



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

	Period start date			T o	Period end date		
From	01	10	2023		30	09	2024

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name

Yealm Gig Rowing Club CIO

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any)

1204237

Charity's principal address

37, Yealm Road, Newton Ferrers, Plymouth

Postcode PL8 1BH

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 Dr Owen Moore	Chair	22 Nov 2023	
2 Chloe Longhurst	Trustee	1 April 2025	
3 Rosalind Booth	Trustee	22 Nov 2023	
4 Bethan McClements	Trustee	22 Nov 2023	
5 Antonia Joyce	Trustee	22 Nov 2023	
6 Elizabeth Stone	Trustee	22 Nov 2023	
7 Dr Mairead McIntyre	Trustee	22 Nov 2023	
8 Roxanne Guy	Trustee	22 Nov 2023	

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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
(eg. trust deed, constitution)

Constitution, which is here: [YGRC Constitution final](#)

How the charity is constituted
(eg. trust, association, company)

Charitable Incorporated Organisation

Trustee selection methods
(eg. appointed by, elected by)

Elected by committee

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.

Section C

Objectives and activities

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

The objectives of the club are to promote community participation in healthy recreation by the provision of facilities for rowing Cornish pilot gigs, for the benefit of the public.

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)

Yealm Gig Club provides the following rowing opportunities for the local community:

- Social rowing, development rows and racing for children aged between 11 and 16
- Development and 'open' rows for those aged 17-85
- Race training with a busy race schedule across the South West for the following groups:
 - Ladies A
 - Ladies B
 - Ladies Vets (40-50 year olds)
 - Ladies Supervets (50-60 year olds)
 - Ladies Masters (60-70 year olds)
 - Mens A
 - Mens B
 - Mens Vets (40-50 year olds)
 - Mens Supervets (50-60 year olds)
 - Mens Masters (60-70 year olds)
- Social rowing for the Kitley Belles (rowers aged 70+)
- Social and fundraising events for non-members, such as 'rock up and rows', 24 hour rowing machine challenges
- Social events for club members, such as a Christmas Dinner, social rows to nearby beaches
- Shore based training for club members such as rowing machine training sessions and HIIT sessions

All of the above provide the villages of Newton Ferrers and Noss Mayo (and surrounding villages) with the opportunity to participate in a team sport.

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.

Section D

Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

(brief summary of the charities main achievements for the year that resulted from the charitable activities undertaken for the public benefit.

Over the past year, the club has reached significant milestones, largely due to the hard work and dedication of the committee, trustees, volunteers, and the parents of our youth rowers. I want to reflect on our achievements and express gratitude to everyone involved, including our coxes and maintenance crew, whose contributions are vital to our operations.

This year, we have celebrated the highest membership levels in our history, thanks in part to the successful organisation of beginners' rowing sessions. Our junior rowers have shown remarkable strength, with enough participants for three boats during training sessions, achieving notable victories at the Salcombe competition and representing the club at national events for U14 and U16 categories, as well as at the county level.

We have also expanded our fleet, boasting the most boats we've ever had, and improved our IT systems, which, despite some initial grumbling, have proven effective in enhancing club organisation and communication through our website and the Easyteams platform.

Behind the scenes, we have maintained rigorous governance practices, ensuring compliance with necessary paperwork, including DBS checks, risk assessments, and personal injury insurance, all of which are essential for the club's operations. The establishment of our charity has opened new opportunities for us, and we encourage everyone to support our efforts by filling out Gift Aid forms.

Social events and fundraising activities, such as our Christmas dinners and "Rock Up and Row" sessions, have fostered community spirit.

Additionally, we have increased our rowing opportunities, including occasional launches from the harbour, thanks to Phil Carter, allowing our crews more time on the water.

Our involvement in the racing scene has been robust, with participation in the winter league and a return to events in Scilly and Newquay, as well as competing in new CPGA national categories. It has been encouraging to see the Yealm gig club continuously contributing to our vibrant rowing community.

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Our future aims include building on the benefits of being a charity; improving the facilities and equipment of the club – we recently placed an order for a new wooden gig boat to be delivered in time for the World Pilot Gig Championships in May 2026.

Land-based space for the club remains something we want to explore as is a permanent space at the harbour, enabling more regular time on the water.

Section E Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

We are currently building finance to enable the purchase of a new boat, road trailer and oars (to improve racing success and raise the awareness of the sport locally). This will require between £30-40,000.

Details of any funds materially in deficit

N/A

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.

Primarily funding comes from members subscriptions. Expenditure has supported the maintenance of equipment.

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)

Owen Moore

Position (eg Secretary,
Chair, etc)

Chairman

Date

22 / 07 / 2025



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Charity Name
Yealm Gig Rowing Club CIO

No (if any)

Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period from	01/10/2023	To	Period end date 30/09/2024
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Subscriptions	11,757	-	-	11,757	6,041
Donations & Grants	3,632	1,500	-	5,132	3,784
Other Income	724	-	-	724	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	16,113	1,500	-	17,613	9,825
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	16,113	1,500	-	17,613	9,825
A3 Payments					
Repairs/Maintenance	6,084	-	-	6,084	3,720
Insurance	1,913	-	-	1,913	1,158
CPGA Subscriptions	620	-	-	620	565
Meeting and event expenses	304	-	-	304	89
Shed Rent	100	-	-	100	100
Shed repairs	-	-	-	-	350
Website	160	-	-	160	160
Race fees & costs	2,171	-	-	2,171	120
Other costs	2,065	-	-	2,065	2,924
Sub total	13,417	-	-	13,417	9,186
A4 Asset and investment purchases. (see table)					
Oars	3,198	-	-	3,198	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	3,198	-	-	3,198	-
Total payments	16,615	-	-	16,615	9,186
Net of receipts/(payments)	- 502	1,500	-	999	639
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	8,663	-	-	8,663	8,024
Cash funds this year end	8,162	1,500	-	9,662	8,663

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Main Account	9,662	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	9,662	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))			OK

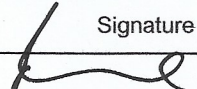
	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets			-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
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		-	-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
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	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Gig		-	8,141
	Trailers		-	3,551
	Oars		-	5,984
	Shed		-	186
	Covers		-	1,714
	Life Jackets		-	545
	VHF Radios		-	329
	Other assets		-	640
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
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Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	Owen Moore	22/07/25