



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From: 1st April 2024 to 31st March 2025

Charity name: Asian Sports Foundation

Charity registration number: 1176146

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	<p>To promote community participation in healthy recreation by providing facilities for the playing of sports capable of improving health;</p> <p>To provide and assist in providing facilities for sport, recreation or other leisure time occupation of such persons who have need for such facilities by reason of their youth, age, infirmity or disablement, poverty or social and economic circumstances or for the public at large in the interests of social welfare and with the object of improving their conditions of life;</p> <p>To promote equality and diversity in sport for the public benefit in the United Kingdom by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Working towards the elimination of discrimination on the grounds of race;- Promoting the participation and integration of members of ethnic minority migrant and refugee communities in sport;- Advancing education and raising awareness in equality and diversity;- Conducting or commissioning research on equality and diversity issues and publishing the results to the public; and- Promoting ethical standards of conduct and compliance with the law in relation to race relations and racial equality
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public	Para 1.17 and 1.19	To promote community participation in healthy recreation by providing facilities for

benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.		<p>the playing of sports capable of improving health</p> <p>To provide and assist in providing facilities for sport, recreation or other leisure time occupation of such persons who have need for such facilities by reason of their youth, age, infirmity or disablement, poverty or social and economic circumstances or for the public at large in the interests of social welfare and with the object of improving their conditions of life;</p> <p>To advance the education of children and young people through such means as the trustees think fit in accordance with the law of charity.</p> <p>To promote equality and diversity in sport for the public benefit in the United Kingdom by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - working towards the elimination of discrimination on the grounds of race; - promoting the participation and integration of members of ethnic minority migrant and refugee communities in sport; - advancing education and raising awareness in equality and diversity; - conducting or commissioning research on equality and diversity issues and publishing the results to the public; and - promoting ethical standards of conduct and compliance with the law in relation to race relations and racial equality
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	All Trustees are issued Charities Commission Guidance Documents for Trustees on appointment

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	NIL
	Para 1.38	NIL

Policy on social investment including program related investment		
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	NIL
Other		NIL

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
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>The Asian Sports Foundation through continued funding from Sport England have been able to support new groups and individuals to deliver projects aimed at providing opportunities to take part in sport and physical activity.</p> <p>These projects have focused on supporting more women and girls to take part in sport and physical activity.</p> <p>A partnership with Premiership Rugby has also evolved, again through funding support from Sport England which is seeing the development of 'Project Rugby' at 13 clubs and foundations across England – with the aim of supporting more women and girls from diverse backgrounds to get involved with Rugby Union.</p> <p>The charity has also refreshed its strategy and is in the process of finalising plans for future growth.</p> <p>Successfully securing funding from Sport England to recruit a CEO and programme manager for a 3 year term.</p>

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	<p>Our work with Sport England continues to progress and our Tackling Inequalities fund and Together Fund have finished.</p> <p>Recruitment of CEO and Programme manager undertaken for terms to begin April 2025</p>
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Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	Grant-funding remains a challenge, however we have had good success to date whilst also looking to develop the training provision element of the charity.
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	<p>The charity received £65.5k of lottery funding during the 2024/2025 financial period relating to the first payment of a Sport England funded project. The charity was awarded £359k from Sport England to support the 'Capacity, Resource and Sustainability' project which commenced during the period and is to be delivered by November 2027.</p> <p>These are restricted funds specifically required to deliver the objectives of the programme.</p> <p>The charity incurred £19.37k of expenditure during the period, £18.5k of project delivery costs and £0.870k linked to on-going running costs of the charity (insurance, marketing).</p> <p>The charity therefore recorded a positive net charitable income position of £46.130k during the period which will be carried forward into 2025/26 to deliver the objectives of the Sport England lottery funded programme.</p> <p>The overall position, taking account of the funds brought forward from 2023/2024, is funds to be carried forward of £62.717k of which £55k are restricted and £7.717k of unrestricted.</p>
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	<p>The financial position, including reserves, is presented at the charities quarterly Trustee meeting and approved annually and presented at the annual general meeting. The majority of reserves held relate to the timing of lottery funded projects which span financial years. There is a small amount (£7.717k) of unrestricted reserves carried forward to support future essential running costs of the charity.</p>
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£62,717
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	N/A
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	<p>There are no uncertainties around the charity continuing as a going concern. The charity continues to create new partnerships and has a number of active grant bids in progress. The inequalities agenda is increasingly becoming more of a global priority which is likely to result in</p>

		increased funding to support this through the charity.
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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	Grant Funding: currently through Sport England.
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	Failure to secure additional funds and more diverse funding streams would be a risk currently facing the charity.
Other		

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Memorandum and Articles incorporated 02 August 2016 as amended by special resolution registered at Companies House on 17 Nov 2017
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	Company Limited by Guarantee
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	All Trustees are appointed formally through Trustees Board Meetings

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	NIL
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	NIL
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	NIL
Other		NIL

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Asian Sports Foundation
Other name the charity uses	N/A
Registered charity number	1176146
Charity's principal address	71-75 Shelton Street London WC2H 9JQ

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	Jugdeep Johal	Chair		Board of Trustees
2	Sat Nijjer	Vice-Chair		Board of Trustees
3	Paul Corlass	Treasurer		Board of Trustees
4	Chandni Vora			Board of Trustees
5	Hamant Verma			Board of Trustees
6	Janet Inman			Board of Trustees
7	Dr Mansoor Khan		Resigned on 23/11/24	Board of Trustees
8	Raj Randhawa		Resigned on 11/12/24	Board of Trustees
9	Shazia Ali		Resigned on 31/03/25	Board of Trustees
10	Richard Parnell	Company Secretary		Board of Trustees
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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	
N/A		

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	NIL
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	NIL
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	NIL

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

Angus Martin

Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

NIL

Other optional information

NIL

Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)	Jug Johal	
Full name(s)	Jug Johal	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chairman	
Date	22/01/26	

Statement of financial position as at 31 March 2025

Statement of financial position

Asian Sports Foundation

Registration Number: 10732364

	2024-2025			2023-2024		
	Un-restricted	Restricted	Total	Un-restricted	Restricted	Total
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Notes						
Fixed assets						
Tangible assets	-	-	-	-	-	-
Investments	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total fixed assets	0	0	0	0	0	0
Current assets						
Inventories			-			-
Debtors			-		4,000	4,000
Cash and cash equivalents		62,717	62,717	1,164	29,317	30,481
Total current assets	0	62,717	62,717	1,164	33,317	34,481
Liabilities						
Creditors			-	3,400	14,494	17,894
Net assets	0	62,717	62,717	-2,236	18,823	16,587
Represented by:						
Restricted income funds		55,000	55,000		18,823	18,823
Unrestricted income funds	7,717		7,717	8,587 -	10,823 -	2,236
Total funds	7,717	55,000	62,717	8,587	8,000	16,587

Approved by the Board on 27th November 2025

And signed on their behalf by:

Jug Johal, Director

Paul Corlass, Treasurer

Statement of financial activities for the financial period ended 31 March 2025

Income and expenditure account

Asian Sports Foundation

Registration Number: 10732364

Notes	2024-2025			2023-2024		
	Un-restricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total	Un-restricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Income from						
Lottery funding		65,500	65,500			-
Other funding			-	2,500	8,000	10,500
Other donations			-			-
Net Income available for charitable purposes	-	65,500	65,500	2,500	8,000	10,500
Charitable expenditure						
Project delivery	-	18,500	18,500	-	55,160	55,160
Professional fees			-	-	-	-
Marketing	-	636	636	-	5,733	5,733
Subscription fees	-	154	154	-	319	319
Insurance	-	81	81	-	81	81
Other			-		-	-
Total charitable expenditure	-	18,500	19,370	-	55,160	61,292
Net charitable income	-	47,000	46,130	-	47,160	50,792
Reconciliation of funds						
Funds brought forward from previous year	8,587	8,000	16,587	1,396	65,983	67,379
Transfer			-	10,823	10,823	-
Total funds carried forward	7,717	55,000	62,717	8,587	8,000	16,587

Approved by the Board on 27th November 2025

And signed on their behalf by:

Jug Johal, Director

Paul Corlass, Treasurer



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees

Charity Name
Asian Sports Foundation

On accounts for the year
ended

31st March 2025

Charity no
(if any)

1176146

Set out on pages

Pages 4-5 of the "ASF Annual Report Jan 2026" and pages 1-2 of the ASF 2024-25 Accounts Final"

(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31 / 03 / 2025.

Responsibilities and
basis of report

As the charity's trustees, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of 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 and 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.

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 gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

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

Signed: J Booth

Date: 29/01/2026

Name: James Booth

Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body
(if any):

ACCA (Association of Chartered Certified Accountants)

Address:

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Section B

Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.

No disclosures