

MACFARLANE WALKER TRUST

Trustees:

D F WALKER
C J S WALKER

Hon. Secretary:

Miss Sophie Walker
4 Shooters Hill Road
Blackheath
London SE3 7BD

TRUSTEES' REPORT ON THE YEAR 6 APRIL 2023 – 5 APRIL 2024

1 FOUNDATION OF THE TRUST

The Macfarlane Walker Trust was founded in 1963 by James Macfarlane Walker of Cheltenham, Glos for general charitable purposes and in particular for provision of facilities for recreation and social welfare in Gloucestershire; the relief of poverty and hardship among employees and former employees of Walker Crosweller & Co Ltd; the provision of educational facilities particularly in scientific research; and the encouragement of music, drama and the fine arts.

2 GRANTS AND DONATIONS

A list of donations is included in the accounts. Total donations were £49,510. The Trustees continued their support for charitable activity in Gloucestershire, contributions to music students for instrument purchase and donating monies to causes where the Trust's contribution will make a significant difference to the recipient.

3 FINANCE

The Trust's investment funds are invested in M&G Charifund units. The Trustees do not solicit funds from the public or other sources.

5 MANAGEMENT

The Trustees during 2023-24 were:

David Walker, a retired economist and grandson of the founder of the Trust.

Catherine Walker, a public relations executive and great granddaughter of the founder of the Trust.

Sophie Walker, daughter of David Walker, acted as Hon Secretary during the year.

Accounts were produced on behalf of the Trustees by Raymond Carter & Co, Chartered Accountants.

THE MACFARLANE WALKER TRUST

REGISTERED CHARITY NO: 227890

REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED

5 APRIL 2024

THE MACFARLANE WALKER TRUST

STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES RESPONSIBILITIES

Charity law requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Charity and of the surplus or deficit of the Charity for that period.

In preparing those financial statements, the Trustees are required to select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently; make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to assume that the Charity will continue in existence.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Charity. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

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INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES

We report on the accounts of the Trust for the year ended 5 April 2024, which are set out on pages 3 to 6.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year (under Section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act')) and that an independent examination is needed.

It is our responsibility to :

- examine the accounts (under Section 145 of the 2011 Act);
- to following the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners (under Section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act); and
- to state whether particular matters have come to our attention.

Basis of independent examiner's report

Our examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commissioners. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently we do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

Independent examiner's statement

In connection with our examination, no matter has come to our attention:

(1) which gives us reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements

- to keep accounting records in accordance with Section 130 of the 2011 Act; and
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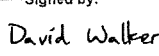
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THE MACFARLANE WALKER TRUST

INCOME ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024

	2024		2023	
	£	£	£	£
Dividends and interest received		46,155.51		44,813.78
Bank deposit interest		-		-
Less: expenses				
Bank charges	60.00		60.00	
Trustees administration expenses	1,200.00		1,200.00	
Accountancy fees	300.00		300.00	
		-1,560.00		-1,560.00
Net income for year		£44,595.51		£43,253.78

The accounts were approved by the Trustees on 9 September 2024 and signed on their behalf by -

Signed by:

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DAVID F WALKER

Trustee

THE MACFARLANE WALKER TRUST

BALANCE SHEET AT 5 APRIL 2024

	2024		2023	
	£	£	£	£
Investments				
At book value		653,003.00		653,003.00
(Market value at £14.5899)	£783,028		£799,134	
Balance at bank				
Current Account (HSBC)		18,587.89		18,402.38
Amounts Payable Within One Year				
Grants Announced but not paid		-5,100.00		
		£666,490.89		£671,405.38
Capital account				
At 5 April 2023		671,405.38		666,814.60
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Income for year		44,595.51		43,253.78
		716,000.89		710,068.38
Less: Donations made		-49,510.00		-38,663.00
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DONATIONS - YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024

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£3,000		
ENO		3,000
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Alexander Franklin - Oboe		10,000
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Cirencester HSG YP	Root & Branch	
Cotswold RDA	Support Through Court	
Dressability	Young & Free	
IT Schools Africa	The Sofa Project	
Living Paintings	Stroud Beresford Limited	
Mothers for Mothers	StreetDoctors Ltd	
£1,000		
CKSCWC		1,000
£600		
Luke Nguyen		600
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Michelle Hromin - Clarinet case		500
£250		
Peter Bailey		250
£160		
Ian McLaughlin for flute repair		160
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THE MACFARLANE WALKER TRUST

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS AND DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST RECEIVED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024

	Book Value	All in cost per share	Market Price	Market Value	Dividend
M & G Charifund					
53,669,196 Income Units	£653,003	12.17	14.59	£783,028	£46,155.51

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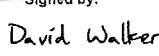
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