



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

Period start date		Period end date	
From	6 April 2024	To	05 April 2025

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name	Marden Pre School		
Other names charity is known by			
Registered charity number (if any)	1192893		
Charity's principal address	Marden Community Centre		
	Marden		
	Herefordshire		
Postcode	HR1 3EW		

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	Rachel Payne	Chairperson		Committee
2	Gill Oldman	Treasurer		Committee
3	Sarah Fisher	Secretary	Left 27/03/2025	Committee
4	Claire Williams	Vice Chair	Started 27/03/2025	Committee
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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

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

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Section B Structure, governance and management

Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document	Constitution of Charitable Incorporated Organisation
How the charity is constituted	Adopted and agreed by Charity Commission
Trustee selection methods	Elected by

Additional governance issues (Optional information)

You may choose to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
- the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;
- relationship with any related parties;
- trustees' consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.

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Section C Objectives and activities

Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

To provide quality, affordable and flexible childcare for parents and children in the village and surrounding areas.

Early Years care and education for children between the ages of 18 months to 11 Years. We provide a service for parents in the surrounding area.

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)

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**

Throughout the year we have had a number of fundraising events to raise funds for the children who use the Preschool thus enabling us to keep fees for the childcare we provide low.

We have increased our numbers of registered children.

With our afterschool club and holiday club we have been able to provide a better service for working parents in the surrounding area.

Section E Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

We aim to keep a minimum of £35,000 in the bank to allow preschool to continue operating should the numbers of registered children drop.

Details of any funds materially in deficit

None

Further financial review details (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant about:

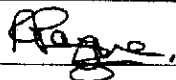
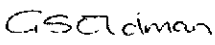
- the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);
- how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;
- investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

Section F Other optional information

Section G Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Mrs Rachel Payne	Ms Gillian Oldman
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chairperson	Treasurer
Date	22/04/2025	

Marden Pre School 6th April 2024 to 5th April 2025						
FIXED ASSETS & DEPRECIATION						
	Apr-24 B/F	ADDITIONS	DISPOSALS	TOTAL	DEPRECIATION Apr-25 @ 25 %	BOOK VALUE C/F
STORAGE	£2,381.87	£200.00		£2,581.87	£645.47	£1,936.40
SHED	£333.05	£0.00		£333.05	£83.26	£249.78
FENCING	£255.20	£0.00		£255.20	£63.80	£191.40
MUSICAL EQUIPMENT	£707.00	£100.00		£807.00	£201.75	£605.25
LARGE EQUIPMENT/RIDE ONS	£5,241.17	£900.00		£6,141.17	£1,535.29	£4,605.88
GENERAL TOYS	£2,440.73	£2,990.00		£5,430.73	£1,357.68	£4,073.05
GAMES	£487.95	£100.00		£587.95	£146.99	£440.96
PAINTING/CRAFT	£665.51	£200.00		£865.51	£216.38	£649.13
PUZZLES	£333.76	£100.00		£433.76	£108.44	£325.32
BOOKS	£495.46	£100.00		£595.46	£148.86	£446.59
CLEANING	£224.61	£0.00		£224.61	£56.15	£168.46
OTHER	£162.48	£3.00		£165.48	£41.37	£124.11
FURNITURE	£2,344.58	£800.00		£3,144.58	£776.15	£2,368.43
ADMIN EQUIPMENT	£2,553.65	£2,499.00		£5,052.65	£1,263.16	£3,789.49
DRESSING UP CLOTHES	£185.45	£0.00		£185.45	£46.36	£139.08
PE EQUIPMENT	£170.53	£0.00		£170.53	£42.63	£127.90
TOTALS	£18,982.98	£7,992.00	£0.00	£26,974.98	£6,733.75	£20,241.23

Marden Pre School 6th April 2024 to 5th April 2025

BALANCE SHEET

	April-2024-2025		April-2023-2024	
	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS				
EQUIPMENT	£20,241		£18,983	
TOTAL FIXED ASSETS		£20,241		£18,983
CURRENT ASSETS				
STOCK	£100		£100	
DEBTORS/PREPAYMENTS				
BANK ACCOUNT	£252,678		£135,860	
CASH				
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		£252,778		£135,960
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
CREDITORS	£0		£0	
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		£0		£0
NET ASSETS		£273,019		£154,943
CAPITAL				
OPENING BALANCE		£154,953		£126,651
INCOME/EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT		£118,066		£28,292
TOTAL		£273,019		£154,943

Marden Pre School 6th April 2024 to 5th April 2025

INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

	April 2024-April 2025	April 2023-April 2024
	£	£
INCOME		
FEES	£133,130	£149,875
EARLY YEARS VOUCHERS	£247,088	£98,898
FUNDRAISING	£3,773	£3,266
GRANTS/DONATIONS	£500	£0
MILK REFUND	£0	£0
TRIP	£0	£0
OTHER	£2,554	£1,974
TOTAL INCOME	£387,045	£254,013
EXPENDITURE		
WAGES	£196,579	£163,819
RENT	£4,800	£4,800
INSURANCE	£722	£695
FUNDRAISING COSTS	£191	£35
RESOURCES/ MATERIALS	£6,807	£7,001
STATIONARY/ POSTAGE	£1,441	£2,106
XMAS PRESENTS/GIFTS	£0	£0
SMALL EQUIPMENT	£0	£0
INLAND REVENUE	£44,919	£34,197
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	£505	£798
PETTY CASH	£0	£0
CLEANING	£476	£661
MILK	£0	£0
MISC & OTHER	£544	£1,704
REPAIRS	£0	£0
DEPRECIATION	£6,743	£6,328
CONSUMABLES	£5,251	£3,577
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	£268,979	£225,721
SURPLUS/DEFICIT	£118,066	£28,292

Marden Pre School 6th April 2024 to 5th April 2025					
BANK RECONCILIATION					
BALANCE PER STATEMENT	5th April 2025	£	252,678.00		
LESS UNPRESENTED CHEQUES					
CHQ NO	5th April 2025	£	-		
CASH @	5th April 2025	£	-		
TOTAL		£	-		
BOOK BALANCE @	5th April 2025	£	252,678.00		

Clare Miles FCCA
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4th December 2025

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MARDEN PRE SCHOOL CIO no 1192893
Accounts for the period 6th April 2024 to 5th April 2025

Dear Sirs

I have reviewed the Marden Pre School accounts and records and am pleased to report they show a true and fair view of the income and expenditure.

Yours faithfully,



Clare Miles FCCA