

# ASCOT FIRE BRIGADE TRUST

England & Wales · Charity number 245615

## Details

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**Status** Registered

**Legal form** Other

**Registered** 2012-01-05

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

## Contact

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## Activities

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**Objects:** THE TRUSTEES SHALL APPLY THE INCOME OF THE CHARITY FOR ANY PUBLIC PURPOSES FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE INHABITANTS OF ASCOT AND NOT PROVIDED OUT OF RATES OR OTHER PUBLIC FUNDS

**Activities:** THE CHARITY APPLIES THE FUNDS RECEIVED FROM LEASE OF THE OLD ASCOT FIRE STATION FOR ANY PURPOSE THAT IS TO THE BENEFIT OF THE RESIDENTS OF ASCOT.

## Classification

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- **How:** Makes Grants To Individuals, Makes Grants To Organisations, Provides Other Finance
- **What:** General Charitable Purposes
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People, People With Disabilities, The General Public/mankind

## Geography

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- **Area of benefit:** ASCOT
- Windsor And Maidenhead

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£32,457	£43,020	-	-
2024-03-31	£37,955	£24,751	-	-
2023-03-31	£37,827	£35,014	-	-
2022-03-31	£35,421	£14,007	-	-
2021-03-31	£28,355	£35,860	-	-

## Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Carolyn Tunnah		2026-04-13
Fiona Marguerite Jones		2023-08-08
JUDITH DAVIES		
Robert Abell		2025-04-01
SUZANNE BAILEY		2012-09-11
Stewart Webb		2025-06-02

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# Accounts

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## Annual Report for reporting year 2024 -2025

The year dated to April 2025 saw a 50% increase in grants over 2024 which was pleasing and demonstrated the value the trust continues to bring to the community, particularly as 'normal life' has resumed after the impact of Covid.

Requests were many and varied, including from our local hospices, Thames Hospice and Sebastian's Action Trust. Community groups and clubs benefited from grants including the Ascot Locomotive Society, community-based charities such as Homestart, helping families with children under five facing particular challenges and needing support. We continued to provide the sporting excellence bursary for the local senior school, Charters School with three high-performing students benefiting from this support.

We also supported the excellent initiative run across all 6 of our local primary schools by the Police Community Clubs of Great Britain, dealing with how our young people can better recognise, understand and deal with cyber safety and threats including bullying.

Grants were also given to the Royal Ascot Cricket Club, South Ascot Guides and two local primary schools. No requests were received this year from residents for direct, personal support.

The balance of funds the charity holds is still positive and we are actively seeking ways to further encourage new grant applications from organisations and, where appropriate, individuals within the wider Ascot, Sunninghill and Sunningdale community.

Suzanne Bailey

## ASCOT FIRE BRIGADE TRUST

### Income and expenditure 2024/25

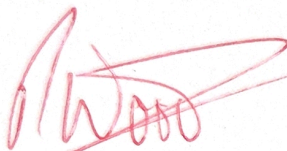
Income	2023/24		2024/25	
	£37,800.00	Rent Hyperion Tiles	£31,500.00	
	£154.53	Interest Business Bonus Account.	£196.85	
		3mth Treasury Deposit	£760.41	
	£37,954.53	<b>Total Income</b>	£32,457.26	
		<b>Grants</b>		
		Thames Hospice 100676	£3,000.00	
		Homestart Slough 100677	£0.00	cheque, cancelled
		Ascot Cricket Club & Ascot PC 100678	£5,000.00	
		Ascot Locomotive Society 100679	£500.00	
		Sth Ascot Village School 100680	£3,000.00	
		DASH 100681	£0.00	cheque, cancelled
		via RBWM 100682	£4,000.00	
		Homestart Slough 100683	£5,000.00	
		100684	£5,000.00	
		GB 100685	£3,000.00	
		Sebastian's Action Trust 100686	£3,000.00	
		Sports Bursary - Jessica 100687	£1,000.00	
		Sports Bursary - Mia 100688	£1,000.00	
		Sports Bursary - Leo 100689	£1,000.00	
		South Ascot Church Hall 100690	£0.00	returned,
		South Ascot District Guides 100691	£3,520.00	
		South Ascot Church Hall 100692	£5,000.00	
		<b>total grants paid</b>	£43,020.00	
total expenditure	£24,750.69		total expenditure	£43,020.00
	£13,203.84	<b>Excess income/expenditure</b>		-£10,562.74
£142,741.05	Community Account	Statement Balance		£125,813.78
£13,131.40	Business Bonus Account	Statement Balance		£13,628.25
-£5,867.68	less unrepresented cheques			
£150,004.77				£139,442.03
		<b>at 31st March 2024</b>		£150,004.77
£37,954.53	Income		£32,457.26	
£24,750.69	Expenditure		£43,020.00	
£13,203.84	Excess income/expenditure		-£10,562.74	
		<b>at 31st March 2025</b>		£139,442.03
				£0.00

# Ascot Fire Brigade Trust

## Report of Independent Examiner

I have examined the Accounts of Ascot Fire Brigade Trust for the year to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025 and report that they are in accordance with the records and statements made available to me and explanations given.

The reserves at the end of the year amount to £139,442.02

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Robin Wood C.A. .

6th<sup>th</sup> Feb 2026

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# Accounts

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## Annual Report for reporting year 2023-24

The year dated to April 2024 saw another year with limited grants being sought and shared the community, still post Covid and the disruption this caused with local volunteer groups particularly, and despite our efforts to promote the Trust's presence and purpose through traditional and social media, the local authorities and other charity groups.

Requests were varied such as a defibrillator for a local retirement home, support for Macmillan Cancer Support for their work in our area, The Ascot Project (supporting local outings for elderly people otherwise without access to such activities) and Youthline (supporting young people with personal challenges or crises). We also continued to provide the sporting excellence bursary for the local senior school, Charters School with three awards.

We also supported the excellent educational self-help initiative run across all of our 6 local primary schools by the Police Community Clubs of Great Britain.

Grants were also given to Cruse, East Berks CAB and the Ascot Shed organisation now established in the High Street and two local primary schools.

The balance of funds the charity holds is still very positive and we are actively seeking ways to further encourage new grant applications from organisations and, where appropriate, individuals within the wider Ascot, Sunninghill and Sunningdale community.

Suzanne Bailey

## ASCOT FIRE BRIGADE TRUST

### Income and Expenditure 2023/24

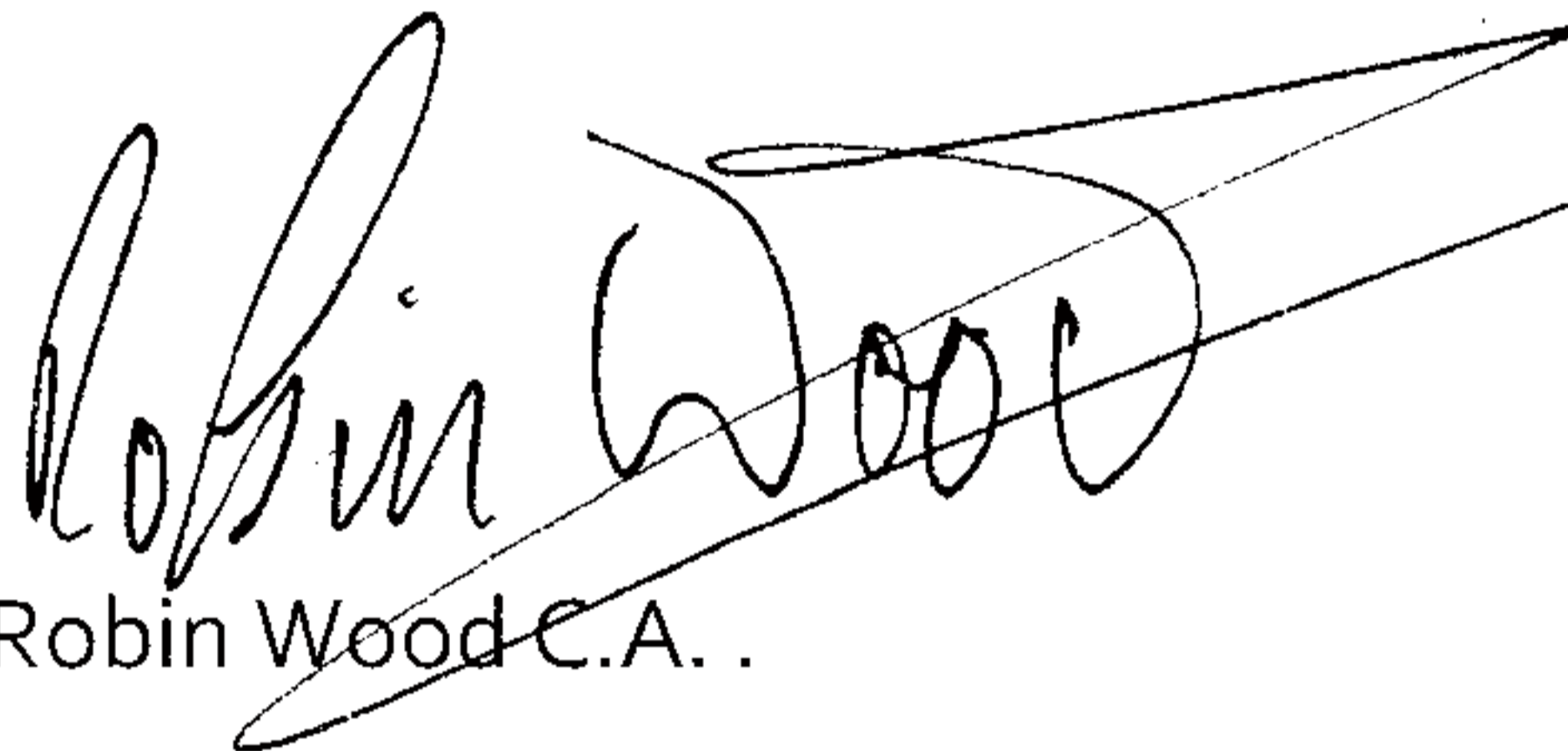
Income	2022/23		2023/24
		Rent Hyperion Tiles	£37,800.00
		Interest Business Bonus Account.	£154.53
	£37,827.42	<b>Total Income</b>	£37,954.53
		<b>Grants</b>	<b>Uncleared</b>
		St John's Ambulance 100661 Cancelled	Cancelled
		Youthline 100662	£2,000.00
		Clarefield Court Defibrillator 100663	£1,260.00
		GB 100664	£2,925.00
		Sports Bursary - Gethin 100665	£1,000.00
		Sports Bursary - Hayom 100666	£1,000.00
		Sports Bursary - Jasmine 100667	£1,000.00
		Ascot Project 100668	£3,000.00
		LLB Law Lease advice 100669	£886.01
		Ascot Shed Insurance 100670	£367.68
		CRUSE Thames Valley 100671	£500.00
		CAB East Berks 100672	£3,250.00
		MacMillan Cancer 100673	£1,000.00
		Ascot Heath Primary 100674	£5,000.00
		St Michael's Primary 100675	£1,562.00
			£5,867.68
		<b>total grants paid/Costs</b>	<b>£24,750.69</b>
total expenditure	£35,013.98		total expenditure <b>£24,750.69</b>
	£2,813.44	<b>Excess income/expenditure</b>	£13,203.84
	£130,124.06	Community Account Statement Balance	£142,741.05
	£12,676.87	Business Bonus Account Statement Balance	£13,131.40
	-£6,000.00	less unrepresented cheques	-£5,867.68
	£136,800.93		£150,004.77
		<b>Balance at 31st March 2023</b>	£136,800.93
	£37,827.42	Income	£37,954.53
	£35,013.98	Expenditure	£24,750.69
	£2,813.44	Excess income/expenditure	£13,203.84
	£136,800.93	<b>Balance at 31st March 2024</b>	£150,004.77

# Ascot Fire Brigade Trust

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I have examined the Accounts of Ascot Fire Brigade Trust for the year to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024 and report that they are in accordance with the records and statements made available to me and explanations given.

The reserves at the end of the year amount to £150,004.77

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Robin Wood C.A. .

27<sup>th</sup> Jan 2026

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# Accounts

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## Annual Report for reporting year 2023

The year dated to April 2023 saw an increase in grant requests following the unexpected decline during the Covid period and its immediate aftermath where we were supporting local organisations with outgoings/premises to maintain, but no income.

We continued to provide the sporting excellence bursary for the local senior school, Charters School. Other approved requests varied from our local hospices, Thames Hospice and Sebastian's Action Trust, to specific medical charities such as MacMillan Cancer, MyAware (Myalgia), teaching support and community-based charities such as Family Friends.

We also supported local sports clubs in their coaching work with young people and the provision of transport to allow new Ukrainian refugees in the area to access English language classes.

The balance of funds the charity holds is still positive and we are actively seeking ways to further encourage new grant applications from organisations and, where appropriate, individuals within the Ascot, Sunninghill and Sunningdale community.

Suzanne Bailey

# ASCOT FIRE BRIGADE TRUST

## Income and expenditure

### Income

#### 2021/22

£37,800.00

£1.21

-£2,380.00

£35,421.21

Rent Hyperion Tiles

Interest Business Bonus Account.

### Total Income

### Grants

B Wxxxxx for son's kitchen

Teachright

R Dxxxxxx sports bursary

J Mxxxxxx sports bursary

F Bxxxxxx sports bursary

Thames Hospice

Ascot Project

Royal Ascot Cricket Club

Myaware

Refund to D Hilton payment for taxis for children of Ukrainians to travel to summer school

All Souls Church

McMillan Cancer Support

Family Friends

DASH

Vsi Razom

East Berks CAB

Sebastian's Action Trust

**total grants paid**

total expenditure      £14,007.10

£21,414.11

**Exces**

£125,046.04

Community Account

£12,349.14

Business Bonus Account

-£3,408.00

less unrepresented cheques

£133,987.18

**Balar**

£35,421.21

Income

£14,007.10

Expenditure

£21,414.11

Excess income/expenditure

**Balan**

**2022/23**

**2022/23**

£37,800.00

£27.42

£37,827.42

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100648	£1,000.00
100649	£5,000.00
100650	£2,000.00
100651	£4,500.00
100652	£800.00
100653	£1,817.00
100654	£1,175.00
100655	£1,000.00
100656	£5,000.00
100657	£3,000.00
100658	£240.00
100659	£3,000.00
100660	£3,000.00

£35,013.98

	total expenditure	<b>£35,013.98</b>
is income/expenditure		£2,813.44
		£130,124.06
		£12,676.87
		-£6,000.00
		£136,800.93
ice at 31st March 2022		£133,987.49
	£37,827.42	
	£35,013.98	
		£2,813.44
ice at 31st March 2023		<b>£136,800.93</b>

			rental	
			5/1/2022	9450
			8/1/2022	9450
interest business Acc			11/1/2022	9450
	8-Jun	0.93	2/1/2023	9450
	7-Sep	3.84		
	7-Dec	6.99		
	8-Mar	15.66		
		27.42		

transferred to Business Acc

april	25
may	25
june	25
july	25
august	25
september	25
october	25
november	25

december	25
january	25
february	25
march	25
	300

£0.00

£130,099.06

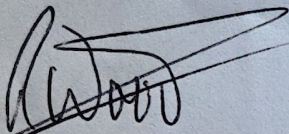
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Robin Wood C.A. .

04<sup>th</sup> Aug 2023

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## Chairmans Report 2022/2023

The last two years Covid has changed the nature of demand for funds with 2020/21 being a year when we supported local organisations who had premises to maintain and no income, The DASH Charity that supports women suffering from domestic abuse which became more prevalent during lockdown, charities that provide training to volunteer organisations including the many new groups that did an amazing job supporting the vulnerable. We also contributed to a programme driven by the Hope Charity to provide laptops to primary schools.

The world changes very quickly and in the past year many local clubs did not re-open their doors which reduced demand for funding. However, we supported the Sunninghill Reading Room Trust and the Sunninghill Library, Bracknell CAB, local primary schools and Men in Sheds but we did not award all the funds available and will be pleased to receive applications for grant from organisation in the Ascot area.

David Hilton

Chairman

30/8/2022

**Ascot Fire Brigade Trusts  
Audited Accounts 2021/22**

**Income and expenditure 2020/21**

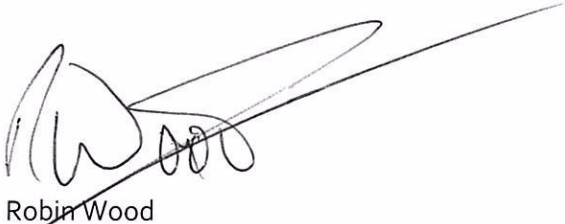
Income	2020/21			2021/22
	£28,350.00	Rent Hyperion Tiles		£37,800.00
	£5.40	Interest Business Bonus Account.		£1.21
		Write off debt		-£2,380.00
	£28,355.40	<b>Total Income</b>		<b>£35,421.21</b>
<b>Grants</b>				
		South Ascot Village School	100636	£2,090.00
		Sunningdale Reading Room Trust	100637	£4,800.00
		Local Resident	100638	£709.10
		Cheapside School	100639	£2,000.00
		Blind Veterans	100640	£1,000.00
		Bracknell CAB	100641	£0.00
		Men in Sheds	100642	£408.00
		Bracknell CAB	100643	£3,000.00
		<b>total grants paid</b>		<b>£14,007.10</b>
				cancelled
total expenditure	£35,860.28			total expenditure
				£14,007.10
				<b>Excess income/expenditure</b>
				<b>£21,414.11</b>
	£106,395.14	Community Account		£125,046.04
	£12,048.24	Business Bonus Account		£12,349.14
	-£8,250.00	less unrepresented cheques		-£3,408.00
	£2,380.00	Debtors		£133,987.18
	£112,573.38			
		<b>Distributable fund</b>		<b>Balance at 31st March 2020</b>
				<b>£112,573.38</b>
	£28,355.40	Income		£35,421.21
	£35,860.28	Expenditure		£14,007.10
	-£7,504.88	Excess income/expenditure		£21,414.11
	£112,573.38			<b>Balance at 31st March 2021</b>
				<b>£133,987.49</b>

# Ascot Fire Brigade Trust

## Report of Independent Examiner

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Robin Wood

28<sup>th</sup> Aug 2022

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# Accounts

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## Chairman's Report 2020/21

The charity uses the rental money from the Old Fire Station for any public purpose for the benefit of the residents of Ascot.

Our annual accounts show that we continue to support the young, old and disadvantaged in the Ascot Community. Covid had an impact on all areas of Community interest and we supported sports clubs so they would remain viable, individuals who had specific needs and working with other local charities the purchase of Laptop computers for Primary School children. Covid created the need for advice on a range of issues and the Trustees supported the Citizens Advice Bureau, the Dash Charity focused on supporting those subjects to domestic abuse and a local hospice.

The trustees continue to seek out causes that have the potential to grow and deliver value to the community of Ascot as well as support individuals that have fallen upon difficult times. We are a small charity but have in excess of £30K a year to award in grant and will consider any requests for grant that are for the benefit of Ascot Residents.

David Hilton.

2<sup>nd</sup> February 2022

# Ascot Fire Brigade Trust

## Annual accounts 2020/21

### Income and expenditure 2020/21

Income	2019/20		2020/21	May/Aug/Nov
	£28,350.00	Rent Hyperion Tiles	£28,350.00	
	£340.00	Rent adjustment		
	£21.35	Interest Business Bonus Account.	£5.40	
	<b>£28,711.35</b>	<b>Total Income</b>	<b>£28,355.40</b>	
<b>Grants</b>				
		Royal Ascot Cricket Club	100616 £3,000.00	
		Cancelled	100617 £0.00	
		Thames Hospice	100618 £5,000.00	
		P Clapp gate for P Reed	100619 £418.00	
		Myaware	100620 £500.00	
		Cancelled	100621 £0.00	
		St Michael's School	100622 £1,000.00	
		Blind Veterans	100623 £1,000.00	
		Hope Charity	100624 £542.28	
		Ist Ascot Scouts	100625 £4,500.00	
		WAM charity	100626 £3,000.00	
		Ascot Volunteer Bureau	100627 £1,000.00	
		Bracknell CAB	100628 £3,250.00	
		Ms Pinder White	100629 £400.00	
		Hope primary school lap tops	100630 £3,000.00	
		DASH charity	100631 £3,000.00	
		Berkshire Vision	100632 £500.00	
		Sunningdale Bowling Club	100633 £500.00	
		Achieving for Children	100634 £250.00	
		Thames Hospice	100635 £5,000.00	
		<b>total grants paid</b>		<b>£35,860.28</b>
total expenditure	£22,245.60		total expenditure	£35,860.28 -£1,200.00
				£0.00
	£6,465.75		<b>Excess income/expenditure</b>	-£7,504.88 £1,200.00
				£0.00
	£115,405.42	Community Account		£106,395.14 £0.00
	-£9,450.00	Less unrepresented cheques		-£8,250.00 -£8,250.00
	£11,742.84	Business Bonus Account		£12,048.24 £0.00
	£2,380.00	Debtors		£2,380.00 £0.00
	£120,078.26			£112,573.38 -£8,250.00
				£0.00
<b>Distributable fund</b>			<b>Balance at 31st March 2020</b>	£120,078.26 -£9,450.00
	£28,711.35	Income		£0.00
	£22,245.60	Expenditure	£28,355.40	£0.00
			£35,860.28	£0.00
	£6,465.75	Excess income/expenditure		-£7,504.88 £9,450.00
				£0.00
	£120,078.26		<b>Balance at 31st March 2021</b>	£112,573.38 £0.00

# Ascot Fire Brigade Trust

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R Wood

31<sup>st</sup> January 2022