

**Service Non Public Funds Final Accounts,
Managing Trustee's Report, Internal Audit
Board Report and Independent Examiner's Report (SORP 2005 compliant)
Internal Audit Board Scheme, (Use either Page 1 depending on the type of scheme used)**

Army Form N1514
(Rev 11/09)

Unit CHAPS(A) ✓
Address Zone 2Z, Second Floor, Blenheim Building, Marlborough Lines, Andover SP11 8HT ✓
In respect of the RACHD Museum CIO ✓ Fund/Charity
Charity Commission/Regulator registered number 1189072
For the period from 01/02/2024 to 31/01/2025

Managing Trustee(s) during the period:

From	1 Feb 24	to	31 Jan 25	Name	Revd Michael Parker ✓
From		to		Name	
From		to		Name	

Account Holder(s) during the period:

From	1 Feb 24	to	14 Jun 24	Name	Revd Dr Matthew Coles ✓
From	14 Jun 24	to	31 Jan 25	Name	Revd Amy Walters ✓
From		to		Name	

The Internal Audit Board consists of:

President		Revd Richard Begg ✓			
Member					
Member					
Member					
Assembled at	Army HQ, Andover			On	12 Mar 25
By Order of		CG			

Statement of Financial Activities as at 31/01/2025

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CHAPS (Army)

Royal Army Chaplains' Museum

	Unrestricted/ Designated/GPF Funds	Restricted Funds	Endowment Funds	Total Funds	Previous Period Total Funds
Incoming Resources					
Voluntary Income	833.67✓	0.00	0.00	833.67✓	6,995.07
Activities for Generating Funds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	20.00
Investment Income	18.73✓	0.00	0.00	18.73✓	45.13
Income Resources from Charitable Activities	855.00✓	0.00	0.00	855.00✓	796.00
Other Incoming Resources	101.60✓	0.00	0.00	101.60✓	6,914.53
Total Incoming Resources	1,809.00✓	0.00	0.00	1,809.00✓	14,770.73
Resources Expended Cost of Generating Funds					
Investment Management Costs	35.00✓	0.00	0.00	35.00	35.00
Costs of Generating Funds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Charitable Activities	7,054.12✓	0.00	0.00	7,054.12	7,287.58
Governance Costs	2,062.07✓	0.00	0.00	2,062.07	2,148.31
Grants and Donations	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other Costs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	174.36
Total Resources Expended	9,151.19✓	0.00	0.00	9,151.19	9,645.25
Net Incoming/Outgoing Resources Before Transfers	-7,342.19	0.00	0.00	-7,342.19	5,125.48
Transfers					
Gross transfers between funds (internal transfers)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Net Incoming resources before holding gains and losses	-7,342.19	0.00	0.00	-7,342.19	5,125.48
Holding Gains/Losses					
Gains on revaluation of the charity's fixed assets	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Unrealised Gains/Losses on investment assets	645.55✓	0.00	0.00	645.55✓	722.26
Net Movement in Funds	-6,696.64✓	0.00	0.00	-6,696.64	5,847.74
Reconciliation of Funds					
Total funds brought forward from previous year	21,057.28	0.00	0.00	21,057.28	
Total funds carried forward	14,360.64	0.00	0.00	14,360.64✓	

Date 12 MAR 25Account Holder Signature Date 12 MARCH 25Managing Trustee Signature 

January 2025

<u>End of last year</u>		<u>Balance</u>
	Fixed Assets	
6,597.27	CCLA investment	7,242.82 ✓
6,597.27	Total Fixed Assets	7,242.82
	Current Assets	
14,460.01	Current bank account	7,117.82 ✓
0.00	Cash	0.00
0.00	Debtors	0.00 ✓
14,460.01	Total Current Assets	7,117.82
21,057.28	Total Assets	14,360.64
	Liabilities	
0.00	Creditors	0.00 ✓
0.00	VAT control	0.00 ✓
0.00	VAT payable	0.00 ✓
0.00	Total Liabilities	0.00
21,057.28	Total Assets Minus Liabilities	14,360.64
	Total Funds	
0.00	Total Restricted Funds	0.00
0.00	Total Endowment Funds	0.00
10,000.00	Total Designated Funds	10,000.00
11,057.28	Accumulated Trading & GPF	4,360.64
21,057.28	Total Funds	14,360.64

<u>End of last year</u>		<u>Balance</u>	
	Funds Analysis		

	Designated Funds		

10,000.00	Museum Reserve	10,000.00	

10,000.00			10,000.00

	Restricted Funds		

0.00			0.00

	Endowment Funds		

0.00			0.00

	Trading and General Purpose Funds		

0.00	Trading surplus	0.00	
0.00	Non Primary Purpose trading surplus	0.00	
8,547.74	General Purpose Fund surplus	(6,696.64)	
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8,547.74	Trading & GPF surplus		(6,696.64)
2,509.54	Balance at last balance sheet		11,057.28
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11,057.28	Accumulated Trading & GPF		4,360.64

21,057.28	Grand total		14,360.64
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Signature of A/C Holder/Fund Manager



Date 12 MAR 25

Signature of Managing Trustee



Date 12 MARCH 25

Balance date to end of January 2025

All nominal codes

Without cost centre codes shown

<u>A\C Code</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Year Movement</u>
B300	CCLA investment	7,242.82 ✓	645.55 ✓
B500	Debtors	0.00 ✓	0.00
B650	Current bank account	7,117.82 ✓	-7,342.19
B680	Cash	0.00 ✓	0.00
B700	Creditors	0.00 ✓	0.00
B750	VAT control	0.00 ✓	0.00
B760	VAT payable	0.00 ✓	0.00
B900	Accumulated GPF	-11,057.28	-8,547.74
BX01	Stock on hand	0.00	0.00
BX02	CCLA deposit account	0.00	0.00
D001	Museum Reserve	-10,000.00	0.00
RX01	New Museum Development Fund	0.00	0.00
		14,360.64	645.55
		-21,057.28	-15,889.93
		<u>-6,696.64</u>	<u>-15,244.38</u>

<u>A/C Code</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Month Movement</u>
G001	Donations received	-833.67 ✓	-395.90
G002	Gift Aid tax recovered	0.00	0.00
G050	Xmas Cards sales [not for use]	0.00	0.00
G125	Bank interest	-18.73 ✓	0.00
G150	Subscriptions - general	-855.00 ✓	0.00
G300	Other income	-101.60 ✓	0.00
G301	Postage income [not for use]	0.00	8.40
G460	Unrealised gain CCLA	-645.55 ✓	-363.31
G500	Bank charges	35.00	0.00
G501	Investment management costs	0.00	0.00
G615	Hospitality	0.00	0.00
G621	Conferences - external	45.00	0.00
G631	Special projects	0.00	0.00
G641	Publicity	90.00	0.00
G642	Website costs	216.00	0.00
G651	Property upkeep	0.00	0.00
G652	Museum design and fit-out	125.00	0.00
G653	Business rates	6,578.12	139.00
G750	Postage	5.40	2.50
G751	Stationery	12.67	0.00
G752	Insurance	2,044.00	0.00
G753	Trustees expenses	0.00	0.00
G755	Legal fees	0.00	0.00
G756	Property valuation costs	0.00	0.00
G776	Presentations	0.00	0.00
G803	Nil value propty [not for use]	0.00	0.00
G899	Business Rates - Arrears	0.00	0.00
G950	Unrealised loss CCLA	0.00	0.00
TX01	Interest on CCLA investment	0.00	0.00
TX02	Fund setup income	0.00	0.00
TX04	CCLA interest - deposit account	0.00	0.00
TX07	Sale of property	0.00	0.00
TX08	Opening trading stocks	0.00	0.00
TX09	Trading stock purchase/return	0.00	0.00
TX10	Closing trading stock	0.00	0.00
TX11	Write-offs	0.00	0.00

<u>A/C Code</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Balance</u>		<u>Month Movement</u>	
TX12	Disposals at cost	0.00		0.00	
TX13	Sales	0.00		0.00	
TX14	Purchase discounts taken	0.00		0.00	
		9,151.19	-2,454.55	149.90	-759.21
		<hr/> 6,696.64 <hr/>		<hr/> -609.31 <hr/>	
		<hr/> 0.00 <hr/>			

January 2025

	<u>Turnover this month</u>		<u>Turnover year to date</u>	
GPF Analysis				
Income				

Voluntary Income				

G001 Donations received	395.90		833.67	
G002 Gift Aid tax recovered	0.00		0.00	
		395.90		833.67 ✓
Activities for Generating Funds				

G050 Xmas Cards sales [not for use]	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Investment Income				

G125 Bank interest	0.00		18.73	
		0.00		18.73 ✓
Income Resources from Charitable Activiti				

Trading Income	0.00		0.00	
G150 Subscriptions - general	0.00		855.00	
		0.00		855.00 ✓
Other Income				

Non Primary Purpose Trading Income	0.00		0.00	
G300 Other income	0.00		101.60	
G301 Postage income [not for use]	-8.40		0.00	
		-8.40		101.60 ✓
Internal Transfers In				

G400 GPF transfers in	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Gains on Revaluation of Fixed Assets				

		0.00		0.00
Unrealised Gains on Investment Assets				

G460 Unrealised gain CCLA	363.31		645.55	
		363.31		645.55 ✓
GPF Total Income		750.81		2,454.55

	<u>Turnover this month</u>		<u>Turnover year to date</u>	
Expenditure				

Investment Management Costs				

G500 Bank charges	0.00		35.00	
G501 Investment management costs	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		35.00 ✓
Costs of Generating Funds				

		0.00		0.00
Charitable Activities				

Trading costs	0.00		0.00	
G615 Hospitality	0.00		0.00	
G621 Conferences - external	0.00		45.00	
G631 Special projects	0.00		0.00	
G641 Publicity	0.00		90.00	
G642 Website costs	0.00		216.00	
G651 Property upkeep	0.00		0.00	
G652 Museum design and fit-out	0.00		125.00	
G653 Business rates	139.00		6,578.12	
		139.00		7,054.12 ✓
Governance Costs				

G750 Postage	2.50		5.40	
G751 Stationery	0.00		12.67	
G752 Insurance	0.00		2,044.00	
G753 Trustees expenses	0.00		0.00	
G755 Legal fees	0.00		0.00	
G756 Property valuation costs	0.00		0.00	
		2.50		2,062.07 ✓
Grants and Donations				

G776 Presentations	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Other Costs				

Non Primary Trading Costs	0.00		0.00	
G803 Nil value propty [not for use]	0.00		0.00	
G899 Business Rates - Arrears	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Internal Transfers Out				

G900 GPF transfers out	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Unrealised Losses on Investments				

G950 Unrealised loss CCLA	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00

	<u>Turnover this month</u>	<u>Turnover year to date</u>
GPF Total Expenditure	141.50	9,151.19 ✓
GPF Income Over Expenditure	609.31	-6,696.64 ✓

	<u>Turnover this month</u>	<u>Turnover year to date</u>
Trading Account Analysis		

Trading Expenditure		

Trading Income	-----	-----

Income Over Expenditure	0.00	0.00
Non Primary Purpose Trading Analysis		

Trading Expenditure		

Trading Income	-----	-----

Income Over Expenditure	0.00	0.00

	<u>Turnover this month</u>	<u>Turnover year to date</u>
Restricted Funds Analysis		
Income		

Voluntary Income		

	0.00	0.00
Activities for Generating Funds		

	0.00	0.00
Investment Income		

	0.00	0.00
Income Resources from Charitable Activiti		

	0.00	0.00
Other Incoming Resources		

	0.00	0.00
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Total Income excluding transfers	0.00	0.00

	<u>Turnover this month</u>	<u>Turnover year to date</u>
Expenditure		

Investment Management Costs		

	0.00	0.00
Costs of Generating Funds		

	0.00	0.00
Charitable Activities		

	0.00	0.00
Governance Costs		

	0.00	0.00
Grants and Donations		

	0.00	0.00
Other Costs		

	0.00	0.00
Total Expenditure excluding transfers	----- 0.00	----- 0.00
Internal Transfers		

	0.00	0.00
Restricted funds Income Over Expenditure	----- 0.00	----- 0.00

	<u>Turnover this month</u>		<u>Turnover year to date</u>	
Designated Funds Analysis				
Income				

Voluntary Income				

D001 Museum Reserve	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Activities for Generating Funds				

D001 Museum Reserve	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Investment Income				

D001 Museum Reserve	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Income Resources from Charitable Activiti				

D001 Museum Reserve	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Other Incoming Resources				

D001 Museum Reserve	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Total Income excluding transfers		0.00		0.00

	<u>Turnover this month</u>		<u>Turnover year to date</u>	
Expenditure				

Investment Management Costs				

D001 Museum Reserve	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Costs of Generating Funds				

D001 Museum Reserve	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Charitable Activities				

D001 Museum Reserve	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Governance Costs				

D001 Museum Reserve	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Grants and Donations				

D001 Museum Reserve	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Other Costs				

D001 Museum Reserve	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Total Expenditure excluding transfers		0.00		0.00
Internal Transfers				

D001 Museum Reserve	0.00		0.00	
		0.00		0.00
Designated funds Income Over Expenditur		0.00		0.00

	<u>Turnover this month</u>	<u>Turnover year to date</u>
Endowment Funds Analysis		
Income		

Voluntary Income		

	0.00	0.00
Activities for Generating Funds		

	0.00	0.00
Investment Income		

	0.00	0.00
Income Resources from Charitable Activiti		

	0.00	0.00
Other Incoming Resources		

	0.00	0.00
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Total Income excluding transfers	0.00	0.00

	<u>Turnover this month</u>	<u>Turnover year to date</u>
Expenditure		

Investment Management Costs		

	0.00	0.00
Costs of Generating Funds		

	0.00	0.00
Charitable Activities		

	0.00	0.00
Governance Costs		

	0.00	0.00
Grants and Donations		

	0.00	0.00
Other Costs		

	0.00	0.00
Total Expenditure excluding transfers	0.00	0.00
Internal Transfers		

	0.00	0.00
Endowment funds Income Over Expenditure	0.00	0.00
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Notes to the Accounts (Paras 2 to 12 are to be completed by all funds which have a gross income of £100K or over and those funds already registered with the Charity Regulator, all other funds are to complete Paras 6 and 7 and the declarations at Para 12):

1. Principal Accounting Policies

- a. Accounting Convention. The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the inclusion of investments at market value and in accordance with applicable accounting standards. In preparing the financial statements the charity follows best practice as set out in the Statement of Recommended Practice 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities' (SORP) 2005 (<http://www.charitycommission.gov.uk/investigations/sorp/sorp05docs.asp>)
- b. Incoming Resources. Income is recognised in the period in which the charity is entitled to receipt, and the amount can be measured with reasonable certainty. Grants from other agencies including donations and other income from activities are in furtherance of the charity's objects and are part of the general funds of the charity. A restricted fund is only recognised where this is an agreed and explicit condition of the grant or donor.
- c. Intangible Income. Due to the close collaborative relationship and the manner in which the charity's activities compliment those of the Army, intangible income, reflected in time and use of premises is not quantifiable or measurable and so is not recognised in the accounts.
- d. Resources Expended and Basis of Allocation of Costs. Expenditure is included when incurred or exceptionally where a commitment is made which requires an accrual when payment is to be made in the subsequent accounting period. Similarly, where prepayments are made in recognition of commitments falling due in a subsequent accounting period, the appropriate credit is entered in the accounts and reversed the following year. Grants payable are included in the SOFA when approved by the Managing Trustee. Expenditure is recognised in the period in which it is incurred. The majority of costs are directly attributable to specific activities. Irrecoverable VAT is charged to the activity for which it was incurred.
- e. Governance Costs. Governance costs are the costs of professional advice, holding trustee meetings or committee meetings associated with decision making, any fee for audit or independent examination and any fee incurred in the preparation, statutory filing, printing or copying of the annual report and accounts.
- f. Capitalisation and Depreciation of Tangible Fixed Assets. All assets having a purchase value of more than £500 are capitalised. The cost of tangible fixed assets are written off by equal annual instalments over their expected useful lives using the following methods of depreciation:
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|-----------------------------------|---|--|
| Furniture, fixtures and equipment | - | Straight Line over a period of 2 – 10 years. |
| Motor vehicles | - | Straight Line over a period of 2 – 10 years. |
- Assets with a life of more than one year but with a purchase value of below £500 are included within the inventory but the cost is written off in the year it is incurred and is not depreciated over the useful life of the asset. Where the asset is depreciated over a period of more than 10 years, details of the item and period are to be provided following the notes on page 14.
- g. Fixed Asset Investments. Fixed asset investments are included at market value at the balance sheet date. Any gain or loss on revaluation is shown in the Statement of Financial Activities (SOFA).

h. Stocks. Purchased stocks are valued at the lower cost or net realisable value making due allowance for any obsolete or slow-moving items.

i. Funds Accounting. Funds held by the charity are:

(1) General Purpose/Unrestricted /Designated Funds. These are funds that can be used in accordance with the charitable objects at the discretion of the Managing Trustee. Designated funds are unrestricted funds which have been allocated/earmarked for a particular purpose by the Managing Trustee and are to be declared in the Managing Trustees comments in accordance with Para 12 to these notes stating what they are intended to be used for and when.

(2) Endowment Funds. Endowment funds are those investments and other gifts accepted by the unit, the capital sum or property being held in perpetuity and the income only being available for charitable use.

(3) Restricted Funds. These are funds that can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes. Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is to be included in the notes to the accounts.

j. Heritage Assets. In the course of the unit's history, the charity may have acquired gifts, memorabilia, regalia, silverware, antiques and other historical artefacts in the course of distinguished military service in service of the Crown. The value of these pieces is in large part derived from their close association with Regimental history which precludes the use of conventional valuation techniques being applied. Whilst the objects of the charity do not specifically include preservation and conservation, the pieces represent an essential element of celebrating the unit's history and foster esprit-de-corps. Consequently the Managing Trustee considers the charity to hold heritage assets both for functional use and as an element of national history on behalf of the nation. Heritage assets acquired prior to 1 Apr 06 are therefore not capitalised on the balance sheet but a description of those assets is disclosed as part of the notes to the accounts. Heritage assets acquired after 1 Apr 06 where the purchase price is known and which exceed £500.00 are included in the balance sheet at acquisition value but are not depreciated.

k. Other Costs. Other costs are those costs not incurred in the undertaking of charitable activity in furtherance of the objects of the charity, i.e. the provision of facilities, recreational programmes or activities in furtherance of military efficiency. They are also costs incurred in the making of grants and donations, in the costs of generating funds, i.e. the costs incurred in trading or fundraising undertaken by the charity, or in governance costs.

2. Grants Made. (if total grants are over 5% of the charity's total expenditure).

The charity made the following grants/donations:

Grants to institutions

Name of institutions	Purpose	Total number of grants given	Total amount of grants paid
None		0	0.00
Total grants to institutions		0	0.00

Grants to individuals

Purpose	Total number of grants given	Total amount of grants paid
None		
		0.00

3. Related Party Transactions & Remuneration and Expenses

Whilst the charity has a close working relationship with the Army, there are no transactions with the Army which require disclosure under SORP 2005. The only transactions made by the charity in favour of the unit are wholly attributable to the charitable activities of furthering military efficiency. The Managing Trustee is an officer or equivalent and fulfils the role as trustee in accordance with the applicable laws and regulations. No expenses have been paid to the trustee. In the event that expenses have been paid to the trustee these are disclosed under the Managing Trustee's comments.

4. Analysis of Capital Property

	Fixtures, fittings & equipment	Motor vehicles	Total
	£	£	£
Balance b/f	0.00	0.00	0.00
Purchases			
Sales & W/Os			
Depreciation			
Balance c/f	0.00	0.00	0.00

5. Total Value of Investments by Category

	Value £
Carrying value (market value) at beginning of year	6,597.27
Add additions to investments at cost (investments purchased)	0.00
Less disposals at carrying value (investments sold)	0.00
Add/(deduct) net gain/(loss) on revaluation (gain/loss at end of accounting period/audit)	645.55
Carrying value (market value) at end of year	7,242.82

Breakdown of Market Values at

<u>Year End</u>	GPF/ Unrestricted Value £	Restricted Value £	Endowment Value £	Total value Value £	Income during year Value £
Investment properties				0.00	
Investments listed on a recognised stock exchange				0.00	
Investments held in unit trusts or other collective investment schemes	7,242.82	0.00	0.00	7,242.82	
Investments in subsidiary or connected undertakings and companies				0.00	
Securities not listed on a recognised Stock Exchange				0.00	
Cash held as part of the investment portfolio				0.00	
Other investments				0.00	
Total	7,242.82	0.00	0.00	7,242.82	

6. List of Debtors

Debtor	Date of Debt	Amount
Total		0.00

* There are no amounts falling due after more than one year (delete as appropriate).

7. List of Creditors

Creditor	Date of Credit	Amount
		0.00
Total		0.00

* There are no amounts falling due after more than one year (delete as appropriate).

8. Paid Employees

	This year £	Last year £
Gross wages paid		
Employer's National Insurance paid		
Pension Contributions paid		
Total staff costs	0.00	0.00

Give the number of employees who were engaged in each of the following activities:

	This year	Last year
Costs of generating funds		
Charitable activities		
Other		
Total	0.00	0.00

No individual employee received a salary of over £60000.00

9. Governance Costs

	This year £	Last year £
Audit or independent examination fee	0.00	0.00

10. Restricted/Endowment Funds

Give details of the movements of the individual funds summarised in the restricted and endowment column of the Statements of Financial Activities (SOFA).

Fund Name	Fund Bal B/F	Incoming Resources for period	Outgoing Resources for period	Transfers	Gains and Losses	Fund Bal C/F

A brief explanation as to the nature and purpose of the charity's Restricted Funds is to be provided.

Name of Restricted Fund	Purpose of fund

11. Heritage Assets.

Heritage assets that are owned by the charity but purchased/acquired prior to 1 Apr 06 are not included in the charity's capital property value (see note 1.j). A list/description of these assets is below:

Furniture, paintings, pictures, silver, miscellaneous items, and other heritage artefacts, as per property list.

12. Declarations

All of the charity's commitments are provided for in the accounts.

No guarantees have been given to third parties.

The charity has not received any loans that are outstanding at the year-end and secured on assets.

The charity has not granted any loans to institutions or companies connected with the charity.

The charity did not make any ex-gratia payments during the year.

Sufficient resources are held in an appropriate form to enable each fund to be applied in accordance with the restrictions imposed.

The financial activities, assets and liabilities of all the charity's branches or sections have been included.

The trustees have not changed the year end date or the length of the charity's financial year.

~~The charity has no designated funds~~ (if there are designated funds the reason for designation and when each designated fund is intended to be used by is to be stated in the Managing Trustee report).

All the charity's operations are continuing operations and there were no operations discontinued or acquired during the year.

No funds (unrestricted, designated, restricted or endowment) are in deficit at the balance sheet date.

The charity has no intangible assets.

There were no inter-fund loans outstanding at the balance sheet date.

None of the charity's functional fixed assets have been re-valued during the year and the charity does not have a policy of revaluation of these assets.

The charity has no subsidiary companies.

The charity has no material fixed assets which have not been capitalised and included in the balance sheet.

No internal transfers have occurred out of restricted/endowment funds. In the event that a transfer has taken place, full details of the reason for the transfer are disclosed in the Managing Trustee's comments.

All investments held are investment assets in the UK unless otherwise stated.

Note: Where any of the declarations are not correct they are to be crossed out and details provided in the Managing Trustees comments.

Additional comments:

Signature



Revd Amy Walters

Name

Date: 12 MAR 25

Account Holder

Managing Trustee's Annual Report and Comments:

Unit: CHAPS(A)

Address: Zone 2Z, Second Floor, Blenheim Building, Marlborough Lines, Andover SP11 8HT

Charity name and Charity Commission/Regulator registered number. RACHD Museum CIO ; 1189072

Description of the charity's trusts

This should include:

- a. Details, including date if known of the charity's governing document (e.g. trust deed, will, constitution etc); and
- b. A brief explanation of the charity's objects.

Where applicable, you may choose to give details of any specific investment powers of the charity.

Governing Document (e.g. Trust Deed, Constitution)	Constitution of the Royal Army Chaplains Department CIO registered on 15 April 2020
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Objects of the Charity	To uphold the traditions of the Royal Army Chaplains' Department and to perpetuate its deeds.
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Explain briefly how trustees are elected or appointed and details of any induction and trustee training attended.

Trustee selection method	Trustees are selected as per the governing document.
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Trustee induction and training	Trustees are issued with an induction pack containing a copy of the Trust deed, copies of recent accounts and minutes of meetings. They also receive a copy of Charity Commission publication 'The Essential Trustee'.
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Summary of main activities in relation to the Charity's objects	The Museum receives visitors from outside of the MOD, including family history researchers and special interest groups. The Museum advertises its presence through national, regional and local printed and online guides to museums and places of interest. This year has seen a steady flow of enquiries from members of the public. There has been a steady number of visitors to the Museum since it has established a new premises at Shrivenham.
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Summary of main achievements of the Charity during the year	The Museum has now been open in its new location for 2½ years with footfall up significantly on its previous location in Hampshire. The Museum is now receiving visits from a wider audience than before; with visits from International students from the Defence Academy, local churches, cub scouts, specialist military interest groups, National church leaders and local politicians. Visitor feedback is obtained through a visitor comments book. The comments indicate a very high level of visitor satisfaction. During the year the Museum has welcomed visits from a number of academic researchers. The Museum continues to receive gifts of historical material and
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	<p>is particularly on the look out for items from contemporary conflicts that relate to the story of Faith in the Forces. A regular electronic newsletter is now being produced for the Friends of the Museum.</p> <p>The Museum is open every week day afternoon and at other times by arrangement. Admission is free. Visitors to the Museum are generous in their giving of cash donations via the donations box.</p>
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Provide a brief review of the financial position of the charity. This should include the principal types of income.

Financial Review	<p>Principal income for the Museum is derived from subscriptions, donations and from its investment funds. Further funds are raised from research fees. Regular sources of grants and donations are being discussed and sought through the efforts of the Museum working group. This year, the Museum received a business rates notice for the current year and rates arrears notices for the previous two years; this is a significant drain on funds. An review has indicated that we can expect to receive a refund of rates. At the time of writing, this is awaiting the decision of the local authority.</p>
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The Managing Trustee should give in their report a description of the following policies:

- a. For the selection of investments for the charity.
- b. For determining the level of income reserves held, stating and explaining the level of reserves held.
- c. Where grants are made by the charity, the selection of individuals and institutions who are to receive grants out of the assets of the charity.

Financial reserves policy	A sum of £10,000 is held in reserve to cover any eventuality.
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Investments selection policy and performance of those investments.	<p>The investment currently in place is medium risk and entrusted with an ethical company. The war in Ukraine, Israel and the Middle-East have all had an adverse effect on investment performance in many sectors. However there has been a 9.7% increase on the CCLA investment fund which is a very positive performance.</p>
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Provide the name of all trustees/the Managing Trustee(s) during the report year.

Managing Trustee's name/trustees' names	<p>Ex officio trustees: The Chaplain General – Revd Canon Michael David Parker KHC (<i>Managing Trustee</i>); The Deputy Chaplain General – Revd David Barrett KHC <i>till 5 Jan 25</i>; Revd Antony Feltham-White OBE KHC <i>from 6 Jan 25</i>.</p> <p>Elected trustees: Ven Alan Paul Jeans MBE; Revd Canon Andrew James Totten; Revd Andrew Barry Harding; Canon Prof Michael Francis Snape; Revd Stephen Trott; Revd George Ivan Linton <i>from 19 Nov 24</i>.</p>
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Serious Incidents	None
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Public Benefit Statement	<p>This fund provides public benefit by assisting service personnel to more effectively perform their roles within the Armed Forces of the Crown. It does this by providing and supporting facilities and social activities.</p> <p>The fund promotes the efficiency of the Armed Forces of the Crown by enhancing the British Army's capability to undertake the roles demanded of it including the defence of the United Kingdom and its interests.</p> <p>(I confirm that I have paid due regard to the Charity Commission of England and Wales's guidance on public benefit when deciding what activities the charity should undertake.)</p>
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Additional comments (include any declarations which were not correct (Pg 8/9)):

Designated funds. The sum of £10,000 held in reserve (see Financial reserves policy) is recorded as designated funds on the balance sheet.

Signature



Name Revd Michael Parker

Date: 12 MARCH 25

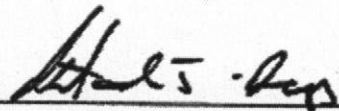
Appointment Chaplain General

Internal Audit Board Report

RACHD Museum CIO Accounts Year Ended 31 January 2025

1. I have examined the books of account and records from which the final accounts were prepared and have obtained all the information and explanations that were necessary for the purpose of my internal audit.
2. I certify that end of period checks have been conducted in accordance with Service Funds Regulations.
3. Subject to my observation set out below I am satisfied that proper books of account have been kept and that the final accounts give a true and fair view of the results of transactions over the period and of the state of the Fund's affairs as at the date of the balance sheet. I am satisfied that cash and bank balances and stocks on hand have been properly checked at prescribed intervals and that adequate insurance exists.
4. I have signed the original books of account and the original records I have checked. All vouchers relating to this account period have been cancelled.
5. I have made the following observation whilst carrying out the internal audit:
 - a. Previous observations have been actioned.

Signature



Name Richard Begg (Revd.)

Date: 21 Nov 2025

Appointment President of the Audit Board

CHAPS – RACHD MUSEUM CIO FUND

SO2 SPS – Independent Examiner's Report on the Accounts, and Comments

1. **Direction 1: Check whether the charity is eligible to have an independent examination.** I've used the guidance summary at Annex C to Chapter 21 of ACSO 3354 to ensure independent examination by the Comd/SO2 SPS is authorised.
2. **Direction 2: Check for any conflict of interest that prevents the examiner from carrying out their independent examination.** I declare that I have not acted as IA or had any other involvement in the day to day running of a service fund (e.g., in a previous assignment) within the last three years.
3. **Direction 3: Record your independent examination.** A record of associated documents used for this audit is being stored along with the report and accounts.
4. **Direction 4: Plan your independent examination.** As the examiner I obtained the relevant constitution, objectives, organisational structure, the funds managed, its activities and accounting records and systems prior to conducting my examination.
5. **Direction 5: Check that accounting records are kept to the to the required standard.**
 - a. As the examiner I satisfied myself that all relevant PAXTON+/AB 397 accounting records and subsidiary books are maintained and up to date, including an examination of transactions carried within the fund during the fund's last G1 audit.
 - b. I have checked that the 6-monthly FM/Trustee internal financial controls checklist (British Army) was completed (see Annex B to Chapter 2 of these regulations).
6. **Direction 6: Check that the accounts are consistent with the accounting record.** As the IE I examined the final accounts to ascertain if they revealed any unusual items, unexpected fluctuations or inconsistencies.
7. **Direction 7: Check that the Charity is operated in line with the accrual's basis of accounting.** The accounts are prepared on an accrual's basis, and the relevant checks have been made to confirm that the charity accounting complies with the accrual's method of accounting. Wherever deviation may exist, guidance was provided to the MT and are recorded within this report.
8. **Direction 8. Check the reasonableness of the significant estimates and judgments and accounting policies used in accounting for the types of funds held and in the preparation of the accounts.** I have checked:
 - a. The general accounting policies of the service fund have been agreed with the Charity Commission and are listed in the AF N1514.
 - b. Any significant income expectations listed in the Managing Trustee's Financial Reviews in previous accounting periods are noted and their continued receipt considered against future planned expenditure where appropriate.
 - c. I checked that separate funds of the charity have been correctly accounted for and reported correctly in the accounts.
 - d. I checked to ensure that no material breach of trust has taken place in the use of charitable funds in the reporting period e.g., use of monies in a restricted fund for a purpose outside of the restriction.

9. **Direction 9. The examiner must check whether the trustees have considered the financial circumstances of the charity at the end of the reporting period and, if the accounts are prepared on an accrual's basis, check whether the trustees have assessed the charity's position as a going concern when approving the accounts.**

a. The IE should consider if the service fund remains viable for future accounting periods.

b. Consider the worth of the service fund over the periods of previous AF N1514s – Consider if the worth of the fund reduced over an extended period.

c. I've considered the worth of the service fund over the periods of previous AF N1514s and assessed if the worth of the fund reducing over an extended period.

d. Debtors and Creditors have been examined and guidance provided to FM where necessary.

10. **Direction 10. Check the form and content of the account. I have:**

a. The service fund accounts and AF N1514 complies with SORP and the minimum accounting standard required (SOFA, balance Sheet and completed notes to the accounts).

b. Checked for the correct completion of the AF N1514.

11. **Direction 11. Direction 11 directs independent examiners to identify items from the analytical review of the accounts that need to be followed up for further explanation or evidence.**

a. Any follow up action or request for further explanation can be found at paragraph 13 below.

12. **Direction 12: I have compared the trustees' annual report with the Accounts.**

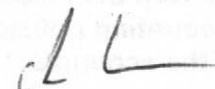
Comments

13. The IA comments are noted. I have the following comments, some of which requires action:

a. No comments.

Date: 20 OCT 25

Independent Examiner's
Signature



Name:

Maj S Kamble AGC(SPS)

Appointment:

SO2 SPS HQ SE