding of 20,000)	16,700	3,300
HSE - Health Service Executive	54,838	52,870
Dublin City Council	9,550	4,700
Charitable Trusts	11,670	17,219
EU Grants	78,939	98,119
ESB - Energy for Generations Fund	1,270	5,230
Department of Health	-	4,500
Department of Culture, Heritage and the Gaeltacht - Art and Culture Capital Scheme 2016-2018	-	9,164
Community Foundation for Ireland	12,200	2,160
DRL County Council	4,000	-
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	261,900	197,262
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DCC Docklands	2,300	-
Cork County Council	3,000	-
DFA- Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade Communicating Europe Initiative	5,000	-
Dormant Accounts Fund	47,433	-
Department of Culture, Heritage and the Gaeltacht - Cooperation with Northern Ireland Funding Scheme	15,000	-

12. APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board of directors on 18 November 2020.