

# BIRMINGHAM ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY

England & Wales · Charity number 1192429

## Details

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**Other names** BAS

**Status** Registered

**Legal form** CIO

**Registered** 2020-11-19

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

## Contact

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## Activities

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**Objects:** THE OBJECTS OF THE CIO ARE, FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT, TO PROMOTE AND ADVANCE THE EDUCATION OF THE PUBLIC IN ASTRONOMY AND RELATED SCIENCES, PRIMARILY BUT NOT EXCLUSIVELY, BY: ENCOURAGING PUBLIC INTEREST AND PARTICIPATION IN ASTRONOMY; PROVIDING EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES FOR THE ACTIVE PARTICIPATION IN ASTRONOMICAL OBSERVATIONS; FURTHERING THE KNOWLEDGE OF THE PUBLIC IN ASTRONOMY THROUGH PUBLIC EVENTS, LECTURES AND THE CIRCULATION OF RESEARCH DATA.

**Activities:** Promotes the study of astronomy, by providing public observing sessions, lectures, advice, a journal, telescope making facilities, a library, demonstrations, lecturers, a meeting place and outings to places of astronomical interest. A modest annual membership fee is charged, the aim being to cover expenses and provide a concessionary rate for unemployed, students, and Senior Citizens.

## Classification

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- **How:** Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** General Charitable Purposes, Education/training
- **Who:** The General Public/mankind

## Geography

- Birmingham City
- Solihull
- Staffordshire
- Warwickshire

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-08-31	£4,898	£6,437	-	-
2024-08-31	£3,270	£2,017	-	-
2023-08-31	£3,531	£2,622	-	-
2022-08-31	£3,034	£1,561	-	-
2021-08-31	£2,011	£4,089	-	-

## Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
<b>John Henry Young</b>	Chair	2020-11-19
BARRIE EDWARD PATERSON		2020-11-19
BENJAMIN JAMES STANLEY		2020-11-19
John Fredrick Downing		2020-11-19
PROF JOHN EDWARD TYRRELL PENNY		2020-11-19
Peter Thick		2020-11-19
Yvonne Diane Thick		2021-03-08