



Trustees' Annual Report for the period						
From	Period start date			To	Period end date	
	Day 01	Month September	Year 2024		Day 31	Month August

Charity name	Friends of Horton Cemetery
Other names charity is known by	
Registered charity number (if any)	1190518
Charity's principal address	7 Waterloo Road
	Epsom
	Surrey
Postcode	KT19 8AY

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 Sheila Berry	Chair		
2 Alan Carlson			
3 Kevin McDonnell			
4 Allen Price			
5 Steve Johnson			
6 Theresa Keneflick			
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Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

**Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)**

Type of adviser	Name	Address
Solicitor	Lionel Blackman	7 Waterloo Road Epsom KT19 8AY

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

**Description of the charity's trusts**

Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)	Constitution
How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company)	Charitable Incorporated Organisation
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	The Board selects

**Additional governance issues (Optional information)**

<p>You <b>may choose</b> to include additional information, where relevant, about:</p> <p>policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;</p> <p>the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;</p> <p>relationship with any related parties;</p> <p>trustees' consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.</p>	
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**Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document**

The aim of the Charity is to restore a forgotten cemetery in Epsom Surrey in which up to 9000 people were buried between 1899 and 1955. The charity also undertakes research into and education about the lives of those buried there - seeking to trace relatives and descendants and promote a Book of Remembrance containing all the names.

**Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)**

The Charity established a website [www.hortoncemetary.org](http://www.hortoncemetary.org)

The website is populated with over 500 life stories of the persons buried in the cemetery.

The Charity has established a team of about 50 volunteer researchers who prepare the stories of these lives.

The trustees have full regard to the Charity Commission's Guidance on public benefit and are confident that all the activities undertaken by the Charity are exclusively for the benefit of the public.

The charity continues to undertake the publication of researched histories of the former patients buried in the Cemetery, to answer queries from other researchers and relatives of the buried and to research avenues for the restoration of the cemetery to community ownership.

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

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

policy on grantmaking;

policy programme related investment;

contribution made by volunteers.

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

Continuing population of the the website [www.hortoncemetery.org](http://www.hortoncemetery.org) with histories of the persons buried in the Cemetery.

Maintenance of a team of about 50 volunteer researchers.

Publication of over 500 histories of the lives of persons buried in the Cemetery.

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

The Charity has not reached a stage where a policy on reserves is necessary.

**Details of any funds materially in deficit**

None

**Further financial review details (Optional information)**

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant about:  
the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);  
how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;  
investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

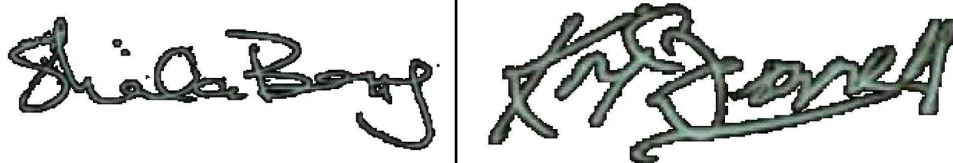
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**Other optional information**

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)



Full name(s)

Sheila Berry


Kevin McDonnell

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Chair and trustee

Date

2nd April 2026

FRIENDS OF HORTON CEMETERY			
Accounts 2024.2025			
01/09/2024 - 31/08/2025	Income	Expenses	
Balance b/fwd	£2,979.79		
Donations	£544.72		
Nat Fed of Cemeteries		£25.00	
Net income for year			£519.72
			Balance
Total	£3,524.51	£25.00	£3,499.51
	Lionel Blackman LLB MA Solicitor		
	Hon. Sec. Friends of Horton Cemetery		
	2nd April 2026		