

CULTURE FOR HETTON

England & Wales · Charity number 1168916

Details

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2016-08-25

Register [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

Contact

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Activities

Objects: 3:1 TO PROMOTE GOOD CITIZENSHIP FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT AND ADVANCE THE EDUCATION OF THE PUBLIC IN THE LOCAL HERITAGE AND TRADITIONS OF COAL MINING. COMMEMORATING THIS HERITAGE AND TRADITION WITH THE ERECTION OF A COAL MINING RELATED STATUE IN A PROMINENT POSITION WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF HETTON - LE -HOLE3:2 TO ADVANCE THE EDUCATION OF THE GENERAL PUBLIC OF HETTON AND SURROUNDING AREAS IN ALL ASPECTS RELATING LOCAL HISTORY, HERITAGE AND CULTURE.”

Activities: To promote good citizenship for the public benefit and advance the education of the public in the local heritage and traditions of coal mining. Commemorating this heritage and tradition with the erection of a coal mining related statue in a prominent position within the village of Hetton-le-Hole.To advance the education of the general public of Hetton in local history, heritage and culture.

Classification

- **How:** Makes Grants To Individuals, Makes Grants To Organisations, Provides Other Finance
- **What:** General Charitable Purposes, Education/training, Arts/culture/heritage/science
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People, People With Disabilities

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** HETTON AND SURROUNDING AREAS
- Sunderland

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-09-30		£0	£824	-
2023-09-30		£878	£729	-
2022-09-30		£0	£668	-
2021-09-30		£0	£602	-
2020-09-30		£1,484	£973	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
MR DAVID GEDDIS DESIGN IN MANAGEMENT HNC BUILDING	Chair	2017-11-01
ALAN TAYLOR JACKSON TREASURER		2016-08-23
Kevin Hosking		2020-03-17
Marion Anderson		2020-03-17
Patricia Ann Robson		2020-03-17
Peter Hancock -Secretary		2019-03-04
SUSAN WATERSTON		2016-08-23

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Culture for Hetton (Reg. Charity 1168916)

Annual Report for AGM June 2025

The object of the Group is to promote good citizenship for the public benefit and advance the Education of the public on the local Heritage and traditions of the area. We successfully achieved this in 2018 with the erection of a Coal Mining related Statue in a prominent position within the village of Hetton and continue to provide public liability insurance.

After the Pandemic our new project was to be the restoration of St Nicholas Graveyard in the centre of Hetton, including the restoration of the Tomb of Nicholas Wood, a listed monument. This project proved to be difficult to progress, leading us to try a combined effort with Hetton Colliery Railway 200, another local charity., however progress has remained slow.

There has been no new projects for Culture for Hetton in 2024/25. We are still considering documenting the story of Culture for Hetton, the resulting funds raised and the commissioning of the Hetton Town Mining Statue which is recognised as a fantastic achievement.

We have looked at the viability of the group and agreed to continue and to look for new members to take us forward and inject wider participants.

Details of the actual funds and our current financial position are provided by the Treasurer in his report.

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Income & Expenditure Account for the year ending September 30th 2024

	<u>2022-2023</u>		<u>2023-2024</u>	
<u>Income</u>				
Collections	0		0	
Calendars	0		0	
Donations – Local Personal	878		0	
Donations – via PayPal	0		0	
Donations – Companies	0		0	
Donations – Crowdfunding	0		0	
Events	0		0	
Funding – Restricted	0		0	
Misc.	0		0	
Publicity	0		0	
Raffles	0		0	
Tax Credit – Gift Aid	0		0	
Tiles – Local	0		0	
Tiles - PayPal	0		0	
<u>Total Income</u>	<u>878</u>	878	<u>0</u>	0
<u>Expenses</u>				
Bank	0		0	
Calendars	0		0	
Construction	0		0	
Events	0		0	
Insurance	729		824	
PayPal Charges	0		0	
Publicity	0		0	
Schools	0		0	
Statue	0		0	
<u>Total Expenditure</u>	<u>729</u>	729	<u>824</u>	824
<u>Excess of Income over Expenditure</u>		<u>-149</u>		<u>-824</u>

Balance Sheet at 30th September 2024

<u>Current Assets</u>			
Cash in Hand	40		40
Bank Current Account	1053		229
Allocated Funds (deposit later)	0		0
<u>Total Assets</u>	<u>1093</u>		<u>269</u>

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Annual Report for AGM 3 June 2024

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New projects to be progressed 1) A Calendar by the Culture for Hetton for 2024/25.n 2) To pen a story of Culture for Hetton and the resulting funds raised and the commissioning of the Hetton Town Mining Statue which is recognised as a fantastic achievement.

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Chair Culture for Hetton

CULTURE FOR HETTON

Income & Expenditure Account for the year ending September 30th 2023

	<u>2021-2022</u>		<u>2022-2023</u>	
<u>Income</u>				
Collections	0		0	
Calendars	0		0	
Donations – Local Personal	0		878	
Donations – via PayPal	0		0	
Donations – Companies	0		0	
Donations – Crowdfunding	0		0	
Events	0		0	
Funding – Restricted	0		0	
Misc.	0		0	
Publicity	0		0	
Raffles	0		0	
Tax Credit – Gift Aid	0		0	
Tiles – Local	0		0	
Tiles - PayPal	0		0	
<u>Total Income</u>	<u>0</u>	0	<u>878</u>	878
<u>Expenses</u>				
Bank	0		0	
Calendars	0		0	
Construction	0		0	
Events	0		0	
Insurance	668		729	
PayPal Charges	0		0	
Publicity	0		0	
Schools	0		0	
Statue	0		0	
<u>Total Expenditure</u>	<u>668</u>	668	<u>729</u>	729
<u>Excess of Income over Expenditure</u>		<u>-668</u>		<u>149</u>

Balance Sheet at 30th September 2023

<u>Current Assets</u>		
Cash in Hand	40	40
Bank Current Account	904	1053
Allocated Funds (deposit later)	0	0
<u>Total Assets</u>	<u>904</u>	<u>1093</u>

Examined and found to be correct -

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Annual Report for AGM 21 March 2023

The object of the Group is to promote good citizenship for the public benefit and advance the Education of the public on the local Heritage and traditions of the area. We successfully achieved this in 2018 with the erection of a Coal Mining related Statue in a prominent position within the village of Hetton.

Before being able to start raising funds we had to set ourselves up as a Charitable organization. In the following years we raised funds, organizing Vintage Teas , Fashion shows, sold Heritage calendars , had an Elvis night with raffles and buffet. We continued to apply for grants and donations from various organizations and individuals.

After the Pandemic our new project was to be the restoration of St Nicholas Graveyard in the centre of Hetton, including the restoration of the Tomb of Nicholas Wood, a listed monument. We sought assurances that the site would not be used for other purposes, before attempting to raise any funds. This led to rather drawn-out discussions with the Parochial Parish Council, Church Commissioners in London and the Durham Diocese, preventing any progress. We have now opened discussions with Hetton Colliery Railway 200, another local charity, to run as a joint project with them and others, in an attempt to make some progress.

When we get some clarity and assurances, we will need to continue to raise funds for this new project and for the insurance and maintenance costs of the Mining Statue.

Details of the actual funds and our current financial position are provided by our Treasurer in his report.

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Income & Expenditure Account for the year ending September 30th 2022

	<u>2020-2021</u>		<u>2021-2022</u>	
<u>Income</u>				
Collections	0		0	
Calendars	0		0	
Donations – Local Personal	0		0	
Donations – via PayPal	0		0	
Donations – Companies	0		0	
Donations – Crowdfunding	0		0	
Events	0		0	
Funding – Restricted	0		0	
Misc.	0		0	
Publicity	0		0	
Raffles	0		0	
Tax Credit – Gift Aid	0		0	
Tiles – Local	0		0	
Tiles - PayPal	<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>	
Total Income	<u>0</u>	0	<u>0</u>	0
<u>Expenses</u>				
Bank	0		0	
Calendars	0		0	
Construction	0		0	
Events	0		0	
Insurance	602		668	
PayPal Charges	0		0	
Publicity	0		0	
Schools	0		0	
Statue	<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>	
Total Expenditure	<u>602</u>	602	<u>668</u>	668
<u>Excess of Income over Expenditure</u>		<u>-602</u>		<u>-668</u>

Balance Sheet at 30th September 2022

<u>Current Assets</u>			
Cash in Hand		40	40
Bank Current Account		1572	904
Allocated Funds (deposit later)		<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Total Assets		<u>1572</u>	<u>904</u>

Audited & found to be correct

Richard Grey

RICHARD D. GREY FINANCIAL ADVISER

10/5/2023

LYONS FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT
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FCA Number - 210757

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Culture for Hetton Report for Annual General Meeting

March 8th 2022

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Details of the actual funds and our current financial position will be provided by our Treasurer in his report.

Unfortunately, much like many other Charitable organisations, The Culture for Hetton trustees were stopped from moving forward with our next project due to Covid.

We are , hopefully in a better place now and discussions are taking place regarding the next COMMUNITY PROJECT which will be the restoration of St Nicholas Graveyard in the centre of Hetton , this may also include the restoration of The Tomb of Sir Nicholas Wood.

We will therefore need to continue to raise funds for this new project and for the insurance and maintenance costs of the Mining Statue.

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Income & Expenditure Account for the year ending September 30th 2021

	<u>2019-2020</u>		<u>2020-2021</u>	
<u>Income</u>				
Collections	0		0	
Calendars	683		0	
Donations – Local Personal	0		0	
Donations – via PayPal	0		0	
Donations – Companies	0		0	
Donations – Crowdfunding	0		0	
Events	0		0	
Funding – Restricted	0		0	
Misc.	0		0	
Publicity	0		0	
Raffles	0		0	
Tax Credit – Gift Aid	801		0	
Tiles – Local	0		0	
Tiles - PayPal	<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>	
<u>Total Income</u>	<u>1484</u>	1484	<u>0</u>	0
<u>Expenses</u>				
Bank	0		0	
Calendars	388		0	
Construction	0		0	
Events	0		0	
Insurance	585		602	
PayPal Charges	0		0	
Publicity	0		0	
Schools	0		0	
Statue	<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>	
<u>Total Expenditure</u>	<u>973</u>	973	<u>602</u>	602
<u>Excess of Income over Expenditure</u>		<u>511</u>		<u>-602</u>

Balance Sheet at 30th September 2021

Current Assets

Cash in Hand	40	40
Bank Current Account	2174	1572
Allocated Funds (deposit later)	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Total Assets</u>	<u>2214</u>	<u>1572</u>

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Audited - found to be correct

Richard Gray
19/03/2022

RICHARD D. GREY
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FINANCIAL ADVISER.

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Income & Expenditure Account for the year ending September 30th 2020

	<u>2018-2019</u>		<u>2019-2020</u>	
<u>Income</u>				
Collections	0		0	
Calendars	76		683	
Donations – Local Personal	4050		0	
Donations – via PayPal	162		0	
Donations – Companies	500		0	
Donations – Crowdfunding	0		0	
Events	901		0	
Funding – Restricted	0		0	
Misc.	0		0	
Publicity	0		0	
Raffles	0		0	
Tax Credit – Gift Aid	0		801	
Tiles – Local	325		0	
Tiles - PayPal	<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>	
<u>Total Income</u>	<u>6014</u>	6014	<u>1484</u>	1484
<u>Expenses</u>				
Bank	12		0	
Calendars	0		388	
Construction	3348		0	
Events	1078		0	
Insurance	579		585	
PayPal Charges	0		0	
Publicity	0		0	
Schools	977		0	
Statue	<u>37800</u>		<u>0</u>	
<u>Total Expenditure</u>	<u>43794</u>	43794	<u>973</u>	973
<u>Excess of Income over Expenditure</u>		-37780		<u>511</u>

Balance Sheet at 30th September 2020

<u>Current Assets</u>			
Cash in Hand		40	40
Bank Current Account		1663	2174
Allocated Funds (deposit later)		<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Total Assets</u>		<u>1703</u>	<u>2214</u>

Audited - found to be correct

Richard Jay

08/02/2021

RICHARD D. GIBBY DIPAFS
FINANCIAL ADVISER

Culture for Hetton Annual Statement 2021

Registered Charity Number 1168916

The AGM was publicised and held on the 15th of April 2021 as a Zoom video meeting.

The last AGM took place on the 17th of March 2020, six days before the government declared a lockdown to combat the Covid 19 Pandemic. Although the lockdown was relaxed for a while in late Summer, it continues to the present day, with a tragic loss of lives. The mass vaccination of the population is well underway, and a relaxation is expected in the near future. The situation has resulted in almost no progress on any of our activities over the last year.

There were some issues around the mining heritage statue which were being addressed but are still to be resolved. Errors and omissions in the lettering are to be discussed with the stonemason and rectified as soon as possible. It was concluded that the issue of additional names on the statue would be both expensive and impractical, alternatives for seating or other additions are unresolved.

It has been decided that our next project will be the Restoration of St Nicholas Graveyard and the Tomb of Nicholas Wood. The graveyard in the centre of Hetton, once the hub of the mining community, is in a sorry state and the tomb of the great engineer Nicholas Wood, a listed monument, is in urgent need of renovation. Consideration is being given to a Memorial and wildlife garden. The site of the old Church in the graveyard is up for sale. Before fundraising is started we need to ensure that there are no future plans to develop the site. Contact with the Durham Diocese and the Parochial Council to resolve this, has been impossible over the period of the pandemic. Crowdfunding was looked at in September and also aborted due to the pandemic.

Expenditure over the period has only been on statue insurance and calendars, with income from gift aid.

We are to have our first face to face meetings in May and hope to get back to business as usual soon.

The Trustees:

David Geddis – Chair

Peter Hancock – Secretary

Alan Jackson – Treasurer

Susan Waterstone – Vice Chair

Kevin Hosking – Trustee

Marion Anderson – Trustee

Pat Robson – Trustee

Ian Gray – Trustee