



# Trustees' Annual Report for the period

<b>From</b>	Period start date			<b>To</b>	Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year

## Section A Reference and administration details

**Charity name**

Aspire Amateur Boxing Club

**Other names charity is known by**

**Registered charity number (if any)**

1170735

**Charity's principal address**

14 Marsh View

Eckington

Sheffield

**Postcode S8**

### 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	Stephen Hartley	Chairman		
2	Ronny Tucker	Vice Chairman		
3	Sharon Holford			
4	Tracy Tucker			
5	Cecilie Heslop			
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### Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

### 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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## Section B Structure, governance, and management

### Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)	Constitution
How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company)	Association
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	Appointment

### 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.

Our governing body is England boxing therefore we are governed by their policies and procedures; this includes safeguarding policies. All the coaching staff must attend safeguarding courses as well as up to date first aid courses. All the trustees are familiar with the policies that are set by the governing body, England Boxing.

## Section C Objectives and activities

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

THE OBJECT OF THE CIO IS THE PROMOTION OF COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION IN HEALTHY RECREATION BY THE PROVISION OF FACILITIES FOR AMATEUR BOXING IN PARTICULAR BUT NOT EXCLUSIVELY USING BOXING AND ITS TRAINING AND TECHNIQUES AS A MEANS OF IMPROVING HEALTH AND FITNESS AND ENCOURAGING PEOPLE TO MAKE HEALTHY LIFE CHOICES.

**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)**

The main activities are boxing and fitness, we do not just teach young people about boxing. We teach healthy living and healthy eating. We discuss dangers of carrying knives and the negative aspects of gang activity. The purpose of the club is to give members as sense of pride and the tools to enable them to have positive aspirations. We promote healthy living and reduce crime/antisocial behaviour, using sport. The club was established in 1990; we continue to work with young people from the local area plus the surrounding areas. We strongly believe that sport can contribute to reducing crime and contributes to community safety. The club has a strong believe that sport reduces the risk factors associated with crime. The club provides a diversionary activity that enables young people to stay safe, healthy and enables young people to make choices that are beneficial to their future. The club provides disadvantaged and vulnerable young people an opportunity to take part in positive activities. Our Membership had increased however in April 2024 we had to move out of the building that we used, we then shared a building with another club, this was in another area and was not accessible for most of the users, resulting in numbers dropping. We were in this temporary accommodation until September 2025, we are no based In the Basegreen area of Sheffield, Since Moving to the area we have had 135 people register with the club. We still find that we have members from neighbouring areas such as Rotherham and Chesterfield. Sheffield has had its share of knife related crime over the past year, we collaborate closely with the police, youth justice service and the youth service who have all backed our recent sport not crime initiative. We noted that we had a cohort of young people who wanted to train however they did not want to compete, after running some pilot sessions we now run a bespoke session for this cohort. Aspire Boxing Club is not just a boxing club; in October 2024 we took a group of young people on a residential weekend in Edale and in Marsh 2026 we took a group of young people on a residential weekend to Matlock. Both residentials allowed young people to work together as a team. Our female only group did not take place when we shared a building due to capacity however since moving into our own building, this group has re started. This group is going well, and we get regular feedback from those who take part, We still offer a service to the youth justice service, Schools, and other statutory services The trustees have read the guidance re the main activities, how we will deliver them and the benefit to the local community and members of the club.

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

We now have more volunteers who help at the club as coaches, we have a grow your own coach's scheme, currently except for one coach, all the current coaches are former boxers of Aspire Boxing Club. One of our boxers will take the England Boxing Level One coaching course in October.

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

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

## Section D

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

We have had an increase in female boxing; this has led to us launching our "Women Aspire Together" initiative. This has been highly successful; this takes place on a Saturday morning and a Wednesday Evening. A female level 2 England Boxing Coach runs these sessions.

We still have females who compete however, whilst we have increased participation from females, we have not increased participation from BME groups, the people that we do have from BME groups are usually the ones that return. Our aim is to increase BME participation.

Although our numbers dropped due to us moving buildings, we have seen the female sessions grow, we currently have a waiting list for people wanting to attend, since they feel comfortable in the environment.

Although we have only been in this building for a brief period we have.

- Improved peoples physical health and mental health and well being
- Promoted enhancement in education and lifelong learning
- Promoted community cohesion
- Worked with other agencies to help combat crime.

We have extended the opening times to include Saturday mornings, and we have a female only fitness session on a Wednesday for the adult community members.

## Section E Financial review

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

**Details of any funds materially in deficit**

### 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.

Our main source of funding is still from the shows that we promote. As mentioned earlier we have an increase in females in the gym. Competition can be scares therefore we need to look at other competitions in Ireland and Sweden. Clearly this will be an additional cost to the club, therefore we will have to look at alternatives ways to raise funds.

## Section F Other optional information

Aspire Boxing Club is a friendly inclusive club that is run by volunteers. The club has been running for 36 years, and we pride ourselves on the fact that we have managed to steer several young people away from a life of crime. We collaborate with partner agencies to enable us to receive referrals. We inspire young people and we collaborate with parents and schools to ensure that the young people are kept on the right path. Aspire Boxing Club is the third oldest affiliated boxing club in Sheffield.

## Section G Declaration

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

**Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees**

<b>Signature(s)</b>		
<b>Full name(s)</b>	Ronny Tucker	
<b>Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)</b>	Vice Chair	
<b>Date</b>	14.May 2026	

Income and Expenditure Budget

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October 1st 2024 September 30th 2025

Income		Expenditure	Amount	Cheque	Date
	Date				
Brought Forward	£39,131.13	Gym Insurance	£439.97	101430	04/10/2024
Community Foundation	£1,600.00	Bank Charges	£5.40		21/10/2024
		Ergo Sports Kit	£166.80	101431	25/10/2024
		Bank Charges	£5.40		21/11/2024
		Local Giving	£180.00	DD	02/12/2024
		Bank Charges	£5.40		21/12/2024
		Bank Charges	£5.00		21/01/2025
		Bank Charges	£5.00		21/02/2025
		Bents Green	£150.00	101432	24/01/2025
		Bank Charges	£5.00		21/03/2025
		Bank Charges	£5.40		21/04/2025

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Total	£40,731.13		£973.37		<u>£39,757.76</u>
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