



CHARITY COMMISSION  
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

## Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 1<sup>st</sup> April 2021 To 31<sup>st</sup> March 2022

Charity name: Hounslow Community Rowing Trust

Charity registration number: 1151845

## Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	The promotion of community participation in healthy recreation, in particular by the provision of facilities for rowing, providing facilities, supervision, equipment and coaching for rowing, with the object of improving the condition of life for the persons who have need of such facilities.
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	<p><b><u>Organisation and hosting of a Community Rowing Regatta</u></b></p> <p>In normal years a Spring, Summer and Autumn Regatta is organised and hosted by the Hounslow Community Rowing Trust. The regatta is attended by state and independent schools who are invited to attend as well as the Team Keane Sculling School junior squad. The regatta is an event created for juniors to have an entry level to competing in rowing including beginners, an opportunity for which is not offered anywhere else in London.</p> <p><b><u>Subsidising of costs of rowing courses</u></b></p> <p>The charity provides subsidies towards the cost of attending rowing courses to those in the community who could not otherwise afford to.</p> <p>The rowing courses are geared towards learning to row or development of rowing skills.</p> <p><b><u>Purchase of rowing equipment</u></b></p> <p>The charity raises funds which it uses when appropriate to buy equipment to be used by those who attend the community rowing club, with an emphasis on pupils from state schools.</p>

Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	The Trustees confirm acknowledgement of the guidance on public benefit
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### Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	The Trustees assess individual applications for financial support from pupils from state schools
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	The charity is entirely run by volunteers who raise funds, organise regattas and other fund raising opportunities
Other		

### Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	<p>The regattas raised just under £4,600 and for some participants were their first experience of racing</p> <p>The charity was also able to support a number of talented athletes by subsidising their participation in a sport that they would otherwise be unable to afford</p> <p>The Charity also supported the establishment of a new rowing facility at Ferry Quay in Brentford from where school rowing programmes, focused on state schools</p> <p>During the year the charity changed its name to Hounslow Community Rowing Trust to reflect a desire to deepen our local roots and focus on provision of support for pupils from the Borough of Hounslow's state school</p>

### Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	The charity finished the year with a strong financial position and started the process of applying to grant bodies to expand the provision of rowing opportunities to pupils from state schools, with a particular focus on Brentford. The charity was successful, just after the end of the financial year in obtaining a grant from Hounslow Thriving Community Fund
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	
Other		

## Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	<p>At £25,556 the charity's income and expenditure is £1,149 higher than in the previous year. This reflects the resumption of the principal fund raising activities (Regattas) as well as a significant increase in individual donations. The resumption of competitive rowing was reflected in higher race entries revenue (and costs).</p> <p>The Charity focused on ensuring the provision of support to enable young adults to continue to row and to increase the amount of funding from grant making bodies</p> <p>There was no repeat of the Emergency Lottery funding of £10,000 from the previous year and the charity made a £14,000 contribution to the set up costs of our delivery partner, Team Keane's, new rowing base in Brentford</p>
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	None
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	The charity does not currently have any reserves. All our unrestricted income is currently spent specifically on the operation of the charity's activities. Any funds in surplus are held until allocated towards relevant activities of the charity.
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	

### Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	

Other		

## Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	Unincorporated institution
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Appointed by Chairman and Committee

### Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	
Other		

## Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Hounslow Community Rowing Trust
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1151845
Charity's principal address	11 Eastbourne Road London W4 3EB

## Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Paul Keane			
2	Ken Creighton	Chair		
3	James Weir	Treasurer		
4	Teresa Pabst		1 <sup>st</sup> April 2022	
5	Tim Burne		21 <sup>st</sup> October 2021	
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## Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		

## Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	

## Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

### Additional information (optional)

#### Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

#### Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

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## Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

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## Other optional information

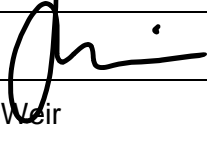
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## Declarations

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	James Weir	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Treasurer	
Date	11 January 2022	

**Hounslow Community Rowing Trust**

**Charity Number: 1151845**

**TRUSTEES REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**For the year ended 31st March 2022**

**Hounslow Community Rowing Trust Accounts**

**Charity Number: 1151845**

**Year Ended 31st March 2022**

<b>Income</b>	<b>£</b>	
Collection for race entries	12,491	
Donations	5,330	
Regatta entries	7,460	
Receipt for Sports clothing	276	
Other	0	
		<b>25,556</b>
<b>Expenditure</b>		
Regatta Costs	-2,868	
Race Costs	-8,745	
Bursaries	-650	
Facilities	-14,000	
Sponsorship	-400	
		<b>-26,663</b>
Credited financial year 2022	-1,108	
Opening balance 31st March 2021	11,596	
Closing balance 31st March 2022		<b>10,488</b>



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/  
members of

Charity Name  
Hounslow Community Rowing Trust

On accounts for the year  
ended

31<sup>st</sup> March 2022

Charity no  
(if any)

1151845

Set out on pages

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(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31/03/2022.

Responsibilities and  
basis of report

As the charity's trustees, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent  
examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination (other than that disclosed below \*) which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

\* Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.

Signed:

Date:

26/01/23

Name:

Sophie Gillibert

Relevant professional  
qualification(s) or body  
(if any):

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