



## Trustees Annual Report for the period

From		Period start date			To	Period end date		
		01	June	2024		31	May	2025

### Section A

### Reference and administration details

Charity name **Hawker Typhoon Preservation Group**

Other names charity is known by **HTPG**

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Registered charity number (if any) **1167143**

Charity's principal address **Unit 24 Star Road Trading Estate**

**Star Road,**

**Partridge Green, West Sussex**

**Postcode**

**RH13 8RA**

### 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	Sam Worthington-Leese	Project Director & Trustee		
	2	Mark Charles John McMurrugh	Trustee		
	3	Andrew John Sheridan	Trustee		

## Section B Structure, governance and management

### Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)	Constitution Adopted on 17 <sup>th</sup> May 2016
How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company)	Incorporated Organisation
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	Appointed by current Trustees when required

### Additional governance issues (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
- the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;
- relationship with any related parties;
- trustees consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.

Having regard to the CIO's organisation and activities, it is the view of the Trustees that the major risks to which the CIO may be exposed are largely financial and regulatory in nature. Systems of internal control provide reasonable assurance against loss and exposure to regulations and they include:

1. Regular review of the financial position of the charity
2. Segregation of duties between Trustees
3. Procedures for the authorisation of all transactions
4. Identification and management of regulation changes

The trustees continue to be vigilant and to keep the financial position of the charity under review to ensure that the major risks, to which the charity is exposed, are mitigated.

The Trustees have created posts within the CIO and appointed volunteers to be vigilant and to review any changes in regulations which may affect the CIO activities.

## Section C Objectives and activities

### Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

1. To preserve and protect a Napier Sabre powered Hawker Typhoon Mk1b aircraft and return her to full working order for the benefit of the public and to demonstrate and display her to the public; and
2. To advance the education of the public in Hawker Typhoon aircraft and their crews for the benefit of British Heritage, remembrance and historical knowledge and in particular:
  - a. Its associated provenance and historical context;
  - b. Its aviation and engineering heritage,
  - c. Its significant heritage interest,
  - d. Its operational and maintenance procedures and processes
  - e. Its design, engineering and technologies

**Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)**

In planning all the charity activities for the year 2024-2025 we have continued to reference the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit at Trustee meetings.

The full focus of activities during the year has been to continue to advance the education of the public in the Hawker Typhoon aircraft and their crews, to preserve and protect the project airframe (serial number RB396) and to raise funds towards the first stages of rebuild.

**Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)**

You **may choose** to include further statements, where relevant, about:

- policy on grant making;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.

Some supporters of the charity have continued to make a significant contribution towards the objectives of the team. They volunteer their time to help (some as post holders) which include maintaining the organisation's headquarters, manage the shop, host events, attend public events (on behalf of the charity) and attend organised presentations to further the objectives. Without their valuable contribution of time, energy, enthusiasm, expertise and on occasions a financial contribution, the project would not have been able to achieve the exposure to the public that has been continued this year.

The trustees wish to place on record our thanks for all the supporter volunteers for their help and their continued support.

**Section D**

**Achievements and performance**

**Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year**

The Project were able to continue their focus on fundraising, and managing to complete the rebuild of RB396 at Airframe Assemblies. Work has now moved to ARCo at Duxford

The team have continued to focus on sourcing major donors, while not forgetting the grassroot supporter who keep the charity afloat.

## Section E

## Financial review

### Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

It is the policy of the Team to maintain the general unrestricted funds at a level to provide sufficient reserves to meet the future anticipated demands on the charities resources.

Having regard to the likely levels of incoming resources and direct charitable expenditure, the Trustees are satisfied that the funds held at 31<sup>st</sup> May 2025 as reflected in the balance sheet are available and adequate for the Trustees to fulfil the obligations of the Charity and maintain its operations. Freely available funds held at 31<sup>st</sup> May 2025 were £126,607

### Details of any funds materially in deficit

Not Applicable

### Further financial review details (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant about:

- the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);
- how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;
- investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

The project will continue to raise funds and will conduct a review of best practises for this. Advice and guidance has been sought from other similar projects, regarding large scale fundraising. Small events and merchandise will continue to play a part, but in a lesser role. Whereas specific fundraising targeted towards HNW individuals, companies, or those with familial links to the Typhoon will be explored.

The Trustees recognise that the Cost of Living crisis, has had an effect on shorter term fundraising, but they continue to seek the advice and guidance to allow the project to continue to raise the funds required.

The Trustees will continue to authorise investment in any activities that will promote the charity's objectives and increase the public awareness of the aircraft, crews and project whilst adhering to our reserves policy.

**Section F****Other optional information****Plans for 2025-2026**

A review of current and planned fundraising activities is underway. Large scale investment is sought and the project director continues in seeking the advice and guidance required through his contact network, in order to facilitate this.

**Section G****Declaration**

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

**Signature(s)** *S Worthington-Leese*

**Full name(s)** Sam Worthington-Leese

**Position (e.g. Secretary, Chair, etc.)** Director & Trustee

**Date** 23 March 2026



Charity Name <b>Hawker Typhoon Preservation Group</b>		No (if any) <b>1167143</b>	
<b>Receipts and Payments Accounts</b>			
For the period	Period start date 01/06/2024	To	Period end date 31/05/2025

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## Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Merchandise Sales	1,313	-	-	1,313	11,019
Supporter subscriptions	110,575	-	-	110,575	132,956
Events	-	-	-	-	9,544
Donations/Debits	17,442	-	-	17,442	70,393
Charities Commission (gift aid)	914	-	-	914	5,844
Other Income	117	-	-	117	35
		-	-		
		-	-		
	-	-	-		-
	-	-	-		-
<b>Sub total</b> (Gross income for AR)	<b>130,361</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>130,361</b>	<b>229,790</b>
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table)</b>					
None		-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>130,361</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>130,361</b>	<b>229,790</b>

### A3 Payments

Event Fees	7,314	-	-	7,314	19,029
Office (Unit)	7,750	-	-	7,750	2,890
Fundraising	3,472	-	-	3,472	-
Merchandise (Shop)	5,339	-	-	5,339	2,309
Merchandise Postage (Shop)	2,708	-	-	2,708	1,949
Memberships	-	-	-	-	650
Donations	-	-	-	-	1,200
Advertising	350	-	-	350	-
Admin	7,938	-	-	7,938	15,950
Expenses	3,057			3,057	2,178
Restoration work	67,356	-	-	67,356	138,610
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>105,284</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>105,284</b>	<b>184,765</b>

### A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)

Project Parts	3,138		-	3,138	1,854
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>3,138</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3,138</b>	<b>1,854</b>

### Total payments

<b>108,422</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>108,422</b>	<b>186,619</b>
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### Net of receipts/(payments)

21,939	-	-	21,939	43,171
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### A5 Transfers between funds

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### A6 Cash funds last year end

104,668	-	-	104,668	61,497
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### Cash funds this year end

<b>£126,607</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>£126,607</b>	<b>£104,668</b>

## Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
<b>B1 Cash funds</b>	Cash at Bank	126,607	-	-
	<b>Total cash funds</b>	<b>126,607</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK
<b>B2 Other monetary assets</b>	Details			
	Receivable from PayPal	Unrestricted	-	926
<b>B3 Investment assets</b>	Details			
	None	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
<b>B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use</b>	Details			
	Event Equipment	Unrestricted	6,000	-
	Engineering Drawings	Unrestricted	10,000	-
	Project parts	Unrestricted	93,004	-
	Aircraft Structure	Unrestricted	150,000	-
	Aircraft restoration	Unrestricted	630,758	-
	Total		889,762	
<b>B5 Liabilities</b>	Details			
		Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
Signed on behalf of all the trustees	S Worthington-Leese			23/03/2026
	Sam Worthington-Leese	Trustee		Date



# Independent Examiner's Report

## Report to the trustees of

The Hawker Typhoon Preservation Group  
Charity number 1167143

## On the accounts for the year ended

31<sup>st</sup> May 2025

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> May 2025 set out on pages 6 to 8.

## Responsibilities and basis of the report

As the charity trustees, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with 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. 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. The procedures undertaken do not constitute an audit.

## 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 which give me cause to believe that, in any material respect:

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the 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.

*Alex Stone*

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23 March 2026

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