

Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust
Financial Statements
31 March 2025

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Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust

Trustees' Annual Report

Year ended 31 March 2025

The trustees present their report and the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2025.

Reference and administrative details

Registered charity name	Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust
Charity registration number	1163822
Principal office	YMCA The Walk Roath Cardiff

The trustees

Mr R Coombs
Mr J Littlechild MBE, JP
Mr S Kedde
Mr M Hales
Mr J Bettles
Mr G Ashfield
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Ms H Gunter Cllr (appointed 27 January 2025)

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Objectives and activities

The Trustees confirm that they have referred to the guidance contained in the Charities Commission's general guidance on public benefit when reviewing Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust aims and objectives and in planning future activities.

The objectives of the charity are as follows:

- (1) To further such charitable purposes for the benefit of the Cardiff Young Men's Christian Association as the trustees see fit from time to time in particular by:
 - (a) Providing finance and supporting the association's charitable work in the community (including supporting activities which encourage and develop the individual's mind, body and spirit);
 - (b) Holding property for charitable use within the South Wales region; and
 - (c) Holding property and other assets for investment purposes if in the opinion of the trustees this would further the association's charitable purposes.
- (2) To further such other charitable purposes in the South Wales region as the trustees see fit in particular but not exclusively by relieving homelessness and the charitable needs of young people.

Strategy for achieving the objects

Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust aims to work closely with the Cardiff Young Men's Christian Association Ltd by supporting them both financially and in their work in the Community. This support includes activities which encourage and develop the individual's mind, body and spirit to empower and educate young people in making informed choices in regards to their own self-development including support to Young Carers Project. It also holds property and other assets for investment purposes if in the opinion of the Trustees this would further the charitable purposes.

The Charity believes that by providing funding to internal and external charities, voluntary organisations and individuals it can make a difference within the Communities within the South Wales region which supports projects that develop the individual's mind, body and spirit.

Grant making policy and how this achieves the charity's aims

In making grants for achieving objective 1, the charity seeks to empower and educate young people in making informed choices in regards to their own self-development. Whilst support is given for providing inter-generational services for the whole community, the priority is young people, particularly in times of need.

In accordance with current Charity Commission guidelines, the Trust has devised the following grant-making policy for achieving objective 2 (homelessness and charitable needs of young people) in order to:

- a) assist applicants to determine whether or not an application to the charity would be appropriate
- b) ensure that a consistent approach is adopted to the consideration of applications for financial support
- c) to ensure applications are genuine and systems are robust enough to prevent fraud.
- d) the trustees seek to support those activities for purposes which help further the objects.
- e) the grant making policy is circulated externally with a funding application form. The funding application form is submitted to the charity whereby the trustees make an informed decision as to whether or not the funding application is successful.

The above is regularly reviewed by the Board of Management in compliance with due Diligence and changes within communities.

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Achievements and performance

In addition to the regular funding, the charity has been working closely with Cardiff Young Men's Christian Association and in particular have been liaising with them with regard to approaching Cardiff Council with a view to purchasing the freehold of the property presently leased by Cardiff Young Men's Christian Association known as Plasnewydd Community Centre. An offer has been made to Cardiff Council towards purchasing the freehold, which in turn would mean that the property would become an asset of Cardiff YMCA (1910 Trust) and would then lease the property to Cardiff Young Men's Christian Association at peppercorn rent. This would secure the future and further any redevelopment of the centre to transform it which will allow them to maintain and further grow and develop their current projects and diversify into other areas of support for young vulnerable people inclusive of child care provision; health and wellbeing and sports facilities. This will enrich the lives of the local community and provide much needed services in the locality. The offer made to Cardiff Council is still in the negotiation stage.

The charity Cardiff YMCA Group has adapted the Trust's property known as Bedford Place. This adaption has allowed for 18 self-contained apartments to be built. These homes will provide stable and safe accommodation to young people (18-25yrs) as part of a new transitional pathway to secure accommodation. Young people will come out of hotels and other unsuitable accommodation and be providing additional support within the YMCA.

This being developed has reduced the waiting list which presently across the City is 433% increase in waiting lists for young people, families and single people being experienced across the City in the last 12 months. The apartments will allow service users of Cardiff YMCA Group to build on their independent living skills.

The homes were built through modern methods of construction (MMC) as required by WG grant criteria, run on a clean green energy and provide sufficient living space for each tenant to live in line with WG quality standards criteria. A communal garden were also developed to benefit new and existing tenants as well as staff.

This project now supports the Trust's income by leasing this piece of land (which was an unused car park) to YMCA Group which in turn increases the income necessary to ensure the Trust's commitment to serve the community through funding applications.

Renewal of other leasing properties to Cardiff YMCA Housing Association which supports them with housing for homeless and vulnerable people continues.

Leasing property to Lisvane Cricket Club continues. The term of the lease has been extended and has enabled them to secure further funding and attract young people within the community to play sport which enhances their wellbeing.

The charity has also taken steps for achieving object 2 and has formally approved the processes to achieve these objectives.

Beneficiaries under the Grant Funding Scheme to date for this period are:-

Cardiff YMCA Group; Cwmpasot Community; Oak Hill Children; Bridgend Fostering; Blackwood Town; The Wallich; Anthem Music fund; Amanah Learning; Rave House Trust; Hill Community Development; Moxie Foundation; St. Michael and All Saints Church; Kids R Us; Cardiff Wanderers; Park End Presbyterian Church; Wild-space Project; Duffryn Community Centre; Cathays & Central Youth Project; Horatio Garden at Llandough Hospital; Cardiff Institute for the Blind; Cefn Fforest Miners Welfare Hall; Speakewasy Law Centre.

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LATCH Cardiff were the successful applicants for a 30k funding x 3 years comes to an end this year and a further 30k funding x 3 years is now open for the forthcoming 3 years.

The Charity has continued working with sub groups during its expansion to support leases; properties; Funding and Terms of Reference. The sub groups consist of the most appropriately trained trustees to sit on individual sub groups who then take their recommendations to the full trustee meetings by setting up these sub groups it will leave the full trustee meetings more time to continue focusing on the charity ensuring it meets its objectives.

The Charities Website is now updated every 3 months and are now engaging in social media with Facebook; Twitter etc.

The Website is intended to promote the fact The Trust have a Grant Funding Scheme in place and hopefully it will encourage smaller charities/groups to apply for funding which would not normally be accessible to them.

Valuations have been undertaken this year on the Trust's properties.

Financial review

Financial Position - review at the end of the reporting period

Total income for the year was £377,050 (2024: £294,469). The main sources of income are, rental income from the leasing of investment properties to Cardiff YMCA Housing Association and return on investments. Gift aid donation of £188,741 (2024: £115,000) was received from the subsidiary Green Willow Funerals Limited.

Charitable expenditure of £314,496 (2024: £270,738) includes grant paid to Cardiff Young Men's Christian Association of £100,000 (2024 :£100,000). Grants paid to other institutions amounted to £124,036 (2024 :£106,659).

Net gain on investments of £395,709 represent investment property revaluation gain of £425,000 and listed investments loss of £29,291 (2024: gain £83,602). The loss on listed investments is mainly due to external market conditions.

Investment and Cash Performance

The value of the Charles Stanley Investment managed portfolio was £1,530,115 (2024: £1,488,513). Total returns from the investments amounted to £30,894 (2024: £33,343). Portfolio returns however continue to have been achieved with a lower level of volatility (risk). Steps have been taken to provide a bedrock of sustainable and growing income over the longer term.

The value of Lloyds Charity Account on the 31/03/2025 was £169,338 (2024: £113,406).

Investment Policy

This policy statement has been prepared by the Trustees to give guidance as to how the asset management functions should be exercised by our agent, Charles Stanley. It has been formulated with a view to ensuring that the asset management functions will be exercised in the best interests of the investment funds with an acceptable level of risk.

Reserves Policy

The Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust regularly review the amount of funds that the Charity requires to ensure that they are adequate to fulfil the charity's continuing obligations.

General reserves at the year end 31 March 2025 were £4,477,084 (2024: £4,018,821) including investment property fund of £2,540,000 (2024: £2,115,000). The Investment property designated

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funds was set up as this gives a clearer picture of the reserves for the charity. These funds are not readily available as they are for social investment and return basis. There were no restricted reserves. Free reserves amounted to £262,993 (2023: £189,919).

Risk Management

The Trustees actively review the major risks which the Charity faces on a regular basis and believe that maintaining reserves at current levels, combined with an annual review of the controls over key financial systems, will provide sufficient resources in the event of adverse conditions.

Plans for future periods

The charity has extended its funding within the community to support projects with a greater value of funding over a possible 3 year funding.

To create opportunities for everyone, young or old, where support is needed to allow people to grow.

Create better communities by enriching lives and encouraging positive social impact. Support disadvantaged groups/people with their educational, social, physical and psychological needs in order to enable positive change.

The Trust would like to replicate the technology of its existing premises across all of our sites owned by the Trust

This not only secures our commitment to the Community, but also continue investment into our ageing Trust's stock.

The charity is still liaising with Cardiff YMCA Ltd and the Cardiff Council with a view to purchasing the freehold of the property known as Plasnewydd Community Centre, which is currently leased to Cardiff YMCA Ltd by the Cardiff Council. If this purchase is successful the charity would incur any necessary costs to obtain the freehold and would then lease to Cardiff YMCA Ltd at a peppercorn rent whilst retaining the asset. This would ensure additional security in the long term to Cardiff YMCA Ltd

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Structure, governance and management

The Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust presents ninth report along with the financial statements of the Charity for the year ended 31 March 2025.

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with FRS 102, 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland', the Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Charities Act 2011.

Nature of the Charity's Governing Document

The Cardiff YMCA 1910 Successor Trustees was constituted under a Trust Deed in 1910 and registered by authorisation of the Charity Commission on the 17 October 2005 under the charity number 1111710. In October 2015 the Charity Commission registered the Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust as a new Charitable Incorporated Organisation (Registered CIO: 1163822).

The charity does not actively fundraise and seeks to continue helping towards the work of the Cardiff Young Men's Christian Association Ltd. Charity No. 1155884; Company No. 8151495 to further its Aims & Objectives. The charity also continues to support voluntary organisations; charities and individuals within the South Wales Region.

Methods of Recruitment and appointing New Trustees

Apart from the first charity trustees, every trustee must be appointed for a term of three years by a resolution passed at a properly convened meeting of the charity trustees. In selecting individuals for appointment as charity trustees, the charity trustees must have regard to the skills, knowledge and experience needed for the effective administration of the CIO.

Trustee Induction and Training

New trustees are provided with full inductions, and are given information packs that include; a copy of the governing scheme, a copy of the charity's latest annual report and statement of accounts and documents produced by the charity commission outlining the responsibilities of being a trustee.

All trustees are given an induction pack during their induction meeting before observing at a Board Meeting before acceptance by the 1910 Trust.

Organisational Structure

The charity is a small body and has a simple organisational structure, with the Chair and Trustees overseeing the work of the charity. The day to day running of the charity is carried out by the Chief Executive, who is employed and reports to the Board.

The Charity meet 4 times per year and quarterly management accounts are received. There are regular meetings with their external financial advisor and investment manager whereby policies are produced to ensure the charity is viable and successful. It regularly reviews its governance procedures

Details of Related Parties

Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust has a wholly owned trading subsidiary, Green Willow Funerals Limited. The Company was formed so that profits at the end of their financial year are gifted to the Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust in order to further its aims and objectives. The Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust also owns properties; No. 2 East Grove (Arthur Sansom House), 2-4-6 Oakfield Street (Ambassador YMCA), 8 Oakfield Street, George Williams House and Bedford Place. These properties provide accommodation and services for homeless people and families. The properties are leased by the Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust to the Cardiff YMCA Housing Association. Property known as Vaendre

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Close, St. Mellons is leased to Lisvane Cricket Club who serves the community and property known as The Walk is leased to Cardiff YMCA Ltd who serves the community and deal with specifically but not exclusively young people.

Trustees' responsibilities statement

The trustees are responsible for preparing the trustees' report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

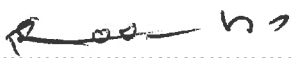
The law applicable to charities in England and Wales requires the charity trustees to prepare financial statements for each year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity and of the incoming resources and application of resources, of the charity for that period.

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

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the applicable Charities SORP 2019 (FRS 102);
- make judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in business.

The trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charity's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the applicable Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations, and the provisions of the Trust Deed. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The trustees' annual report was approved on 29/10/2025 and signed on behalf of the board of trustees by:

Trustee 

Name ROGER COOMBS

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Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust

Year ended 31 March 2025

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust (the 'charity') for the year ended 31 March 2025 which comprise the statement of financial activities, statement of financial position, statement of cash flows and the related notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including FRS 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the charity's affairs as at 31 March 2025 and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice;
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) 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 charity in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, 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

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the trustees' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the charity's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the trustees with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The trustees are responsible for the other information. 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.

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 course of the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material

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inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether this gives rise to a material misstatement in the financial statements themselves. 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.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 require us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- the information given in the trustees' report is inconsistent in any material respect with the financial statements; or
- the charity has not kept adequate accounting records; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

Responsibilities of trustees

As explained more fully in the trustees' responsibilities statement [set out on page 7], the trustees 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 the trustees 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 trustees are responsible for assessing the charity'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 the trustees either intend to liquidate the charity or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

We have been appointed as auditor under section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and report in accordance with regulations made under section 154 of that Act.

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 (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We identified and assessed the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements from irregularities, whether due to fraud or error, and discussed these between our audit team members. We then designed and performed audit procedures responsive to those risks, including obtaining audit evidence sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

We design our procedures so as to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence that the financial statements are not materially misstated due to non-compliance with laws and regulations or due to

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fraud or error.

We are not responsible for preventing non-compliance and cannot be expected to detect non-compliance with all laws and regulations - this responsibility lies with management with the oversight of the Trustees.

Based on our understanding of the Charity and the charity sector, discussions with management and trustees we identified financial reporting standards and Charities Act 2011 as having a direct effect on the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.

As part of the engagement team discussion about how and where the Charity's financial statements may be materially misstated due to fraud, we did not identify any areas with an increased risk of fraud.

Our audit procedures included:

- completing a risk-assessment process during our planning for this audit that specifically considered the risk of fraud;
- enquiry of management about the Charity's policies, procedures and related controls regarding compliance with laws and regulations and if there are any known instances of non-compliance;
- examining supporting documents for all material balances, transactions and disclosures;
- enquiry of management, about litigations and claims and inspection of relevant correspondence;
- analytical procedures to identify any unusual or unexpected relationships;
- specific audit testing on and review of areas that could be subject to management override of controls and potential bias, most notably around the key judgments and estimates, including the carrying value of accruals, provisions, investments, grant making and revenue recognition;
- considering management override of controls outside of the normal operating cycles including testing the appropriateness of journal entries recorded in the general ledger and other adjustments made in the preparation of the financial statements including evaluating the rationale of significant transactions, outside the normal course of charitable activity;

Owing to the inherent limitations of an audit, there is an unavoidable risk that some material misstatements of the financial statements may not be detected, even though the audit is properly planned and performed in accordance with the ISAs (UK).

The potential effects of inherent limitations are particularly significant in the case of misstatement resulting from fraud because fraud may involve sophisticated and carefully organised schemes designed to conceal it, including deliberate failure to record transactions, collusion or intentional misrepresentations being made to us.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs (UK), we exercise professional judgment 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

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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 charity's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the trustees.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the trustees' 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 charity'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 charity 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 (ie. gives a true and fair view).

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.

Use of our report

This report is made solely to the charity's trustees, as a body, in accordance with Part 4 of the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the charity's trustees 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 responsibility to anyone other than the charity and the charity's trustees as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.



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Dated: 28/10/2025

Carston ETL is eligible to act as an auditor in terms of section 1212 of the Companies Act 2006

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Statement of Financial Activities

Year ended 31 March 2025

		2025		2024
		Unrestricted funds	Total funds	Total funds
	Note	£	£	£
Income and endowments				
Donations and legacies	4	188,923	188,923	117,723
Other trading activities	5	142,500	142,500	127,000
Investment income	6	45,627	45,627	49,746
Total income		<u>377,050</u>	<u>377,050</u>	<u>294,469</u>
Expenditure				
Expenditure on charitable activities	7,8	314,496	314,496	270,738
Total expenditure		<u>314,496</u>	<u>314,496</u>	<u>270,738</u>
Net gains on investments	11	395,709	395,709	83,602
Net income and net movement in funds		<u>458,263</u>	<u>458,263</u>	<u>107,333</u>
Reconciliation of funds				
Total funds brought forward		4,018,821	4,018,821	3,911,488
Total funds carried forward		<u>4,477,084</u>	<u>4,477,084</u>	<u>4,018,821</u>

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.
All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

The notes on pages 15 to 25 form part of these financial statements.

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Statement of Financial Position

31 March 2025

	Note	2025 £	2024 £
Fixed assets			
Tangible fixed assets	16	272	454
Investments	17	4,070,117	3,603,515
		<u>4,070,389</u>	<u>3,603,969</u>
Current assets			
Debtors	19	251,031	313,527
Cash at bank and in hand		169,338	113,406
		<u>420,369</u>	<u>426,933</u>
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	20	13,674	12,081
Net current assets		<u>406,695</u>	<u>414,852</u>
Total assets less current liabilities		<u>4,477,084</u>	<u>4,018,821</u>
Net assets		<u>4,477,084</u>	<u>4,018,821</u>
Funds of the charity			
Unrestricted funds		4,477,084	4,018,821
Total charity funds	22	<u>4,477,084</u>	<u>4,018,821</u>

These financial statements were approved by the board of trustees and authorised for issue on 29.10.2025, and are signed on behalf of the board by:

Trustee..... 

Name ROGER COONABS.

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Statement of Cash Flows

Year ended 31 March 2025

	2025 £	2024 £
Cash flows from operating activities		
Net income	458,263	107,333
<i>Adjustments for:</i>		
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	182	150
Net gains on investments	(395,709)	(83,602)
Dividends, interest and rents from investments	(30,894)	(33,343)
Other interest receivable and similar income	(14,733)	(16,403)
Accrued expenses	300	—
<i>Changes in:</i>		
Trade and other debtors	62,496	(194,048)
Trade and other creditors	1,293	2,281
Cash generated from operations	81,198	(217,632)
Interest received	14,733	16,403
Net cash from/(used in) operating activities	<u>95,931</u>	<u>(201,229)</u>
Cash flows from investing activities		
Dividends, interest and rents from investments	30,894	33,343
Purchase of tangible assets	—	(396)
Purchases of other investments	(370,987)	(475,935)
Proceeds from sale of other investments	300,094	555,694
Net cash (used in)/from investing activities	<u>(39,999)</u>	<u>112,706</u>
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	55,932	(88,523)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	<u>113,406</u>	<u>201,929</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	<u>169,338</u>	<u>113,406</u>

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Notes to the Financial Statements

Year ended 31 March 2025

1. General information

The charity is a public benefit entity and a registered charity in England and Wales and is unincorporated. The address of the principal office is The Walk, Roath, Cardiff, CF24 3AG.

2. Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with FRS 102, 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland', the Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Charities Act 2011.

3. Accounting policies

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, as modified by the revaluation of certain financial assets and liabilities and investment properties measured at fair value through income or expenditure.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the entity.

Going concern

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue as a going concern. The most significant aspect of the charity that potentially affects its ability to continue is the carrying value of its investments which relates to investment returns and the performance of investment markets and rental returns. Trustees are of the opinion that there will be no detrimental impact on the charity due to the performance and the diversification of investments. The Trustees believe that the charity will be able to continue to fulfil its charitable purpose, will be able to meet its liabilities as they fall due, and will have adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Accordingly, the trustees continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements.

Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported. These estimates and judgements are continually reviewed and are based on experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

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3. Accounting policies *(continued)*

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the trustees to further any of the charity's purposes.

Designated funds are unrestricted funds earmarked by the trustees for particular future project or commitment.

Restricted funds are subjected to restrictions on their expenditure declared by the donor or through the terms of an appeal, and fall into one of two sub-classes: restricted income funds or endowment funds.

Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included in the statement of financial activities when entitlement has passed to the charity; it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the charity and the amount can be reliably measured. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

- income from donations or grants is recognised when there is evidence of entitlement to the gift, receipt is probable and its amount can be measured reliably.
- legacy income is recognised when receipt is probable and entitlement is established.
- income from donated goods is measured at the fair value of the goods unless this is impractical to measure reliably, in which case the value is derived from the cost to the donor or the estimated resale value. Donated facilities and services are recognised in the accounts when received if the value can be reliably measured. No amounts are included for the contribution of general volunteers.
- income from contracts for the supply of services is recognised with the delivery of the contracted service. This is classified as unrestricted funds unless there is a contractual requirement for it to be spent on a particular purpose and returned if unspent, in which case it may be regarded as restricted.

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3. Accounting policies *(continued)*

Resources expended

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is classified under headings of the statement of financial activities to which it relates:

- expenditure on raising funds includes the costs of all fundraising activities, events, non-charitable trading activities, and the sale of donated goods.
- expenditure on charitable activities includes all costs incurred by a charity in undertaking activities that further its charitable aims for the benefit of its beneficiaries, including those support costs and costs relating to the governance of the charity apportioned to charitable activities.
- other expenditure includes all expenditure that is neither related to raising funds for the charity nor part of its expenditure on charitable activities.

All costs are allocated to expenditure categories reflecting the use of the resource. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs are apportioned between the activities they contribute to on a reasonable, justifiable and consistent basis.

Tangible assets

Tangible assets are initially recorded at cost, and subsequently stated at cost less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Any tangible assets carried at revalued amounts are recorded at the fair value at the date of revaluation less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses.

Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost or valuation of an asset, less its residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Equipment - 25% straight line

Investments

Fixed asset investments are initially recorded at cost, and subsequently stated at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. Listed investments are measured at fair value with changes in fair value being recognised in profit or loss.

Unlisted investments comprises of the investment in the subsidiary Green Willow Funerals Limited, this is included at cost as all profits are gift aided to the charity and reserves in the subsidiary are maintained for working capital.

Dividends and other distributions received from the investment are recognised as income without regard to whether the distributions are from accumulated profits of the associate arising before or after the date of acquisition

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3. Accounting policies *(continued)*

Investment property

Investment property is initially recorded at cost, which includes purchase price and any directly attributable expenditure. Investment property is revalued to its fair value at each reporting date and any changes in fair value are recognised in profit or loss. If a reliable measure of fair value is no longer available without undue cost or effort for an item of investment property, it shall be transferred to tangible assets and treated as such until it is expected that fair value will be reliably measurable on an on-going basis.

Debtors and creditors receivable / payable within one year

Debtors and creditors with no stated interest rate and receivable or payable within one year are Recorded at transaction price. Any losses arising from impairment are recognised in expenditure.

Financial instruments

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the amount receivable or payable including any related transaction costs, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where it is recognised at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Current assets and current liabilities are subsequently measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received and not discounted. Debt instruments are subsequently measured at amortised cost. Where investments in shares or preference shares are publicly traded or their fair value can otherwise be measured reliably, the investment is subsequently measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in income and expenditure. All other such investments are subsequently measured at cost less impairment

Defined contribution plans

Contributions to defined contribution plans are recognised as an expense in the period in which the related service is provided. Prepaid contributions are recognised as an asset to the extent that the prepayment will lead to a reduction in future payments or a cash refund.

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3. Accounting policies (continued)

4. Donations and legacies

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2025 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2024 £
Donations				
Donations	182	182	2,723	2,723
Gift Aid from trading subsidiary	188,741	188,741	115,000	115,000
	<u>188,923</u>	<u>188,923</u>	<u>117,723</u>	<u>117,723</u>

5. Other trading activities

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2025 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2024 £
Rental income	<u>142,500</u>	<u>142,500</u>	<u>127,000</u>	<u>127,000</u>

Lease agreements have been signed with Cardiff YMCA Housing Association and the Cardiff YMCA (1910) Trust receives rental income in respect of these properties.

6. Investment income

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2025 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2024 £
Investment income	30,894	30,894	33,343	33,343
Interest received	14,733	14,733	16,403	16,403
	<u>45,627</u>	<u>45,627</u>	<u>49,746</u>	<u>49,746</u>

7. Expenditure on charitable activities by fund type

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2025 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2024 £
Youth Services Support	263,429	263,429	243,753	243,753
Support costs	51,067	51,067	26,985	26,985
	<u>314,496</u>	<u>314,496</u>	<u>270,738</u>	<u>270,738</u>

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8. Expenditure on charitable activities by activity type

	Activities undertaken directly £	Grant funding of activities £	Support costs £	Total funds 2025 £	Total fund 2024 £
Youth Services Support	39,393	224,036	45,069	308,498	265,339
Governance costs	—	—	5,998	5,998	5,399
	<u>39,393</u>	<u>224,036</u>	<u>51,067</u>	<u>314,496</u>	<u>270,738</u>

9. Analysis of support costs

	Total 2025 £	Total 2024 £
Premises	8,656	7,231
Communications and IT	1,164	759
Finance costs	6,936	6,600
Governance costs	6,000	5,399
Legal & professional costs	28,311	6,996
	<u>51,067</u>	<u>26,985</u>

10. Analysis of grants

	2025 £	2024 £
Grants to institutions		
Grants to institutions	224,036	206,659
Total grants	<u>224,036</u>	<u>206,659</u>

11. Net gains on investments

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2025 £	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2024 £
Gains/(losses) on investment property	425,000	425,000	—	—
Gains/(losses) on listed investments	(29,291)	(29,291)	83,602	83,602
	<u>395,709</u>	<u>395,709</u>	<u>83,602</u>	<u>83,602</u>

12. Net income

Net income is stated after charging/(crediting):

	2025 £	2024 £
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	<u>182</u>	<u>150</u>

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13. Auditors remuneration

	2025	2024
	£	£
Fees payable for the audit of the financial statements	<u>6,000</u>	<u>5,400</u>

14. Staff costs

The total staff costs and employee benefits for the reporting period are analysed as follows:

	2025	2024
	£	£
Wages and salaries	34,141	32,210
Social security costs	3,456	3,189
Employer contributions to pension plans	<u>1,796</u>	<u>1,695</u>
	<u>39,393</u>	<u>37,094</u>

The average head count of employees during the year was 1 (2024: 1).

No employee received employee benefits of more than £60,000 during the year (2024: Nil).

Key Management Personnel

Key management personnel include all persons that have authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the charity. The total compensation paid to key management personnel for services provided to the charity was £39,393 (2024: £37,094).

15. Trustee remuneration and expenses

No remuneration or other benefits from employment with the charity or a related entity were received by the trustees.

16. Tangible fixed assets

	Equipment £
Cost	
At 1 April 2024 and 31 March 2025	<u>895</u>
Depreciation	
At 1 April 2024	441
Charge for the year	<u>182</u>
At 31 March 2025	<u>623</u>
Carrying amount	
At 31 March 2025	<u>272</u>
At 31 March 2024	<u>454</u>

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17. Investments

	Cash or cash equivalents £	Listed investments £	Investment properties £	Other investments £	Total £
Cost or valuation					
At 1 April 2024	35,098	1,453,415	2,115,000	2	3,603,515
Additions	205,638	165,349	–	–	370,987
Disposals	(196,038)	(103,348)	–	–	(299,386)
Fair value movements	–	(29,999)	425,000	–	395,001
At 31 March 2025	<u>44,698</u>	<u>1,485,417</u>	<u>2,540,000</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4,070,117</u>
Impairment					
At 1 April 2024 and 31 March 2025				–	–
Carrying amount					
At 31 March 2025	<u>44,698</u>	<u>1,485,417</u>	<u>2,540,000</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4,070,117</u>
At 31 March 2024	<u>35,098</u>	<u>1,453,415</u>	<u>2,115,000</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3,603,515</u>

All investments shown above are held at valuation.

Listed investments

The aggregate market value of listed investments is £1,485,417 (2024: £1,453,415).

Investment properties

Investment properties were revalued in 2025 by Clarke, Chartered Surveyors, on an open market existing use value basis. Investment properties are measured at fair value annually with any change recognised in the surplus or deficit in the SOFA.

Financial assets held at fair value

All investments are held primarily to provide an investment return for the Charity and are measured at fair value other than unlisted investments.

18. Investment entities

Subsidiaries and other investments

The unlisted investments represent 2 £1 ordinary shares in Green Willow Funerals Ltd, a wholly-owned trading subsidiary.

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19. Debtors

	2025	2024
	£	£
Trade debtors	28,500	11,550
Amounts owed by group undertakings	137,767	195,926
Other debtors	84,764	106,051
	<u>251,031</u>	<u>313,527</u>

The debtors above include the following amounts falling due after more than one year:

	2025	2024
	£	£
Amounts owed by group undertakings	75,780	137,767
Other debtors	67,922	87,166
	<u>143,702</u>	<u>224,933</u>

20. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2025	2024
	£	£
Trade creditors	1,454	921
Accruals and deferred income	5,700	5,400
Social security and other taxes	6,379	5,760
Other creditors	141	—
	<u>13,674</u>	<u>12,081</u>

21. Pensions and other post retirement benefits

Defined contribution plans

The amount recognised in income or expenditure as an expense in relation to defined contribution plans was £1,796 (2024: £1,695).

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22. Analysis of charitable funds

Unrestricted funds

	At 1 Apr 2024 £	Income £	Expenditure £	Transfers £	Gains and losses £	At 31 Mar 2025 £
General funds	1,903,821	377,050	(314,496)	(425,000)	395,709	1,937,084
Designated Fund - Investment property fund	2,115,000	—	—	425,000	—	2,540,000
	<u>4,018,821</u>	<u>377,050</u>	<u>(314,496)</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>395,709</u>	<u>4,477,084</u>

	At 1 Apr 2023 £	Income £	Expenditure £	Transfers £	Gains and losses £	At 31 Mar 2024 £
General funds	1,796,488	294,469	(270,738)	—	83,602	1,903,821
Designated Fund - Investment property fund	2,115,000	—	—	—	—	2,115,000
	<u>3,911,488</u>	<u>294,469</u>	<u>(270,738)</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>83,602</u>	<u>4,018,821</u>

Designated funds represents investment property funds, as this gives a clearer picture of the reserves for the charity. These funds are not readily available as they are for social investment and return basis

23. Analysis of net assets between funds

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2025 £
Tangible fixed assets	272	272
Investments	4,070,117	4,070,117
Current assets	420,369	420,369
Creditors less than 1 year	(13,674)	(13,674)
Net assets	<u>4,477,084</u>	<u>4,477,084</u>

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2024 £
Tangible fixed assets	454	454
Investments	3,603,515	3,603,515
Current assets	426,933	426,933
Creditors less than 1 year	(12,081)	(12,081)
Net assets	<u>4,018,821</u>	<u>4,018,821</u>

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25. Analysis of changes in net debt

	At 1 Apr 2024	Cash flows	At 31 Mar 2025
	£	£	£
Cash at bank and in hand	<u>113,406</u>	<u>55,932</u>	<u>169,338</u>

26. Related parties

The charity received gift aid of £188,741 (2024: £115,000) from its trading subsidiary Green Willow Funerals Limited.

During the previous year, two loans of £105,000 and £138,000 were made to the trading subsidiary Green Willow Funerals Limited by the charity and is secured by registering a charge on the assets of the company for the latter loan. Interest is being charged at the market rate on both loans. The total balance at the year end included within debtors due in less than one year and more than one year amounts to £137,767 (2024: £195,926).