

SALISBURY MEN'S SHED

England & Wales · Charity number 1202951

Details

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2023-05-04

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

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Activities

Objects: TO PROMOTE SOCIAL INCLUSION FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT BY PREVENTING PEOPLE, PARTICULARLY BUT NOT EXCLUSIVELY MEN AGED 18 OR OVER, WITHIN THE CITY OF SALISBURY AND ITS ENVIRONS FROM BECOMING SOCIALLY EXCLUDED, RELIEVING THE NEEDS OF THOSE PEOPLE WHO ARE SOCIALLY EXCLUDED AND ASSISTING THEM TO INTEGRATE INTO SOCIETY THROUGH THE PROVISION OF FACILITIES IN WHICH THEY CAN MEET JOINTLY OR INDIVIDUALLY TO UNDERTAKE CREATIVE, PHYSICAL OR RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES, LEARN OR PASS ON SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE AND SUPPORT EACH OTHER SOCIALLY. FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS CLAUSE 'SOCIALLY EXCLUDED' MEANS BEING EXCLUDED FROM SOCIETY, OR PARTS OF SOCIETY, AS A RESULT OF ONE OF MORE OF THE FOLLOWING FACTORS: UNEMPLOYMENT; FINANCIAL HARDSHIP; YOUTH OR OLD AGE; ILL HEALTH (PHYSICAL OR MENTAL); SUBSTANCE ABUSE OR DEPENDENCY INCLUDING ALCOHOL AND DRUGS; DISCRIMINATION ON THE GROUNDS OF SEX, RACE, DISABILITY, ETHNIC ORIGIN, RELIGION, BELIEF, CREED, SEXUAL ORIENTATION OR GENDER RE-ASSIGNMENT; POOR EDUCATIONAL OR SKILLS ATTAINMENT; RELATIONSHIP AND FAMILY BREAKDOWN; POOR HOUSING (THAT IS HOUSING THAT DOES NOT MEET BASIC HABITABLE STANDARDS; CRIME (EITHER AS A VICTIM OF CRIME OR AS AN OFFENDER REHABILITATING INTO SOCIETY). NOTHING IN THIS CONSTITUTION SHALL AUTHORISE AN APPLICATION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE CIO FOR THE PURPOSES WHICH ARE NOT CHARITABLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 7 OF THE CHARITIES AND TRUSTEE INVESTMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005 AND SECTION 2 OF THE CHARITIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 2008.

Activities: The Salisbury Men's Shed promotes social inclusion by preventing people, particularly but not exclusively men, aged 18 or over, within the city of Salisbury and neighbouring areas, from becoming socially excluded, through the provision of facilities in which they can meet to undertake creative, physical or recreational activities, learn and pass on skills and support each other socially.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space, Provides Services
- **What:** Disability, Recreation
- **Who:** Elderly/old People, People With Disabilities, Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- Wiltshire

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-12-31	£5,550	£2,765	-	-
2024-12-31	£3,766	£1,822	-	-
2023-12-31	£2,694	£1,339	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
KENNETH HOWARD	Chair	2023-05-04
PATNICIA KING		2023-05-04
RODNEY GOTHARD		2023-05-04

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Salisbury Men's Shed AGM

21 January 2026

Trustees' Report

Since the last AGM in January 2025 Denis Casey has formally ceased to be a Trustee and so the Trustee committee now consists of Jo King, Rod Gothard and Ken Howard. Work is underway to recruit one or two new trustees to the committee.

It is clear that the John and the management committee supported by Duncan, Julie and Neil do a wonderful job managing the day to day running of the Shed and enabling its effective and safe operation.

In 2025 the Shed made many notable achievements in terms of projects delivered, getting a grant for the extraction equipment, acquiring, transporting and setting up the "back of the lorry" container as an extra workshop, and opening on an additional morning.

Thanks to the hard work of the officers, members, and volunteers, and the generous support of Alabare, it is clear the Shed is solvent, well established and meeting current members' needs; and for 2026 it now has capacity to offer its benefits to more new members.

Ken Howard

On behalf of the Trustees:

Rod Gothard
Denis Casey
Jo King

SALISBURY MEN'S SHED
RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT
For the year ended 31st December 2025

RECEIPTS				PAYMENTS				
	2025 £p	2024 £p		2025 £p	2024 £p			
Balances b/fwd:								
Cash	10.00	0.00						
Bank	1,933.87	1,355.34						
	1,943.87	1,355.34						
Subscriptions	325.00	270.00	UKMSA Membership	30.00	30.00			
Grants	659.37	0.00	Tools and Equipment	838.06	337.88			
Donations	785.40	515.55	Materials	1,485.03	1,117.06			
Catering	230.48	315.42	Catering	0.00	0.00			
Other Receipts	1,605.52	1,309.60	Insurance	317.09	337.10			
			Other Payments	114.37	0.00			
			Balances c/fwd: (see NOTE below)					
			Cash	16.01	10.00			
			Bank	2,749.08	2,765.09	1,933.87	1,943.87	
	5,549.64	3,765.91		5,549.64	3,765.91			
	FULL YEAR 2025	FULL YEAR		FULL YEAR 2025	FULL YEAR			

NOTE: CASH/BANK RESERVE OF £700 IN TOTAL RECOMMENDED BY TRUSTEES

UNPAID INVOICES as at 31.12.25 (not included in the above numbers)

20.11.25 SMS018A £50.00* idVerde (Wildlife Boxes)

*Invoice for £200.00 netted against overpayment of £150.00 by idVerde

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Salisbury Men's Shed AGM

24 January 2025

Trustees' Report

Since the last AGM in January 2024 the trustees have met on three occasions and focussed on items raised by the management committee including:

- Membership levels and requests to join
- The feasibility of extending the Shed's opening hours to another morning
- How to provide more support to members
- Reviewing policies
- The "pricing" policy for project work

The Management Committee continue to do a wonderful job supporting the day to day running of the Shed. Recently the Shed has been joined by two volunteers, Julie Hamilton and Neil Penny who are providing valuable administrative and project support to the Committee and Trustees.

Thanks to the hard work of the officers, members, and volunteers, and the generous support of Alabare, it is clear the Shed is solvent, well established and meeting current members' needs.

Other members of the community could also benefit from what the Shed has to offer and it maybe that we can deliver this by extending the opening hours. So, a continued focus on the Shed's future direction is a priority.

Ken Howard

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Rod Gothard

Denis Casey

Jo King

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	2024		2023		2024		2023
	£p		£p		£p		£p
Balances b/fwd:							
Cash	0.00		190.00				
Bank	1,355.34	1,355.34	1,320.51	1,510.51			
Subscriptions	270.00			320.00	UKMSA Membership	30.00	30.00
Grants	0.00			0.00	Tools and Equipment	337.88	617.11
Donations	515.55			225.00	Materials	1,117.06	362.31
Catering	315.42			335.46	Catering	0.00	0.00
Other Receipts	1,309.60			303.39	Insurance	337.10	329.60
					Other Payments	0.00	0.00
					Balances c/fwd: (see Note below)		
					Cash	10.00	0.00
					Bank	1,933.87	1,943.87
						1,355.34	1,355.34
		3,765.91		2,694.36		3,765.91	2,694.36
		FULL YEAR		FULL YEAR		FULL YEAR	FULL YEAR

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UNPAID INVOICES as at 31.12.24 (not included in the above numbers)
SMS 012 £35.00 St John's Place (Bench Refurbishment)

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Salisbury Mens' Shed

27 March 2024

Annual Report

Since the formal registration of the Shed as a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) in May 2023 the trustees have had four meetings. We've focussed on

- Reviewing the Safeguarding and Health & Safety policies
- How to provide more to support members
- Financial reserves policy (which is now set at £700)

Thanks to the hard work of the officers and members, and the generous support of Alabare, it is clear the Shed is well established and meeting current members' needs.

The officers and members have worked hard to achieve continued success in helping the group to prosper, our trustees are playing a vital role in overseeing our structure and supporting positive developments. As always, we are indebted to Alabare for their continued support in providing our premises and such a friendly environment to work in.

The year has been marked by having completed several projects including shelving for Alabare shop, fencing and bench restoration for Army Air Museum, rocking horses for sale, tree for St Thomas's Tree festival along, bird boxes for Pinewood Way along with some smaller jobs.

Membership is stable with some longstanding members and some new additions although there have also been several comings and goings especially around those people who are finding life challenging. The membership is totally made up of retired people and so having members with health and welfare needs means that there are increasing support needs including those who are no longer able to attend but value contact.

The big question for any organisation relates to its future aims and intentions, one of which will simply be to keep going but unless there is development and change organisations tend to remain static. New members, new leaders, and change will be essential if the shed is to prosper over the next few years.

Ken Howard

On behalf of the Trustees:

Rod Gothard
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Details of the type of governing document the charity has and when it was established.
It is not the full text of the charity's governing document.

CIO - ASSOCIATION Registered 04 May 2023

Charitable objects

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Subscriptions	320.00			270.00	UKMSA Membership	30.00	30.00
Grants	0.00			0.00	Tools and Equipment	617.11	478.86
Donations	225.00			545.39	Materials	362.31	159.01
Catering	335.46			490.14	Catering	0.00	5.45
Other Receipts	303.39			108.36	Insurance	329.60	324.20
					Other Payments	0.00	0.00
					Balances c/fwd: (see Note below)		
					Cash	0.00	190.00
					Bank	1,355.34	<u>1,355.34</u>
						1,320.51	1,510.51
	2,694.36		2,508.03		2,694.36		2,508.03
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