

THE ROBERT GAVRON CHARITABLE TRUST

REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5TH APRIL 2025

CHARITY NO. 268535

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## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5TH APRIL 2025

## GENERAL INFORMATION

**SETTLOR** Lord Gavron CBE (Deceased)

**DEEDS** Settlement dated 31st July 1974

**REGISTERED  
CHARITY NO.** 268535

**REGISTERED  
ADDRESS** 27 Maywin Drive  
Hornchurch  
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**TRUSTEES** Dr Katharine Susan Gavron (Chair)  
Jessica Leah Gavron  
Sarah Gavron

**MAIN TERMS** The trustees are directed to hold the capital and income of the trust fund for such charitable institutions or charitable purposes as the trustees shall from time to time in their absolute discretion determine.

**INVESTMENT  
POWERS** The trustees have very wide investment powers.

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MANAGERS** Schroder & Co Limited  
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Chartered Accountants & Statutory Auditors  
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## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5TH APRIL 2025

## TRUSTEES' REPORT

The Trustees present their report and financial statements for The Robert Gavron Charitable Trust (the "Trust") for the year ended 5th April 2025. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out in note 1 to the financial statements and comply with the charity's trust deed, the Charities Act 2011 and Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their financial statements in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)(effective 1st January 2019).

**STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT****Governing Document**

The Trust is constituted by a Trust Deed dated 31st July 1974, and its objectives are very wide ranging. The appointment of Trustees is governed by the Trust Deed. It is registered as a charity with the Charity Commission.

**Organisation**

The Trustees meet formally approximately four times throughout the year.

They agree the broad strategy and areas of activity for the Trust, and consider individual grant-making and the investment portfolio performance at every meeting. Any actions taken between Trustees' meetings are considered as part of the agenda and minuted and ratified appropriately.

Research into certain grant applications and new projects to be supported is carried out by the Trust Administrator, who visits and reports on new applicants to assist the Trustees in making decisions.

The Trust Administrator is the only employee of the Trust. The day-to-day administration of charitable grants as well as financial management, risk management and governance issues are carried out by him under the guidance of the Chair of Trustees.

**Trustees' Induction and Training**

The process for the induction of new Trustees comprises meeting with the Chair of Trustees and other Trustees, and new Trustees are also provided with current and previous Annual Reports and Accounts. In addition, Trustees are offered training in the duties of charitable trustees.

**RISK MANAGEMENT**

The Trustees have reviewed all the major risks the charity faces and have established systems and contingency plans to mitigate them. In particular:

- (a) Reserves have been reviewed and are considered sufficient to enable the charity's objectives to be achieved in the medium term.
- (b) Investments are suitably made so as to protect the charity's reserves and are made within guidelines set out by legislation and the Charities Commission.
- (c) Key internal controls have been reviewed and are considered sufficient. The Trustees have direct control over key financial systems.
- (d) Donees are suitably vetted for their charitable credentials before donations are made.
- (e) The Trustees consult professional advisers from time to time to ensure that the charity's obligations are being fulfilled.
- (f) Adequate measures are in place in the event of the charity ceasing to operate.
- (g) Risk policy is reviewed periodically at Trustees' Meetings.

**OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES DURING THE YEAR**

The Trustees have continued to operate as they did under the leadership of Lord Gavron, the settlor and Chair of the Trust, until his death in February 2015.

The Trust has supported a similar range of charitable causes as in previous years, the principal areas of support being access to the arts, education, charities working in prisons, human rights and charities for the disabled. The Trust has supported a number of charities working in prisons as they believe this is important and necessary work for which it is difficult to raise funds. In addition, the growing need for food banks has led to a number of donations to food banks and related charities.

Support given to charities has been in the form of monetary donations made at the discretion of the Trustees. A list of the larger grants is given on page 18 of this report.

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## TRUSTEES' REPORT ...../continued

The Trustees continue to give support in the form of either one-off grants or commitments to donations spread over more than one year, and the Trust's reserves remain sufficient for existing commitments. When the Trustees commit themselves to making donations over several years these commitments are reflected in the Trust's annual accounts in the form of donations charged to accumulated income and are shown as designated funds in the balance sheet. The Trustees believe that it is helpful for the beneficiaries to know what they may expect and when to expect the promised funds for the purposes of their own planning.

In the past year the university access scheme at Morpeth School in Tower Hamlets, London, which was set up in the memory of Lord Gavron, has continued to encourage students to aspire to university education. This is intended in particular for students from families without a history of tertiary education. The school has designed a programme to create interest in university among both students and their families or carers, and it also includes bursaries for exceptional students.

Among the other larger grants have been donations to charities with which the Trustees themselves are or have been connected as Trustees and advisors (see note on p.18). The long-term donations given to the Barbados Cricket Association, which have been used for the encouragement and nurturing of promising young cricketers, have resulted in a number of winners of the Lord Gavron Award playing in the West Indies teams over the years. This is a vindication of both the scheme and of the selectors of the Barbados Cricket Association.

*Small Grants:* In many cases the Trustees prefer to make grants to organizations whose work they personally know and admire. This does not, however, mean that charities unknown to the Trustees personally do not receive grants. Anthony Dance, the Trust Administrator, visits and reports on some applications to the Trust and his reports are taken into account by the Trustees when they make their decisions. This leads to a number of grants to new organizations during each financial year. These include small charities working in areas which cannot easily raise funds and which are without the resources themselves for professional fund-raising. The Trust has also continued to help previously funded small charities which come into these categories.

At present the Trust is fully committed to its existing areas of interest and is unlikely to change its funding priorities in the foreseeable future.

**PUBLIC BENEFIT**

The Trustees are satisfied that the Trust itself and (so far as the Trustees can ascertain) the organisations which had support are operating for the public benefit.

**FINANCIAL REVIEW**

The Trust's regular income is generated from investments and the Trustees will continue to monitor investment policy closely during the course of the next financial year. At 5th April 2025 the book value of the investments was £7,974,396 (2024: £8,530,435) and their market value at that date was £8,674,635 (2024: £9,886,796).

The balance of the income has come from interest earned on cash deposits held with the Trust's bankers and fund managers.

**INVESTMENT POLICY**

The Trustees have very wide investment powers to manage the Trust's assets. The Chair of Trustees, along with an independent financial advisor, is responsible for meeting with the fund managers three times annually and reviewing the performance of the investment portfolios. The independent financial advisor gives additional advice on the investment and banking decisions. Reports are given to the Trustees at the quarterly Trustee Meetings on investments, reserves and risk management.

**RESERVES POLICY**

The Charity has a policy of maintaining sufficient reserves to cover existing commitments and those of the forthcoming year, donations due and its administrative obligations. No upper limit is considered necessary to be set for the level of reserves.

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## TRUSTEES' REPORT ...../continued

**KEY PERSONNEL AND PAY POLICY**

The Trustees consider the Board of Trustees and Anthony Dance (Trust Administrator) to be the key management personnel of the charity in charge of directing and controlling the charity on a day to day basis. All Trustees give their time freely and no Trustees' remuneration or expenses were paid in the year.

**TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES IN RELATION TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

The charity's Trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' annual report and financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

The law applicable to charities in England and Wales requires the charity's Trustees to prepare financial statements for each year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity and the incoming resources and application of resources, of the charity for that period. In preparing the financial statements, the Trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the applicable Charities SORP;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures that must be disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in operation.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the applicable Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations and the provisions of the Trust Deed. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.



Dr Katharine S Gavron

Trustee

For and on behalf of the Trustees

23rd January 2026

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5TH APRIL 2025

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE ROBERT GAVRON CHARITABLE TRUST

## OPINION

We have audited the financial statements of Robert Gavron Charitable Trust for the year ended 5th April 2025 which comprise of the Statement of Financial Activities, the Balance Sheet, Statement of Cash Flows and notes to the financial statements. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion, the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the charity's affairs as at 5th April 2025, and of its net expenditure for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice;
- and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011.

## BASIS OF OPINION

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the charity in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and the provisions available for small entities, in the circumstances set out in note 5 to the financial statements, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

## CONCLUSIONS RELATING TO GOING CONCERN

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the trustees use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the Trust's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the trustees with respect to going concern are described in the relevant section of this report.

## OTHER INFORMATION

The other information comprises the information included in the Trustees' Annual Report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The trustees are responsible for the other information. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon. In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5TH APRIL 2025

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE ROBERT GAVRON CHARITABLE TRUST

## MATTERS ON WHICH WE ARE REQUIRED TO REPORT BY EXCEPTION

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Charities Act 2011 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- the information given in the Trustees' Annual Report is inconsistent in any material respect with the financial statements; or
- the charity has not kept adequate accounting records; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

## RESPONSIBILITIES OF TRUSTEES

As explained more fully in the trustees' responsibilities statement in the Trustees' Annual Report, the trustees are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the trustees determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the trustees are responsible for assessing the charity's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the trustees either intend to liquidate the charity or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The trustees have elected for the financial statements to be audited in accordance with the Charities Act 2011. Accordingly, we have been appointed as auditor under section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and report in accordance with regulations made under section 154 of that Act.

**THE EXTENT TO WHICH OUR PROCEDURES ARE CAPABLE OF DETECTING IRREGULARITIES INCLUDING FRAUD**  
Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. The primary responsibility for the prevention and detection of irregularities including fraud rests with both the management and those charged with governance of the charity. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud.

We have considered the nature of the industry and sector, control environment, laws and regulations and business performance of the charity. Laws and regulations considered included, but were not limited to, the Charities Act 2011, FRS102 and Charity SORP.

We have enquired with the management in regards to their own assessment of the risks of irregularities, including fraud. We also enquired of management and those charged with governance as to any known instances of non-compliance or suspected non-compliance with laws and regulations.

We obtained relevant documentation and representations in order to form an opinion on potential irregularities, including fraud.

We considered the opportunities and incentives that may exist within the organisation for fraud.

Based on this understanding, we designed specific audit procedures to identify instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations, including obtaining additional corroborative evidence as required. Examples of procedures included reviewing large and unusual transactions, reviewing large and unexpected variances, reviewing journals entries and relevant legal correspondence.

There are inherent limitations in the audit procedures described above, not least as sampling is used under International Auditing Standards, therefore not all transactions are reviewed. Therefore, there is a risk we will not detect all irregularities including those leading to material misstatement in the financial statements or non-compliance with regulations. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement due to fraud is also higher than the risk of not detecting one from error, as fraud may involve deliberate concealment by, for example, forgery, collusion, omission or intentional misrepresentation.



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE ROBERT GAVRON CHARITABLE TRUST

Relevant identified laws and regulations were communicated within the engagement team so they remained alert throughout the audit for indications of fraud or non-compliance.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at [www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities](http://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities). This description forms part of our auditor's report.

USE OF OUR REPORT

This report is made solely to the charity's trustees as a body, in accordance with Sections 144 and 145 of Charities Act 2011. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the charity's trustees those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the charity and the charity's trustees as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.



NIGEL A PRENTIS FCA (Senior Statutory Auditor)  
FOR AND ON BEHALF OF  
PRENTIS & CO LLP  
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS  
& STATUTORY AUDITORS  
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CB4 1XE

Prentis & Co LLP is eligible to act as an auditor in terms of section 1212 of the Companies Act 2006.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5TH APRIL 2025

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

	Note	2025 Unrestricted £	2024 Unrestricted £
INCOME			
Investment income	2	225,348	128,121
TOTAL INCOME		<u>225,348</u>	<u>128,121</u>
EXPENDITURE			
Cost of raising funds:			
Investment management costs		30,574	28,682
Expenditure on charitable activities	3	<u>667,493</u>	<u>506,370</u>
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		<u>698,067</u>	<u>535,052</u>
NET EXPENDITURE BEFORE (LOSSES)/GAINS ON INVESTMENTS		(472,719)	(406,931)
Net (losses)/gains on investments	7	<u>(460,980)</u>	<u>712,797</u>
NET MOVEMENT IN FUNDS		<u>(933,699)</u>	<u>305,866</u>
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
Total funds brought forward		9,933,098	9,627,232
Total funds carried forward		<u>8,999,399</u>	<u>9,933,098</u>

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5TH APRIL 2025

## BALANCE SHEET

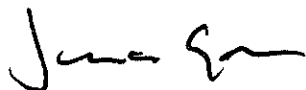
	Note	2025		2024	
		£	£	£	£
<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>					
Investments	7		8,674,635		9,886,796
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>					
Cash	8	374,869		89,805	
Debtors and prepayments	9	20,000		20,000	
<b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<u>394,869</u>		<u>109,805</u>	
<b>LIABILITIES</b>					
Creditors: falling due within one year	10	(50,105)		(63,503)	
<b>NET CURRENT ASSETS</b>			<u>344,764</u>		<u>46,302</u>
Total assets less current liabilities			9,019,399		9,933,098
Creditors: falling due after one year	10		(20,000)		-
<b>TOTAL NET ASSETS</b>			<u>8,999,399</u>		<u>9,933,098</u>
<b>THE FUNDS OF THE CHARITY</b>					
Unrestricted Funds	12		<u>8,999,399</u>		<u>9,933,098</u>

The accounts on pages 9 to 17 were approved by the Trustees on 23rd January 2026

Dr Katharine S Gavron



Jessica L Gavron



Sarah Gavron



## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5TH APRIL 2025

## STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

	Note	2025 Total £	2024 Total £
<b>Net cash used in operating activities</b>	13	(691,465)	(577,030)
<b>Cash flows from investing activities:</b>			
Interest and dividends		225,348	128,121
Net (purchase)/sale of investments		751,181	273,207
<b>Net cash provided by investing activities</b>		<u>976,529</u>	<u>401,328</u>
 Change in cash and cash equivalents in the year		285,064	(175,702)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the reporting period		<u>89,805</u>	<u>265,507</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the reporting period	8	<u>374,869</u>	<u>89,805</u>

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5TH APRIL 2025

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**1) ACCOUNTING POLICIES****(a) BASIS OF PREPARATION AND ASSESSMENT OF GOING CONCERN**

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant notes to these financial statements. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1st January 2019) and the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Charities Act 2011.

The presentation currency of the financial statements is the Pound Sterling (£).

The Trust constitutes a public benefit entity as defined by FRS 102.

The Trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the Trust's ability to continue as a going concern. The most significant areas of uncertainty that affect the carrying value of assets held by the Trust are the level of investment return and the performance of investment markets.

**(b) INCOME RECOGNITION**

All income is recognised once the charity has entitlement to the income, it is possible that the income will be received and the amount of income can be measured reliably.

Investment income is accounted for when receivable. Tax recoverable relating to investment income is accounted for in the same period as the related income.

**(c) EXPENDITURE RECOGNITION**

Liabilities are recognised as expenditure as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to that expenditure, it is probable that settlement will be required and the amount of obligation can be measured reliably.

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis. Charitable support expenses and governance costs include all expenditure not directly relating to the charitable activity.

Charitable grants payable are reflected in the accounts during the year in which the grant was made, and any amounts outstanding at the year end are included in current liabilities. When grants awarded expire or are unclaimed they are recredited.

**(d) VALUE ADDED TAX**

Value Added Tax is not recoverable by the Trust, and such is included in the relevant costs in the Statement of Financial Activities.

**(e) COST OF RAISING FUNDS**

The costs of generating funds consist of investment management costs and certain legal fees.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5TH APRIL 2025

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**(f) FIXED ASSETS INVESTMENTS**

Investments are a form of basic financial instrument and are initially recognised at their transaction value and subsequently measured at their fair value as at the balance sheet date using the closing quoted market price. The Statement of Financial Activities includes the net gains and losses arising on the revaluation and disposal throughout the year.

Derivative financial instruments are initially recorded at cost and thereafter at fair value with changes recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities.

The main form of financial risk faced by the charity is that of volatility in equity markets and investment markets due to wider economic conditions, the attitude of investors to investment risk, and changes in sentiment concerning equities and within particular sectors and sub sectors.

**(g) REALISED GAINS AND LOSSES**

All gains and losses are taken to the Statement of Financial Activities as they arise. Realised gains and losses on investments are calculated as the difference between sales proceeds and their opening carrying value or their purchase value if acquired subsequent to the first day of the financial year. Unrealised gains and losses are calculated as the difference between the fair value at the year end and their carrying value. Realised and unrealised investment gains and losses are combined in the Statement of Financial Activities.

**(h) FOREIGN CURRENCIES**

Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities are retranslated at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. All differences are taken to the Statement of Financial Activities.

**(i) PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS**

The Trust contributes to a defined contribution pension scheme on behalf of the employee. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the Trust in an independently administered fund. The pension cost charge represents contributions payable by the Trust to the fund.

2)	<b>INVESTMENT INCOME</b>	<b>Total</b>		
		<b>UK</b>	<b>Non-UK</b>	<b>2025</b>
	Year ended 5th April 2025	£	£	£
	Equities	33,686	126,699	160,385
	Fixed interest	27,940	31,576	59,516
	Interest from stockbroker	5,447	-	5,447
		<u>67,073</u>	<u>158,275</u>	<u>225,348</u>
	<b>INVESTMENT INCOME</b>	<b>Total</b>		
	Year ended 5th April 2024	<b>UK</b>	<b>Non-UK</b>	<b>2024</b>
		£	£	£
	Equities	24,810	53,732	78,542
	Fixed interest	26,935	19,352	46,287
	Interest from stockbroker	3,292	-	3,292
		<u>55,037</u>	<u>73,084</u>	<u>128,121</u>

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5TH APRIL 2025

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

3)	<b>CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES</b>			
	Year ended 5th April 2025	Charitable Activities	Support and Governance Costs	Total 2025
		£	£	£
	Donations (note 4)	617,052	-	617,052
	Staff costs (note 6)	-	40,185	40,185
	Stationery costs	-	223	223
	Bank charges	-	463	463
	Bookkeeping and payroll	-	5,060	5,060
	Audit and accountancy fees	-	4,510	4,510
		<u>617,052</u>	<u>50,441</u>	<u>667,493</u>
	<b>CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES</b>			
	Year ended 5th April 2024	Charitable Activities	Support and Governance Costs	Total 2024
		£	£	£
	Donations (note 4)	456,027	-	456,027
	Staff costs (note 6)	-	40,185	40,185
	Stationery costs	-	74	74
	Bank charges	-	583	583
	Bookkeeping and payroll	-	4,901	4,901
	Audit and accountancy fees	-	4,600	4,600
		<u>456,027</u>	<u>50,343</u>	<u>506,370</u>
4)	<b>CHARITABLE DONATIONS PAYABLE</b>		2025	2024
			£	£
	Total cash donations paid during the year (see page 18)		610,526	512,342
	Donations paid during the year that were included in the previous year's provisions		(56,748)	(110,063)
	Total net current year cash donations paid		<u>553,778</u>	<u>402,279</u>
	Additional donations committed to be paid within one year		43,274	53,748
	Additional donations committed to be paid after one year		20,000	-
	Total donations charged to the Unrestricted Income Account		<u>617,052</u>	<u>456,027</u>
5)	<b>NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE) FOR THE YEAR</b>		2025	2024
	The net deficit for the year is arrived at after charging:		£	£
	Audit fee		2,500	2,400
	Fees paid to Auditors for other services		<u>7,070</u>	<u>7,101</u>

Management threat in relation to non-audit services: in common with many other businesses of similar size and nature, the Trustees employ the auditors to assist with the preparation of the financial statements.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5TH APRIL 2025

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## 6) STAFF COSTS AND REMUNERATION OF KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

	2025	2024
	£	£
Salaries and wages	55,000	55,000
Social security costs	1,335	1,335
Pension costs	3,850	3,850
Less: Cost contributions	(20,000)	(20,000)
	<u>40,185</u>	<u>40,185</u>

The above represents the total salary cost to the charity of the only employee of the Trust.

The Trust considers its key management personnel to be the Trustees and Anthony Dance (Trust Administrator). No remuneration was paid to the Trustees in the year nor were any expenses reimbursed to them.

## 7) INVESTMENTS

	2025	2024
	£	£
Market value at 6th April 2024	9,886,796	9,447,206
Additions	1,260,141	1,361,671
Disposals	(2,011,322)	(1,634,878)
Net unrealised gains/(losses)	(525,076)	733,401
Net realised gains/(losses)	64,096	(20,604)
Market value at 5th April 2025	<u>8,674,635</u>	<u>9,886,796</u>
Historical cost at 5th April 2025	<u>7,974,396</u>	<u>8,530,435</u>

Investments at fair value comprise:

Year ended 5th April 2025	UK	Non UK	Total 2025
	£	£	£
Equities	1,952,244	5,687,214	7,639,458
Fixed interest	381,390	653,787	1,035,177
	<u>2,333,634</u>	<u>6,341,001</u>	<u>8,674,635</u>

Investments at fair value comprise:

Year ended 5th April 2024	UK	Non UK	Total 2024
	£	£	£
Equities	2,140,725	6,461,644	8,602,369
Fixed interest	648,003	636,424	1,284,427
	<u>2,788,728</u>	<u>7,098,068</u>	<u>9,886,796</u>

All investments are carried at their fair value. Investment in equities and fixed interest securities are all traded in quoted public markets, primarily the London Stock Exchange. Holdings in common investment funds, unit trusts and open-ended investment companies are at the bid price. The basis of fair value for quoted investments is equivalent to the market value, using the bid price. Asset sales and purchases are recognised at the date of trade at cost (that is their transaction value).

Investments are shown at values determined by the Trust's fund managers, Schroder & Co Ltd and Ruffer LLP. All investments are held within unrestricted funds. Investments held within the portfolio that are over 5% of the total value are Charity Assets Trust Acc (6.9%), Brown Advisory US Sustainable (8.86%), Schroder Global Sustainable (29.44%), Rothschild - Exbury Fund (10.6%), UBS ETF MSCI USA Socially (5.66%). No other investments comprise 5% or more of the portfolio.



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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

8)	<b>CASH</b>	2025	2024
		£	£
	Bank accounts	99,392	52,342
	Fund managers' accounts	275,477	37,463
		<u>374,869</u>	<u>89,805</u>

9)	<b>DEBTORS AND PREPAYMENTS</b>	2025	2024
	(All due within one year)	£	£
	Prepayments and accrued income	<u>20,000</u>	<u>20,000</u>

10)	<b>CREDITORS</b>	2025		2024	
		Due within one year	Due after one year	Due within one year	Due after one year
		£	£	£	£
	Charitable donations	43,274	20,000	56,748	-
	Accruals	5,348	-	5,204	-
	Social security and pension	1,483	-	1,551	-
		<u>50,105</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>63,503</u>	<u>-</u>

11) **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

Dr Katharine Susan Gavron is a Trustee of the Trust. During the year £20,000 (2024: £20,000) was received from Dr K Gavron for contributions towards Anthony Dance's salary for work carried out on her behalf. This is shown as a deduction from salary costs, see note 6.

12)	<b>ANALYSIS OF CHARITABLE FUNDS</b>	2025	2024
		Unrestricted General	Unrestricted General
		£	£
	Balance b/fwd 6 April 2024	9,933,098	9,627,232
	Income	225,348	128,121
	Expenditure	(698,067)	(535,052)
	(Losses)/Gains on investments	(460,980)	712,797
	Balance c/fwd 5 April 2025	<u>8,999,399</u>	<u>9,933,098</u>

During a year in which income exceeds expenditure, the excess income is retained to be available for distribution in subsequent years.

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13) RECONCILIATION OF INCOMING RESOURCES TO NET CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

	2025	2024
	£	£
Net movement in funds	(933,699)	305,866
Adjustments for:		
Dividends and interest from investments	(225,348)	(128,121)
Losses/(gains) on investments	460,980	(712,797)
Decrease/(increase) in debtors	-	13,950
Increase/(Decrease) in creditors	6,602	(55,928)
	<u>(691,465)</u>	<u>(577,030)</u>

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## SCHEDULE OF CASH CHARITABLE DONATIONS OF £3,000 AND ABOVE

	£
Acland Burghley Hall for All	30,000
Acosta Dance Foundation	5,000
Apollo Music Projects	3,000
Arab Israel Children's Tennis Charity (Freddie Krivine Foundation)	43,495
Arnott Cato Foundation	7,698
BalletBoyz	25,000
Barbados Cricket Association	23,393
Beating Time	4,000
Camden Arts Centre	3,000
Face Front Theatre	3,000
Families United Network	3,000
Flynn's Barn	10,000
Foodbank Aid	20,000
GASP Motor Project	4,690
Get Out	3,000
Heathrow Special Needs	5,000
Highgate International Chamber Music Festival	12,000
Jewish University Chaplaincy	5,000
John Abbey - Medical Aid to the Ukraine	5,000
Key 4 Life	5,000
Morpeth School	60,000
Not Beyond Redemption	5,000
Number Champions	3,000
Orchid Cancer Appeal	5,000
Ozero Arts	5,000
Physics Partners	3,000
Prisoners Education Trust	5,000
Project Harar	3,000
R T Projects	5,000
RADA	3,000
REACT	5,000
Royal Free Charity	220,000
Royal Opera House	30,000
Stand Out	5,000
The Frank Longford Trust	3,000
Trail Blazers	5,000
Tutti Frutti	3,000
Wear Valley Women's Aid	5,000
YES Outdoors	5,000
YMSO	3,000
Total of all donations less than £3,000	9,250
Total donations made during the year (note 4)	610,526

Included in this list of donations are organisations in which a Trustee of the Trust has an interest. The details of the Trustee and organisations concerned are set out below.

Dr Katharine S Gavron:

BalletBoyz	Trustee
Highgate International Chamber Music Festival	Trustee