



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From: 1 Apr 24 **Period start date** **To: 31 Mar 25** **Period end date**

Charity name: Carterton Families Centre

Charity registration number: 1175596

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	<p>To provide facilities for the daily care, recreation, and education of children during out of school hours and school holidays and to advance education, promote the preservation and protection of good health and relieve the effects of poverty amongst residents of Carterton, Oxfordshire and the surrounding areas.</p> <p>To relieve the needs of children, young people and their families by the provision of services particularly those aimed at promoting good health, relieving poverty and helping people meet their own needs in society.</p> <p>To promote for the benefit of the inhabitants of Carterton, Oxfordshire and the surrounding area the provision of facilities for recreation or other leisure time occupation of individuals who have need of such facilities by reason of their youth, age, infirmity or disability, financial hardship or social circumstances with the object of improving their condition of life.</p>

<p>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.</p>	<p>Para 1.17 and 1.19</p>	<p>The need we are addressing is to provide a 'hub' for families, we need this because Carterton is a transient town with a high number of service families and several parents who suffer with social isolation often leading to low mood and depression. We also have a number of mums, in particular, those who suffer with social anxiety.</p> <p>We provide sessions throughout the week for children aged 0 to 5yrs and their parents or carers. Including new mums' group, baby sensory group and toddler drop-in's. We have a community café which runs alongside our</p>
		<p>sessions providing affordable snacks for families.</p> <p>We also provide a tea time club for single parents or families with a parent working away from home.</p> <p>We support Airplay who run sessions for 5 to 18yr olds. This change of space also supports our own youth workers who are now running a youth café after school one afternoon a week. While overall provision of Youth workers dropped in 23-24, through 24-25 the Centre continued to maintain a provision for LGBTQ+ facing teenagers, supported through funding from Carterton Town Council.</p> <p>We are now also working alongside APCAM a local charity offering services to children with mental health issues and their parents. They offer a weekly drop-in day for parents and one day a week they offer individual counselling sessions to young people referred to them. They also offer a monthly evening group for parents and a monthly afternoon drop in for young people.</p> <p>We know that the sessions we provide make a difference to people's lives. We are privileged to see people's lives change as a result of coming to the centre. A key issue that we try to address is to see a reduction in social isolation.</p>

Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	Trustees are aware of the Charity Commissions guidance on public benefit and have taken it into account when making decisions to which the guidance is relevant.
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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	
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	
	Para 1.38	
Contribution made by volunteers		
Other		

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
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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>Feedback from families who use the centre is positive. Many highlight that this is the place that they have established friendships and a support network. Our sessions are popular and very busy.</p> <p>As previously reported, FY 2022-2023 was a turbulent time for staff and trustee change. With a new set of Trustees and staff brought in for the 2023-2024 FY to deliver upon the strategy to deliver services 5 days a week. The impact on the community has been positive and immense, with some sessions reaching over 60+ people (young and old).</p> <p>While generating the funding, support and overall running requirements, to run a professional 'social provision' continues to be challenging, with a huge reliance on the goodwill of our trustees and staff alike. We continue to be proud of the impact we have had on Carterton, its people and many from surrounding areas where, even in large towns such as Witney, the 5 day-provision for early years, doesn't seemingly exist.</p> <p>For the Centres achievements, it won the 2024 RAF Brize Norton 'Best Business/Organisation' award, presented by local MP Charlie Maynard having amassed over 6000 positive interactions with both public and military families alike.</p>
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Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	Achieved a full 5-day programme this RP.

Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	Achieved an increase in income generation, opening more hours and attracting more visitors. Bid funds continued with a number dropping in 23/24 but (after a year of operating and understanding full costs). 24/25 allowed for a full understanding of running costs, closer to £75k vice £60-65k (still a relatively low cost, offering huge value for money when compared 6000+ 'human interactions' and whole range of other services and smaller organisations we support (such as APCAM and Dottys and Community Café). While funding 'in year' did not match out outgoings, again this was expected and does not reflect the core contributor (Armed Forces Covenant fund) who approved over £100k in support over 2 years, with c.£24k instalments every 6 months which we draw down-upon.
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	The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue as a going concern. We continue to lobby the local council who we believe should contribute £18k p/a to the running of the centre, vice just £6k for Dottys, noting we have amassed a huge hub of visitors who rely upon the centre as a social/welfare platform, certainly at Early Years stage, at nil or minimal cost (we ask for a small donation but recognise some families struggle for this).
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	The Trustees were actively trying to devise various income generation opportunities, with an aspiration to begin building reserves come FY 25/26. This is more likely to now be in 26/27 where we can begin. A strategy for holding reserves to 'wrap-up' the charity is being worked through our new accountant, should we find ourselves in a position we can no longer operate.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	Nil
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	The Trustees are actively trying to build reserves and are trying to develop a model of income generation. We expect to hold c. £18k in 25/26 to allow for wrapping up the charity, should it prove not viable to continue. The building itself would be handed back to the council at this stage.
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	n/a
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	n/a

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	Bid funds via Military facing charitable organisations.
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	n/a

A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	Not a risk, simply a position we found ourselves when taking over the 'framework' of the charity. The accounts appeared to be in a mess with multiple gaps and difficulty in making sure we had robust accounting procedures for basic transactions. At no point as there ever been any evidence or suggestion of any particular negligence, a classic case of 'where the receipt for some milk purchased in 2023/24, at some point you had a reserve but which bid fund did that apply to'... While we are assured all the transactions and activities were more than legitimate, in 2024 we brought in a new accounting team, auditor and Accounts trustee who were brilliant in highlighting the historical issues, but it became clear how difficult/long it would take to fill in the gaps- hence we opted for the 23/24 accounts to be delivered late (highlighting issues) but the 24/25 accounts (while still highlighting some small issues which had been carried across from the previous FY) highlight only minimal gaps. Again the 25/26 accounts and management processes look solid and again the accounts team have been excellent.
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	CIO

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	<p>Potential trustees can apply and must be approved by the majority of trustees.</p> <p>Apart from the first charity trustees, every trustee must be appointed (for a term of 12 months) by a resolution passed at a properly convened meeting of the charity trustees.</p> <p>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</p>
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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	Carterton Families Centre
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1175596
Charity's principal address	Allendale Youth House 8 Burford Road CARTERTON Oxfordshire OX18 3AA

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	Daniel Woollard	Chair		
2	Joanne Guest	Treasurer		
3	Katrina Chappel	Trustee		
4	Megan Neal	Fundraising and media		
5	Katherine Godwin	Premises		
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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
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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)	<i>D Woollard</i>	
Full name(s)	Daniel Woollard	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair	

Date

31 Jan 26

Carterton Family Centre

(Charity Number - 1175596)

Report and Financial Statements

For the Year Ended 31st March 2025

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Accountants	Tetbury Accounting Limited Chartered Certified Accountants 31 Home Close Carterton Oxfordshire OX18 3GQ

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Independent Examiners Report to the Trustees

I report on the Accounts of the Charity for the year ended 31st March 2025 which are set out below.

Respective Responsibilities of Trustees and Examiner..

The Charity's Trustees are responsible for the preparation of the Accounts. The Charity's Trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year (under section 43(2) of the Charities Act 1993 (the 1993 Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to..

- a) Examine the Accounts (under section 43(7)(b) of the Act);
- b) To follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners (under section 43(7)(b) of the Act);
- c) To state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of Independent Examiner's Report..

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners. An examination includes a review of the Accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the Accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the Accounts and seeking explanations from you as Trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence which would be required in an audit and consequently I do not express an audit opinion on the Accounts.

Independent Examiner's Statement..

In connection with my examination, some matters have come to my attention which lead me to conclude that the Charity has not been operating adequate financial controls on income and expenditure..

- The issue of missing receipts from prior years has been largely rectified and although there are still a few missing this year and there are procedures that need to be strengthened, we do now believe that adequate controls are starting to be exercised with regard to receipts and payments

Our findings as well as those of our predecessors have been drawn to the attention of the new Trustees and positive action has been taken to improve controls which is evident in the figures above which show improvement that has continued into the new year.

I believe that the Accounts as presented represent an accurate picture of the financial state of the Charity at the 31st March 2025.

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Trustees Report For the Period Ended 31st March 2025

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Governing Document..

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Trustees..

The overall responsibility of the organisation rests with the Board of Trustees. The selection of Trustees is designed to supplement the existing skills and expertise of the board and is governed by an informal skills assessment. The appointment of trustees is made in accordance with the constitution.

Risk Assessment..

Disclosure and Barring checks are carried out for all appropriate trustees, staff and volunteers. The Trustees have examined the major strategies, business and operational risks which the charity faces and confirm that systems have been established to enable regular reports to be produced so that the necessary steps can be taken to minimise these risks.

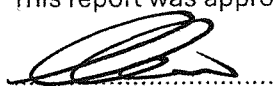
Public Benefit Statement..

Public benefit statement – Carterton Family Centre provides public benefit by providing buildings, facilities, open spaces, supervision, teaching, advocacy and information to help it meets its objectives.

Reserves Policy..

The Trustees are actively trying to build reserves and will priorities this now the building work has been completed.

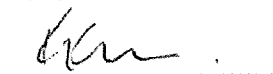
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Name DAN WOOLLARD

26 JAN 26

Date



Name KATHERINE GOWIN

26 JAN 26

Date

Carterton Family Centre

Statement of Financial Activities

Including Income & Expenditure Account to 31st March 2025

		Mar-25 £	Mar-24 £
Grants	Note 2	9,675	34,675
Donations		36	0
Session payments		8,197	3,265
Room hire		6,742	2,674
Other activities		521	8,341
Total Income		25,172	48,954
Charitable activities		1,365	2,594
Equipment		633	97
Consumables		0	0
Staff salaries	Note 3	46,938	53,396
Staff pensions		558	336
Training		180	180
DBS		0	162
R&R		2,248	1,379
Subcontractors		0	0
Telephone & Internet		514	731
Website costs		0	0
Advertising		0	0
Insurance		1,093	91
PP&S		329	303
IT		278	655
Utilities		7,229	7,870
Waste		2,596	1,397
H&S		0	0
Cleaning		462	792
Accounts		700	1,076
Service charges		21	101
Fines & Interest		24	731
Un-identified expenses		23	963
Depreciation		1,287	2,766
Donations		0	100
Total Costs		66,478	75,719
NET DEFICIT FOR YEAR		-£41,307	-£26,764

Carterton Family Centre

Balance Sheet As of March 31, 2025

		March 2025	March 2025	March 2024	March 2024
		£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS	Note 5	94		1,382	
CURRENT ASSETS					
Cash at Bank and In Hand		40,749		56,502	
Debtors & Deferred Income		344		0	
		41,094		56,502	
CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Trade Creditors		0		0	
Accruals - accountancy	2 Years	1,400		700	
Accruals - software		259			
Deferred Income	Note 6	24,477		0	
PAYE & NIC		3,871		3,606	
Other Creditors		50		148	
		30,057		4,454	
TOTAL Assets less Liabilities		£11,131		£53,430	
Represented By....		Unrestricted	Restricted	Unrestricted	Restricted
Balance from prior Year		52,438	0	80,194	0
Released from restricted		0	0	0	0
Decicit for the Year		-41,307	0	-26,764	0
		£11,131	£0	£53,430	£0

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Notes to the Financial Statements For the Year Ended 31st March 2025

1 Accounting Policies

a) Basis of Accounting...

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant notes to these accounts.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) issued on 16th July 2014 and the Charities Act 2011. The trust constitutes a public benefit entity as defined by FRS102.

b) Going Concern...

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the Trust's ability to continue as a going concern.

c) Fund Accounting...

A full review of all funds and grants has resulted in the Trustees re-allocating all funds to unrestricted status having satisfied themselves that there are no outstanding restrictions on the use of existing funds.

d) Income...

All incoming resources are included in the statement of financial activities when the charity is entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

- i Voluntary income is received by way of grants, donations and gifts and is included in full in the Statement of financial Activities when receivable. Grants, where entitlement is not conditional on the delivery of a specific performance by the charity, are recognised when the charity becomes entitled to the grant.
- ii Donated services and facilities are included at the value to the charity where this can be quantified. The value of services provided by volunteers has not been included in these accounts.
- iii Investment income is included when receivable.
- iv Income resources from charitable trading activity are accounted for when earned

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Notes to the Financial Statements For the Year Ended 31st March 2025

1 Accounting Policies Continued

e) Resources expended...

Expenditure is recognised on an accrual basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is reported as part of the expenditure to which it relates:

- i Costs of generating funds comprise the costs associated with attracting voluntary income and the costs of trading for fundraising purposes.

Charitable expenditure comprises those costs incurred by the charity in the delivery of its activities and services for its beneficiaries. It includes both costs that can be allocated directly to such activities and those costs of an indirect nature necessary to support them.
- ii Governance costs include those costs associated with meeting the constitutional and statutory requirements of the charity and include accountancy and legal fees. All costs are allocated between the expenditure categories of the SoFA on a basis designed to reflect the use of the resources. Costs relating to a particular activity are allocated directly, others are apportioned on an appropriate basis.
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2 Grant Income...

	Mar-25	Mar-24	Mar-23
Source....	£	£	£
Armed Forces - see deferred income	0	19,100	67,191
Carterton Town Council	500	6,075	4,050
WODC	3,175	0	0
SJTCFC	0	0	0
Services Fund	0	9,500	5,400
RAF Benevolent Fund	2,500	0	0
Others	3,500	0	0
	9,675	34,675	76,641

There was a grant from the armed forces in March 2025 but this has been treated as deferred income (see Note 6) as this relates to the March 2026 accounting period.

3 Staff Costs...

The charity employed ## (2023 fourteen) staff during the year. No employees received employee benefits exceeding £60,000 during the reporting period.

4 Trustees Remuneration...

The Trustees all give freely of their time and expertise without any remuneration or other benefit in kind.

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Notes to the Financial Statements

For the Year Ended 31st March 2025

5 Fixed Assets...

	Office Equipment	Plant & Machinery	TOTAL
COST...			
Brought forward	789	8,573	9,362
Additions			0
@ 31st March 2025	789	8,573	9,362
DEPRECIATION...			
Brought forward	789	7,191	7,980
Charge for Year	0	1,288	1,288
@ 31st March 2025	789	8,479	9,268
NET BOOK VALUE...			
@ 31st March 2025	0	94	94
@ 31st March 2024	0	1,382	1,382

6 Deferred Income...

Deferred income represents grants received (in this case from the armed forces) during the year for future activities. In past years we believe that such grants have been included in income and split out as restricted reserves but we feel that the new treatment is more consistent with acceptable accounting policies.

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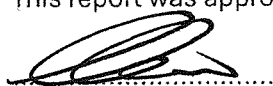
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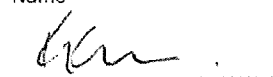
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Charitable activities		1,365	2,594
Equipment		633	97
Consumables		0	0
Staff salaries	Note 3	46,938	53,396
Staff pensions		558	336
Training		180	180
DBS		0	162
R&R		2,248	1,379
Subcontractors		0	0
Telephone & Internet		514	731
Website costs		0	0
Advertising		0	0
Insurance		1,093	91
PP&S		329	303
IT		278	655
Utilities		7,229	7,870
Waste		2,596	1,397
H&S		0	0
Cleaning		462	792
Accounts		700	1,076
Service charges		21	101
Fines & Interest		24	731
Un-identified expenses		23	963
Depreciation		1,287	2,766
Donations		0	100
Total Costs		66,478	75,719
NET DEFICIT FOR YEAR		-£41,307	-£26,764

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Balance Sheet As of March 31, 2025

		March 2025	March 2025	March 2024	March 2024
		£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS	Note 5	94		1,382	
CURRENT ASSETS					
Cash at Bank and In Hand		40,749		56,502	
Debtors & Deferred Income		344		0	
		41,094		56,502	
CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Trade Creditors		0		0	
Accruals - accountancy	2 Years	1,400		700	
Accruals - software		259			
Deferred Income	Note 6	24,477		0	
PAYE & NIC		3,871		3,606	
Other Creditors		50		148	
		30,057		4,454	
TOTAL Assets less Liabilities		£11,131		£53,430	
Represented By....		Unrestricted	Restricted	Unrestricted	Restricted
Balance from prior Year		52,438	0	80,194	0
Released from restricted		0	0	0	0
Decicit for the Year		-41,307	0	-26,764	0
		£11,131	£0	£53,430	£0

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1 Accounting Policies

a) Basis of Accounting...

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant notes to these accounts.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) issued on 16th July 2014 and the Charities Act 2011. The trust constitutes a public benefit entity as defined by FRS102.

b) Going Concern...

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the Trust's ability to continue as a going concern.

c) Fund Accounting...

A full review of all funds and grants has resulted in the Trustees re-allocating all funds to unrestricted status having satisfied themselves that there are no outstanding restrictions on the use of existing funds.

d) Income...

All incoming resources are included in the statement of financial activities when the charity is entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy. The following specific policies are applied to particular categories of income:

- i Voluntary income is received by way of grants, donations and gifts and is included in full in the Statement of financial Activities when receivable. Grants, where entitlement is not conditional on the delivery of a specific performance by the charity, are recognised when the charity becomes entitled to the grant.
- ii Donated services and facilities are included at the value to the charity where this can be quantified. The value of services provided by volunteers has not been included in these accounts.
- iii Investment income is included when receivable.
- iv Income resources from charitable trading activity are accounted for when earned

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1 Accounting Policies Continued

e) Resources expended...

Expenditure is recognised on an accrual basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is reported as part of the expenditure to which it relates:

- i Costs of generating funds comprise the costs associated with attracting voluntary income and the costs of trading for fundraising purposes.

Charitable expenditure comprises those costs incurred by the charity in the delivery of its activities and services for its beneficiaries. It includes both costs that can be allocated directly to such activities and those costs of an indirect nature necessary to support them.
- ii Governance costs include those costs associated with meeting the constitutional and statutory requirements of the charity and include accountancy and legal fees. All costs are allocated between the expenditure categories of the SoFA on a basis designed to reflect the use of the resources. Costs relating to a particular activity are allocated directly, others are apportioned on an appropriate basis.
- iii

2 Grant Income...

	Mar-25	Mar-24	Mar-23
Source....	£	£	£
Armed Forces - see deferred income	0	19,100	67,191
Carterton Town Council	500	6,075	4,050
WODC	3,175	0	0
SJTCFC	0	0	0
Services Fund	0	9,500	5,400
RAF Benevolent Fund	2,500	0	0
Others	3,500	0	0
	9,675	34,675	76,641

There was a grant from the armed forces in March 2025 but this has been treated as deferred income (see Note 6) as this relates to the March 2026 accounting period.

3 Staff Costs...

The charity employed ## (2023 fourteen) staff during the year. No employees received employee benefits exceeding £60,000 during the reporting period.

4 Trustees Remuneration...

The Trustees all give freely of their time and expertise without any remuneration or other benefit in kind.

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5 Fixed Assets...

	Office Equipment	Plant & Machinery	TOTAL
COST...			
Brought forward	789	8,573	9,362
Additions			0
@ 31st March 2025	789	8,573	9,362
DEPRECIATION...			
Brought forward	789	7,191	7,980
Charge for Year	0	1,288	1,288
@ 31st March 2025	789	8,479	9,268
NET BOOK VALUE...			
@ 31st March 2025	0	94	94
@ 31st March 2024	0	1,382	1,382

6 Deferred Income...

Deferred income represents grants received (in this case from the armed forces) during the year for future activities. In past years we believe that such grants have been included in income and split out as restricted reserves but we feel that the new treatment is more consistent with acceptable accounting policies.