

# DORSET GUILD OF WEAVERS, SPINNERS & DYERS

England & Wales · Charity number 1200685

## Details

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**Status** Registered

**Legal form** CIO

**Registered** 2022-10-14

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

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## Activities

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**Objects:** THE OBJECTS OF THE CIO ARE TO:(1) FURTHER THE PRESERVATION, SKILL, EXCELLENCE AND IMPROVEMENT OF CRAFTSMANSHIP IN WEAVING, SPINNING AND DYEING FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PUBLIC IN DORSET, AND(2) ADVANCE PUBLIC EDUCATION IN SUCH CRAFTSMANSHIP IN SUCH WAYS AS THE CHARITY TRUSTEES THINK FIT.

**Activities:** further the preservation, skill, excellence and improvement of craftsmanship in weaving, spinning and dyeing for the benefit of the public in Dorset.

## Classification

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- **How:** Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Education/training, Arts/culture/heritage/science
- **Who:** Children/young People, The General Public/mankind

## Geography

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- Dorset

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-08-31	£18,818	£17,259	-	-
2024-08-31	£13,090	£14,258	-	-
2023-10-31	£293,015	£17,097	-	-

## Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Frances Fletcher	Chair	2022-10-14
MARGARET ANN YVONNE EAGLESTONE		2023-11-25
NICOLA ANN SCOTT		2023-11-25
Nicola Claire Footer		2022-10-14
TIMOTHY ROBERT PARKER		2023-11-25

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# Accounts

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Dorset Guild of Weavers, Spinners and Dyers		Charity No (if any)	1200685	<b>CC17a</b>
<b>Annual accounts for the period</b>				
Period start date	<b>01/09/2024</b>	<b>To</b>	Period end date	

## Section A Statement of financial activities

Recommended categories by activity	Details of own analysis	Note	Restricted			Total this year £	Total last year £
			Unrestricted funds £	income funds £	Endowment funds £		
			F01	F02	F03		
<b>Incoming resources (Note 3)</b>							
<b>Incoming resources from generated funds</b>							
	Voluntary income	S01	-	-	-	-	-
	Activities for generating funds	S02	-	-	-	-	-
	Investment income	S03	12,084	-	-	12,084	8,617
<b>Incoming resources from charitable activities</b>							
		S04	6,734	-	-	6,734	4,473
<b>Other incoming resources</b>							
		S05	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total incoming resources</b>			S06	18,818	-	18,818	13,090
<b>Resources expended (Notes 4-8)</b>							
<b>Costs of Generating Funds</b>							
	Costs of generating voluntary income	S07	-	-	-	-	-
	Fundraising trading costs	S08	-	-	-	-	-
	Investment management costs	S09	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Charitable activities</b>			S10	17,259	-	17,259	12,187
<b>Governance costs</b>			S11	-	-	-	-
<b>Other resources expended</b>			S12	-	-	-	-
<b>Total resources expended</b>			S13	17,259	-	17,259	12,187
<b>Net incoming/(outgoing) resources before transfers</b>			S14	1,559	-	1,559	903
<b>Gross transfers between funds</b>			S15	-	-	-	-
<b>Net incoming/(outgoing) resources before other recognised gains/(losses)</b>			S16	1,559	-	1,559	903
<b>Other recognised gains/(losses)</b>							
	Gains and losses on revaluation of fixed assets for the charity's own use	S17	-	-	-	-	-
	Gains and losses on investment assets	S18	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Net movement in funds</b>			S19	1,559	-	1,559	903
<b>Total funds brought forward</b>			S20	284,305	-	284,305	283,402
<b>Total funds carried forward</b>			S21	285,864	-	285,864	284,305

## Section B Balance sheet

		Note	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted income funds £	Endowment funds £	Total this year £	Total last year £
			F01	F02	F03	F04	F05
<b>Fixed assets</b>							
Tangible assets (Note 9)	B01		4,124	-	-	4,124	3,684
	B02		-	-	-	-	-
Investments (Note 10)	B03		-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total fixed assets</b>	B04		4,124	-	-	4,124	3,684
<b>Current assets</b>							
Stock and work in progress	B05		-	-	-	-	-
Debtors (Note 11)	B06		-	-	-	-	-
(Short term) investments	B07		-	-	-	-	-
Cash at bank and in hand	B08		27,005	255,000	-	282,005	280,873
<b>Total current assets</b>	B09		27,005	255,000	-	282,005	280,873
<b>Creditors: amounts falling due within one year</b> (Note 12)	B10		265	-	-	265	252
<b>Net current assets/(liabilities)</b>	B11		26,740	255,000	-	281,740	280,621
<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>	B12		30,864	255,000	-	285,864	284,305
<b>Creditors: amounts falling due after one year</b> (Note 12)	B13		-	-	-	-	-
<b>Provisions for liabilities and charges</b>	B14		-	-	-	-	-
<b>Net assets</b>	B15		30,864	255,000	-	285,864	284,305
<b>Funds of the Charity</b>							
<b>Unrestricted funds</b>	B16		30,864			30,864	29,305
	B17		-			-	-
<b>Restricted income funds (Note 13)</b>	B18			255,000		255,000	255,000
<b>Endowment funds (Note 13)</b>	B19				-	-	-
<b>Total funds</b>	B20		30,864	255,000	-	285,864	284,305

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
Margaret Eaglestone	MARGARET EAGLESTONE	29/11/25
Fletcher	FRANCES FLETCHER	29/11/25



**Section A**

**Independent Examiner's Report**

**Report to the trustees/  
members of**

Dorset Guild of Weavers, Spinners and Dyers

**On accounts for the year  
ended**

31/08/2025

**Charity no  
(if any)**

1200685

**Set out on pages**

N/A

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31 / 08 / 2024.

**Responsibilities and  
basis of report**

As the charity trustees of the Trust, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

**Independent  
examiner's statement**

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention (other than that disclosed below \*) in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Act or
- the accounts do not accord with the accounting records

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

*\* Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.*

**Signed:**

**Date:**

29/10/2025

**Name:**

Ben Elliot (Partner)

**Relevant professional  
qualification(s) or body  
(if any):**

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# Report from the Chair: 2025

## Dorset Guild of Weavers, Spinners and Dyers

Established in 1947

Registered Charity No. 1200685

The Dorset Guild of Weavers, Spinners and Dyers has enjoyed yet another varied, stimulating and successful year. We have been able to pursue our twin aims of improving members skills and passing those skills on to other people. Over the year our membership has increased from 135 to 150. We are now among the largest WSD Guilds in the country.

We have had 11 all day Saturday meetings and 4 all day Sunday workshops and 6 in-house “mini workshops” run by our own members. In February, we visited Farnham Maltings’ Unravel Show as our Guild trip. Our visiting speakers have covered such topics in design from woven fabrics to fascinating knitted designs, as well as considering the dye plants “under our feet”, the story of silk and thinking about the sustainability in our farming – from rearing to shearing to wearing and the ancient craft of Nalbinding.

Once again, our Skills Day in January focussed on a number of smaller workshops run by members to enable other members to try out “new-to-them” skills and our annual Open Day at the end of September was open to the general public where our Guild members demonstrated our skills to the visitors. Following Open Day, we gained quite a few new recruits! Our fleece fair in June which offered our membership the chance to stock up on raw material for the coming year was popular with everyone from the Guild and sellers alike. At every meeting, members have the chance to practise skills and seek advice and help from those more experienced. All our members are very willing to help each other and are especially generous in the time they offer to those new to our craft to learn to spin, weave, dye or felt.

Five of our Guild have benefitted from bursaries during the year, enabling two of them to attend the International Weaving Convention in Sweden, whilst others made use of the bursary to fund a tablet weaving course as part of the Association of Guilds Summer School, a Nalbinding course and a Heritage Textiles Skills Weekend. They each gave enlightening reports on their discoveries and learning outcomes at our November meeting.

All in all, three members attended the Association of Guild’s Summer School, this time held at Queen Margaret’s University in Edinburgh – a fabulous opportunity to spend quality time, not only discovering a particular skill in detail, but also to take time with like-minded learners from Guilds around the country.

We have had a presence at a number of show and events, including the Spring Show, the Melplash Show, the Dorset Arts and Crafts Association Show and a number of others. This is a vital part of our outreach work and raising our profile around the county; in turn our membership is swelling. A number of members give up a lot of time to attending these events throughout the summer season but this year we have employed a “man with a van” to help store and transport our show equipment and display.

Other members run an equipment loan scheme, whereby our equipment can be lent out at very reasonable rates. This runs alongside our library, which is also beginning to take on momentum.

We continue to hold various competitions to allow for precision and focus on our crafts and the skills required to hone and practise to achieve the best that we can do. Here is an opportunity for those who wish to, to submit work and receive feedback from judges. We have decided that each of our competitions should have a first and a second prize for parity between them. Often the competition is very fierce with many entries. Mostly, we ask for our visiting speakers to adjudicate the competitions with a couple judged by our committee or membership. This year saw the instigation of a Dyeing Prize following on from the loss of our previous treasurer Gail Coldham. This was held at the May meeting and a coiled plate became the trophy, using hand-dyed wool that Gail had made herself. Her husband Randy, came to present the prize.

To celebrate the diversity that we have in our midst, we have a "Show and Tell" display and a short time within each meeting to look at the items that have been submitted. Sometimes these are items deemed to be "work in progress" or where there has been difficulty in achieving the expected result. These items often rest alongside some very beautifully presented and finished pieces, showing how accomplished and skilled the makers are. It is by sharing these experiences that much learning occurs.

We have a website, a Facebook page and regularly submit blogs covering the meetings so that people who have been unable to attend can keep in touch. Again, much of this is maintained by committed members. We have continued to send out our Programme and Open Day Invitations to local libraries and museums to raise awareness of our organisation.

Towards the end of the summer, we learned of the death of one of our members: Catherine Parr. Catherine partook in all three of our main skills – she spun her wool, then she dyed it and then she created the most wonderful, colourful tapestries – most of which depicted local scenes throughout Dorset. In October, we invited her friends to our Guild meeting and we opened up the treasure-trove that has been left to us. We are now seeking a place to exhibit these extraordinary works of textile art – a fantastic legacy for Dorset!

Apart from the six committee members, who meet regularly (via Zoom) at the beginning of most months, we also have a sub-group in the guise of a Programme Committee who thoroughly and thoughtfully research and put the programme together. They work alongside the main committee, as do the membership ladies, the sales table team, the events team and the equipment and library lending team. Our trustees are very much involved, contributing in many different ways and this example of team-working is a major strength of our Guild.

The Dorset Guild is a vibrant and thriving group; we have voted to include felt-making into our objects and we are passionate about keeping the ancient crafts of Weaving, Spinning, Dyeing and now Felt-making alive!

Nicky Footer

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# Accounts

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## Chairman's Report 2024

The Dorset Guild of Weavers, Spinners and Dyers has enjoyed a very stimulating and successful year. We have been able to pursue our twin aims of improving members skills and passing those skills on to other people. Over the year our membership has increased from 110 to 135; we are now among the largest WSD Guilds in the country.

We have enjoyed eleven all day Saturday meetings and three all day Sunday workshops. We have had several very interesting speakers covering topics such as weaving rugs from pre-used fabric, sustainability in our crafts, shibori dyeing and more. Our 'Skills Day' in January was devoted to a number of smaller workshops run 'in-house' to enable other members to try out 'new-to-them' skills. Our Open Day was open to the general public where once again we demonstrated skills in weaving, spinning, dyeing and felting to the visitors. Following Open Day, we gained quite a few new members. We had a day with a "Great Wheel", a device for spinning yarn developed in the Middle Ages and our Guild colleagues had the chance to have a go. There was a fleece fair in June which offered members the chance to stock up on raw material for the coming year. At every meeting, members have the chance to practise skills and seek advice and help from those more experienced practitioners. All our members are very willing to help each other and are especially generous in the time they offer to newcomers learning to spin, weave or dye. At most of our meetings we are able to run a 'Sales Table' where one can browse books, yarns, equipment and more. Our programme also included a fascinating trip to Coldharbour Mill in Devon where we were able to see the mill in action and engage with various talks and workshops. We opened this to other guilds to join us on the trip.

Three of our members have had bursaries from the Guild during the year, enabling them to do courses in shibori dyeing and eco printing and to attend the Association of Guilds' Conference in Devon. They have reported back on their experience and learning outcomes at our AGM in November.

Several of us were able to attend the Association Conference at Bicton College over a long weekend and we enjoyed some very inspirational speakers and, of course, the company of likeminded souls.

The National Exhibition at Hay-on-Wye, organised and run by the Association of Guilds of Weavers, Spinners and Dyers, featured six pieces of work submitted by some of our very talented members of whom we are very proud.

The Dorset Magazine wrote a feature devoted to our Guild, which appeared in September in time for Open Day. We were described as a warm and welcoming group dedicated to maintaining age-old skills.

We have had a presence at a number of show and events throughout the county, including the Dorset Show, the Melplash Show, the Dorset Arts and Crafts Association Exhibition and a number of others. This has certainly had a very positive effect on our membership. We have a very committed team who give up a lot of time to attending and demonstrating at these events which involves taking a gazebo and quite a lot of equipment. Our use of a self-storage unit has helped us to keep our equipment safe and secure.

Over the year we have purchased three new four shaft looms, three new spinning wheels and an e-spinning machine which are available to members to borrow before they commit to buying expensive equipment.

We have a new website, a Facebook page and regularly submit blogs covering the meetings so that people who have been unable to attend can keep in touch. Again, much of this is maintained by committed members.

Our committee works hard to ensure that our meetings run smoothly, with support from a sub-committee who prepare a vibrant and balanced programme for the following year. We also have a very positive relationship with a local craft supplier, Frank Herring and Son who supports us in various ways.

I think it is fair to say that we are a thriving group whose aims and objects, although devoted to heritage skills, have an increasing relevance in this day and age.

Frances Fletcher

Lead Trustee and

Former Chairperson



Dorset Guild of Weavers, Spinners and Dyers		Charity No (if any)	1200685
<b>Annual accounts for the period</b>			
Period start date	01/11/2023	To	Period end date 31/08/2024

## Section A Statement of financial activities

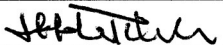
Recommended categories by activity	Guidance Notes	Unrestricted funds £ F01	Restricted income funds £ F02	Endowment funds £ F03	Total funds £ F04	Prior year funds £ F05
<b>Incoming resources (Note 3)</b>						
<b>Income and endowments from:</b>						
Donations and legacies	S01	-	-	-	-	-
Charitable activities	S02	13,090	-	-	13,090	-
Other trading activities	S03	-	-	-	-	-
Investments	S04	-	-	-	-	-
Separate material item of income	S05	-	-	-	-	-
Other	S06	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	S07	<b>13,090</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>13,090</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Resources expended (Note 6)</b>						
<b>Expenditure on:</b>						
Raising funds	S08	-	-	-	-	-
Charitable activities	S09	12,187	-	-	12,187	-
Separate material item of expense	S10	-	-	-	-	-
Other	S11	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	S12	<b>12,187</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12,187</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Net income/(expenditure) before investment gains/(losses)</b>						
	S13	903	-	-	903	-
Net gains/(losses) on investments	S14	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Net income/(expenditure) Extraordinary items</b>	S15	<b>903</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>903</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Transfers between funds</b>	S16	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Other recognised gains/(losses):</b>	S17	-	-	-	-	-
Gains and losses on revaluation of fixed assets for the charity's own use	S18	-	-	-	-	-
Other gains/(losses)	S19	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Net movement in funds</b>	S20	<b>903</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>903</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Reconciliation of funds:</b>						
Total funds brought forward	S21	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total funds carried forward</b>	S22	<b>903</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>903</b>	<b>-</b>

**Section B**

**Balance sheet**

		Guidance Notes	Unrestricted funds £ F01	Restricted income funds £ F02	Endowment funds £ F03	Total this year £ F04	Total last year £ F05
<b>Fixed assets</b>							
Intangible assets	(Note 15)	B01	-	-	-	-	-
Tangible assets	(Note 14)	B02	3,684	-	-	3,684	1,607
Heritage assets	(Note 16)	B03	-	-	-	-	-
Investments	(Note 17)	B04	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total fixed assets</b>		B05	3,684	-	-	3,684	1,607
<b>Current assets</b>							
Stocks	(Note 18)	B06	-	-	-	-	-
Debtors	(Note 19)	B07	-	-	-	-	-
Investments	(Note 17.4)	B08	-	-	-	-	-
Cash at bank and in hand	(Note 24)	B09	25,873	255,000	-	280,873	282,041
<b>Total current assets</b>		B10	25,873	255,000	-	280,873	282,041
<b>Creditors: amounts falling due within one year</b>	(Note 20)	B11	252	-	-	252	246
<b>Net current assets/(liabilities)</b>		B12	25,621	255,000	-	280,621	281,795
<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>		B13	29,305	255,000	-	284,305	283,402
<b>Creditors: amounts falling due after one year</b>	(Note 20)	B14	-	-	-	-	-
Provisions for liabilities		B15	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total net assets or liabilities</b>		B16	29,305	255,000	-	284,305	283,402
<b>Funds of the Charity</b>							
Endowment funds	(Note 27)	B17	-	-	-	-	-
Restricted income funds	(Note 27)	B18	-	255,000	-	255,000	-
Unrestricted funds		B19	29,305	-	-	29,305	-
Revaluation reserve		B20	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total funds</b>		B21	29,305	255,000	-	284,305	-

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval dd/mm/yyyy
	J.F. FLETCHER	30/11/2024
Margaret Eaglesstone	M Eaglesstone	30/11/2024

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Dorset Guild of Weavers, Spinners and Dyers  
Charity Number 1200685  
Annual Report to the Charity Commission

The Dorset Guild of Weavers, Spinners and Dyers has had a successful year. There has been a good balance of talks at the monthly meetings with all three skills represented. Some of the highlights were the rigid heddle and tapestry weaving workshops that we put on at Frampton Village Hall with David Herring from Herrings shop and Ann Parker one of our members. David also ran a more advanced rigid heddle weaving workshop for a group of members later in the year. These workshops were very well received.

There were two great outings, one to Rampisham Mill which has opened fairly recently. The Mill processes fleece; washing, carding and spinning small quantities on request. The Guild spent the day there, had a tour of the Mill and a very interesting talk from its owner. It was deemed a lovely and informative day in a great location. We also visited the 'Schumacher College Dye Garden' on the Dartington Estate in Devon. We learned a great deal about growing dye plants. This was a great feature and a good opportunity to meet up with members of other guilds.

In January, we had Skills Day which offered a good range of skills, with some members sharing a particular skill with a group of other members.

In September, we had Open Day, when we welcomed members of the public to visit and see the guild on display. The day was a great success, largely due to the efforts of some of our members who represented us at a number of shows throughout the county during the summer season and encouraged people to visit us. A lot of effort goes in to attending the shows and the Dorset Arts and Crafts Association exhibition, but it is very well worthwhile. Following Open Day, we signed up a record number of new members.

Thanks to the legacy that we have received from a former member, we have been able to arrange an exciting programme for next year, featuring some well-known and respected speakers, including workshops.

We have also purchased some four shaft weaving looms, that can be hired out to members, and will enable members who want to, to move on from rigid heddle to shaft looms. We are planning to upgrade some of the guild spinning wheels, again so that new members can have the use of equipment that is expensive, before they invest in their own equipment. We are also planning to set up some bursaries, to assist members to go on courses or attend summer school.

I feel that we have been faithful to our constitution in offering learning opportunities to long term and new members alike. The fact that we have attracted a number of new members bears witness to current success of the guild.

Frances Fletcher  
Chairman




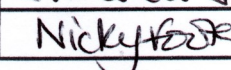
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Recommended categories by activity	Guidance Notes	Unrestricted funds	Restricted income funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Prior year funds
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<b>Incoming resources (Note 3)</b>						
<b>Income and endowments from:</b>						
Donations and legacies	S01	33,838	255,000	-	288,838	-
Charitable activities	S02	4,121	-	-	4,121	-
Other trading activities	S03	-	-	-	-	-
Investments	S04	56	-	-	56	-
Separate material item of income	S05	-	-	-	-	-
Other	S06	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	S07	<b>38,015</b>	<b>255,000</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>293,015</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Resources expended (Note 6)</b>						
<b>Expenditure on:</b>						
Raising funds	S08	10,497	-	-	10,497	-
Charitable activities	S09	-	-	-	-	-
Separate material item of expense	S10	6,600	-	-	6,600	-
Other	S11	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	S12	<b>17,097</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>17,097</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Net income/(expenditure) before investment gains/(losses)</b>	S13	<b>20,918</b>	<b>255,000</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>275,918</b>	<b>-</b>
Net gains/(losses) on investments	S14	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Net income/(expenditure)</b>	S15	<b>20,918</b>	<b>255,000</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>275,918</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Extraordinary items</b>	S16	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Transfers between funds</b>	S17	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Other recognised gains/(losses):</b>						
Gains and losses on revaluation of fixed assets for the charity's own use	S18	-	-	-	-	-
Other gains/(losses)	S19	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Net movement in funds</b>	S20	<b>20,918</b>	<b>255,000</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>275,918</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Reconciliation of funds:</b>						
Total funds brought forward	S21	7,484	-	-	7,484	7,484
<b>Total funds carried forward</b>	S22	<b>28,402</b>	<b>255,000</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>283,402</b>	<b>7,484</b>

# Section B Balance sheet

		Guidance Notes	Unrestricted funds £ F01	Restricted income funds £ F02	Endowment funds £ F03	Total this year £ F04	Total last year £ F05
<b>Fixed assets</b>							
Intangible assets	(Note 15)	B01	-	-	-	-	-
Tangible assets	(Note 14)	B02	1,607	-	-	1,607	-
Heritage assets	(Note 16)	B03	-	-	-	-	-
Investments	(Note 17)	B04	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total fixed assets</b>		B05	1,607	-	-	1,607	-
<b>Current assets</b>							
Stocks	(Note 18)	B06	-	-	-	-	-
Debtors	(Note 19)	B07	-	-	-	-	-
Investments	(Note 17.4)	B08	-	-	-	-	-
Cash at bank and in hand	(Note 24)	B09	27,041	255,000	-	282,041	-
<b>Total current assets</b>		B10	27,041	255,000	-	282,041	-
<b>Creditors: amounts falling due within one year</b>	(Note 20)	B11	246	-	-	246	-
<b>Net current assets/(liabilities)</b>		B12	26,795	255,000	-	281,795	-
<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>		B13	28,402	255,000	-	283,402	-
<b>Creditors: amounts falling due after one year</b>	(Note 20)	B14	-	-	-	-	-
Provisions for liabilities		B15	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total net assets or liabilities</b>		B16	28,402	255,000	-	283,402	-
<b>Funds of the Charity</b>							
Endowment funds	(Note 27)	B17	-			-	-
Restricted income funds	(Note 27)	B18		255,000		255,000	-
Unrestricted funds		B19	28,402		-	28,402	-
Revaluation reserve		B20				-	-
<b>Total funds</b>		B21	28,402	255,000	-	283,402	-

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name	Date of approval dd/mm/yyyy
		Mrs J F Fletcher	25/11/23
		Mrs N Footer	25/11/23



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

<b>Report to the trustees</b>	Dorset Guild of Weavers, Spinners and Dyers		
<b>On accounts for the year ended</b>	31/10/2023	<b>Charity no (if any)</b>	1200685
	Set out on pages		
	N/A		

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31 October 2023

**Responsibilities and basis of report**

As the charity's trustees, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").


I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

**Independent examiner's statement**

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed: 

Date: 09/11/2023

Name: Mr B Elliot of Elliot and Co LLP

**Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):**

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**Section B**

**Disclosure**

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

**Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.**

No disclosure required.