



JUBILEE WALKWAY TRUST

ANNUAL REPORT 2010



2010 TRUSTEES

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CHAIRMAN'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2010



by Hugo Vickers DL
Chairman of the Jubilee Walkway Trust

The Diamond Jubilee approaches fast, and we are proud to declare that our plans are well in place. Having monitored the trends that surrounded the Silver Jubilee of 1977 and the Golden Jubilee of 2002, we feel well trained to prepare for jubilees. It seems to me that this Jubilee will not suffer from the apathetic negativity that was so prevalent in the months running up to the earlier two. It is such a wonderful opportunity to celebrate The Queen. I remember so well Lord Drogheda, Chairman of the London Celebrations Committee for The Queen's Silver Jubilee in 1977 saying: "The Queen needs to be celebrated from time to time". Hopefully 2012 will be a very exciting year, richly enjoyed by many.

Meanwhile, I am pleased to be able to report another positive year for the Jubilee Walkway Trust. We have three particular directives and we have made significant progress with all three.

The first two involve the Walkway itself. The Walkway is in good condition. We make sure that where our attention is needed, it is applied. We are conscious that some of the panels are in poor condition and need updating. This year we replaced two panels, adding the very useful Braille features which make them more inclusive.

In November we had what must surely be our most dramatic unveiling to date. We had replaced the panel in Trafalgar Square which stands in front of Nelson's Column and interprets the view towards Whitehall. We had invited Robert Davis to unveil it. Robert is a longstanding friend of the Walkway and when he was Lord Mayor of Westminster, he was present on the magnificent day in 1996 when former President Nelson Mandela unveiled the panel outside South Africa House. He agreed to perform the ceremony.

The day dawned rather unpromisingly with heavy snowflakes falling on London. Furthermore we realised that the time we had chosen was likely to coincide with a student march on Westminster. We were not deterred. Arriving at the scene, I found Jim Walker and Jenny Humphreys, well muffled against the elements, Jenny clutching a bag which contained some mulled wine to fortify any Trustees who might attend. Most of Trafalgar Square was awash with students and there was a fine trade going on as street vendors sold them artefacts to support their protests. To be fair, they were in a calm state, but there were a lot of them, and as we know a crowd like that can soon become menacing. The idea of our handsome banner spread over the new panel had all the possibilities of acting as a red rag to a bull.

We pressed on. Fortunately circumstances played into our hand when the police closed off Whitehall. Some enterprising youth leader detected that by going through Admiralty Arch, the students could reach Westminster by an equally good route. Like a Pied Piper he led the way, and the still orderly horde departed to a man. At this point Robert arrived from his morning meeting, we covered the panel with the banner, he whisked it off, we shook hands and our unveiling was achieved. We then took Robert to lunch at the rooftop restaurant in the National Portrait Gallery.

Our second thrust for the Walkway concerns greening the route, and Joyce Bellamy has written a separate report about this – see page 8.

We had a special day at Southwark Cathedral on Sunday 12 September. The Vice-Dean welcomed a good number of Trustees at the Cathedral, and we occupied two rows at the front for a long and inspired service which included



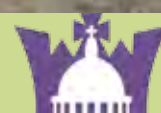
the admission of a number of choristers. At the end of this Patronal Service we processed down the aisle and out to the courtyard beside the Cathedral and the Vice-Dean and Canons, all robed, stood around the bench we were giving them. This was duly unveiled in the presence of the entire congregation. It was nice to be able to cement our links with the Cathedral in this way. The Walkway runs right along the south bank of the Thames from Lambeth to Tower Bridge and the only point where there is a slight detour is at Southwark. But this is the perfect place as it leads walkers past Southwark Cathedral. We hope that many will use the bench on their walks and of course take the opportunity to visit the Cathedral itself. It was nice to be gathering so many Trustees into church for a happy celebration rather than to bid farewell to one of our number.

The third initiative of the Trust is the Jubilee Greenway. This made great strides forward in the course of the year. One hundred and fifty eight markers were installed along the 60km route. Besides these, we had commissioned 60 lit markers, the original idea being to place them at various key positions along the route. But we thought they might make more of an impact if gathered together. Jim Walker created an effective design turning them into '2012' and, on behalf of the Trust, I offered them to the Olympic Delivery Authority. We are looking forward to turning them on in the course of 2011 to herald the Diamond Jubilee and the 2012 Olympic Games.

During the year we paid tribute to our late Trustee, Peter Drew, by placing a bench at St Katharine's Dock opposite the Dockmaster's House where Peter lived for so many years. He was responsible for so much that happened in the Dock and memorably for mustering schoolchildren to come and greet The Queen on her Silver Jubilee river progress in June 1977. Wendy Drew, Peter's widow, then gave a reception on 27 April. Many Trustees attended including Geoffrey Rowley. It was therefore a great shock that the following day, 28 April, Geoffrey was returning from an evening engagement in the City of London and was knocked down in the road near his home at Woodford Green and killed. An appreciation appears on page 9. Geoffrey had been a most loyal and supportive Trustee since 1992, seldom missing any of our meetings. Our only consolation was that he had looked so well and happy the day before, a fine and sunny day, spent in the company of his Walkway colleagues.

In the course of the year, Illtyd Harrington stepped down as a Trustee and we immediately appointed him a Trustee Emeritus in recognition of his considerable support for the Trust since its inception.

As indicated, plans have progressed in various directions for the celebration of the Diamond Jubilee. Funding was obtained for the completion of the Jubilee Greenway, and we are pleased that several years of work is now coming to fruition. In this respect I would like to thank Geordie Greig, Editor of the London Evening Standard, for publishing my article on the progress of the Jubilee Greenway, which proved a considerable



help in our endeavours. This has a good historical precedent since the late Charles Wintour did much to promote the enjoyment of the Silver Jubilee when he was Editor in 1977.

We celebrate Jubilees, but we also celebrate other royal occasions and anniversaries. We were delighted to hear the announcement of the engagement of HRH Prince William of Wales to Miss Catherine Middleton on 16 November, and we will mark the occasion of their wedding on a special Royal Wedding Walkway panel outside Westminster Abbey where they will marry on 29 April 2011.

The Trust has enjoyed an excellent year and is ready for the challenges of next year which will be considerable.

As always the Jubilee Walkway Trust would like to thank the Greater London Authority, Transport for London, Royal Parks and all the managing authorities through which the Jubilee Walkway and Greenway routes pass. This year we have made further new friends in the many areas through which the Jubilee Greenway now extends. We are grateful to them for their enthusiastic support and look forward to working with them to make the Jubilee Greenway safe, attractive, easy to use and as popular as the Walkway.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Hugo Vickers". The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping underline that extends to the left and then curves back under the name.

Hugo Vickers
Chairman



The Trust's Activities in 2010

On 18 January the Chairman and Jim Walker visited Mary Nye, CEO at Greenwich to discuss the development of the Jubilee Greenway as it passes through the borough and plans for celebrating Greenwich becoming a royal borough.

On 15 February the Chairman toured the Olympic Park at Stratford as a guest of David Higgins, CEO of the Olympic Delivery Authority.

On 8 March it was announced that the Chairman had been appointed a Deputy Lieutenant of the Royal County of Berkshire.

On 11 March the Chairman, Jim Walker and Jenny Humphreys visited Colin Stuart at Tower Hamlets to discuss possible Jubilee plans for Victoria Park. We are delighted to hear Mr Stuart is soon moving to Aberdeen and wish him well in his next endeavours.

On 16 March the Chairman recorded voice-overs for the Jubilee Greenway website. The Chairman visited St Katharine's Dock with Jenny Humphreys on 25 March to meet Wendy Drew and discuss plans for the commemorative bench for Peter Drew.

The Chairman wrote an article for the *London Evening Standard*, which was published on 7 April as a Comment piece under the heading, 'A route that puts the Diamond Jubilee on the map'.

On 27 April, the Trust's Annual General Meeting was held at the Guoman Tower Hotel, following which the commemorative bench for Peter Drew was unveiled by Wendy Drew at the invitation of Sir James Swaffield. The clipper *Peter*, drew up alongside at the time of the unveiling. Wendy Drew then entertained the Trustees and others at the Riverlounge.

On 28 April Geoffrey Rowley was killed crossing the road near his home.

On 8 June Jim Walker provided a tour of the Jubilee Greenway through East London for a German travel magazine who had specifically come to London after hearing about the Jubilee Greenway initiative.

On 21 June The Chairman and Jim Walker met Mark Camley, CEO Royal Parks, and Dr William Bird, to discuss Jubilee Greenway and Olympic synergies.

On 1 July the Chairman met Zoë Russell-Stretten and Sarah Lloyd to discuss St Katharine's Dock and the Diamond Jubilee.



On 12 July Piers Nicolson again led the annual Max Nicolson walk.

On 13 July the Chairman and his wife dined with Penelope, Viscountess Cobham and Rt Hon David Mellor at Dockmaster's House, St Katharine's Dock.

On 14 July the Chairman and Jenny Humphreys met John Hopkins at the Olympic Delivery Authority headquarters to discuss the handover of 60 lit Jubilee Greenway discs.

On 22 July the Chairman visited Lord Sterling to discuss plans for the Diamond Jubilee.

On 12 September the Chairman, accompanied by his daughter Alice, attended the service at Southwark Cathedral. Also present were Joyce Bellamy, Mr and Mrs Chris Patey, Mr and Mrs William Crossley and Dr John Parker.

On 30 September an Executive Committee meeting was held at Hothouse, home of Eluna Glass, in Hackney, followed by a tour of the glass factory to see where the Jubilee Greenway markers are made. Liz Halstead and Spencer Clark were present.

On 26 October Jim Walker and Jenny Humphreys visited Thames Water and the London Borough of Newham in connection with the lit Jubilee Greenway markers feature.

On 24 November the Chairman and Jim Walker met Mike Fitt, Retired Board Member for Royal Parks and Chair of the Royal Parks Guild, at Westminster, to discuss an idea for Diamond Jubilee roses.

On 30 November Councillor Robert Davis unveiled the restored Walkway panel in Trafalgar Square.

On 6 December the Chairman and the Hon Treasurer attended the Tower Hill Improvement Trust annual lunch at Trinity House.

Our Christmas card this year depicted several scenes from the Walkway and Greenway through the year including Jenny Humphreys mid audit of the path in Kensington Gardens; Noah Walker walking along the Jubilee Walkway on National Walking Day promoted by ITV on national television; and the Bench unveiling at Southwark Cathedral with Sub Dean Andrew Nunn.



Meetings

The Trust held its Annual General Meeting on 27 April at St Katharine's Dock which was combined with an event to unveil a memorial bench to Trustee Peter Drew. Trustees were pleased to be able to accompany Peter's widow Wendy, family and friends at the dockside unveiling, where they were joined by the clipper *Peter*, and afterwards at a reception.

There were several other Executive meetings during the year, to discuss administrative matters. Most notably the Executive met on 30 September at Hothouse – the community offices of Eluna Glass who are producing our Jubilee Greenway waymarkers from recycled glass. After the meeting Martin Goodrich and Lieke Kester gave us a fascinating tour of the factory (see page 13) to witness the glass markers being made.

The Environmental Committee

The Trust has continued to assist with improvements along the routes managed by the Environmental Committee, a subcommittee of the Trust and Chaired by Joyce Bellamy. Notable past achievements include the planting of trees in St James's Park by our Patron, the planting of a tree near the newly refurbished Temple Bar by our Chairman, assistance given to the creation of a 'green wall' for the British Library's new conservation building, and the donation of a bench following the refurbishment of Gordon and Woburn Squares by the University of London.

In 2010 a grant of £200 was given to the Bankside Open Spaces Trust for the 'gapping up' – planting to reinforce the planting in the Tate Modern Community Garden, following the Trust's funding of climbing plants for the garden's pergola

Having been alerted by the Friends of Southwark Cathedral that a bench had been moved from the Millennium Courtyard to another site in the Cathedral grounds, thereby leaving a gap in the seating pattern of the Courtyard, the Committee contacted the Cathedral office to offer a replacement. The Cathedral clergy and administrative staff accepted this offer with enthusiasm and made the formal installation of the bench a highlight of the Cathedral's Patronal Festival on 12 September. The colourful ceremony was recorded with a photograph and report in the Diocesan newspaper and the Cathedral's house journal. The new seat, being located close to the Queen's Walk, will also benefit users of the Jubilee Greenway. Following the unveiling, the Trust held a reception in the Millennium Courtyard.

The Committee gave observations to a project consultation, welcoming the proposed improvements to the pedestrian experience of Chancery Lane by a consortium of local authorities – the Cities of London and Westminster and the London Borough of Camden. Chancery Lane forms an important section of the Jubilee Walkway giving access between the main circuit and the major transportation interchanges of Kings Cross St Pancras to the north. The Committee plan to assist with the greening of this initiative in 2011.



Obituary Geoffrey Rowley CBE



We lost a respected and much liked Trustee when Geoffrey Rowley was knocked down, crossing the road at Woodford Green High Road on 28 April 2010. He died at the scene of the accident from multiple injuries. He had been returning home from an evening engagement in London. He was 83.

Geoffrey was Town Clerk to the City of London from 1982 to 1991. He was born on 9 September 1926, and educated at Owens School, later becoming a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development. He served in the Royal Marines from 1944 to 1947, and then joined the Corporation of the City of London, where he spent all his working life. One of his responsibilities was to organise the annual Lord Mayor's Show. He was head of the Personnel Section from 1965 to 1974, and Deputy Town Clerk from 1974 to 1982.

He was a Liveryman of the Basketmakers' Company and served as Prime Warden from 1990 to 1991. He was made an honorary Fellow of the City of London Poly (later London Guildhall University) in 1991, and a DCL (hc) of the City.

During visits to London from foreign heads of state, he was given the Order of the White Rose of Finland (1969) and the Order of Orange Nassau of the Netherlands (1982). He was appointed CBE in 1969.

Geoffrey was a loyal and supportive friend, much liked in his neighbourhood. He was a keen sportsman, particularly enjoying cricket and badminton, and he obtained his first season ticket as an Arsenal supporter in 1938.

He became one of our Trustees in 1992 and the day before his death came to St Katharine's Dock for a meeting of the Trust and to attend the unveiling of a memorial bench to a former Trustee, Peter Drew.

In 1950 he married Violet Templeman, who died in 2008. He is survived by his son and daughter. An obituary of Geoffrey was published in the Daily Telegraph on 26 May.



The Jubilee Greenway

The Jubilee Greenway is 60km of continuous, green and attractive paths which has been designed by the Chairman and Jim Walker to link all 9 central London Olympic venues with some of the capital's best attractions, heritage, parks, waterways and views.

Inspired by The London Olympic and Paralympic Games, and in celebration of the hoped for Diamond Jubilee, the chosen route links 10 local authorities, more than 450 points of interest researched by Blue Badge Guides, all the main line stations in central London and is within 10 minutes of more than 50 other train and underground stations.

The Jubilee Greenway makes use of existing walking and cycling routes wherever possible, beginning at Buckingham Palace and joining Green Park, Hyde Park and Kensington Gardens Royal Parks with Paddington Station and the Grand Union Canal at Little Venice. Following the Regents Canal through Camden the Greenway then leads to East London through Victoria Park to the River Thames where the Woolwich Foot Tunnel ties Greenwich and the South Bank to the original Walkway at Tower Bridge and back to St James' via Westminster.

Pleasingly, all 60km (38 miles) of the Jubilee Greenway is already fully open and available to walk and cycle. The Trust however is now working with relevant authorities between now and 2012 to:

- Improve accessibility for all people whatever their ability
- Enhance the continuity of signs and waymarks so people can follow the route confidently without the need for a map
- Provide resting places at intervals to sit, relax and take time to enjoy the Greenway around London
- Interpret some of the most significant views and places of interest with accessible audio information
- Re-align the route to improve the safety and quality of the Greenway experience to separate walkers and cyclists from traffic and each other where demand is greater than capacity.

Following a detailed audit of the route in 2008 a programme of works was agreed with the Delivery Group during 2009, led by Jenny Humphreys from Walk England, to ensure the necessary waymarkers, seats and crossings are installed and obstructions removed in time for an official opening in 2012.

Jenny has negotiated the detailed implementation of the necessary works during 2010 to help realise the full potential of the Jubilee Greenway and to promote it effectively online, in print and through a creative programme of led walks and rides.

Eluna, a community arts and regeneration charity based in East London, completed the manufacture of the waymarkers during the year using London's recycled glass. They were tried and tested in different conditions and by the end of the year markers had been installed in Islington (22), Lewisham (18), Southwark (89), Lambeth (15) and on the Greenway (14). The remaining markers will be installed in the first half of 2011, the majority by March: Tower Hamlets (38), Newham (76), Greenwich (79), British Waterways (65), Westminster



(76) and private landowners (6).

The Trust has continued to pursue with Thames Water, LB Newham and the ODA the potential for 60 of the markers, at a central point on the elevated Greenway near the Olympic Park following our offer to David Higgins, CEO of ODA. It is hoped that the glass markers will be installed in advance of the Games and illuminated at night from beneath.

Promotion of the Jubilee Greenway

Online information on the Jubilee Greenway has continued to be popular and from September was integrated into the national www.walk4life.info website as well as the www.walklondon.org.uk site. The Walk London site attracts approximately 700,000 people per year, 20% of which spend more than 3 minutes looking at the Jubilee Greenway pages and downloading information.

In addition to the 54,000 Jubilee Greenway map downloads over the year, more than 100,000 leaflets have been distributed at more than 500 locations during the same period.

People counters on the route have recorded 4,304,468 people during the year walking the route.

New route completion certificates were launched in September 2010 and promoted via the website.





Visit to Eluna to see production of Jubilee Greenway waymarkers



Jubilee Greenway waymarkers: South Bank, Lambeth Bridge, South Bank



Installation of a Jubilee Greenway waymarker on the Regent's Canal towpath, Islington



The Jubilee Walkway



During 2010 the two panels that most required updating – in Trafalgar Square, with a view down Whitehall, and on Tower Bridge – were both redrawn and replaced.

The Trust are grateful to the City of London and the Bridge Master of Tower Bridge for their cooperation with replacing the view up-river originally unveiled by HRH The Prince of Wales in 1984. Many important new city skyline changes were accommodated in the new design and highlights interpreted, with the support of the inclusive information charity Dog Rose Trust. Paul Waters of Photocast coordinated the artwork and Braille information for both panels as well as the production and installation process.

The Trust were particularly delighted that Cllr Robert Davis, Leader of Westminster Council and Chair of the Environment and Planning Committee was able to join the Trust on 30 November to unveil the new panel in Trafalgar Square. On a rather extraordinary day, punctuated by student protestors rioting against government austerity measures, the panel was unveiled without a hitch and afterwards Cllr Davis joined the Chairman for lunch at the National Portrait Gallery Restaurant.

It is noted that the Mayor's spatial strategy recognises the value of certain strategic viewpoints in the City. 20 or so of the 26 are currently, to some extent, interpreted by Jubilee Walkway feature panels. The Trust plans to approach the Greater London Assembly to explore if there is any potential to more comprehensively upgrade other viewing panels therefore in the future.

Promotion

Free led walks were promoted over three weekends in the year, thanks to the generous support of The Mayor and Transport for London. The Jubilee Walkway was particularly promoted on national television by ITV during National Walking Day on 25 September. More than 100 people braved the bracing early morning stroll which was led by TV presenter Anthea Turner.

The Jubilee Walkway proves consistently to be one of the most popular routes in the Capital. Our people counters recorded nearly 15 million during the year – an average of more than a million per month.

More than 100,000 summary maps were distributed promoting the route during the year at more than 500 key strategic locations across London. A further 71,700 downloads were made of walks from the Walk London website.

Looking forward to 2011

The Trust plans to keep up with demand for information on both routes during 2011 by producing and distributing a further 200,000 leaflets, organising three more free led walking weekend events to encourage new visitors; and promote widely in the press.



The remaining 366 outstanding issues on both routes will continue to be negotiated with relevant authorities in advance of 2012 with particular focus on installing Jubilee Greenway waymarking.





The History of the Trust



The Silver Jubilee Walkway Trust, as it was then known, first met on 12 February 1978, and signed the Memorandum and Articles of Association on 12 October that year. The Trust was incorporated under the Companies Act on 6 February 1979 and registered as a charity on 11 April 1979.

The Trust was created to manage the Silver Jubilee Walkway in 1977 – which was an output of the Environmental Committee set up as part of the London Celebrations for The Queen’s Silver Jubilee, under the Chairmanship of the late Max Nicholson. Her Majesty The Queen opened it by unveiling a plaque on the South Bank Lion, on the night of the Thames fireworks celebrations on 9 June 1977.

The original Walkway led from Leicester Square through St James’s Park to Lambeth Bridge, across the river and to follow the South Bank of the Thames to Tower Bridge, crossing back to Tower Hill. A major initiative of the Trust was to improve and promote the South Bank, open a riparian route along the Thames, and integrate the South Bank with the established identity of London and stimulate a series of improvements.

The Trust received enthusiastic support from most of the local authorities for the Walkway. Leicester Square was partly pedestrianised, the Jubilee Gardens were created on the site of the Festival of Britain (an area which had descended into being a car park), and gradually the Thames riverside was improved. A new walk was opened beyond Blackfriars Bridge, and a riverside piazza created beside Southwark Cathedral. Eventually, though this took some years to achieve, it became possible to walk along the riverside of the Thames all the way from Lambeth Bridge to Tower Bridge, with suitable wheelchair access at key points.

Of the Walkway, Max Nicholson wrote: “The idea of a city walkway was novel and needed both explaining and popularising. I therefore had to hark back to my earliest occupation as a guide-book writer, turning out a 72 page illustrated historical guide entitled The Silver Jubilee Walkway together with a folder map to show the way along it.”

Max also said that someone walking the Jubilee Walkway would have travelled through areas of London noted for entertainment, assembly, ceremonial and open-air activity, and past many historic sites. He will have been enticed from the West End onto the South Bank and into the City. Max hoped that “perhaps he will be subtly changed by what he has absorbed from this fertile heritage”.

HRH The Duke of Gloucester became Patron of the Trust in 1978.

The Trust completed the main Walkway circuit from Leicester Square to Tower Hill, linked back to Leicester Square, under the guidance of Robert Shaw, Chairman from 1978 until his death in 1994. The pavement markers were installed and then the Bloomsbury Spur incorporated in 1979, which has since been continued to form a loop. The Queen’s Walk was completed in 1994, and when The Queen opened it in November that year, she gave Robert Shaw the LVO in recognition of his achievement.

The completion of ‘The Queen’s Walk’ paved the way for the then Countryside Commission to adopt the



route as part of the Thames Path National Trail in 1984, the Trail being opened in 1996. The Trust maintains a close liaison with the Commission's successor body, now Natural England, through Walk London who now coordinate the investment along the route in London.

Panoramic panels were introduced in 1980, not only on the Walkway itself, but also on the Embankment and on many of London's bridges to identify the buildings along the way. These have been unveiled by Her Majesty The Queen and HRH The Duke of Edinburgh, HRH The Prince of Wales, HRH The Countess of Wessex, HRH The Duke of Gloucester, President Nelson Mandela (during his State Visit to Britain in 1996), and other distinguished figures from the world of politics, public service and the arts.

In 1982 the Trust won a Europa Nostra Award for the Jubilee Walkway.

Much of the Trust's work was undertaken by the Greater London Council (together with the Inner London Education Authority) until 1986. Following the establishment of the Greater London Authority and Transport for London the support has continued in partnership with the ongoing and unfailing dedication of the local authorities who have played a vital role in assisting the Trust's work on the ground with the Walkway.

In 2000 the Millennium Spur was added by the Trust to the Walkway running the route along Birdcage Walk, in St James's Park, to Buckingham Palace and to the panel installed as part of The Queen's Golden Wedding celebrations.

The arrival of Millennium Bridge, made possible by grants from the Bridge House Estates Trust, proved a useful additional link for users of the Walkway to access between Tate Modern and St Paul's Cathedral. Panels were added by the Trust to the bridge in both directions to interpret the views up and down stream.

In 2002, the year of The Queen's Golden Jubilee, the Jubilee Walkway was completely refurbished. A survey identified where new pavement discs were needed, and almost all the panoramic panels were either updated or replaced in order to reflect the changes in London's skyline. Gold pavement discs were placed in several places, one near Guildhall where The Queen lunched on Golden Jubilee day, three near the Poultry panel which The Queen unveiled on 24 October 2002 to mark the completion of the work, and a further one on the South Bank to mark the unveiling of a panel by HRH The Duke of Gloucester for St Martin's Property Group.

In 2003, the Trust further commemorated The Queen's Golden Jubilee by creating the Golden Jubilee Mall link from Buckingham Palace down the Mall to Horseguards Approach. The Queen opened this on the 50th anniversary of her Coronation, by unveiling a double panoramic panel opposite Marlborough House, and the route is marked with six gold pavement discs in the ground.

Following the appointment of a new coordinator for the Walkway in 2003, The Jubilee Walkway was recognised as one of six Strategic Walks in the Mayor's first Transport Plan. The strategic borough



partnership 'Walk London,' led by the City of London, then coordinated a significant investment programme in the Walkway in order to meet the Mayor's commitment to 'complete' the Walkway by 2012.

In 2005 the Trust was commended for Best Community or Partnership Initiative, as part of the London Planning Awards, and in 2006 won a Civic Trust Mention.

In 2007 the Trust began work on the Jubilee Greenway – a new route for walkers and cyclists which connects all the central London Olympic and Paralympic Games venues and plans to be open in celebration of Her Majesty's hoped for Diamond Jubilee in 2012. The new route was officially adopted by the new Mayor of London as a 7th Strategic Route in 2008 which allowed further support for the completion and promotion of the new route via the Walk London strategic partnership. It was officially launched by HRH The Duke of Gloucester on 30 April 2009.

Further information about the Trust, its history and activities can be found at www.jubileewalkwaytrust.org



STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

	2010 £	2009 £
INCOMING RESOURCES		
Transport for London		80,000
Contribution to Jubilee Greenway Works	10,000	
Jubilee Greenway Project Management	10,000	
Jubilee Walkway Project Management	2,000	
	22,000	80,000
Interest: Charities Deposit Fund	-	1
	22,000	80,001
RESOURCES EXPENDED		
Direct Charitable Expenditure		
Viewing panels	-	7,358
Maps and leaflets	100	18,650
Website	4,000	14,603
Greenway launch	-	7,844
Plaque and bench	558	-
Project management	20,000	20,000
Other expenditure		
Accountants' fees	700	690
Book keeping fees	3,100	
Administration:		9,397
Christmas cards and postage	535	
Secretary's expenses	195	
Entertaining	497	
Company Registrar	60	
Trustees' meeting	210	
Difference on VAT account	(53)	
	29,902	78,542
NET (OUTGOING) RESOURCES: 2009 INCOMING	(7,902)	1,459
Unrealised profit on investment	2,284	2,425
NET MOVEMENT IN FUNDS	£ (5,618)	£ 3,884

BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2010

	2010 £	2009 £
FIXED ASSETS		
Investment at market value	21,832	19,548
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash:		
Charities Deposit Fund	55	55
National Westminster Bank	9,473	33,106
	9,528	33,161
Less: Creditors		
VAT	1,810	1,252
Others	1,235	17,524
	3,045	18,776
NET CURRENT ASSETS	6,483	14,385
TOTAL ASSETS	£ 28,315	£ 33,933
UNRESTRICTED FUNDS		
Balance 1 January 2010	33,933	30,049
Net movement in funds	(5,618)	3,884
Balance 31 December 2010	£ 28,315	£ 33,933



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FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

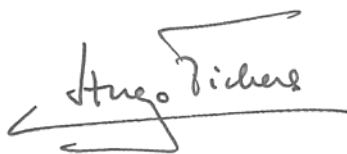
The trustees are satisfied that the charity company is entitled to exemption from the provisions of the Companies Act 2006 (the Act) relating to the audit of the accounts for the year by virtue of section 477, and that no member or members have requested an audit pursuant to section 476 of the Act.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- i) ensuring that the charity company keeps adequate accounting records which comply with section 386 of the Act, and
- ii) preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit or loss for the financial year in accordance with the requirements of section 393, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the charity company.

These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

These accounts were approved by the trustees on 27 April 2010 and are signed on their behalf by:



Hugo Vickers
Chairman



John Polk
Honorary Treasurer



ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2010

I report on the unaudited accounts of the Trust for the year ended 31 December 2010, which are set out on the preceding pages.

As described on the balance sheet you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts for the year ended 31 December 2010 and you consider that the charity company is exempt from an audit and a report under Section 386 of the Companies Act 2006. In accordance with your instructions I have compiled these unaudited accounts in order to assist you to fulfil your statutory responsibilities, from the accounting records and information and explanations supplied to me.

Name:

Richard Shepherd

Relevant professional qualification or body:

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