



# Sunnyside Hall

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## Trustees' Annual Report 2020

### Hall usage

This was the year that the COVID-19 pandemic began and as a result the hall was closed for a few months at the end of the financial year. Some regular hirers would not return, others come back in a modified way, and others yet to return.

The Play Place pre-school nursery began operation but needed to postpone operation as planned until September 2020. The Church of Christ moved to an alternate venue as booking priority was given to local children's parties at the time that services would be conducted. The Community Cinema (initiated by the hall Trustees in 2016) was the largest grossing renter generating £2,436 income.

Financially income and expenditure remained similar to the previous year, with the exception of a £10,000 Government grant that was a significant contributor to the costs of the following services:

- Security uprating with addition of a CCTV and alarm systems
- Formation of a table tennis facility
- Purchase of public access defibrillator
- Installation of much improved lighting system
- Purchase of air conditioning system

### Building Extension

Planning Permission remains valid until April 2022 but progress in gaining funding has stalled as none of the Trustees have found time to pursue this.