

CASTLETON SILVER BAND

England & Wales · Charity number 1182481

Details

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2019-03-15

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

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Activities

Objects: THE OBJECT OF THE CIO IS: TO ADVANCE THE PARTICIPATION, EDUCATION AND APPRECIATION OF THE GENERAL PUBLIC OF ALL AGES IN THE SCIENCE OF BRASS BAND MUSIC IN CASTLETON AND THE SURROUNDING AREA THROUGH THE PROVISION OF REHEARSAL FACILITIES, INSTRUMENT HIRE AND TUITION AND BY PARTICIPATION IN CONCERTS AND CONTESTS.

Activities: We are a brass band that plays for community activities in the Peak District (carnivals, well dressings, Garland ceremonies etc.). We have a training section that provides free music tuition to aspiring brass players of all ages.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Services, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Arts/culture/heritage/science
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People, People With Disabilities, People Of A Particular Ethnic Or Racial Origin

Geography

- Derbyshire

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-09-30	£3,634	£2,036	-	-
2024-09-30	£5,344	£4,205	-	-
2023-09-30	£3,545	£7,363	-	-
2022-09-30	£3,155	£3,224	-	-
2021-09-30	£1,447	£615	-	-
2020-09-30	£2,407	£1,265	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Carl Betts		2026-03-30
Elise Amy Rose		2026-03-30
Emma Jane Norling		2022-10-31
Jane Elizabeith Priestley		2026-03-30
John David Whitfield		2019-03-11
Martin Leslie Capps		2022-10-31
Rosalyn Beverley Porter		2026-03-30

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Accounts

Castleton Silver Band.

Trustees Report and Financial Statements for the year to 30 September 2025

The Trustees of Castleton Silver Band (the 'Band') submit their report and the financial statements of the Band for the year ended 30th September 2025.

Structure

The Band was registered as a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) on 15th March 2019. The charity number is 1182481. The trustees through the financial year were Martin Capps, Phil Creswick (Chair), Emma Norling, John Whitfield (MD). All band members and parents of training band members are eligible to be members of the CIO.

There are two bands – the senior and the training band. It has been exciting to watch trainees progress, some into the senior band. It is also excellent that many of the senior band attend training band rehearsals to support the trainees.

All members have contributed to the success of the band. However mention should be made of the following: Leo Copley (Training Band leader and inspiration), Tess Lomas (Safeguarding officer), Martin Capps (i/c Instruments), Jane Priestley (bookings), Sue Creswick (Treasurer), Emma Norling (standardising music), Amy Secker (uniforms), Percy Bishton (stand marking).

Activities

The main events of the 18 months (financial year and to the date of the AGM) included;

- Playing at series of village events including Castleton's Palm Sunday parade, galas in Hope, Bradwell, Barlow and Eyam, well blessings in Hope, Bradwell, Bamford and Barlow, the Hope torchlight parade, the Castleton Garland, the Castleton "Fun" day (which was held in the village hall as a wet weather alternative) and the Parwich St George's parade.
- The bands raised over £1,100 for The Alzheimer's Society in a concert in Hope.
- The band played in a concert in Castleton organised by Chapel en-le-Frith Male Voice Choir
- An informal group of the band meet on Friday for extra practice.
- Christmas playing – Carols in Peak cavern, Bakewell Christmas market, Bamford Crib, Moorland House, Castleton Christmas Tree festival service, Thornhill House Care Home
- The band welcomed new band members (both bands). However the band have been saddened by the death in December of Bryan Hazelhurst, formerly the band's conductor, and in February of Phil Creswick, Chair and Trustee. The band and alumni played at both funerals.

Financial Review

The net surplus for the year to 30th September 2025 was £1,598 (£1.139 for the previous year).

Risk management

As a member of Brass Bands England, the Band benefits from advice and training to help the band better understand and guard against safeguarding issues. All members have received a copy of the policy and procedures; members who give lessons to the training band have had DBS checks. Other risks are covered by insurance and licenses.

Small company

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to small charities.

ON BEHALF OF THE TRUSTEES
John Whitfield 23 Mar 2026

Castleton Silver Band

Financial Statements to 30 September 2025

Category	Year to 30 Sep 2025 £	Year to 30 Sep 2024 £
Income		
Income from Band events (both fees and donations)	3,544	2,938
Donations	<u>90</u>	<u>2,406</u>
TOTAL INCOME	<u>£ 3,634</u>	<u>£ 5,344</u>
Expenditure		
Instruments and related equipment (including repairs)	673	2,135
Music	789	440
Uniforms	-	-
Annual running expenses incl. insurance	454	763
Planning Permission application	-	-
Charitable Donation	-	350
Other (Garland refreshments)	<u>120</u>	<u>517</u>
TOTAL INCOME EXPENDITURE	<u>£ 2,036</u>	<u>£ 4,205</u>
SURPLUS/(SHORTFALL) OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE IN THE PERIOD	<u>£ 1,598</u>	<u>£ 1,139</u>
Opening balance at bank	£ 14,530	£ 13,391
Closing balance at bank	<u>£ 16,128</u>	<u>£ 14,530</u>

1. These accounts are drawn up on a cash basis.
2. The only assets recognised are the bank accounts. Instruments are not capitalised.
3. Included in donations in 2024 is over £1.700 from the Co-op – the band was one of the local charities that they supported.
4. In 2024 a Baritone and B flat Bass were purchased. Both are used by senior band members.

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Draft Trustees Report and Financial Statements for the year to 30 September 2024

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Activities

The main events of the 15 months (financial year and the rest of 2024) included:

- Playing at series of village events including Castleton's Palm Sunday parade, Bradwell's coronation picnic, galas in Hope, Bradwell, Barlow and Eyam, well blessings in Hope, Bradwell, Bamford and Barlow, the Hope torchlight parade (where the band became a samba band!), the Castleton Garland and the Parwich St George's parade.
- The bands raised over £1,300 for Parkinsons Disease in a concert in Hope.
- In a new initiative, the band held a joint "away day" in Loxley Hall playing new music under rge direction of Steve Sutton.
- Christmas playing - Carols in Peak cavern, Bakewell Christmas market, Bamford Crib, Moorland House, Castleton Christmas Tree festival service.
- The band welcomed new band members (both bands). However the band were saddened at the death of trombone player, arranger and all round encourager Alan Rimmington.

Financial Review

The net surplus for the year to 30th September 2024 was £1,139 (£3.818 deficit for the previous year). The results benefitted from the Co-op sponsorship.

Risk management

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Small company

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ON BEHALF OF THE TRUSTEES

John Whitfield 10 Mar 2025

Castleton Silver Band

Financial Statements to 30 September 2024

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Income		
Income from Band events (both fees and donations)	2,938	3,545
Donations	2,406	-
Bonus paid to the Band for moving the Bank Account	_____ -	_____ -
TOTAL INCOME	<u>£ 5,344</u>	<u>£ 3,545</u>
Expenditure		
Instruments and related equipment (including repairs)	2,135	4,916
Music	440	1,790
Uniforms	-	-
Annual running expenses incl. insurance	763	557
Planning Permission application	-	-
Charitable Donation	350	
Other (Garland refreshments)	517	100
TOTAL INCOME EXPENDITURE	<u>£ 4,205</u>	<u>£ 7,363</u>
SURPLUS/(SHORTFALL) OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE IN THE PERIOD	<u>£ 1,139</u>	<u>£ (3,818)</u>
Opening balance at bank	£ 13,391	£ 17,209
Closing balance at bank	<u>£ 14,530</u>	<u>£ 13,391</u>

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4. A Baritone and B flat Bass were purchased. Both are used by senior band members.
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Activities

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- Playing at series of village events including Castleton's Palm Sunday parade, Bradwell's coronation picnic, galas in Hope, Bradwell, , Barlow and Eyam, well blessings in Hope, Bradwell, Bamford and Barlow, the Hope torchlight parade (where the band became a samba band!), the Castleton Garland and the Parwich St George's parade.
- The bands joined with Tideswell Academy Band to raise over £700 for Motor Neurone Disease in a concert in Bradwell.
- Christmas playing – Carols in Peak cavern, Bakewell Christmas market, Bamford Crib, Moorland House, Castleton Christmas Tree festival service and two family events at Breedon. Unfortunately other planned events were cancelled due to bad weather.
- New band members (both bands) and promotions from training to senior
- Being one of the Bradwell Co-op charities for 2022/3. £1,700 was received in November.

Financial Review

The net deficit for the year to 30th September 2023 was £3,818 (£69 for the previous year). The largest items of expenditure were the purchase of a Bb bass, a baritone and new folders for marches and other music.

Risk management

As a member of Brass Bands England, the Band benefits from advice and training to help the band better understand and guard against safeguarding issues. All members have received a copy of the policy and procedures; members who give lessons to the training band have had DBS checks. Other risks are covered by insurance and licenses.

Small company

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ON BEHALF OF THE TRUSTEES

John Whitfield 1 Jan 2024

Castleton Silver Band

Financial Statements to 30 September 2023

Category	Year to 30 Sep 2023 £	Year to 30 Sep 2022 £
Income		
Income from Band events (both fees and donations)	3,545	3,155
Donations from individuals	-	-
Bonus paid to the Band for moving the Bank Account	-	-
TOTAL INCOME	<u>£ 3,545</u>	<u>£ 3,155</u>
Expenditure		
Instruments and related equipment (including repairs)	4,916	1,495
Music	1,790	652
Uniforms	-	342
Annual running expenses incl. insurance	557	442
Planning Permission application	-	258
Other (Garland refreshments)	<u>100</u>	<u>35</u>
TOTAL INCOME EXPENDITURE	<u>£ 7,363</u>	<u>£ 3,224</u>
SURPLUS/(SHORTFALL) OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE IN THE PERIOD	<u>£ (3,818)</u>	<u>£ (69)</u>
Opening balance at bank	£ 17,209	£ 17,278
Closing balance at bank	<u>£ 13,391</u>	<u>£ 17,209</u>

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2. The only assets recognised are the bank accounts. Instruments are not capitalised.
3. A Baritone and B flat Bass were purchased. Both are used by senior band members.
4. The music category includes the black folders, containing marches, and blue folders used for supplementary hymns and other popular pieces.
5. The planning permission costs in 2022, were for an unsuccessful application, was for a storage container sited at the Hope Pavilion.

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At the 2022 AGM new trustees will be appointed to take over from Don Hoggarth and Cath Batley who have retired after many years of service to the Band.

The Trustees would like to thank all who provide support and guidance to the Training Band (especially Leo Copley, the de facto leader of the Training Band), and to those who help us all with music and uniforms.

Activities

During the year, band rehearsals returned to the Sports Pavillion in Hope. The events of the year included:

- Playing at series of village events including Castleton's Palm Sunday parade, galas in Hope, Bradwell, Bamford, Barlow and Eyam, blessings of Wells in Hope, Bradwell, Bamford and Barlow, the Bradwell torchlight parade, the Castleton Garland and the Parwich St George's parade.
- Christmas playing – Carols in Peak cavern, Bakewell Christmas market, Ashgate Hospice and pop-up carols in Hope and Castleton and outside various local pubs.
- Six members graduated from the Training Band to the senior band.
- The training band welcomed a number of new learners (including our first training band Tuba).
- We have been asked by the Hope Pavilion committee to find another storage facility for instruments and excess music. The search continues; planning permission was denied for an additional small store inside the sports ground.

Financial Review

The net deficit for the year to 30th September 2021 was £69 (a surplus of £632 for the previous year). The largest item of expenditure was the purchase of a replacement tenor horn.

Risk management

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ON BEHALF OF THE TRUSTEES
John Whitfield 24 Oct 2022

Castleton Silver Band

Financial Statements to 30 September 2022

Category	Year to 30 Sep 2022 £	Year to 30 Sep 2021 £
Income		
Income from Band events (both fees and donations)	3,155	117
Donations from individuals	-	80
Bonus paid to the Band for moving the Bank Account	-	<u>1,250</u>
TOTAL INCOME	<u>£ 3,155</u>	<u>£ 1,447</u>
Expenditure		
Instruments and related equipment	1,495	152
Music	652	73
Uniforms	342	-
Annual running expenses incl. insurance	442	390
Planning Permission application	258	-
Other	<u>35</u>	<u>-</u>
TOTAL INCOME EXPENDITURE	<u>£ 3,224</u>	<u>£ 615</u>
SURPLUS/(SHORTFALL) OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE IN THE PERIOD	<u>£ (69)</u>	<u>£ 832</u>
Opening balance at bank	£ 17,278	£ 16,446
Closing balance at bank	<u>£ 17,209</u>	<u>£ 17,278</u>

1. These accounts are drawn up on a cash basis.
2. The only assets recognised are the bank accounts. Instruments are not capitalised.
3. A new tenor horn was bought during the year, replacing an old irreparable instrument.
4. The planning permission, which was not granted, was for a storage container based at the Hope Pavilion.

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At the 2022 AGM new trustees will be appointed to take over from Don Hoggarth and Cath Batley who have retired after many years of service to the Band.

Activities

The activities of the band – rehearsing and performing – restarted slowly after their suspension in March 2020 because of the pandemic. In October 2020 members of the Training Band began meeting on Zoom (imperfect, but important). Small groups from the band played pop-up Christmas carols around the villages, focussing on Caroline Court and other areas of old people's housing.

Rehearsals started at the end of May 2021, organised to be Covid-safe - full social distancing, using bell covers when playing inside, and using the airy Castleton Methodist Church as the practice room. The main events were the Castleton Village day and the band being featured on Escape to the Country, broadcast in Autumn 2021.

Since the year end, six members have graduated from the Training Band to the senior band, and most of the traditional Christmas activities (including the Peak Cavern concert) and spring engagements (Palm Sunday in Castleton and St Georges parade in Parwich) have taken place.

Thanks are due to the many who help with the band, including Leo Copley who is the de facto leader of the Training Band

Financial Review

The net surplus for the year to 30th September 2021 was £832 (£1,142 for the year to 30th September 2020). The main income in the year was a payment from NatWest – an incentive for moving to another bank. Apart from normal running expenses, the major spend was the bell covers.

Risk management

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Small company

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ON BEHALF OF THE TRUSTEES
John Whitfield 25 July 2022

Castleton Silver Band

Financial Statements to 30 September 2021

Category	Year to 30 Sep 2021 £	Year to 30 Sep 2020 £
Income		
Income from Band events (both fees and donations)	117	1,617
Grants (note 3)	-	500
Donations from individuals	80	-
Funds collected at concerts for charity	-	285
Bonus paid to the Band for moving the Bank Account	1,250	
Interest	-	5
TOTAL INCOME	<u>£ 1,447</u>	<u>£ 2,407</u>
Expenditure		
Instruments and related equipment	152	285
Donations to charity from fund raising (note 4)	.	285
Music	73	274
Annual running expenses incl. insurance	390	421
Other	-	-
TOTAL INCOME EXPENDITURE	<u>£ 615</u>	<u>£ 1,265</u>
SURPLUS/(SHORTFALL) OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE IN THE PERIOD	<u>£ 832</u>	<u>£ 1,142</u>
Opening balance at bank	£ 16,446	£ 15,304
Closing balance at bank	<u>£ 17,278</u>	<u>£ 16,446</u>

1. These accounts are drawn up on a cash basis.
2. The only assets recognised are the bank accounts. Instruments are not capitalised.
3. The Grant was from Derbyshire County Council.
4. In the year to 30 September 2020, a band concert raised £285 for Jessops hospital in Sheffield.

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Objectives and Activities

The main activities of the two bands are rehearsals and performing.

- The main performances in the year included participation in many community events in villages including Castleton, Bradwell, Hope, Bamford, Barlow, Parwich, Whaley Bridge and Eyam.
- The training band join the senior band at the Hope Wakes concert and the Castleton Garland procession. Traditionally they also play without support at the Castleton Christmas Tree Festival.

In the year to 30 September 2020 the band was busy with Christmas activities. The Training Band had new members – parents wishing to learn alongside their children and a lapsed brass players wanting to regain those skills. Activities stopped in March 2020 because of the coronavirus lockdown.

Some members of the Training Band reconvened in October for Zoom sessions and some of the senior band came together in smaller groups for pop-up Christmas carols around the villages. Full band rehearsals started at the end of May, taking measures including full social distancing when playing and bell covers when playing inside.

Financial Review

The net surplus for the year to 30th September was £1,142 (£9,137 for the year to . In the year, the band received a substantial donation from a benefactor and fees in respect of earlier years. The major expenditure is a set of new uniform for wet weather outdoor engagements.

Risk management

The band has become a member of Brass Bands England. They have provided advice and training to help the band better understand and guard against safeguarding issues. All members have received a copy of the policy and procedures; members who give lessons to the training band have had DBS checks. Other risks are covered by insurance and licenses.

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ON BEHALF OF THE TRUSTEES

John Whitfield
22 June 2021

Castleton Silver Band

Financial Statements to 30 September 2020

Category	Year to 30 Sep 2020 £	Year to 30 Sep 2019 £
Income		
Income from Band events (both fees and donations)	1,617	4,135
Grants (note 1)	500	1,000
Donations from individuals	-	6,550
Funds collected at concerts for charity	285	105
Interest	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>
TOTAL INCOME	<u>£ 2,407</u>	<u>£ 11,800</u>
Expenditure		
Instruments and related equipment	285	521
Donations to charity from fund raising	285	105
Uniforms	-	1,043
Music	274	422
Annual running expenses incl. insurance	421	346
Other	<u>-</u>	<u>226</u>
TOTAL INCOME EXPENDITURE	<u>£ 1,265</u>	<u>£ 2,663</u>
SURPLUS/(SHORTFALL) OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE IN THE PERIOD	<u>£ 1,142</u>	<u>£ 9,137</u>
Opening balance at bank	£ 15,304	£ 6,167
Closing balance at bank	<u>£ 16,446</u>	<u>£ 15,304</u>

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2. The only assets recognised are the bank accounts. Instruments are not capitalised.
3. The Grants was from Derbyshire County Council (2019 also included a grant from High Peak Borough Council)
4. A fund raising concert raised £285 for Jessops hospital in Sheffield. (In the year to 30 September 2019 £105 was collected at a concert at the Ladybower hotel for the Royal British Legion.)