

STANLEY PICKER TRUST

England & Wales · Charity number 271185

Details

Other names STANLEY PICKER CHARITABLE TRUST

Status Registered

Legal form Trust

Registered 1976-04-30

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

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Activities

Objects: TO ADVANCE PUBLIC EDUCATION IN GENERAL INCLUDING THE PROVISION OF AN ANNUAL AWARD OR PRIZE OF ONE THOUSAND POUNDS (OR SUCH GREATER SUM AS THE TRUSTEES MAY FROM TIME TO TIME DETERMINE) TO BE GIVEN TO A GRADUATE IN ANY BRANCH OF THE FINE ARTS IN ORDER TO ENABLE THE RECIPIENT TO PURSUE HIS STUDIES IN THE FINE ARTS AT THE KINGSTON POLYTECHNIC OR SUCH OTHER COLLEGE OR EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION SITUATE WITHIN THE GEOGRAPHICAL AREA OF THE COUNTY OF SURREY OR THE ROYAL BOROUGH OF KINGSTON UPON THAMES AS THE TRUSTEES SHALL FROM TIME TO TIME DETERMINE, (FOR FURTHER DETAILS SEE CLAUSE 4 OF TRUST DEED AND CLAUSE 1 OF DEED OF APPOINTMENT AND VARIATION).

Activities: Provision of annual awards of fellowships in fine art and design at Kingston University; provision of other prizes for study of painting and sculpture; provision of donations to other educational charities in the fields of fine art and performing arts; and provision of educational scholarships in those fields. Maintaining the Picker House and art collection and providing public access to them.

Classification

- **How:** Makes Grants To Individuals, Makes Grants To Organisations, Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space
- **What:** General Charitable Purposes, Education/training, Arts/culture/heritage/science
- **Who:** Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** COUNTY OF SURREY AND LONDON BOROUGH OF KINGSTON-UPON-THAMES
- Kingston Upon Thames
- Surrey

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-04-05	£161,903	£408,556	-	-
2024-04-05	£139,050	£401,940	-	-
2023-04-05	£131,413	£428,347	-	-
2022-04-05	£176,005	£510,090	-	-
2021-04-05	£176,921	£349,904	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
ALAN PICKER SAFIR		
JOAN ARDEN SAFIR		
MR RHODDY VOREMBERG		1998-05-19
Stephen David Pelton		2024-02-12

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Accounts

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS

5 APRIL 2025

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CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

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THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2025

Trustees and Officers

Trustees: Rhoderick Peter Grosvenor Voremberg
Alan Picker Safir
Joan Arden Safir
Stephen Pelton

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Registered number

271185

Professional Advisers

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Bridge Street, Salisbury SP1 2LZ

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
TRUSTEES' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2025

The Trustees present their annual report and the audited accounts of The Stanley Picker Trust for the year ended 5 April 2025. These have been prepared to comply with the Charities Act 2011, the charity's trust deed and the Statement of Recommended Practice "Accounting and Reporting by Charities (FRS102)".

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

The Stanley Picker Trust ("the charity") was established by the late Mr Stanley Picker under a Trust Deed dated 8 March 1976. The charity is unincorporated and all of the Trustees are individuals. The Trustees have the statutory power (under the Trustee Act 1925) to appoint new trustees and they have formulated a policy to ensure that any new Trustee is fully aware of the charity's aims and objectives. New Trustees are appointed by deed and existing Trustees are retired by deed.

The charity has a Grants Committee which reviews new applications received and the charity's ongoing programme of educational grants in the context of funds available for grant giving. The annual Grants Committee meeting is typically held in April and during that meeting grants are awarded for the forthcoming academic year with payment usually, but not always, commencing in September of the year in which the grant was awarded.

The charity is not part of a wider network of charitable organisations and there are no subsidiaries nor any other charities and organisations with which it co-operates in the pursuit of its charitable objectives.

Risk Management

The Trustees have considered the major risks to which the charity is exposed, and have formulated policies to mitigate those risks. They are perceived to be:

Fire - The alarm system at 1 Warren Park is regularly inspected and upgraded as necessary, and the buildings and collection are comprehensively insured against all risks.

Theft - The alarm and CCTV systems at 1 Warren Park have again been upgraded and the Trustees insure the collection at market value (as advised by Christie's) against theft and other risks.

Public Liability - The Trustees' insurance policy covers them for public liability.

Record Keeping - The Trust's records are kept at Warren Park and Farrer & Co. Most are kept in paper copy and many are duplicated electronically.

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

The charity exists for the purpose of advancing public education generally and including the following at the discretion of the Trustees:

(a) the provision of an annual award or prize to a post-graduate student to pursue his or her studies in any branch of the fine arts at Kingston University or other college in Surrey;

(b) the provision of other prizes and awards for the study of painting and sculpture (and in particular for travel in the pursuit of such studies);

(c) the acquisition of works of art which the Trustees consider to be worthy of exhibition or study;

(d) permitting students to view, examine and study the works of art;

(e) the acquisition of land and buildings of any tenure for the purposes of providing one or more places of exhibition for the works of art;

(f) the improvement, equipment repair and reconstruction or adaptation as a place of exhibition of works of art of

any land or buildings acquired and the maintenance and repair thereof;

(g) the provision of endowments or donations to other educational charities; and

(h) the provision of educational scholarships

Mr Picker died in May 1982 and bequeathed to the Trust his art collection and freehold property 1 Warren Park, Kingston Hill in which the works of art are generally kept. The Trustees maintain the property and the collection as a museum and provide guided tours of both by appointment.

1 Warren Park, where the house and gallery are situated may be visited by members of the public on approximately 30 open days, between April and October. The guided tours, which must be booked with the Curator in advance, last for approximately two hours and begin with a short history about Stanley Picker and the charity. Trained guides tour parties of up to 15 people at a time around the house and gallery. There is an entrance fee to defray the cost of providing guides. The Charity has also published (in conjunction with Kingston University) a fully illustrated book about the house and collection which is available for purchase.

The house and collection are now widely acknowledged as an important and rare complete example of late 1960s modernist home specifically designed to accommodate the owner's collection of modern and contemporary painting and sculpture.

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

The charity was able to award grants totalling £130,749 compared with £139,003 the previous year. The Trustees' objectives in relation to its use of resources and grant-making activity for the year were:-

(a) to maintain and conserve to a high standard the house, garden and art collection at 1 Warren Park, to continue providing a programme of pre-booked guided tours for members of the public and to find further ways of enabling them to be available as a resource for learning and scholarly research without subjecting the property to damaging levels of wear and tear.

(b) to continue to support and enhance the facilities and activities of the Stanley Picker Gallery at Kingston University, which was originally built with funds provided by the Trust and has achieved the accolade of being an Arts Council England National Portfolio member.

(c) to continue to support the annual Stanley Picker Fellowships at Kingston University in Fine Art and Design which have now achieved international recognition and renown and attract a high standard of applicant.

(d) to make the house and art collection available for pre-arranged tours of undergraduate and postgraduate students at Kingston University, free of charge.

(e) to continue to provide other grants and bursaries for the purposes of education in Fine and Performing Arts, accepting that this element of the charity's work may have to be reduced when substantial expenditure is required in connection with (a) above.

The trustees feel that they achieved these objectives.

Realised gains on the charity's investments were £29,956 and unrealised losses totalled £1,863 whilst income received on listed investments totalled £152,817. The total return of £180,910 represents a increase of 2.4% of the value of the portfolio at the start of the year.

The charity undertook a full programme of public opening of the Picker House in 2024/25 as well as providing access for students from Kingston University. The cost of maintaining the house and art collection and of providing public tours and access for students is far from fully covered by admission charges, but the Trustees consider that the public opening is an important part of the charity's work because of the unique resource provided by the house, garden and art collection as a largely unaltered and complete example of a 1960's modernist home designed to accommodate the owners collection of paintings and sculpture as well as lifestyle.

The Trustees' first priority for educational grants is to continue its support of the Stanley Picker Gallery, which is

recognised as a successful model of organisational collaboration between Higher Education (Kingston University), Public Sector (Arts Council England) and private philanthropy. Part of this collaboration is continuing to foster and support the renown Stanley Picker Fellowships at Kingston School of Art. In addition, the charity is intending to support a Stanley Picker Fellowship Research Project to examine the impact of the Fellowship on individual recipients and on the wider cultural sector since its inception in 1977.

The Trustees' policy in relation to educational grants and scholarships is to support and encourage students in performing arts as well as fine art. In most cases the trustees select the institutions to which such grants are to be made and those institutions award scholarships and bursaries to individual students according to need and merit. The Trustees have also set aside up to £100,000 to invest in "Instrument Trusts" which enable young virtuoso players of stringed instruments to obtain a top quality instrument to play and, all being well, to purchase over a period of up to 20 years, and the charity to participate in the potential increase in value of such instruments. The investments made by the charity so far have proved successful on both counts.

The charity does not engage in fundraising. The major factor outside of the Trustees' control that has an impact on the charity's objectives is the performance of the investments.

The charity has its own website which provides information about the Picker House and collection, the founder, how to book a tour and how to apply for grants and scholarships.

FUTURE PLANS

The Trustees' plans for the future include continuing development of projects with the Stanley Picker Gallery, Kingston University and developing digital means of public access to the house, garden and art collection at Warren Park.

PUBLIC BENEFIT

The trustees confirm that they have complied with the duty in section 17(5) of the Charities Act 2011 to have regard to the public benefit guidance published by the Charity Commission.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

For the purposes of comparison with previous and future years and in order to provide a true picture of the financial position of the charity at the accounting date, charitable grants due to be paid out after the year end for the 2024/2025 academic year have been included in the statements for this period.

When considering the level of grants to be awarded for 2024/2025, the Trustees took into account the realised gains and income received in previous accounting periods. During the year, the Trustees made charitable grants totalling £130,749 and spent a further £178,548 on the maintenance, conservation and public opening of the charity's property at Kingston in Surrey.

The Trustees are confident that the charity will be able to continue with its programme of making grants and looking after this property whilst ensuring that its investments are providing sufficient total return in order to meet the charity's objectives. The Trustees will continue to closely monitor the investment portfolio performance to ensure that the level of capital withdrawal from the Trusts investment portfolio is sustainable.

Review of financial position

After adjusting for the realised and unrealised gains on the charity's investments, the net assets at the end of the year were £12,435,092 (2024: £12,653,652).

The property at 1 Warren Park, Kingston is used for the Trust's charitable purposes. The land and buildings were revalued at market value in September 2021 at £5,000,000.

Investment Policy

The Trustees have delegated their investment management function over most of their investments to their investment advisors - JP Morgan Private Bank. The investment managers have a remit to invest for total return.

During the period, the Trustees agreed to benchmark the performance of their investment managers against a composite benchmark comprising 70% MSCI World in local, 16% HFRI FoF Diversified hdg GBP, 10% Barclays Global Aggregate hdg GBP and 4% D J USB commodity TR, which will enable them in future to assess performance and identify issues that may require further attention.

The investment managers also hold approximately 17.5% of the Trust's investment funds on a non-discretionary account. These funds are invested in a portfolio of managed funds selected by the Trustees to complement the discretionary portfolio by providing non-correlated performance.

The Trustees were satisfied with the performance of the investment portfolios during the year.

The Trustees do not impose any ethical, social or environmental constraints upon the investment advisers. The charity's investment powers were modified by the Trustee Act 2000. As a consequence, the Trustees may invest the charity's assets as if they were absolutely entitled to them.

Reserves Policy

The Trustees have reviewed their reserves policy and consider that the present level of liquidity, with £12.4m of net assets, is satisfactory and prudent. In arriving at this decision, the Trustees allowed for likely charitable expenditure for the coming year together with anticipated incoming resources and proceeds from the realisation of investment assets. As a result the Trustees believe there are no material uncertainties about the Trust as a going concern.

The Trustees decide upon the total amount that may be distributed in a given year, taking into account the average of realised gains and incoming resources over a five year period. The Trustees have commissioned a Condition Report on the Picker House at 1 Warren Park from Loader Monteith in order to plan a long term programme of maintenance and conservation. The Trustees feel that they can budget for expenditure on the Warren Park property with a reasonable degree of accuracy.

Principal Source of Funding

The trust has a portfolio of investments which generate the income from which the costs of maintenance of the property and grants to students are met. The investments are managed by JP Morgan Private Bank. The Trustees also have a credit facility with J P Morgan Private Bank which enables them to draw funds to meet the Trust's expenses at times when selling investments is considered disadvantageous. This has proved particularly beneficial when investment markets have been volatile.

STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

Accounting and Reporting Responsibilities

The Trustees are responsible for preparing the Annual Report and the accounts in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice.

Charity law requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements, for each financial year, in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (UK GAAP) which give a true and fair view of the financial activities of the charity during the year and of its financial position at the end of the year. In preparing those statements, the Trustees are required to:

- 1) Select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- 2) Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- 3) State whether applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice have been followed, subject to any departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- 4) Prepare the accounts on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to assume 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 which enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the provisions of the Charities Act 2011. 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.

Rhoderick Peter Grosvenor Voremberg

Trustee

Date: 2 February 2026

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2025

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of The Stanley Picker Trust for the year ended 5 April 2025 which comprise the Statement of Financial Activities, Balance Sheet, and the notes to the financial statements, including a summary of the significant accounting policies, set out on pages 12 to 18. 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 5 April 2025 and of its income and expenditure, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011

Basis for 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 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 Charities' 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 sections of this report.

Other information

The Trustees are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Trustees' Report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. 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.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2025

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the Charity and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the Trustees' Report.

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

- the information in the Report of the Trustees is inconsistent in any material respect with the financial statements; or
- sufficient accounting records have not been kept; 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 the Trustees

As explained more fully in the Trustees' Responsibilities Statement, set out on page 4, 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 they 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.

Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

We exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit.

Our audit procedures were designed to provide reasonable assurance that they would detect irregularities, including non-compliance with relevant laws and regulations, and fraud. They included:

- obtaining an understanding of the Charities' activities and the laws and regulations which are central to their activities, both through our knowledge of the sector and discussions with management;
- reviewing the Charities' activities and any relevant correspondence for evidence of non-compliance;
- assessing the susceptibility of the financial statements to material misstatement in the light of the Charities' control environment, which we assessed to be low;
- ensuring that the engagement team had the appropriate competence, capabilities and skills to recognise non-compliance with applicable laws and regulations, through appropriate training and briefings; and that they remained alert to the possibility of non-compliance throughout the engagement.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2025

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. 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 section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and the regulations made under section 154 of that Act. 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's trustees as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Fletcher & Partners
Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors
Crown Chambers
Bridge Street
Salisbury, SP1 2LZ

3 February 2026

Fletcher & Partners are eligible to act as auditor in terms of section 1212 of the Companies Act 2006

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2025

		Unrestricted Funds	
	<u>Note</u>	<u>Total 2025</u>	<u>Total 2024</u>
INCOME FROM:			
Investments			
Dividends and interest on listed investments		152,817	134,822
Interest on cash deposits		1,365	-
Charitable activities			
Visitor income		6,241	3,598
Visitor merchandise income		1,415	500
Other income			
Sundry		65	130
Total income		161,903	139,050
EXPENDITURE ON:			
Raising funds			
Investment management fees		65,529	60,533
Charitable activities			
Advancement of public education	2	343,027	341,407
Total expenditure		408,556	401,940
Realised gain/(losses) on investments and currency movements		29,956	67,212
Unrealised gains/(losses) on revaluation of investments		(1,863)	538,708
Net income/(expenditure)		(218,560)	343,030
Net movement in funds	13	(218,560)	343,030
TOTAL FUNDS AT 6 APRIL 2024	13	12,653,652	12,310,622
TOTAL FUNDS AT 5 APRIL 2025	13	£12,435,092	£12,653,652

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**BALANCE SHEET****AS AT 5 APRIL 2025**

	<u>Note</u>	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
FIXED ASSETS			
Heritage Assets	5	4,979,206	5,029,206
Fixed Assets	6	1,833	3,665
Other investments	7	7,237,201	7,588,501
		<u>12,218,240</u>	<u>12,621,372</u>
CURRENT ASSETS			
Stock	9	5,540	7,760
Debtors	10	3,250	-
Cash at bank and in hand		239,449	104,315
Investments	8	46,065	46,065
		<u>294,304</u>	<u>158,140</u>
Creditors falling due within one year	11	77,452	125,860
		<u>77,452</u>	<u>125,860</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS		216,852	32,280
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		<u>12,435,092</u>	<u>12,653,652</u>
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after one year	12	-	-
TOTAL NET ASSETS	13	<u>£12,435,092</u>	<u>£12,653,652</u>
TOTAL CHARITY FUNDS	13	<u>£12,435,092</u>	<u>£12,653,652</u>

Signed on behalf of the Trustees:

**Rhoderick Peter Grosvenor Voremberg
Trustee**

Approved by the Trustees on

2 February 2026

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2025

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, modified to include the revaluation of investments and certain other assets to market value, and in accordance with the second edition of the Charities Statement of Recommended Practice (FRS102) issued in October 2019 and the Charities Act 2011. The Charity Constitutes a Public Benefit Entity as defined by FRS 102.

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the charities ability to continue as a going concern. The area of judgement and key assumptions that have the most significant effect on the accounts are in relation to the value of heritage assets and investments.

The accounts are presented in Sterling.

Fund Structure

The Trusts funds are unrestricted and are available to be spent for any of the purposes of the Trust.

Heritage Assets

a. Property used for charitable purposes

This is considered to be a heritage assets partly because it was built by the settlor to hold the art collection and partly because it is an exceptional example of the architecture of its period. It is included in the Balance Sheet at a valuation. Depreciation is charged at 2% on buildings. A nil rate is used for freehold land because in the opinion of the Trustees, its life is considered to be indefinite.

b. Works of art

These assets are included at cost. No depreciation is charged because, in the opinion of the Trustees, their life is considered to be indefinite.

Other fixed assets

Fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life.

Office equipment	20%
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Investments

Investments are included at market value as at the balance sheet date, with any surplus or deficit on revaluation being dealt with through the Statement of Financial Activities.

Stock

This consists of books for resale, and is stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Charitable activities - constructive obligations

Where specific commitments have been made prior to the period end for the charitable expenditure, any amounts which remain unpaid are included in the Statement of Financial Activities for the period.

Income

Voluntary income, donations and investment income are accounted for on a receivable basis by the Trust. Deposits for visitor income received in advance are treated as deferred income in the accounts.

Expenditure

Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis. The trust is not registered for VAT and all costs include input VAT where this has been charged.

Grants payable are payments made to third parties in the furtherance of the charitable objectives of the trust. The grants area accounted for where either the trustees have agreed to pay the grant without condition and the recipient has a reasonable expectation that they will receive a grant, or any condition attaching to the grant is outside the control of the trust.

Support costs are all attributable to the one charitable activity, which is the advancement of public education.

Governance costs are the costs of managing the trust that do not relate to the provision of charitable activities.

Financial Instruments

The charity only has financial assets and liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments. They are initially recognised at transaction value and subsequently measured at their settlement value.

Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Exchange gains and losses are recognised through the Statement of financial activities.

Debtors

Debtors are measured at the amounts the charity anticipates it will receive from a debt or the amount it has paid in advance for goods or services.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2025****1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES continued****Cash at bank and in hand**

Cash at bank and in hand includes cash and cash on deposit.

Current asset Investments

Current asset investments consist of investment trusts that are considered to be programme related investments and are measured at cost less any impairments and repayments.

Pension costs

Contributions in respect of the charity's defined contributions scheme are charged as expenditure in the period to which they relate.

Liabilities

Liabilities are measured at the amounts the charity anticipates it will pay to settle a debt or the amount it has received as an advance payment for goods or services it must provide.

2. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES: ADVANCEMENT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Educational Grants		
Bursaries		
Royal Academy of Dramatic Art	-	5,000
Royal Northern College of Music	5,000	5,000
Royal Academy of Arts	-	5,000
London Academy of Music & Dramatic Art	-	4,000
Royal Academy of Music	-	5,000
Royal College of Music	5,000	-
Royal Conservatoire of Scotland	5,000	5,000
ArtsEd	-	5,000
City & Guilds London Art	5,000	5,000
English National Ballet	5,000	-
Northern Ballet	5,000	5,000
Queen Elizabeth Scholarship Trust	5,000	-
The Young Classical Artist Trust	5,000	-
Welsh National Opera	5,000	5,000
	<u>45,000</u>	<u>49,000</u>
Special Awards		
Friends of Israel Museum	5,909	5,973
TATE Britain	-	5,000
Whitechapel Art Gallery	5,000	5,000
Matt's Gallery	9,840	9,030
Queen Elizabeth Scholarship Trust	-	-
	<u>20,749</u>	<u>25,003</u>
Kingston University		
Stanley Picker Fellowships and Gallery	43,000	43,000
Fine Art School	22,000	22,000
	<u>65,000</u>	<u>65,000</u>
	<u>130,749</u>	<u>139,003</u>

All grants have been awarded on an annual basis and charged to the SOFA accordingly.
All grants have been made to institutions.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2025****2. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES: ADVANCEMENT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION**

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Art Gallery and Museum - Warren Park		
Art restoration	8,516	-
Council tax and business rates	3,258	3,143
Staff wages and housekeeping	41,219	39,635
Light and heating	9,266	6,746
Repairs, servicing and maintenance	1,663	2,301
Water rates	1,786	2,567
Insurance	17,290	16,566
Fire and security	9,324	10,611
Telephones	3,777	2,633
IT, postage and stationery	2,337	3,728
Guides' fees	2,040	600
Garden expenses	14,941	31,826
Cleaning	3,411	884
Books and publications	2,220	500
Bank charges and sundries	5,578	5,771
Depreciation	51,832	51,832
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	178,458	179,343
Support costs (Note 4)	£15,648	-
Governance Costs (Note 4)	18,172	23,061
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	£343,027	£341,407
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3. STAFF COSTS

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Warren Park - staffing costs	40,200	38,025
Pension costs	1,019	1,610
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	£41,219	£39,635
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Average number of employees during the year		
Administration and household	<hr/>	<hr/>
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During the year there were no employees (2024: 0) that received benefits of more than £60,000.

4.a1 ANALYSIS OF SUPPORT AND GOVERNANCE COSTS - 2025

	Basis of Apportionment	<u>General support</u> <u>2025</u>	<u>Governance</u> <u>2025</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>2025</u>
Legal fees	Invoiced	-	1,248	1,248
Condition Surveys	Invoiced	7,200	-	7,200
Painting Surveys	Invoiced	8,448	-	8,448
Reimbursement of Trustees' expenses	Governance	-	3,506	3,506
Auditors fees - audit services	Governance	-	12,165	12,165
Auditors fees - other services	Governance	-	1,253	1,253
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		£15,648	£18,172	£33,820
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4.a2 ANALYSIS OF SUPPORT AND GOVERNANCE COSTS - 2024

	<i>Basis of Apportionment</i>	<u>General support</u> <u>2024</u>	<u>Governance</u> <u>2024</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>2024</u>
Legal fees - Farrer	<i>Invoiced</i>		1,140	1,140
Reimbursement of Trustees' travel expenses	<i>Governance</i>		9,134	9,134
Auditors fees - audit services	<i>Governance</i>	-	11,572	11,572
Auditors fees - other services	<i>Governance</i>	-	1,215	1,215
		<u>£-</u>	<u>£23,061</u>	<u>£23,061</u>

4.b GOVERNANCE COSTS

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Legal fees	1,248	1,140
Reimbursement of Trustees' travel expenses	3,506	9,134
Auditors fees - audit services	12,165	11,572
Auditors fees - other services	1,253	1,215
	<u>£18,172</u>	<u>£23,061</u>

5.a HERITAGE ASSETS

	<u>Freehold Property</u>	<u>Works of Art</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cost/Valuation			
As at 5 April 2024	5,000,000	179,206	5,179,206
Revaluation	-	-	-
As at 5 April 2025	<u>5,000,000</u>	<u>179,206</u>	<u>5,179,206</u>
Depreciation			
As at 5 April 2024	150,000	-	150,000
Revaluation	-	-	-
Charge for year	50,000	-	50,000
As at 5 April 2025	<u>200,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>200,000</u>
Net Book Value			
As at 5 April 2025	<u>£4,800,000</u>	<u>£179,206</u>	<u>£4,979,206</u>
As at 5 April 2024	<u>£4,850,000</u>	<u>£179,206</u>	<u>£5,029,206</u>

The heritage assets, consisting of the property and works of art, were bequeathed to the Trust in May 1982. The Trustees' current policy is not to make further acquisition of heritage assets or dispose of any of the existing assets. The policy is therefore centred on the preservation of the existing assets. Two members of staff are employed at Warren Park. The trustees' have appointed an architect to ensure that the property is regularly reviewed and maintained. The works of art are also subject to regular reviews and the Trustees have engaged the services of a professional conservator who has reported on the condition of all the paintings in the collection and will be undertaking a prioritized programme of conservation.

The Freehold property was formally valued in September 2021 by Robert Holmes & Company Limited, Chartered Surveyors on an open market valuation basis.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2025****5.b SUMMARY ANALYSIS OF HERITAGE ASSET TRANSACTIONS**

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
<u>Freehold land & buildings</u>					
Cost/Valuation	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	4,000,000
Revaluation	-	-	-	-	1,000,000
Total cost	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£5,000,000</u>
Charge for depreciation	<u>£50,000</u>	<u>£50,000</u>	<u>£50,000</u>	<u>£50,000</u>	<u>£-</u>

Works of Art

There have been no additions, disposals or impairments to the Works of Art in the last five years. The assets are fully catalogued and insured based on Christies' valuations.

6. FIXED ASSETS

	<u>Office Equipment & Fixture & Fittings</u>
Cost	
As at 6 April 2024	21,072
Additions	-
As at 5 April 2025	<u>21,072</u>
Depreciation	
As at 6 April 2024	17,407
Charge for the year	1,832
As at 5 April 2025	<u>19,239</u>
Net Book Value	
As at 5 April 2025	<u>£1,833</u>
As at 5 April 2024	<u>£3,665</u>

7. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
	<u>Investment Portfolio</u>	<u>Investment Portfolio</u>
Market value as at 5 April 2024	£7,588,501	7,395,557
Additions at cost	1,654,380	2,595,560
Disposals at opening market value	(1,964,495)	(2,838,304)
Unrealised gains / (losses) on revaluation	(1,863)	538,708
Increase / (decrease) in investment cash	(39,322)	(103,020)
Market value as at 5 April 2025	<u>£7,237,201</u>	<u>£7,588,501</u>
Represented by		
Cash Deposits	£16,511	£55,832
Investments held in the UK	£3,392,097	£3,615,952
Investments held outside the UK	£3,828,593	£3,916,717
	<u>£7,237,201</u>	<u>£7,588,501</u>
Historical cost as at 5 April 2025	<u>£5,898,435</u>	<u>£6,140,116</u>

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8. CURRENT ASSET INVESTMENTS

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
The Julia Loucks Violin Trust	9,069	9,069
The Jamie Walton Cello Trust	10,000	10,000
The Alicja Smietana Violin Trust	10,000	10,000
The Emily Smith Cello Trust	10,000	10,000
The Sophie Rosa Violin Trust	6,996	6,996
	<u>£46,065</u>	<u>£46,065</u>

The Trustees consider that the investments in the instrument trusts are programme related investments. They represent contributions via a trust to purchase an instrument for the exclusive use of a young player.

There have been no additions, disposals, impairments, or repayments of the investments during the period.

9. STOCK

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Books for resale	5,540	7,760
	<u>£5,540</u>	<u>£7,760</u>

10. DEBTORS

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Prepayments and accrued income	3,250	-
	<u>£3,250</u>	<u>£ -</u>

11. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Bank loans and overdrafts	46,969	96,768
Accruals and deferred income	12,160	12,897
Other creditors	18,323	16,195
	<u>£77,452</u>	<u>£125,860</u>

Deferred income relates to income received for guided tours in the following year. None was brought forward or carried forward at the year end.

12. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after one year

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Grants payable	-	-
	<u>£ -</u>	<u>£ -</u>

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2025****13.1 FUND MOVEMENTS - 2025**

	<u>Balance at</u> <u>06/04/2024</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>	<u>Gains and</u> <u>Losses</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>05/04/2025</u>
Unrestricted Fund	12,653,652	161,903	(408,556)	28,093	12,435,092

13.2 FUND MOVEMENTS - 2024

	<u>Balance at</u> <u>06/04/2023</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>	<u>Gains and</u> <u>Losses</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>05/04/2024</u>
Unrestricted Fund	12,310,622	139,050	(401,940)	605,920	12,653,652

14. TRANSACTIONS WITH TRUSTEES

Expenses totalling £3,329 (2024: £9,134) were reimbursed to 2 trustees (2024: 3) for travel expenses, printing and stationery, telephone and entertaining and subsistence during the year.

15. LEGAL FORM

The Stanley Picker Trust is a charity first registered in England and Wales in 1976 based within the Royal Borough of Kingston-upon-Thames. Its registered office is 1 Warren Park, Kingston upon Thames, KT2 7HX

STANLEY PICKER TRUST

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THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST

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CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

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THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024

Trustees and Officers

Trustees: Rhoderick Peter Grosvenor Voremberg
Alan Picker Safir
Joan Arden Safir
Stephen Pelton (Appointed 12 February 2024)

Address PO Box 1532, Kingston-upon-Thames, Surrey KT1 9XR

Registered number 271185

Professional Advisers

Bankers: Metro Bank, One Southampton Row, London WC1B 5HA

J.P. Morgan SE - Luxembourg Branch, 6 route de Treves,
L-2633 Senningerberg, Luxembourg

Solicitors: Farrer & Co, 66 Lincoln's Inn Fields, London WC2a 3LH

Accountants: Fletcher & Partners, Chartered Accountants, Crown Chambers,
Bridge Street, Salisbury SP1 2LZ

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
TRUSTEES' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024

The Trustees present their annual report and the audited accounts of The Stanley Picker Trust for the year ended 5 April 2024. These have been prepared to comply with the Charities Act 2011, the charity's trust deed and the Statement of Recommended Practice "Accounting and Reporting by Charities (FRS102)".

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

The Stanley Picker Trust ("the charity") was established by the late Mr Stanley Picker under a Trust Deed dated 8 March 1976. The charity is unincorporated and all of the Trustees are individuals. The Trustees have the statutory power (under the Trustee Act 1925) to appoint new Trustees and they have formulated a policy to ensure that any new Trustee is fully aware of the charity's aims and objectives. New Trustees are appointed by deed and existing Trustees are retired by deed. The Trustees are pleased to report that on 12 February 2024 Stephen Pelton, a great nephew of Mr Picker, was appointed as an additional Trustee.

The charity has a Grants Committee which reviews new applications received and the charity's ongoing programme of educational grants in the context of funds available for grant giving. The annual Grants Committee meeting is typically held in April and during that meeting grants are awarded for the forthcoming academic year with payment usually, but not always, commencing in September of the year in which the grant was awarded.

The charity is not part of a wider network of charitable organisations and there are no subsidiaries nor any other charities and organisations with which it co-operates in the pursuit of its charitable objectives.

Risk Management

The Trustees have considered the major risks to which the charity is exposed, and have formulated policies to mitigate those risks. They are perceived to be:

Fire - The alarm system at 1 Warren Park is regularly inspected and upgraded as necessary, and the buildings and collection are comprehensively insured against all risks.

Theft - The alarm and CCTV systems at 1 Warren Park have been upgraded and the Trustees insure the collection at market value (as advised by Christie's) against theft and other risks.

Public Liability - The Trustees' insurance policy covers them for public liability.

Record Keeping - The charity's records are kept at Warren Park and Farrer & Co. Most are kept in paper copy and many are duplicated electronically.

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

The charity exists for the purpose of advancing public education generally and including the following at the discretion of the Trustees:

- (a) the provision of an annual award or prize to a post-graduate student to pursue his or her studies in any branch of the fine arts at Kingston University or other college in Surrey;
- (b) the provision of other prizes and awards for the study of painting and sculpture (and in particular for travel in the pursuit of such studies);
- (c) the acquisition of works of art which the Trustees consider to be worthy of exhibition or study;
- (d) permitting students to view, examine and study the works of art;
- (e) the acquisition of land and buildings of any tenure for the purposes of providing one or more places of exhibition for the works of art;
- (f) the improvement, equipment repair and reconstruction or adaptation as a place of exhibition of works of art of any land or buildings acquired and the maintenance and repair thereof;
- (g) the provision of endowments or donations to other educational charities; and
- (h) the provision of educational scholarships

Mr Picker died in May 1982 and bequeathed to the charity his art collection and freehold property 1 Warren Park, Kingston Hill in which the works of art are generally kept. The Trustees maintain the property and the collection as a museum and provide guided tours of both by appointment.

1 Warren Park, where the house and gallery are situated may be visited by members of the public on approximately 30 open days, between April and October. The guided tours, which must be booked with the Curator in advance, last for approximately two hours and begin with a short history about Stanley Picker and the charity. Trained guides tour parties of up to 15 people at a time around the house and gallery. There is an entrance fee to defray the cost of providing guides. The Charity has also published (in conjunction with Kingston University) a fully illustrated book about the house and collection which is available for purchase.

The house and collection are now widely acknowledged as an important and rare complete example of late 1960s modernist home specifically designed to accommodate the owner's collection of modern and contemporary painting and sculpture.

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ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

The charity was able to award grants totalling £139,003 compared with £119,790 the previous year. The Trustees' objectives in relation to its use of resources and grant-making activity for the year were:-

(a) to maintain and conserve to a high standard the house, garden and art collection at 1 Warren Park, to continue providing a programme of pre-booked guided tours for members of the public and to find further ways of enabling them to be available as a resource for learning and scholarly research without subjecting the property to damaging levels of wear and tear.

(b) to continue to support and enhance the facilities and activities of the Stanley Picker Gallery at Kingston University, which was originally built with funds provided by the charity and has achieved the accolade of being an Arts Council England National Portfolio member.

(c) to continue to support the annual Stanley Picker Fellowships at Kingston University in Fine Art and Design which have now achieved international recognition and renown and attract a high standard of applicant.

(d) to make the house and art collection available for pre-arranged tours of undergraduate and postgraduate students at Kingston University, free of charge.

(e) to continue to provide other grants and bursaries for the purposes of education in Fine and Performing Arts, accepting that this element of the charity's work may have to be reduced when substantial expenditure is required in connection with (a) above.

The Trustees feel that they achieved these objectives.

Realised gains on the charity's investments were £67,212 and unrealised gains totalled £538,708 whilst income received on listed investments totalled £134,822. The total return of £740,742 represents an increase of 10% of the value of the portfolio at the start of the year.

The charity undertook a full programme of public opening of the Picker House in 2023/24 as well as providing access for students from Kingston University. The cost of maintaining the house and art collection and of providing public tours and access for students is far from fully covered by admission charges, but the Trustees consider that the public opening is an important part of the charity's work because of the unique resource provided by the house, garden and art collection as a largely unaltered and complete example of a 1960's modernist home designed to accommodate the owners collection of paintings and sculpture as well as lifestyle. The charity has commissioned a detailed condition survey of the house and gallery from Loader Monteith Architects, who have particular expertise in buildings of the period of the house and will in due course use this to prepare a long term conservation plan for the buildings.

The Trustees' first priority for educational grants is to continue its support of the Stanley Picker Gallery, which is recognised as a successful model of organisational collaboration between Higher Education (Kingston University), Public Sector (Arts Council England) and private philanthropy. Part of this collaboration is continuing to foster and support the renown Stanley Picker Fellowships at Kingston School of Art. In addition, the charity is intending to support a Stanley Picker Fellowship Research Project to examine the impact of the Fellowship on individual recipients and on the wider cultural sector since its inception in 1977.

The Trustees' policy in relation to educational grants and scholarships is to support and encourage students in performing arts as well as fine art. In most cases the Trustees select the institutions to which such grants are to be made and those institutions award scholarships and bursaries to individual students according to need and merit. The Trustees have also set aside up to £100,000 to invest in "Instrument Trusts" which enable young virtuoso players of stringed instruments to obtain a top quality instrument to play and, all being well, to purchase over a period of up to 20 years, and the charity to participate in the potential increase in value of such instruments. The investments made by the charity so far have proved successful on both counts.

The charity does not engage in fundraising. The major factor outside of the Trustees' control that has an impact on the charity's objectives is the performance of the investments.

The charity has its own website which provides information about the Picker House and collection, the founder, how to book a tour and how to apply for grants and scholarships.

FUTURE PLANS

The Trustees' plans for the future include continuing development of projects with the Stanley Picker Gallery and developing digital means of public access to the house, garden and art collection at Warren Park.

PUBLIC BENEFIT

The Trustees confirm that they have complied with the duty in section 17(5) of the Charities Act 2011 to have regard to the public benefit guidance published by the Charity Commission.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

For the purposes of comparison with previous and future years and in order to provide a true picture of the financial position of the charity at the accounting date, charitable grants due to be paid out after the year end for the 2023/2024 academic year have been included in the statements for this period.

When considering the level of grants to be awarded for 2023/2024, the Trustees took into account the realised gains and income received in previous accounting periods. During the year, the Trustees made charitable grants totalling £139,003 and spent a further £179,343 on the maintenance, conservation and public opening of the charity's property at Kingston in Surrey.

The Trustees are confident that the charity will be able to continue with its programme of making grants and looking after this property whilst ensuring that its investments are providing sufficient total return in order to meet the charity's objectives. The Trustees will continue to closely monitor the investment portfolio performance to ensure that the level of capital withdrawal from the Trusts investment portfolio is sustainable.

Review of financial position

After adjusting for the realised and unrealised gains on the charity's investments, the net assets at the end of the year were £12,653,652 (2023: £12,310,622).

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The property is used for the Trust's charitable purposes. The land and buildings were revalued at market value in September 2021 at £5,000,000.

Investment Policy

The Trustees have delegated their investment management function over most of their investments to their investment advisors - JP Morgan Private Bank. The investment managers have a remit to invest for total return. During the period, the Trustees agreed to benchmark the performance of their investment managers against a composite benchmark comprising 70% MSCI World in local, 16% HFRI FoF Diversified hdg GBP, 10% Barclays Global Aggregate hdg GBP and 4% D J USB commodity TR, which will enable them in future to assess performance and identify issues that may require further attention.

The investment managers also hold approximately 17.5% of the charity's investment funds on a non-discretionary account. These funds are invested in a portfolio of managed funds selected by the Trustees to complement the discretionary portfolio by providing non-correlated performance.

The Trustees were satisfied with the performance of the investment portfolios during the year.

The Trustees do not impose any ethical, social or environmental constraints upon the investment advisers. The charity's investment powers were modified by the Trustee Act 2000. As a consequence, the Trustees may invest the charity's assets as if they were absolutely entitled to them.

Reserves Policy

The Trustees have reviewed their reserves policy and consider that the present level of liquidity, with £12.6m of net assets, is satisfactory and prudent. In arriving at this decision, the Trustees allowed for likely charitable expenditure for the coming year together with anticipated incoming resources and proceeds from the realisation of investment assets. As a result the Trustees believe there are no material uncertainties about the Trust as a going concern.

The Trustees apply a formula in arriving at the total amount that may be distributed in a given year, based upon the average of realised gains and incoming resources over a five year period. With planned maintenance and adequate reserves for unplanned repairs, the Trustees feel that they can budget for expenditure on the Warren Park property with a reasonable degree of accuracy.

Principal Source of Funding

The charity has a portfolio of investments which generate the income from which the costs of maintenance of the property and grants to students are met. The investments are managed by JP Morgan Private Bank. The Trustees also have a credit facility with J P Morgan Private Bank which enables them to draw funds to meet the charity's expenses at times when selling investments is considered inadvisable. This has proved particularly beneficial when investment markets have been volatile.

STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

Accounting and Reporting Responsibilities

The Trustees are responsible for preparing the Annual Report and the accounts in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice.

Charity law requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements, for each financial year, in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (UK GAAP) which give a true and fair view of the financial activities of the charity during the year and of its financial position at the end of the year. In preparing those statements, the Trustees are required to:

- 1) Select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- 2) Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- 3) State whether applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice have been followed, subject to any departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- 4) Prepare the accounts on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to assume 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 which enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the provisions of the Charities Act 2011. 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.

Rhoderick Peter Grosvenor Voremberg
Trustee

Date: **19 January 2025**

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of The Stanley Picker Trust for the year ended 5 April 2024 which comprise the Statement of Financial Activities, Balance Sheet, and the notes to the financial statements, including a summary of the significant accounting policies, set out on pages 9 to 15. 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 5 April 2024 and of its income and expenditure, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011

Basis for 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 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 Charities' 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 sections of this report.

Other information

The Trustees are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Trustees' Report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. 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.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the Charity and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the Trustees' Report.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024

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

- the information in the Report of the Trustees is inconsistent in any material respect with the financial statements: or
- sufficient accounting records have not been kept; 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 the Trustees

As explained more fully in the Trustees' Responsibilities Statement, set out on page 4, 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 they 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.

Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

We exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit.

Our audit procedures were designed to provide reasonable assurance that they would detect irregularities, including non-compliance with relevant laws and regulations, and fraud. They included:

- obtaining an understanding of the Charities' activities and the laws and regulations which are central to their activities, both through our knowledge of the sector and discussions with management;

'- reviewing the Charities' activities and any relevant correspondence for evidence of non-compliance;

- assessing the susceptibility of the financial statements to material misstatement in the light of the Charities' control environment, which we assessed to be low;

- ensuring that the engagement team had the appropriate competence, capabilities and skills to recognise non-compliance with applicable laws and regulations, through appropriate training and briefings; and that they remained alert to the possibility of non-compliance throughout the engagement.

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. 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 section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and the regulations made under section 154 of that Act. 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's trustees as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Fletcher & Partners
Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors
Salisbury

29 January 2025

Fletcher & Partners are eligible to act as auditor in terms of section 1212 of the Companies Act 2006

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024

		Unrestricted Funds	
	<u>Note</u>	Total <u>2024</u>	Total <u>2023</u>
INCOME FROM:			
Investments			
Dividends and interest on listed investments		134,822	126,205
Interest on cash deposits		-	1,815
Charitable activities			
Visitor income		3,598	2,763
Visitor merchandise income		500	575
Other income			
Sundry		130	55
Total income		<u>139,050</u>	<u>131,413</u>
EXPENDITURE ON:			
Raising funds			
Investment management fees		60,533	65,409
Charitable activities			
Advancement of public education	2	341,407	362,938
Total expenditure		<u>401,940</u>	<u>428,347</u>
Realised gain/(losses) on investments and currency movements		67,212	(213,983)
Unrealised gains/(losses) on revaluation of investments		538,708	(136,279)
Net income/(expenditure)		<u>343,030</u>	<u>(647,196)</u>
Net movement in funds	13	343,030	(647,196)
TOTAL FUNDS AT 6 APRIL 2023	13	<u>12,310,622</u>	<u>12,957,818</u>
TOTAL FUNDS AT 5 APRIL 2024	13	<u>£12,653,652</u>	<u>£12,310,622</u>

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**BALANCE SHEET****AS AT 5 APRIL 2024**

	<u>Note</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
FIXED ASSETS			
Heritage Assets	5	5,029,206	5,079,206
Fixed Assets	6	3,665	5,497
Other investments	7	7,588,501	7,395,557
		<u>12,621,372</u>	<u>12,480,260</u>
CURRENT ASSETS			
Stock	9	7,760	8,260
Debtors	10	-	2,869
Cash at bank and in hand		104,315	62,445
Investments	8	46,065	46,065
		<u>158,140</u>	<u>119,639</u>
Creditors falling due within one year	11	125,860	289,277
		<u>125,860</u>	<u>289,277</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS		32,280	(169,638)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		<u>12,653,652</u>	<u>12,310,622</u>
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after one year	12	-	-
TOTAL NET ASSETS	13	<u>£12,653,652</u>	<u>£12,310,622</u>
TOTAL CHARITY FUNDS	13	<u>£12,653,652</u>	<u>£12,310,622</u>

Signed on behalf of the Trustees:

**Rhoderick Peter Grosvenor Voremberg
Trustee**

Approved by the Trustees on

19 January 2025

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, modified to include the revaluation of investments and certain other assets to market value, and in accordance with the second edition of the Charities Statement of Recommended Practice (FRS102) issued in October 2019 and the Charities Act 2011. The Charity Constitutes a Public Benefit Entity as defined by FRS 102.

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the charities ability to continue as a going concern, note 16 provides further information. The area of judgement and key assumptions that have the most significant effect on the accounts are in relation to the value of heritage assets and investments.

Fund Structure

The Trusts funds are unrestricted and are available to be spent for any of the purposes of the Trust.

Heritage Assets

a. Property used for charitable purposes

This is considered to be a heritage assets partly because it was built by the settlor to hold the art collection and partly because it is an exceptional example of the architecture of its period. It is included in the Balance Sheet at a valuation. Depreciation is charged at 2% on buildings. A nil rate is used for freehold land because in the opinion of the Trustees, its life is considered to be indefinite.

b. Works of art

These assets are included at cost. No depreciation is charged because, in the opinion of the Trustees, their life is considered to be indefinite.

Other fixed assets

Fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life.

Office equipment	20%
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Investments

Investments are included at market value as at the balance sheet date, with any surplus or deficit on revaluation being dealt with through the Statement of Financial Activities.

Stock

This consists of books for resale, and is stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Charitable activities - constructive obligations

Where specific commitments have been made prior to the period end for the charitable expenditure, any amounts which remain unpaid are included in the Statement of Financial Activities for the period.

Income

Voluntary income, donations and investment income are accounted for on a receivable basis by the Trust. Deposits for visitor income received in advance are treated as deferred income in the accounts.

Expenditure

Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis. The trust is not registered for VAT and all costs include input VAT where this has been charged.

Grants payable are payments made to third parties in the furtherance of the charitable objectives of the trust. The grants area accounted for where either the trustees have agreed to pay the grant without condition and the recipient has a reasonable expectation that they will receive a grant, or any condition attaching to the grant is outside the control of the trust.

Support costs are all attributable to the one charitable activity, which is the advancement of public education.

Governance costs are the costs of managing the trust that do not relate to the provision of charitable activities.

Financial Instruments

The charity only has financial assets and liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments. They are initially recognised at transaction value and subsequently measured at their settlement value.

Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Exchange gains and losses are recognised through the Statement of financial activities.

Debtors

Debtors are measured at the amounts the charity anticipates it will receive from a debt or the amount it has paid in advance for goods or services.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES continued

Cash at bank and in hand

Cash at bank and in hand includes cash and cash on deposit.

Pension costs

Contributions in respect of the charity's defined contributions scheme are charged as expenditure in the period to which they relate.

Liabilities

Liabilities are measured at the amounts the charity anticipates it will pay to settle a debt or the amount it has received as an advance payment for goods or services it must provide.

2. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES: ADVANCEMENT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Educational Grants		
Bursaries		
Royal Academy of Dramatic Art	5,000	5,000
Royal Northern College of Music	5,000	5,000
Royal Academy of Arts	5,000	5,000
London Academy of Music & Dramatic Art	4,000	-
Royal Academy of Music	5,000	-
Royal College of Music	-	5,000
Royal Conservatoire of Scotland	5,000	-
ArtsEd	5,000	-
The Guildhall School of Music & Drama	-	5,000
City & Guilds London Art	5,000	5,000
Northern Ballet	5,000	-
Welsh National Opera	5,000	-
	49,000	30,000
Special Awards		
Friends of Israel Museum	5,973	6,365
TATE Britain	5,000	-
Whitechapel Art Gallery	5,000	5,000
Matt's Gallery	9,030	8,425
Queen Elizabeth Scholarship Trust	-	5,000
	25,003	24,790
Kingston University		
Stanley Picker Fellowships and Gallery	43,000	43,000
Fine Art School	22,000	22,000
	65,000	65,000
	139,003	119,790

All grants have been awarded on an annual basis and charged to the SOFA accordingly.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024****2. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES: ADVANCEMENT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION**

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Art Gallery and Museum - Warren Park		
Art restoration	-	-
Council tax and business rates	3,143	3,819
Staff wages and housekeeping	39,635	51,305
Light and heating	6,746	7,408
Repairs, servicing and maintenance	2,301	35,727
Water rates	2,567	1,896
Insurance	16,566	13,180
Fire and security	10,611	8,187
Telephones	2,633	2,827
IT, postage and stationery	3,728	3,951
Guides' fees	600	1,080
Garden expenses	31,826	20,879
Cleaning	884	3,088
Books and publications	500	1,614
Bank charges and sundries	5,771	23,493
Depreciation	51,832	51,832
	<u>179,343</u>	<u>230,286</u>
Support costs (Note 4)	-	-
Governance Costs (Note 4)	<u>23,061</u>	<u>12,862</u>
	<u>£341,407</u>	<u>£362,938</u>

3. STAFF COSTS

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Warren Park - staffing costs	38,025	48,074
Social security costs	-	-
Pension costs	1,610	3,231
Other staff costs	-	-
	<u>£39,635</u>	<u>£51,305</u>
Average number of employees during the year		
Administration and household	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>

During the year there were no employees that received benefits of more than £60,000.

4.a1 ANALYSIS OF SUPPORT AND GOVERNANCE COSTS - 2024

	Basis of Apportionment	<u>General support</u> <u>2024</u>	<u>Governance</u> <u>2024</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>2024</u>
Legal fees - Farrer	Invoiced		1,140	1,140
Reimbursement of Trustees' expenses	Governance		9,134	9,134
Auditors fees - audit services	Governance	-	11,572	11,572
Auditors fees - other services	Governance	-	1,215	1,215
		<u>£0</u>	<u>£23,061</u>	<u>£23,061</u>

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024

4.a2 ANALYSIS OF SUPPORT AND GOVERNANCE COSTS - 2023

	<i>Basis of Apportionment</i>	<u>General support</u> 2023	<u>Governance</u> 2023	<u>Total</u> 2023
Legal fees - Farrer	<i>Invoiced</i>	-	-	-
Reimbursement of Trustees' travel expenses	<i>Governance</i>		717	717
Auditors fees - audit services	<i>Governance</i>	-	11,029	11,029
Auditors fees - other services	<i>Governance</i>	-	1,116	1,116
		<u>£0</u>	<u>£12,862</u>	<u>£12,862</u>

4.b GOVERNANCE COSTS

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Legal fees - Farrer	1,140	-
Reimbursement of Trustees' travel expenses	9,134	717
Auditors fees - audit services	11,572	11,029
Auditors fees - other services	1,215	1,116
	<u>£23,061</u>	<u>£12,862</u>

5.a HERITAGE ASSETS

	<u>Freehold Property</u>	<u>Works of Art</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cost/Valuation			
As at 5 April 2023	5,000,000	179,206	5,179,206
Revaluation	-	-	-
As at 5 April 2024	<u>5,000,000</u>	<u>179,206</u>	<u>5,179,206</u>
Depreciation			
As at 5 April 2023	100,000	-	100,000
Revaluation	-	-	-
Charge for year	50,000	-	50,000
As at 5 April 2024	<u>150,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>150,000</u>
Net Book Value			
As at 5 April 2024	<u>£4,850,000</u>	<u>£179,206</u>	<u>£5,029,206</u>
As at 5 April 2023	<u>£4,900,000</u>	<u>£179,206</u>	<u>£5,079,206</u>

The heritage assets, consisting of the property and works of art, were bequeathed to the Trust in May 1982. The Trustees' current policy is not to make further acquisition of heritage assets or dispose of any of the existing assets. The policy is therefore centred on the preservation of the existing assets. Two members of staff are employed at Warren Park. The trustees' have appointed an architect to ensure that the property is regularly reviewed and maintained. The works of art are also subject to regular reviews and the Trustees have engaged the services of a professional conservator who has reported on the condition of all the paintings in the collection and will be undertaking a prioritized programme of conservation.

The Freehold property was formally valued in September 2021 by Robert Holmes & Company Limited, Chartered Surveyors on an open market valuation basis.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024****5.b SUMMARY ANALYSIS OF HERITAGE ASSET TRANSACTIONS**

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
<u>Freehold land & buildings</u>					
Cost/Valuation	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	4,000,000	4,000,000
Revaluation	-	-	-	1,000,000	-
Total cost	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£4,000,000</u>
Charge for depreciation	<u>£50,000</u>	<u>£50,000</u>	<u>£50,000</u>	<u>£-</u>	<u>£35,000</u>

Works of Art

There have been no additions, disposals or impairments to the Works of Art in the last five years. The assets are fully catalogued and insured based on Christies' valuations.

6. FIXED ASSETS

	<u>Office Equipment & Fixture & Fittings</u>
Cost	
As at 6 April 2023	21,072
Additions	-
As at 5 April 2024	<u>21,072</u>
Depreciation	
As at 6 April 2023	15,575
Charge for the year	1,832
As at 5 April 2024	<u>17,407</u>
Net Book Value	
As at 5 April 2024	<u>£3,665</u>
As at 5 April 2023	<u>£5,497</u>

7. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

	<u>2024 Investment Portfolio</u>	<u>2023 Investment Portfolio</u>
Market value as at 5 April 2023	£7,395,557	8,387,394
Additions at cost	2,595,560	2,129,771
Disposals at opening market value	(2,838,304)	(3,103,975)
Unrealised gains / (losses) on revaluation	538,708	(136,279)
Increase / (decrease) in investment cash	(103,020)	118,646
Market value as at 5 April 2024	<u>£7,588,501</u>	<u>£7,395,557</u>
Represented by		
Cash Deposits	£55,832	£158,852
Investments held in the UK	£3,615,952	£3,200,052
Investments held outside the UK	£3,916,717	£4,036,653
	<u>£7,588,501</u>	<u>£7,395,557</u>
Historical cost as at 5 April 2024	<u>£6,140,116</u>	<u>£5,973,847</u>

Note excluded from draft accounts to include in final version

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024****8. CURRENT ASSET INVESTMENTS**

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
The Julia Loucks Violin Trust	9,069	9,069
The Jamie Walton Cello Trust	10,000	10,000
The Alicja Smietana Violin Trust	10,000	10,000
The Emily Smith Cello Trust	10,000	10,000
The Sophie Rosa Violin Trust	6,996	6,996
	<u>£46,065</u>	<u>£46,065</u>

The Trustees consider that the investments in the instrument trusts are programme related investments. They represent contributions via a trust to purchase an instrument for the exclusive use of a young player.

9. STOCK

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Books for resale	7,760	8,260
	<u>£7,760</u>	<u>£8,260</u>

10. DEBTORS

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Prepayments and accrued income	-	2,869
	<u>£ -</u>	<u>£2,869</u>

11. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Bank loans and overdrafts	96,768	262,941
Grants payable	-	-
Accruals and deferred income	12,897	11,102
Other creditors	16,195	15,234
	<u>£125,860</u>	<u>£289,277</u>

Deferred income relates to income received for guided tours in the following year. None was brought forward or carried forward at the year end.

12 CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after one year

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Grants payable	-	-
	<u>£ -</u>	<u>£ -</u>

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2024****13.1 FUND MOVEMENTS - 2024**

	<u>Balance at</u> <u>06/04/2023</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>	<u>Gains and</u> <u>Losses</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>05/04/2024</u>
Unrestricted Fund	12,310,622	139,050	(401,940)	605,920	12,653,652

13.2 FUND MOVEMENTS - 2023

	<u>Balance at</u> <u>06/04/2022</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>	<u>Gains and</u> <u>Losses</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>05/04/2023</u>
Unrestricted Fund	12,957,818	131,413	(428,347)	(350,262)	12,310,622

14. TRANSACTIONS WITH TRUSTEES

Expenses totalling £9,134 (2023: £717) were reimbursed to 3 trustees (2023: 1) for travel expenses, printing and stationery, telephone and entertaining and subsistence during the year.

15. LEGAL FORM

The Stanley Picker Trust is a charity first registered in England and Wales in 1976 based within the Royal Borough of Kingston-upon-Thames. Its registered office is PO Box 1532, Kingston-upon-Thames, Surrey KT19XR

STANLEY PICKER TRUST

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THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST

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CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

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THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023

Trustees and Officers

Trustees: Rhoderick Peter Grosvenor Voremberg
Alan Picker Safir
Joan Arden Safir

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271185

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THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
TRUSTEES' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023

The Trustees present their annual report and the audited accounts of The Stanley Picker Trust for the year ended 5 April 2023. These have been prepared to comply with the Charities Act 2011, the charity's trust deed and the Statement of Recommended Practice "Accounting and Reporting by Charities (FRS102)".

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

The Stanley Picker Trust ("the charity") was established by the late Mr Stanley Picker under a Trust Deed dated 8 March 1976. The charity is unincorporated and all of the Trustees are individuals. The Trustees have the statutory power (under the Trustee Act 1925) to appoint new trustees and they have formulated a policy to ensure that any new Trustee is fully aware of the charity's aims and objectives. New Trustees are appointed by deed and existing Trustees are retired by deed.

The charity has a Grants Committee which reviews new applications received and the charity's ongoing programme of educational grants in the context of funds available for grant giving. The annual Grants Committee meeting is typically held in April and during that meeting grants are awarded for the forthcoming academic year with payment usually, but not always, commencing in September of the year in which the grant was awarded.

The charity is not part of a wider network of charitable organisations and there are no subsidiaries nor any other charities and organisations with which it co-operates in the pursuit of its charitable objectives.

Risk Management

The Trustees have considered the major risks to which the charity is exposed, and have formulated policies to mitigate those risks. They are perceived to be:

Fire - The alarm system at 1 Warren Park is regularly inspected and upgraded as necessary, and the buildings and collection are comprehensively insured against all risks.

Theft - The alarm and CCTV systems at 1 Warren Park have been upgraded and the Trustees insure the collection at market value (as advised by Christie's) against theft and other risks.

Public Liability - The Trustees' insurance policy covers them for public liability.

Record Keeping - The Trust's records are kept at Warren Park and Farrer & Co. Most are kept in paper copy and many are duplicated electronically.

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

The charity exists for the purpose of advancing public education generally and including the following at the discretion of the Trustees:

- (a) the provision of an annual award or prize to a post-graduate student to pursue his or her studies in any branch of the fine arts at Kingston University or other college in Surrey;
- (b) the provision of other prizes and awards for the study of painting and sculpture (and in particular for travel in the pursuit of such studies);
- (c) the acquisition of works of art which the Trustees consider to be worthy of exhibition or study;
- (d) permitting students to view, examine and study the works of art;
- (e) the acquisition of land and buildings of any tenure for the purposes of providing one or more places of exhibition for the works of art;
- (f) the improvement, equipment repair and reconstruction or adaptation as a place of exhibition of works of art of any land or buildings acquired and the maintenance and repair thereof;
- (g) the provision of endowments or donations to other educational charities; and
- (h) the provision of educational scholarships

Mr Picker died in May 1982 and bequeathed to the Trust his art collection and freehold property 1 Warren Park, Kingston Hill in which the works of art are generally kept. The Trustees maintain the property and the collection as a museum and provide guided tours of both by appointment.

1 Warren Park, where the house and gallery are situated may be visited by members of the public on approximately 30 open days, between April and October. The guided tours, which must be booked with the Curator in advance, last for approximately two hours and begin with a short history about Stanley Picker and the charity. Trained guides tour parties of up to 15 people at a time around the house and gallery. There is an entrance fee to defray the cost of providing guides. The Charity has also published (in conjunction with Kingston University) a fully illustrated book about the house and collection which is available for purchase.

The house and collection are now widely acknowledged as an important and rare complete example of late 1960s modernist home specifically designed to accommodate the owner's collection of modern and contemporary painting and sculpture.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
TRUSTEES' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

The charity was able to award grants totalling £119,790 compared with £172,073 the previous year. The Trustees' objectives in relation to its use of resources and grant-making activity for the year were:-

(a) to maintain and conserve to a high standard the house, garden and art collection at 1 Warren Park, to continue providing a programme of pre-booked guided tours for members of the public and to find further ways of enabling them to be available as a resource for learning and scholarly research without subjecting the property to damaging levels of wear and tear.

(b) to continue to support and enhance the facilities and activities of the Stanley Picker Gallery at Kingston University, which was originally built with funds provided by the Trust and has achieved the accolade of being an Arts Council England National Portfolio member.

(c) to continue to support the annual Stanley Picker Fellowships at Kingston University in Fine Art and Design which have now achieved international recognition and renown and attract a high standard of applicant.

(d) to make the house and art collection available for pre-arranged tours of undergraduate and postgraduate students at Kingston University, free of charge.

(e) to continue to provide other grants and bursaries for the purposes of education in Fine and Performing Arts, accepting that this element of the charity's work may have to be reduced when substantial expenditure is required in connection with (a) above.

The trustees feel that they achieved these objectives.

Realised losses on the charity's investments were £213,983 and unrealised losses totalled £136,279 whilst income received on listed investments totalled £126,205. The total return of £(224,057) represents a decrease of 2.7% of the value of the portfolio at the start of the year.

The charity undertook a full programme of public opening of the Picker House in 2022/23 as well as providing access for students from Kingston University. The cost of maintaining the house and art collection and of providing public tours and access for students is far from fully covered by admission charges, but the Trustees consider that the public opening is an important part of the charity's work because of the unique resource provided by the house, garden and art collection as a largely unaltered and complete example of a 1960's modernist home designed to accommodate the owners collection of paintings and sculpture as well as lifestyle.

The Trustees' first priority for educational grants is to continue its support of the Stanley Picker Gallery, which is recognised as a successful model of organisational collaboration between Higher Education (Kingston University), Public Sector (Arts Council England) and private philanthropy. Part of this collaboration is continuing to foster and support the renowned Stanley Picker Fellowships at Kingston School of Art. In addition, the charity is intending to support a Stanley Picker Fellowship Research Project to examine the impact of the Fellowship on individual recipients and on the wider cultural sector since its inception in 1977.

The Trustees' policy in relation to educational grants and scholarships is to support and encourage students in performing arts as well as fine art. In most cases the trustees select the institutions to which such grants are to be made and those institutions award scholarships and bursaries to individual students according to need and merit. The Trustees have also set aside up to £100,000 to invest in "Instrument Trusts" which enable young virtuoso players of stringed instruments to obtain a top quality instrument to play and, all being well, to purchase over a period of up to 20 years, and the charity to participate in the potential increase in value of such instruments. The investments made by the charity so far have proved successful on both counts.

The charity does not engage in fundraising. The major factor outside of the Trustees' control that has an impact on the charity's objectives is the performance of the investments.

The charity has its own website which provides information about the Picker House and collection, the founder, how to book a tour and how to apply for grants and scholarships.

FUTURE PLANS

The Trustees' plans for the future include continuing development of projects with the Stanley Picker Gallery and developing digital means of public access to the house, garden and art collection at Warren Park.

PUBLIC BENEFIT

The trustees confirm that they have complied with the duty in section 17(5) of the Charities Act 2011 to have regard to the public benefit guidance published by the Charity Commission.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

For the purposes of comparison with previous and future years and in order to provide a true picture of the financial position of the charity at the accounting date, charitable grants due to be paid out after the year end for the 2022/2023 academic year have been included in the statements for this period.

When considering the level of grants to be awarded for 2022/2023, the Trustees took into account the realised gains and income received in previous accounting periods. During the year, the Trustees made charitable grants totalling £119,790 and spent a further £230,286 on the maintenance, conservation and public opening of the charity's property at Kingston in Surrey.

The Trustees are confident that the charity will be able to continue with its programme of making grants and looking after this property whilst ensuring that its investments are providing sufficient total return in order to meet the charity's objectives. The Trustees will continue to closely monitor the investment portfolio performance to ensure that the level of capital withdrawal from the Trusts investment portfolio is sustainable.

Review of financial position

After adjusting for the realised and unrealised losses on the charity's investments, the net assets at the end of the year were £12,310,622 (2022: £12,957,818).

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TRUSTEES' REPORT
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The property is used for the Trust's charitable purposes. The land and buildings were revalued at market value in September 2021 at £5,000,000.

Investment Policy

The Trustees have delegated their investment management function over most of their investments to their investment advisors - JP Morgan Private Bank. The investment managers have a remit to invest for total return. During the period, the Trustees agreed to benchmark the performance of their investment managers against a composite benchmark comprising 70% MSCI World in local, 16% HFRI FoF Diversified hdg GBP, 10% Barclays Global Aggregate hdg GBP and 4% D J USB commodity TR, which will enable them in future to assess performance and identify issues that may require further attention.

The investment managers also hold approximately 17.5% of the Trust's investment funds on a non-discretionary account. These funds are invested in a portfolio of managed funds selected by the Trustees to complement the discretionary portfolio by providing non-correlated performance.

The Trustees were satisfied with the performance of the investment portfolios during the year.

The Trustees do not impose any ethical, social or environmental constraints upon the investment advisers. The charity's investment powers were modified by the Trustee Act 2000. As a consequence, the Trustees may invest the charity's assets as if they were absolutely entitled to them.

Reserves Policy

The Trustees have reviewed their reserves policy and consider that the present level of liquidity, with £12.4m of net assets, is satisfactory and prudent. In arriving at this decision, the Trustees allowed for likely charitable expenditure for the coming year together with anticipated incoming resources and proceeds from the realisation of investment assets. As a result the Trustees believe there are no material uncertainties about the Trust as a going concern.

The Trustees apply a formula in arriving at the total amount that may be distributed in a given year, based upon the average of realised gains and incoming resources over a five year period. With planned maintenance and adequate reserves for unplanned repairs, the Trustees feel that they can budget for expenditure on the Warren Park property with a reasonable degree of accuracy.

Principal Source of Funding

The trust has a portfolio of investments which generate the income from which the costs of maintenance of the property and grants to students are met. The investments are managed by JP Morgan Private Bank. The Trustees also have a credit facility with J P Morgan Private Bank which enables them to draw funds to meet the Trust's expenses at times when selling investments is considered inadvisable. This has proved particularly beneficial when investment markets have been volatile.

STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

Accounting and Reporting Responsibilities

The Trustees are responsible for preparing the Annual Report and the accounts in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice.

Charity law requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements, for each financial year, in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (UK GAAP) which give a true and fair view of the financial activities of the charity during the year and of its financial position at the end of the year. In preparing those statements, the Trustees are required to:

- 1) Select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- 2) Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- 3) State whether applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice have been followed, subject to any departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- 4) Prepare the accounts on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to assume 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 which enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the provisions of the Charities Act 2011. 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.

Rhoderick Peter Grosvenor Voremberg
Trustee

Date: 30 January 2024

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of The Stanley Picker Trust for the year ended 5 April 2023 which comprise the Statement of Financial Activities, Balance Sheet, and the notes to the financial statements, including a summary of the significant accounting policies, set out on pages 9 to 15. 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 5 April 2023 and of its income and expenditure, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011

Basis for 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 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 Charities' 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 sections of this report.

Other information

The Trustees are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Trustees' Report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. 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.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the Charity and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the Trustees' Report.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023

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

- the information in the Report of the Trustees is inconsistent in any material respect with the financial statements: or
- sufficient accounting records have not been kept; 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 the Trustees

As explained more fully in the Trustees' Responsibilities Statement, set out on page 4, 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 they 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.

Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

We exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit.

Our audit procedures were designed to provide reasonable assurance that they would detect irregularities, including non-compliance with relevant laws and regulations, and fraud. They included:

- obtaining an understanding of the Charities' activities and the laws and regulations which are central to their activities, both through our knowledge of the sector and discussions with management;

'- reviewing the Charities' activities and any relevant correspondence for evidence of non-compliance;

- assessing the susceptibility of the financial statements to material misstatement in the light of the Charities' control environment, which we assessed to be low;

- ensuring that the engagement team had the appropriate competence, capabilities and skills to recognise non-compliance with applicable laws and regulations, through appropriate training and briefings; and that they remained alert to the possibility of non-compliance throughout the engagement.

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. 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 section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and the regulations made under section 154 of that Act. 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's trustees as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Fletcher & Partners
Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors
Salisbury
1 February 2024

Fletcher & Partners are eligible to act as auditor in terms of section 1212 of the Companies Act 2006

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023

		Unrestricted Funds	
	<u>Note</u>	Total <u>2023</u>	Total <u>2022</u>
INCOME FROM:			
Grants and donations			
Government grants		-	-
Donations		-	-
Investments			
Dividends and interest on listed investments		126,205	119,870
Interest on cash deposits		1,815	28
Charitable activities			
Visitor income		2,763	1,485
Visitor merchandise income		575	336
Other income			
Insurance claim		-	54,286
Sundry		55	
Total income		<u>131,413</u>	<u>176,005</u>
EXPENDITURE ON:			
Raising funds			
Investment management fees		65,409	67,774
Charitable activities			
Advancement of public education	2	362,938	442,316
Total expenditure		<u>428,347</u>	<u>510,090</u>
Realised gain/(losses) on investments and currency movements		(213,983)	71,124
Unrealised gains/(losses) on revaluation of investments		(136,279)	832,990
Net income/(expenditure)		<u>(647,196)</u>	<u>570,029</u>
Net movement in funds	13	(647,196)	570,029
TOTAL FUNDS AT 6 APRIL 2022	13	<u>12,957,818</u>	<u>12,387,789</u>
TOTAL FUNDS AT 5 APRIL 2023	13	<u>£12,310,622</u>	<u>£12,957,818</u>

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**BALANCE SHEET****AS AT 5 APRIL 2023**

	<u>Note</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
FIXED ASSETS			
Heritage Assets	5	5,079,206	5,129,206
Fixed Assets	6	5,497	7,329
Other investments	7	7,395,557	8,387,394
		<u>12,480,260</u>	<u>13,523,929</u>
CURRENT ASSETS			
Stock	9	8,260	9,874
Debtors	10	2,869	46,542
Cash at bank and in hand		62,445	123,896
Investments	8	46,065	46,065
		<u>119,639</u>	<u>226,377</u>
Creditors falling due within one year	11	289,277	792,488
		<u>289,277</u>	<u>792,488</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS		(169,638)	(566,111)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		<u>12,310,622</u>	<u>12,957,818</u>
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after one year	12	-	-
TOTAL NET ASSETS		<u>£12,310,622</u>	<u>£12,957,818</u>
TOTAL CHARITY FUNDS		<u>£12,310,622</u>	<u>£12,957,818</u>

Signed on behalf of the Trustees:

**Rhoderick Peter Grosvenor Voremberg
Trustee**

Approved by the Trustees on

30 January 2024

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, modified to include the revaluation of investments and certain other assets to market value, and in accordance with the second edition of the Charities Statement of Recommended Practice (FRS102) issued in October 2019 and the Charities Act 2011. The Charity Constitutes a Public Benefit Entity as defined by FRS 102.

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the charities ability to continue as a going concern, note 16 provides further information. The area of judgement and key assumptions that have the most significant effect on the accounts are in relation to the value of heritage assets and investments.

Fund Structure

The Trusts funds are unrestricted and are available to be spent for any of the purposes of the Trust.

Heritage Assets

a. Property used for charitable purposes

This is considered to be a heritage assets partly because it was built by the settlor to hold the art collection and partly because it is an exceptional example of the architecture of its period. It is included in the Balance Sheet at a valuation. Depreciation is charged at 2% on buildings. A nil rate is used for freehold land because in the opinion of the Trustees, its life is considered to be indefinite.

b. Works of art

These assets are included at cost. No depreciation is charged because, in the opinion of the Trustees, their life is considered to be indefinite.

Other fixed assets

Fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life.

Office equipment	20%
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Investments

Investments are included at market value as at the balance sheet date, with any surplus or deficit on revaluation being dealt with through the Statement of Financial Activities.

Stock

This consists of books for resale, and is stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Charitable activities - constructive obligations

Where specific commitments have been made prior to the period end for the charitable expenditure, any amounts which remain unpaid are included in the Statement of Financial Activities for the period.

Income

Voluntary income, donations and investment income are accounted for on a receivable basis by the Trust. Deposits for visitor income received in advance are treated as deferred income in the accounts.

Expenditure

Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis. The trust is not registered for VAT and all costs include input VAT where this has been charged.

Grants payable are payments made to third parties in the furtherance of the charitable objectives of the trust. The grants area accounted for where either the trustees have agreed to pay the grant without condition and the recipient has a reasonable expectation that they will receive a grant, or any condition attaching to the grant is outside the control of the trust.

Support costs are all attributable to the one charitable activity, which is the advancement of public education.

Governance costs are the costs of managing the trust that do not relate to the provision of charitable activities.

Financial Instruments

The charity only has financial assets and liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments. They are initially recognised at transaction value and subsequently measured at their settlement value.

Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Exchange gains and losses are recognised through the Statement of financial activities.

Debtors

Debtors are measured at the amounts the charity anticipates it will receive from a debt or the amount it has paid in advance for goods or services.

Cash at bank and in hand

Cash at bank and in hand includes cash and cash on deposit.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES continued**Pension costs**

Contributions in respect of the charity's defined contributions scheme are charged as expenditure in the period to which they relate.

Liabilities

Liabilities are measured at the amounts the charity anticipates it will pay to settle a debt or the amount it has received as an advance payment for goods or services it must provide.

2. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES: ADVANCEMENT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Educational Grants		
Bursaries		
Royal Academy of Dramatic Art	5,000	5,000
Royal Northern College of Music	5,000	5,000
Royal Academy of Arts	5,000	-
Trinity Laban	-	5,000
Royal Academy of Music	-	-
Royal College of Music	5,000	5,000
Courtauld Institute of Art	-	10,000
Royal Conservatoire	-	-
Rambert School of Ballet	-	-
The Purcell School	-	3,000
Royal Central School of Speech & Drama	-	-
Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment	-	-
ArtsEd	-	5,000
The Guildhall School of Music & Drama	5,000	5,000
London Philharmonic Orchestra	-	3,107
English National Ballet	-	3,000
Northern Ballet	-	5,000
The Royal Ballet School	-	5,000
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	25,000	59,107
Special Awards		
Friends of Israel Museum	6,365	5,666
Tate	-	5,000
Whitechapel Gallery	5,000	5,000
Matt's Gallery	8,425	8,300
Birmingham Royal Ballet	-	4,000
City & Guilds London Art	5,000	5,000
Orchestra of Age of Enlightenment	-	-
The Royal Collection Trust	-	-
Royal College of Art	-	-
Chelsea College of Art & Design	-	-
London Academy of Music & Dramatic Art	-	-
The Old Vic	-	-
Royal School of Needlework	-	-
Bristol Old Vic	-	-
National Youth Choirs	-	-
Foundation for Young Musicians	-	-
Queen Elizabeth Scholarship Trust	5,000	5,000
Danse Classique	-	-
Royal Conservatoire of Scotland	-	5,000
Trevor Appleson	-	5,000
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	29,790	47,966
Kingston University		
Stanley Picker Fellowships and Gallery	43,000	43,000
Fine Art School	22,000	22,000
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	65,000	65,000
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	119,790	172,073

The majority of grants are awarded on an annual basis and charged to the SOFA accordingly. However, in the previous year, a grant of £5,000 was awarded to the Courtauld Institute of Art for two years and consequently £10,000 was charged in that year.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023****2. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES: ADVANCEMENT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION**

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Art Gallery and Museum - Warren Park		
Art restoration	-	55,718
Council tax and business rates	3,819	4,352
Staff wages and housekeeping	51,305	46,850
Light and heating	7,408	8,799
Repairs, servicing and maintenance	35,727	19,452
Water rates	1,896	1,662
Insurance	13,180	11,778
Fire and security	8,187	9,453
Telephones	2,827	2,666
IT, postage and stationery	3,951	4,423
Guides' fees	1,080	360
Garden expenses	20,879	20,396
Cleaning	3,088	3,408
Books and publications	1,614	266
Bank charges and sundries	23,493	9,548
Depreciation	51,832	51,832
	<u>230,286</u>	<u>250,963</u>
Support costs (Note 4)	-	2,331
Governance Costs (Note 4)	<u>12,862</u>	<u>16,949</u>
	<u>£362,938</u>	<u>£442,316</u>

3. STAFF COSTS

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Warren Park - staffing costs	48,074	43,779
Social security costs	-	-
Pension costs	3,231	3,071
Other staff costs	-	-
	<u>£51,305</u>	<u>£46,850</u>

Average number of employees during the year

Administration and household	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
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During the year there were no employees that received benefits of more than £60,000.

4.a1 ANALYSIS OF SUPPORT AND GOVERNANCE COSTS - 2023

	Basis of Apportionment	<u>General support</u> <u>2023</u>	<u>Governance</u> <u>2023</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>2023</u>
Legal fees - Farrer	Invoiced	-	-	-
Reimbursement of Trustees' expenses	Governance	-	717	717
Auditors fees - audit services	Governance	-	11,029	11,029
Auditors fees - other services	Governance	-	1,116	1,116
		<u>£0</u>	<u>£12,862</u>	<u>£12,862</u>

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023****4.a2 ANALYSIS OF SUPPORT AND GOVERNANCE COSTS - 2022**

	<i>Basis of Apportionment</i>	<i>General support 2022</i>	<i>Governance 2022</i>	<i>Total 2022</i>
Legal fees - Farrer	Invoiced	2,331	4,108	6,439
Reimbursement of Trustees' travel expenses	Governance	-	1,079	1,079
Auditors fees - audit services	Governance	-	10,700	10,700
Auditors fees - other services	Governance	-	1,062	1,062
		<u>£2,331</u>	<u>£16,949</u>	<u>£19,280</u>

4.b GOVERNANCE COSTS

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Legal fees - Farrer	-	4,108
Reimbursement of Trustees' travel expenses	717	1,079
Auditors fees - audit services	11,029	10,700
Auditors fees - other services	1,116	1,062
	<u>£12,862</u>	<u>£16,949</u>

5.a HERITAGE ASSETS

	<u>Freehold Property</u>	<u>Works of Art</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cost/Valuation			
As at 5 April 2022	5,000,000	179,206	5,179,206
Revaluation	-	-	-
As at 5 April 2023	<u>5,000,000</u>	<u>179,206</u>	<u>5,179,206</u>
Depreciation			
As at 5 April 2022	50,000	-	50,000
Revaluation	-	-	-
Charge for year	50,000	-	50,000
As at 5 April 2023	<u>100,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>100,000</u>
Net Book Value			
As at 5 April 2023	<u>£4,900,000</u>	<u>£179,206</u>	<u>£5,079,206</u>
As at 5 April 2022	<u>£4,950,000</u>	<u>£179,206</u>	<u>£5,129,206</u>

The heritage assets, consisting of the property and works of art, were bequeathed to the Trust in May 1982. The Trustees' current policy is not to make further acquisition of heritage assets or dispose of any of the existing assets. The policy is therefore centred on the preservation of the existing assets. Two members of staff are employed at Warren Park. The trustees' have appointed an architect to ensure that the property is regularly reviewed and maintained. The works of art are also subject to regular reviews and the Trustees have engaged the services of a professional conservator who has reported on the condition of all the paintings in the collection and will be undertaking a prioritized programme of conservation.

The Freehold property was formally valued in September 2021 by Robert Holmes & Company Limited, Chartered Surveyors on an open market valuation basis.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023****5.b SUMMARY ANALYSIS OF HERITAGE ASSET TRANSACTIONS**

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
<u>Freehold land & buildings</u>					
Cost/Valuation	5,000,000	5,000,000	4,000,000	4,000,000	4,000,000
Revaluation	-	-	1,000,000	-	-
Total cost	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£4,000,000</u>	<u>£4,000,000</u>
Charge for depreciation	<u>£35,000</u>	<u>£50,000</u>	<u>£-</u>	<u>£35,000</u>	<u>£35,000</u>

Works of Art

There have been no additions, disposals or impairments to the Works of Art in the last five years. The assets are fully catalogued and insured based on Christies' valuations.

6. FIXED ASSETS

	<u>Office Equipment & Fixture & Fittings</u>
Cost	
As at 6 April 2022	21,072
Additions	-
As at 5 April 2023	<u>21,072</u>
Depreciation	
As at 6 April 2022	13,743
Charge for the year	1,832
As at 5 April 2023	<u>15,575</u>
Net Book Value	
As at 5 April 2023	<u>£5,497</u>
As at 5 April 2022	<u>£7,329</u>

7. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
	<u>Investment</u>	<u>Investment</u>
	<u>Portfolio</u>	<u>Portfolio</u>
Market value as at 5 April 2022	8,387,394	7,530,367
Additions at cost	2,129,771	1,601,631
Disposals at opening market value	(3,103,975)	(1,617,646)
Unrealised gains / (losses) on revaluation	(136,279)	836,758
Increase / (decrease) in investment cash	118,646	36,284
Market value as at 5 April 2023	<u>£7,395,557</u>	<u>£8,387,394</u>
Represented by		
Cash Deposits	£158,852	£40,206
Investments held in the UK	£3,200,052	£2,562,791
Investments held outside the UK	£4,036,653	£5,784,397
	<u>£7,395,557</u>	<u>£8,387,394</u>
Historical cost as at 5 April 2023	<u>£5,973,847</u>	<u>£6,251,532</u>

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023****8. CURRENT ASSET INVESTMENTS**

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
The Julia Loucks Violin Trust	9,069	9,069
The Jamie Walton Cello Trust	10,000	10,000
The Alicja Smietana Violin Trust	10,000	10,000
The Emily Smith Cello Trust	10,000	10,000
The Sophie Rosa Violin Trust	6,996	6,996
	<u>£46,065</u>	<u>£46,065</u>

The Trustees consider that the investments in the instrument trusts are programme related investments. They represent contributions via a trust to purchase an instrument for the exclusive use of a young player.

9. STOCK

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Books for resale	8,260	9,874
	<u>£8,260</u>	<u>£9,874</u>

10. DEBTORS

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Other debtors	-	44,297
Prepayments and accrued income	2,869	2,245
	<u>£2,869</u>	<u>£46,542</u>

11. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Bank loans and overdrafts	262,941	654,880
Grants payable	-	70,000
Accruals and deferred income	11,102	14,350
Other creditors	15,234	53,258
	<u>£289,277</u>	<u>£792,488</u>

Deferred income relates to income received for guided tours in the following year. None was brought forward or carried forward at the year end.

12. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after one year

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Grants payable	-	-
	<u>£ -</u>	<u>£ -</u>

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2023****13.1 FUND MOVEMENTS - 2023**

	<u>Balance at</u> <u>06/04/2022</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>	<u>Gains and</u> <u>Losses</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>05/04/2023</u>
Unrestricted Fund	12,957,818	131,413	(428,347)	(350,262)	12,310,622

13.2 FUND MOVEMENTS - 2022

	<u>Balance at</u> <u>06/04/2021</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>	<u>Gains and</u> <u>Losses</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>05/04/2022</u>
Unrestricted Fund	12,387,789	176,005	(510,090)	904,114	12,957,818

14. TRANSACTIONS WITH TRUSTEES

Expenses totalling £717 (2022: £1,079) were reimbursed to 1 trustee (2022: 1) for travel expenses, printing and stationery, telephone and entertaining and subsistence during the year.

15. LEGAL FORM

The Stanley Picker Trust is a charity first registered in England and Wales in 1976 based within the Royal Borough of Kingston-upon-Thames. Its registered office is PO Box 1532, Kingston-upon-Thames, Surrey KT19XR

STANLEY PICKER TRUST

England & Wales - Charity number 271185

Accounts

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST

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THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2022

Trustees and Officers

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Alan Picker Safir
Joan Arden Safir

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Registered number 271185

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Accountants: Fletcher & Partners, Chartered Accountants, Crown Chambers,
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THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
TRUSTEES' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2022

The Trustees present their annual report and the audited accounts of The Stanley Picker Trust for the year ended 5 April 2022. These have been prepared to comply with the Charities Act 2011, the charity's trust deed and the Statement of Recommended Practice "Accounting and Reporting by Charities (FRS102)".

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

The Stanley Picker Trust ("the charity") was established by the late Mr Stanley Picker under a Trust Deed dated 8 March 1976. The charity is unincorporated and all of the Trustees are individuals. The Trustees have the statutory power (under the Trustee Act 1925) to appoint new trustees and they have formulated a policy to ensure that any new Trustee is fully aware of the charity's aims and objectives. New Trustees are appointed by deed and existing Trustees are retired by deed.

The charity has a Grants Committee which reviews new applications received and the charity's ongoing programme of educational grants in the context of funds available for grant giving. The annual Grants Committee meeting is typically held in April and during that meeting grants are awarded for the forthcoming academic year with payment usually, but not always, commencing in September of the year in which the grant was awarded.

The charity is not part of a wider network of charitable organisations and there are no subsidiaries nor any other charities and organisations with which it co-operates in the pursuit of its charitable objectives.

Risk Management

The Trustees have considered the major risks to which the charity is exposed, and have formulated policies to mitigate those risks. They are perceived to be:

- Fire - The alarm system at 1 Warren Park is regularly inspected and upgraded as necessary, and the buildings and collection are comprehensively insured against all risks.
- Theft - The alarm and CCTV systems at 1 Warren Park have been upgraded and the Trustees insure the collection at market value (as advised by Christie's) against theft and other risks.
- Public Liability - The Trustees' insurance policy covers them for public liability.
- Record Keeping - The Trust's records are kept at Warren Park. Most are kept in paper copy and many are duplicated electronically.

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

The charity exists for the purpose of advancing public education generally and including the following at the discretion of the Trustees:

- (a) the provision of an annual award or prize to a post-graduate student to pursue his or her studies in any branch of the fine arts at Kingston University or other college in Surrey;
- (b) the provision of other prizes and awards for the study of painting and sculpture (and in particular for travel in the pursuit of such studies);
- (c) the acquisition of works of art which the Trustees consider to be worthy of exhibition or study;
- (d) permitting students to view, examine and study the works of art;
- (e) the acquisition of land and buildings of any tenure for the purposes of providing one or more places of exhibition for the works of art;
- (f) the improvement, equipment repair and reconstruction or adaptation as a place of exhibition of works of art of any land or buildings acquired and the maintenance and repair thereof;
- (g) the provision of endowments or donations to other educational charities; and
- (h) the provision of educational scholarships

Mr Picker died in May 1982 and bequeathed to the Trust his art collection and freehold property 1 Warren Park, Kingston Hill in which the works of art are generally kept. The Trustees maintain the property and the collection as a museum and provide guided tours of both by appointment.

1 Warren Park, where the house and gallery are situated may be visited by members of the public on approximately 30 open days, between April and October. The guided tours, which must be booked with the Curator in advance, last for approximately two hours and begin with a short history about Stanley Picker and the charity. Trained guides tour parties of up to 15 people at a time around the house and gallery. There is an entrance fee to defray the cost of providing guides. The Charity has also published (in conjunction with Kingston University) a fully illustrated book about the house and collection which is available for purchase.

The house and collection are now widely acknowledged as an important and rare complete example of late 1960s modernist home specifically designed to accommodate the owner's collection of modern and contemporary painting and sculpture.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
TRUSTEES' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2022

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

The charity was able to award grants totalling £172,073 compared with £140,968 the previous year. The Trustees' objectives in relation to its grant-making activity for the year were:-

(a) to maintain and conserve to a high standard the house, garden and art collection at 1 Warren Park, to continue providing a programme of pre-booked guided tours for members of the public and to find further ways of enabling them to be available as a resource for learning and scholarly research without subjecting the property to damaging levels of wear and tear.

(b) to continue to support and enhance the facilities and activities of the Stanley Picker Gallery at Kingston University, which was originally built with funds provided by the Trust and has achieved the accolade of being an Arts Council England National Portfolio member.

(c) to continue to support the annual Stanley Picker Fellowships at Kingston University in Fine Art and Design which have now achieved international recognition and renown and attract a high standard of applicant.

(d) to continue to provide other grants and bursaries for the purposes of education in Fine and Performing Arts, accepting that this element of the charity's work may have to be reduced when substantial expenditure is required in connection with (a) above.

The trustees feel that they achieved these objectives.

Realised gains on the charity's investments were £71,124 and unrealised gains totalled £832,990 whilst income received on listed investments totalled £119,870. The total return of £1,023,984 represents an increase of 11% of the value of the portfolio at the start of the year.

The charity returned to a full programme of public opening of the Picker house in 2021/22, after the disruption caused by the Covid 19 pandemic in 2020/21, including providing those who had booked tours which could not take place and had been offered the alternative of deferral to 2021/22 to a full refund. The charity was also able to provide access for students at Kingston School of Art. The cost of maintaining the house and art collection and of providing public tours and access for students is far from fully covered by admission charges, but the Trustees consider that the public opening is an important part of the charity's work because of the unique resource provided by the house, garden and art collection as a largely unaltered and complete example of a 1960's modernist home designed to accommodate the owners' suburb collection of painting and sculpture as well as lifestyle.

The Trustees' policy in relation to educational grants and scholarships is to support and encourage students in performing arts as well as fine art. In most cases the trustees select the institutions to which such grants are to be made and those institutions award scholarships and bursaries to individual students according to need and merit. The Trustees have also set aside up to £100,000 to invest in "Instrument Trusts" which enable young virtuoso players of stringed instruments to obtain a top quality instrument to play and, all being well, to purchase over a period of up to 20 years, and the charity to participate in the potential increase in value of such instruments. The investments made by the charity so far have proved successful on both counts.

The charity does not engage in fundraising. The major factor outside of the Trustees' control that has an impact on the charity's objectives is the performance of the investments.

The charity has now established its own website which the trustees intend to develop further.

FUTURE PLANS

The Trustees' plans for the future include continuing sponsorship of the performing arts and developing digital means of public access to the house, garden and art collection at Warren Park.

PUBLIC BENEFIT

The trustees confirm that they have complied with the duty in section 17(5) of the Charities Act 2011 to have regard to the public benefit guidance published by the Charity Commission.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

For the purposes of comparison with previous and future years and in order to provide a true picture of the financial position of the charity at the accounting date, charitable grants due to be paid out after the year end for the 2021/2022 academic year have been included in the statements for this period.

When considering the level of grants to be awarded for 2021/2022, the Trustees took into account the realised gains and income received in previous accounting periods. During the year, the Trustees made charitable grants totalling £172,073 and spent a further £235,963 on the maintenance, conservation and public opening of the charity's property at Kingston in Surrey.

The Trustees are confident that the charity will be able to continue with a limited programme of making grants and looking after this property whilst ensuring that its investments are providing sufficient total return in order to meet the charity's objectives. However, the Trustees closely monitor the investment portfolio performance to ensure that the level of capital withdrawal from the Trusts Investment portfolio is sustainable.

Review of financial position

After adjusting for the realised and unrealised gains on the charity's investments, the net assets at the end of the year were £12,957,818 (2021: £12,387,789).

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The property is used for the Trust's charitable purposes. The land and buildings were revalued at market value in September 2021 at £5,000,000.

Investment Policy

The Trustees have delegated their investment management function over most of their investments to their investment advisors - JP Morgan Private Bank. The investment managers have a remit to invest for total return. During the period, the Trustees agreed to benchmark the performance of their investment managers against a composite benchmark comprising 70% MSCI World in local, 16% HFRI FoF Diversified hdg GBP, 10% Barclays Global Aggregate hdg GBP and 4% D J USB commodity TR, which will enable them in future to assess performance and identify issues that may require further attention.

The investment managers also hold approximately 17.5% of the Trust's investment funds on a non-discretionary account. These funds are invested in a portfolio of managed funds selected by the Trustees to complement the discretionary portfolio by providing non-correlated performance.

The Trustees were satisfied with the performance of the investment portfolios during the year.

The Trustees do not impose any ethical, social or environmental constraints upon the investment advisers. The charity's investment powers were modified by the Trustee Act 2000. As a consequence, the Trustees may invest the charity's assets as if they were absolutely entitled to them.

Reserves Policy

The Trustees have reviewed their reserves policy and consider that the present level of liquidity, with £12.4m of net assets, is satisfactory and prudent. In arriving at this decision, the Trustees allowed for likely charitable expenditure for the coming year together with anticipated incoming resources and proceeds from the realisation of investment assets. As a result the Trustees believe there are no material uncertainties about the Trust as a going concern.

The Trustees apply a formula in arriving at the total amount that may be distributed in a given year, based upon the average of realised gains and incoming resources over a five year period. With planned maintenance and adequate reserves for unplanned repairs, the Trustees feel that they can budget for expenditure on the Warren Park property with a reasonable degree of accuracy.

Principal Source of Funding

The trust has a portfolio of investments which generate the income from which the costs of maintenance of the property and grants to students are met. The investments are managed by JP Morgan Private Bank. The Trustees also have a credit facility with J P Morgan Private Bank which enables them to draw funds to meet the Trust's expenses at times when selling investments is considered inadvisable. This has proved particularly beneficial when investment markets have been volatile.

STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

Accounting and Reporting Responsibilities

The Trustees are responsible for preparing the Annual Report and the accounts in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice.

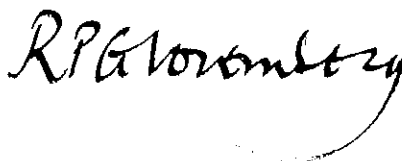
Charity law requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements, for each financial year, in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (UK GAAP) which give a true and fair view of the financial activities of the charity during the year and of its financial position at the end of the year. In preparing those statements, the Trustees are required to:

- 1) Select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- 2) Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- 3) State whether applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice have been followed, subject to any departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- 4) Prepare the accounts on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to assume 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 which enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the provisions of the Charities Act 2011. 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.

Rhoderick Peter Grosvenor Voremberg
Trustee

Date: 30th January 2023



THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2022

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of The Stanley Picker Trust for the year ended 5 April 2022 which comprise the Statement of Financial Activities, Balance Sheet, and the notes to the financial statements, including a summary of the significant accounting policies, set out on pages 9 to 15. 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 5 April 2022 and of its income and expenditure, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011

Basis for 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 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 Charities' 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 sections of this report.

Other information

The Trustees are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Trustees' Report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. 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.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the Charity and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the Trustees' Report.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2022

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

- the information in the Report of the Trustees is inconsistent in any material respect with the financial statements; or
- sufficient accounting records have not been kept; 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 the Trustees

As explained more fully in the Trustees' Responsibilities Statement, set out on page 4, 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 they 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.

Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

Our audit procedures were designed to provide reasonable assurance that they would detect irregularities, including non-compliance with relevant laws and regulations, and fraud. They included:

- obtaining an understanding of the Charities' activities and the laws and regulations which are central to their activities, both through our knowledge of the sector and discussions with management;
- reviewing the Charities' activities and any relevant correspondence for evidence of non-compliance;
- assessing the susceptibility of the financial statements to material misstatement in the light of the Charities' control environment, which we assessed to be low;
- ensuring that the engagement team had the appropriate competence, capabilities and skills to recognise non-compliance with applicable laws and regulations, through appropriate training and briefings; and that they remained alert to the possibility of non-compliance throughout the engagement.

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. 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 section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and the regulations made under section 154 of that Act. 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's trustees as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.



Fletcher & Partners
Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors
Salisbury

1 February 2023
Fletcher & Partners are eligible to act as auditor in terms of section 1212 of the Companies Act 2006


THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2022

		Unrestricted Funds	
	<u>Note</u>	<u>Total</u> 2022	<u>Total</u> 2021
INCOME FROM:			
Grants and donations			
Government grants		-	25,000
Donations		-	10
Investments			
Dividends and interest on listed investments		119,870	151,690
Interest on cash deposits		28	51
Charitable activities			
Visitor income		1,485	170
Visitor merchandise income		336	-
Other income			
Insurance claim		54,286	-
Total income		176,005	176,921
EXPENDITURE ON:			
Raising funds			
Investment management fees		67,774	56,979
Charitable activities			
Advancement of public education	2	442,316	292,925
Total expenditure		510,090	349,904
Realised gain/(losses) on investments and currency movements		71,124	109,545
Unrealised gains/(losses) on revaluation of Investments		832,990	1,162,477
Unrealised gain on revaluation of heritage assets		-	1,210,000
Net income/(expenditure)		570,029	2,309,039
Net movement in funds	13	570,029	2,309,039
TOTAL FUNDS AT 6 APRIL 2021	13	12,387,789	10,078,750
TOTAL FUNDS AT 5 APRIL 2022	13	£12,957,818	£12,387,789

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**BALANCE SHEET****AS AT 5 APRIL 2022**

	<u>Note</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
FIXED ASSETS			
Heritage Assets	5	5,129,206	5,179,206
Fixed Assets	6	7,329	-
Other investments	7	8,387,394	7,530,367
		<u>13,523,929</u>	<u>12,709,573</u>
CURRENT ASSETS			
Stock	9	9,874	10,140
Debtors	10	46,542	2,032
Cash at bank and in hand		123,896	118,901
Investments	8	46,065	46,065
		<u>226,377</u>	<u>177,138</u>
Creditors falling due within one year	11	792,488	498,922
		<u>792,488</u>	<u>498,922</u>
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES		(566,111)	(321,784)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		<u>12,957,818</u>	<u>12,387,789</u>
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after one year	12	-	-
TOTAL NET ASSETS		<u>£12,957,818</u>	<u>£12,387,789</u>
TOTAL CHARITY FUNDS		<u>£12,957,818</u>	<u>£12,387,789</u>

Signed on behalf of the Trustees:

Rhoderick Peter Grosvenor Voremberg
Trustee

Approved by the Trustees on

30th January 2023

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2022

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, modified to include the revaluation of investments and certain other assets to market value, and in accordance with the second edition of the Charities Statement of Recommended Practice (FRS102) issued in October 2019 and the Charities Act 2011. The Charity Constitutes a Public Benefit Entity as defined by FRS 102.

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the charities ability to continue as a going concern, note 16 provides further information. The area of judgement and key assumptions that have the most significant effect on the accounts are in relation to the value of heritage assets and investments.

Fund Structure

The Trusts funds are unrestricted and are available to be spent for any of the purposes of the Trust.

Heritage Assets

a. Property used for charitable purposes

This is considered to be a heritage assets partly because it was built by the settlor to hold the art collection and partly because it is an exceptional example of the architecture of its period. It is included in the Balance Sheet at a valuation. Depreciation is charged at 2% on buildings. A nil rate is used for freehold land because in the opinion of the Trustees, its life is considered to be indefinite.

b. Works of art

These assets are included at cost. No depreciation is charged because, in the opinion of the Trustees, their life is considered to be indefinite.

Other fixed assets

Fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life.

Office equipment	20%
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Investments

Investments are included at market value as at the balance sheet date, with any surplus or deficit on revaluation being dealt with through the Statement of Financial Activities.

Stock

This consists of books for resale, and is stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Charitable activities - constructive obligations

Where specific commitments have been made prior to the period end for the charitable expenditure, any amounts which remain unpaid are included in the Statement of Financial Activities for the period.

Income

Voluntary income, donations and investment income are accounted for on a receivable basis by the Trust. Deposits for visitor income received in advance are treated as deferred income in the accounts.

Expenditure

Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis. The trust is not registered for VAT and all costs include input VAT where this has been charged.

Grants payable are payments made to third parties in the furtherance of the charitable objectives of the trust. The grants are accounted for where either the trustees have agreed to pay the grant without condition and the recipient has a reasonable expectation that they will receive a grant, or any condition attaching to the grant is outside the control of the trust.

Support costs are all attributable to the one charitable activity, which is the advancement of public education.

Governance costs are the costs of managing the trust that do not relate to the provision of charitable activities.

Financial Instruments

The charity only has financial assets and liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments. They are initially recognised at transaction value and subsequently measured at their settlement value.

Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Exchange gains and losses are recognised through the Statement of financial activities.

Debtors

Debtors are measured at the amounts the charity anticipates it will receive from a debt or the amount it has paid in advance for goods or services.

Cash at bank and in hand

Cash at bank and in hand includes cash and cash on deposit.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2022

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES continued**Pension costs**

Contributions in respect of the charity's defined contributions scheme are charged as expenditure in the period to which they relate.

Liabilities

Liabilities are measured at the amounts the charity anticipates it will pay to settle a debt or the amount it has received as an advance payment for goods or services it must provide.

2. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES: ADVANCEMENT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Educational Grants		
Bursaries		
Royal Academy of Dramatic Art	5,000	5,000
Royal Northern College of Music	5,000	5,000
Royal Academy of Arts	-	5,000
Trinity Laban	5,000	-
Royal Academy of Music	-	-
Royal College of Music	5,000	5,000
Courtauld Institute of Art	10,000	-
Royal Conservatoire	-	-
Rambert School of Ballet	-	5,000
The Purcell School	3,000	-
Royal Central School of Speech & Drama	-	5,000
Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment	-	5,000
ArtsEd	5,000	5,000
The Guildhall School of Music & Drama	5,000	5,000
London Philharmonic Orchestra	3,107	-
English National Ballet	3,000	-
Northern Ballet	5,000	-
The Royal Ballet School	5,000	-
	59,107	45,000
Special Awards		
Friends of Israel Museum	5,666	6,108
Tate	5,000	-
Whitechapel Gallery	5,000	5,000
Matt's Gallery	8,300	7,860
Birmingham Royal Ballet	4,000	4,000
City & Guilds London Art	5,000	5,000
Orchestra of Age of Enlightenment	-	-
The Royal Collection Trust	-	-
Royal College of Art	-	-
Chelsea College of Art & Design	-	-
London Academy of Music & Dramatic Art	-	-
The Old Vic	-	-
Royal School of Needlework	-	-
Bristol Old Vic	-	3,000
National Youth Choirs	-	-
Foundation for Young Musicians	-	-
Queen Elizabeth Scholarship Trust	5,000	-
Danse Classique	-	-
Royal Conservatoire of Scotland	5,000	-
Trevor Appleson	5,000	-
	47,966	30,968
Kingston University		
Stanley Picker Fellowships and Gallery	43,000	43,000
Fine Art School	22,000	22,000
	65,000	65,000
	172,073	140,968

The majority of grants are awarded on an annual basis and charged to the SOFA accordingly. However, this year, a grant of £5,000 was awarded to the Courtauld Institute of Art for two years and consequently £10,000 was charged this year.

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2. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES: ADVANCEMENT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Art Gallery and Museum - Warren Park		
Art restoration	55,718	1,140
Council tax and business rates	4,352	4,149
Staff wages and housekeeping	46,850	45,303
Light and heating	8,799	9,214
Repairs, servicing and maintenance	19,452	18,663
Water rates	1,662	1,584
Insurance	11,778	11,410
Fire and security	9,453	6,628
Telephones	2,666	2,248
IT, postage and stationery	4,423	5,018
Guides' fees	360	60
Garden expenses	20,396	17,096
Cleaning	3,408	3,249
Books and publications	266	-
Bank charges and sundries	9,548	5,657
Depreciation	51,832	1,987
	250,963	133,406
Support costs (Note 4)	2,331	2,964
Governance Costs (Note 4)	16,949	15,587
	£442,316	£292,925

3. STAFF COSTS

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Warren Park - staffing costs	43,779	42,332
Social security costs	-	-
Pension costs	3,071	2,971
Other staff costs	-	-
	£46,850	£45,303

Average number of employees during the year

Administration and household	2	2
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During the year there were no employees that received benefits of more than £60,000.

4.a1 ANALYSIS OF SUPPORT AND GOVERNANCE COSTS - 2022

	Basis of Apportionment	<u>General support</u> 2022	<u>Governance</u> 2022	<u>Total</u> 2022
Legal fees - Farrer	Invoiced	2,331	4,108	6,439
Reimbursement of Trustees' expenses	Governance	-	1,079	1,079
Auditors fees - audit services	Governance	-	10,700	10,700
Auditors fees - other services	Governance	-	1,062	1,062
		£2,331	£16,949	£19,280

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4.a2 ANALYSIS OF SUPPORT AND GOVERNANCE COSTS - 2021

	<i>Basis of Apportionment</i>	<u>General support</u> 2021	<u>Governance</u> 2021	<u>Total</u> 2021
Legal fees - Farrer	<i>Invoiced</i>	2,964	4,160	7,124
Reimbursement of Trustees' travel expenses	<i>Governance</i>		-	-
Auditors fees - audit services	<i>Governance</i>	-	10,395	10,395
Auditors fees - other services	<i>Governance</i>	-	1,032	1,032
		<u>£2,964</u>	<u>£15,587</u>	<u>£18,551</u>

4.b GOVERNANCE COSTS

	2022	2021
Legal fees - Farrer	4,108	4,160
Reimbursement of Trustees' travel expenses	1,079	-
Auditors fees - audit services	10,700	10,395
Auditors fees - other services	1,062	1,032
	<u>£16,949</u>	<u>£15,587</u>

5.a HERITAGE ASSETS

	<u>Freehold Property</u>	<u>Works of Art</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cost/Valuation			
As at 5 April 2021	5,000,000	179,206	5,179,206
Revaluation		-	-
As at 5 April 2022	<u>5,000,000</u>	<u>179,206</u>	<u>5,179,206</u>
Depreciation			
As at 5 April 2021	-	-	-
Revaluation			-
Charge for year	50,000	-	50,000
As at 5 April 2022	<u>50,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>50,000</u>
Net Book Value			
As at 5 April 2022	<u>£4,950,000</u>	<u>£179,206</u>	<u>£5,129,206</u>
As at 5 April 2021	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£179,206</u>	<u>£5,179,206</u>

The heritage assets, consisting of the property and works of art, were bequeathed to the Trust in May 1982. The Trustees' current policy is not to make further acquisition of heritage assets or dispose of any of the existing assets. The policy is therefore centred on the preservation of the existing assets. Two members of staff are employed at Warren Park. The trustees' have appointed an architect to ensure that the property is regularly reviewed and maintained. The works of art are also subject to regular reviews and the Trustees have engaged the services of a professional conservator who has reported on the condition of all the paintings in the collection and will be undertaking a prioritized programme of conservation.

The Freehold property was formally valued in September 2021 by Robert Holmes & Company Limited, Chartered Surveyors on an open market valuation basis.

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5.b SUMMARY ANALYSIS OF HERITAGE ASSET TRANSACTIONS

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>
<u>Freehold land & buildings</u>					
Cost/Valuation	5,000,000	4,000,000	4,000,000	4,000,000	4,000,000
Revaluation	-	1,000,000	-	-	-
Total cost	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£4,000,000</u>	<u>£4,000,000</u>	<u>£4,000,000</u>
Charge for depreciation	<u>£50,000</u>	<u>£0</u>	<u>£35,000</u>	<u>£35,000</u>	<u>£35,000</u>

Works of Art

There have been no additions, disposals or impairments to the Works of Art in the last five years. The assets are fully catalogued and insured based on Christies' valuations.

6. FIXED ASSETS

	<u>Office Equipment & Fixture & Fittings</u>
Cost	
As at 6 April 2021	11,911
Additions	<u>9,161</u>
As at 5 April 2022	<u>21,072</u>
Depreciation	
As at 6 April 2021	11,911
Charge for the year	<u>1,832</u>
As at 5 April 2022	<u>13,743</u>
Net Book Value	
As at 5 April 2022	<u>£7,329</u>
As at 5 April 2021	<u>£-</u>

7. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

	<u>2022 Investment Portfolio</u>	<u>2021 Investment Portfolio</u>
Market value as at 5 April 2021	7,530,367	6,190,651
Additions at cost	1,601,631	1,590,754
Disposals at opening market value	(1,617,646)	(1,381,077)
Unrealised gains / (losses) on revaluation	836,758	1,144,547
Increase / (decrease) in investment cash	<u>36,284</u>	<u>(14,508)</u>
Market value as at 5 April 2022	<u>£8,387,394</u>	<u>£7,530,367</u>
Represented by		
Cash Deposits	£40,206	£3,921
Investments held in the UK	£2,464,366	£2,876,514
Investments held outside the UK	£5,784,397	£4,649,932
	<u>£8,288,969</u>	<u>£7,530,367</u>
Historical cost as at 5 April 2022	<u>£6,251,532</u>	<u>£6,109,247</u>

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8. CURRENT ASSET INVESTMENTS

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
The Julia Loucks Violin Trust	9,069	9,069
The Jamie Walton Cello Trust	10,000	10,000
The Alicja Smetana Violin Trust	10,000	10,000
The Emily Smith Cello Trust	10,000	10,000
The Sophie Rosa Violin Trust	6,996	6,996
	<u>£46,065</u>	<u>£46,065</u>

The Trustees consider that the investments in the instrument trusts are programme related investments. They represent contributions via a trust to purchase an instrument for the exclusive use of a young player.

9. STOCK

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Books for resale	9,874	10,140
	<u>£9,874</u>	<u>£10,140</u>

10. DEBTORS

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Other debtors	44,297	-
Prepayments and accrued income	2,245	2,032
	<u>£46,542</u>	<u>£2,032</u>

11. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Bank loans and overdrafts	654,880	392,191
Grants payable	70,000	68,000
Accruals and deferred income	14,350	12,035
Other creditors	53,258	26,696
	<u>£792,488</u>	<u>£498,922</u>

Deferred income relates to income received for guided tours in the following year. None was brought forward or carried forward at the year end.

12. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after one year

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Grants payable	-	-
	<u>£ -</u>	<u>£ -</u>

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13.1 FUND MOVEMENTS - 2022

	<u>Balance at</u> <u>06/04/2021</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>	<u>Gains and</u> <u>Losses</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>05/04/2022</u>
Unrestricted Fund	12,387,789	176,005	(510,090)	904,114	12,957,818

13.2 FUND MOVEMENTS - 2021

	<u>Balance at</u> <u>06/04/2020</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>	<u>Gains and</u> <u>Losses</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>05/04/2021</u>
Unrestricted Fund	10,078,750	176,921	(349,904)	2,482,022	12,387,789

14. TRANSACTIONS WITH TRUSTEES

Expenses totalling £1,079 (2021: £Nil) were reimbursed to 1 trustee (2021: 0) for travel expenses, printing and stationery, and entertaining and subsistence during the year.

15. LEGAL FORM

The Stanley Picker Trust is a charity first registered in England and Wales in 1976 based within the Royal Borough of Kingston-upon-Thames. Its registered office is PO Box 1532, Kingston-upon-Thames, Surrey KT19XR

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CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

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THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2021

Trustees and Officers

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Alan Picker Safir
Joan Arden Safir

Address

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Registered number

271185

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Accountants: Fletcher & Partners, Chartered Accountants, Crown Chambers,
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THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
TRUSTEES' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2021

The Trustees present their annual report and the audited accounts of The Stanley Picker Trust for the year ended 5 April 2021. These have been prepared to comply with the Charities Act 2011, the charity's trust deed and the Statement of Recommended Practice "Accounting and Reporting by Charities (FRS102)".

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

The Stanley Picker Trust ("the charity") was established by the late Mr Stanley Picker under a Trust Deed dated 8 March 1976. The charity is unincorporated and all of the Trustees are individuals. The Trustees have the statutory power (under the Trustee Act 1925) to appoint new trustees and they have formulated a policy to ensure that any new Trustee is fully aware of the charity's aims and objectives. New Trustees are appointed by deed and existing Trustees are retired by deed.

The charity has a Grants Committee which reviews new applications received and the charity's ongoing programme of educational grants in the context of funds available for grant giving. The annual Grants Committee meeting is typically held in April and during that meeting grants are awarded for the forthcoming academic year with payment usually, but not always, commencing in September of the year in which the grant was awarded.

The charity is not part of a wider network of charitable organisations and there are no subsidiaries nor any other charities and organisations with which it co-operates in the pursuit of its charitable objectives.

Risk Management

The Trustees have considered the major risks to which the charity is exposed, and have formulated policies to mitigate those risks. They are perceived to be:

- Fire - The alarm system at 1 Warren Park is regularly inspected and upgraded as necessary, and the buildings and collection are comprehensively insured against all risks.
- Theft - The alarm and CCTV systems at 1 Warren Park have been upgraded and the Trustees insure the collection at market value (as advised by Christie's) against theft and other risks.
- Public Liability - The Trustees' insurance policy covers them for public liability.
- Record Keeping - The Trust's records are kept at Warren Park and Farrer & Co. Most are kept in paper copy and many are duplicated electronically at Farrer & Co, where the computer systems upon which they rely are properly backed up. The Trustees consider that the use of Farrer & Co provides professional indemnity for the benefit of the charity and access to systems and skills which the charity could not otherwise afford to provide from own resources.

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

The charity exists for the purpose of advancing public education generally and including the following at the discretion of the Trustees:

- (a) the provision of an annual award or prize to a post-graduate student to pursue his or her studies in any branch of the fine arts at Kingston University or other college in Surrey;
- (b) the provision of other prizes and awards for the study of painting and sculpture (and in particular for travel in the pursuit of such studies);
- (c) the acquisition of works of art which the Trustees consider to be worthy of exhibition or study;
- (d) permitting students to view, examine and study the works of art;
- (e) the acquisition of land and buildings of any tenure for the purposes of providing one or more places of exhibition for the works of art;
- (f) the improvement, equipment repair and reconstruction or adaptation as a place of exhibition of works of art of any land or buildings acquired and the maintenance and repair thereof;
- (g) the provision of endowments or donations to other educational charities; and
- (h) the provision of educational scholarships

Mr Picker died in May 1982 and bequeathed to the Trust his art collection and freehold property 1 Warren Park, Kingston Hill in which the works of art are generally kept. The Trustees maintain the property and the collection as a museum and provide guided tours of both by appointment.

1 Warren Park, where the house and gallery are situated may be visited by members of the public on approximately 30 open days, between April and October. The guided tours, which must be booked with the Curator in advance, last for approximately two hours and begin with a short history about Stanley Picker and the charity. Trained guides tour parties of up to 15 people at a time around the house and gallery. There is an entrance fee to defray the cost of providing guides. The Charity has also published (in conjunction with Kingston University) a fully illustrated book about the house and collection which is available for purchase.

The house and collection are now widely acknowledged as an important and rare complete example of late 1960s modernist home specifically designed to accommodate the owner's collection of modern and contemporary painting and sculpture.

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ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

The charity was able to award grants totalling £140,968 compared with £140,115 the previous year. The Trustees' objectives in relation to its grant-making activity for the year were:-

(a) to maintain and conserve to a high standard the house, garden and art collection at 1 Warren Park, to continue providing a programme of pre-booked guided tours for members of the public and to find further ways of enabling them to be available as a resource for learning and scholarly research without subjecting the property to damaging levels of wear and tear.

(b) to continue to support and enhance the facilities and activities of the Stanley Picker Gallery at Kingston University, which was originally built with funds provided by the Trust and has achieved the accolade of being an Arts Council England National Portfolio member.

(c) to continue to support the annual Stanley Picker Fellowships at Kingston University in Fine Art and Design which have now achieved international recognition and renown and attract a high standard of applicant.

(d) to continue to provide other grants and bursaries for the purposes of education in Fine and Performing Arts, accepting that this element of the charity's work may have to be reduced when substantial expenditure is required in connection with (a) above.

The trustees feel that they achieved these objectives.

Realised gains on the charity's investments were £109,545 and unrealised gains totalled £1,162,477 whilst income received on listed investments totalled £151,690. The total return of £1,423,712 represents an increase of 23% of the value of the portfolio at the start of the year.

The charity's public opening of 1 Warren Park was substantially disrupted by the Covid 19 pandemic in 2020/21, but part of the annual programme of tours was completed and those who had booked tours which could not take place were offered the alternative of deferral to 2021/22 to a full refund. The charity was also able to provide some days of access for students at Kingston School of Art and enable a filming project connected with the Stanley Picker fellowship. The cost of maintaining the house and art collection and of providing public tours and access for students is far from fully covered by admission charges, but the Trustees consider that the public opening is an important part of the charity's work because of the unique resource provided by the house, garden and art collection as a largely unaltered and complete example of a 1960's modernist home designed to accommodate the owners' suburb collection of painting and sculpture as well as lifestyle.

The Trustees' policy in relation to educational grants and scholarships is to support and encourage students in performing arts as well as fine art. In most cases the trustees select the institutions to which such grants are to be made and those institutions award scholarships and bursaries to individual students according to need and merit. The Trustees have also set aside up to £100,000 to invest in "Instrument Trusts" which enable young virtuoso players of stringed instruments to obtain a top quality instrument to play and, all being well, to purchase over a period of up to 20 years, and the charity to participate in the potential increase in value of such instruments. The investments made by the charity so far have proved successful on both counts.

The charity does not engage in fundraising. The major factor outside of the Trustees' control that has an impact on the charity's objectives is the performance of the investments, although in 2020 the Covid-19 pandemic has prevented tours of the house and garden from taking place.

The charity has now established its own website which the trustees intend to develop further.

FUTURE PLANS

The Trustees' plans for the future include continuing sponsorship of the performing arts and developing digital means of public access to the house, garden and art collection at Warren Park.

PUBLIC BENEFIT

The trustees confirm that they have complied with the duty in section 17(5) of the Charities Act 2011 to have regard to the public benefit guidance published by the Charity Commission.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

For the purposes of comparison with previous and future years and in order to provide a true picture of the financial position of the charity at the accounting date, charitable grants due to be paid out after the year end for the 2020/2021 academic year have been included in the statements for this period.

When considering the level of grants to be awarded for 2020/2021, the Trustees took into account the realised gains and income received in previous accounting periods. During the year, the Trustees made charitable grants totalling £140,968 and spent a further £133,406 on the maintenance, conservation and public opening of the charity's property at Kingston in Surrey.

The Trustees are confident that the charity will be able to continue with its programme of making grants and looking after this property whilst ensuring that its investments are providing sufficient total return in order to meet the charity's objectives. However, with the current Covid-19 pandemic, the Trustees will closely monitor the investment portfolio performance to ensure that the level of capital withdrawal from the Trusts investment portfolio is sustainable.

Review of financial position

After adjusting for the realised and unrealised gains on the charity's investments, the net assets at the end of the year were £12,387,789 (2020: £10,078,750).

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The property is used for the Trust's charitable purposes. The land and buildings were revalued at market value in September 2021 at £5,000,000.

Investment Policy

The Trustees have delegated their investment management function over most of their investments to their investment advisors - JP Morgan Private Bank. The investment managers have a remit to invest for total return. During the period, the Trustees agreed to benchmark the performance of their investment managers against a composite benchmark comprising 70% MSCI World in local, 16% HFRI FoF Diversified hdg GBP, 10% Barclays Global Aggregate hdg GBP and 4% D J USB commodity TR, which will enable them in future to assess performance and identify issues that may require further attention.

The investment managers also hold approximately 17.5% of the Trust's investment funds on a non-discretionary account. These funds are invested in a portfolio of managed funds selected by the Trustees to complement the discretionary portfolio by providing non-correlated performance.

The Trustees were satisfied with the performance of the investment portfolios during a year where global stock markets were significantly impacted by the outbreak of the Covid-19 pandemic.

The Trustees do not impose any ethical, social or environmental constraints upon the investment advisers. The charity's investment powers were modified by the Trustee Act 2000. As a consequence, the Trustees may invest the charity's assets as if they were absolutely entitled to them.

Reserves Policy

The Trustees have reviewed their reserves policy and consider that the present level of liquidity, with £12.4m of net assets, is satisfactory and prudent. In arriving at this decision, the Trustees allowed for likely charitable expenditure for the coming year together with anticipated incoming resources and proceeds from the realisation of investment assets. As a result the Trustees believe there are no material uncertainties about the Trust as a going concern.

The Trustees apply a formula in arriving at the total amount that may be distributed in a given year, based upon the average of realised gains and incoming resources over a five year period. With planned maintenance and adequate reserves for unplanned repairs, the Trustees feel that they can budget for expenditure on the Warren Park property with a reasonable degree of accuracy.

Principal Source of Funding

The trust has a portfolio of investments which generate the income from which the costs of maintenance of the property and grants to students are met. The investments are managed by JP Morgan Private Bank. The Trustees also have a credit facility with J P Morgan Private Bank which enables them to draw funds to meet the Trust's expenses at times when selling investments is considered inadvisable. This has proved particularly beneficial when investment markets have been volatile.

STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

Accounting and Reporting Responsibilities

The Trustees are responsible for preparing the Annual Report and the accounts in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice.

Charity law requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements, for each financial year, in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (UK GAAP) which give a true and fair view of the financial activities of the charity during the year and of its financial position at the end of the year. In preparing those statements, the Trustees are required to:

- 1) Select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- 2) Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- 3) State whether applicable accounting standards and statements of recommended practice have been followed, subject to any departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- 4) Prepare the accounts on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to assume 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 which enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the provisions of the Charities Act 2011. 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.

Rhoderick Peter Grosvenor Voremberg
Trustee

Date: 19 January 2022

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2021

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of The Stanley Picker Trust for the year ended 5 April 2021 which comprise the Statement of Financial Activities, Balance Sheet, and the notes to the financial statements, including a summary of the significant accounting policies, set out on pages 9 to 15. 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 5 April 2021 and of its income and expenditure, for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011

Basis for 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 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 Charities' 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 sections of this report.

Other information

The Trustees are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Trustees' Report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. 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.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the Charity and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the Trustees' Report.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2021

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

- the information in the Report of the Trustees is inconsistent in any material respect with the financial statements: or
- sufficient accounting records have not been kept; 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 the Trustees

As explained more fully in the Trustees' Responsibilities Statement, set out on page 4, 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 they 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.

Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

Our audit procedures were designed to provide reasonable assurance that they would detect irregularities, including non-compliance with relevant laws and regulations, and fraud. They included:

- obtaining an understanding of the Charities' activities and the laws and regulations which are central to their activities, both through our knowledge of the sector and discussions with management;

'- reviewing the Charities' activities and any relevant correspondence for evidence of non-compliance;

- assessing the susceptibility of the financial statements to material misstatement in the light of the Charities' control environment, which we assessed to be low;

- ensuring that the engagement team had the appropriate competence, capabilities and skills to recognise non-compliance with applicable laws and regulations, through appropriate training and briefings; and that they remained alert to the possibility of non-compliance throughout the engagement.

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. 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 section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 and the regulations made under section 154 of that Act. 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's trustees as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Fletcher & Partners

Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors

Salisbury

25 January 2022

Fletcher & Partners are eligible to act as auditor in terms of section 1212 of the Companies Act 2006

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2021

		Unrestricted Funds	
	<u>Note</u>	Total <u>2021</u>	Total <u>2020</u>
INCOME FROM:			
Grants and donations			
Government grants		25,000	-
Donations		10	50
Investments			
Dividends and interest on listed investments		151,690	138,900
Interest on cash deposits		51	468
Charitable activities			
Visitor income		170	2,240
Visitor merchandise income		-	744
Other income		-	2,438
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Total income		176,921	144,840
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EXPENDITURE ON:			
Raising funds			
Investment management fees		56,979	45,608
Charitable activities			
Advancement of public education	2	292,925	359,767
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Total expenditure		349,904	405,375
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Realised gain/(losses) on investments and currency movements		109,545	(6,138)
Unrealised gains/(losses) on revaluation of investments		1,162,477	(200,143)
Unrealised gain on revaluation of heritage assets		1,210,000	-
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Net income/(expenditure)		2,309,039	(466,816)
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Net movement in funds	13	2,309,039	(466,816)
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TOTAL FUNDS AT 6 APRIL 2020	13	10,078,750	10,545,566
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TOTAL FUNDS AT 5 APRIL 2021	13	<u>£12,387,789</u>	<u>£10,078,750</u>

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**BALANCE SHEET****AS AT 5 APRIL 2021**

	<u>Note</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
FIXED ASSETS			
Heritage Assets	5	5,179,206	3,969,206
Fixed Assets	6	-	1,988
Other investments	7	7,530,367	6,190,651
		<u>12,709,573</u>	<u>10,161,845</u>
CURRENT ASSETS			
Stock	9	10,140	10,140
Debtors	10	2,032	-
Cash at bank and in hand		118,901	131,926
Investments	8	46,065	46,065
		<u>177,138</u>	<u>188,131</u>
Creditors falling due within one year	11	498,922	268,226
		<u>498,922</u>	<u>268,226</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS		(321,784)	(80,095)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		<u>12,387,789</u>	<u>10,081,750</u>
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after one year	12	-	3,000
TOTAL NET ASSETS		<u>£12,387,789</u>	<u>£10,078,750</u>
TOTAL CHARITY FUNDS		<u>£12,387,789</u>	<u>£10,078,750</u>

Signed on behalf of the Trustees:

**Rhoderick Peter Grosvenor Voremberg
Trustee**

Approved by the Trustees on

19 January 2022

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2021

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, modified to include the revaluation of investments and certain other assets to market value, and in accordance with the second edition of the Charities Statement of Recommended Practice (FRS102) issued in October 2019 and the Charities Act 2011. The Charity Constitutes a Public Benefit Entity as defined by FRS 102.

The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the charities ability to continue as a going concern, note 16 provides further information. The area of judgement and key assumptions that have the most significant effect on the accounts are in relation to the value of heritage assets and investments.

Fund Structure

The Trusts funds are unrestricted and are available to be spent for any of the purposes of the Trust.

Heritage Assets

a. Property used for charitable purposes

This is considered to be a heritage assets partly because it was built by the settlor to hold the art collection and partly because it is an exceptional example of the architecture of its period. It is included in the Balance Sheet at a valuation. Depreciation is charged at 2% on buildings. A nil rate is used for freehold land because in the opinion of the Trustees, its life is considered to be indefinite.

b. Works of art

These assets are included at cost. No depreciation is charged because, in the opinion of the Trustees, their life is considered to be indefinite.

Other fixed assets

Fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life.

Office equipment	20%
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Investments

Investments are included at market value as at the balance sheet date, with any surplus or deficit on revaluation being dealt with through the Statement of Financial Activities.

Stock

This consists of books for resale, and is stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Charitable activities - constructive obligations

Where specific commitments have been made prior to the period end for the charitable expenditure, any amounts which remain unpaid are included in the Statement of Financial Activities for the period.

Income

Voluntary income, donations and investment income are accounted for on a receivable basis by the Trust. Deposits for visitor income received in advance are treated as deferred income in the accounts.

Expenditure

Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis. The trust is not registered for VAT and all costs include input VAT where this has been charged.

Grants payable are payments made to third parties in the furtherance of the charitable objectives of the trust. The grants area accounted for where either the trustees have agreed to pay the grant without condition and the recipient has a reasonable expectation that they will receive a grant, or any condition attaching to the grant is outside the control of the trust.

Support costs are all attributable to the one charitable activity, which is the advancement of public education.

Governance costs are the costs of managing the trust that do not relate to the provision of charitable activities.

Financial Instruments

The charity only has financial assets and liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments. They are initially recognised at transaction value and subsequently measured at their settlement value.

Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Exchange gains and losses are recognised through the Statement of financial activities.

Debtors

Debtors are measured at the amounts the charity anticipates it will receive from a debt or the amount it has paid in advance for goods or services.

Cash at bank and in hand

Cash at bank and in hand includes cash and cash on deposit.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2021

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES continued**Pension costs**

Contributions in respect of the charity's defined contributions scheme are charged as expenditure in the period to which they relate.

Liabilities

Liabilities are measured at the amounts the charity anticipates it will pay to settle a debt or the amount it has received as an advance payment for goods or services it must provide.

2. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES: ADVANCEMENT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Educational Grants		
Bursaries		
Royal Academy of Dramatic Art	5,000	5,000
Royal Northern College of Music	5,000	5,000
Royal Academy of Arts	5,000	5,000
Trinity Laban	-	-
Guildhall School of Music and Drama	-	-
Royal Academy of Music	-	-
Royal College of Music	5,000	5,000
Courtauld Institute of Art	-	5,000
Royal Conservatoire	-	2,500
Rambert School of Ballet	5,000	5,000
The Purcell School	-	-
Royal Central School of Speech & Drama	5,000	-
Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment	5,000	-
ArtsEd	5,000	-
The Guildhall School of Music & Drama	5,000	-
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	45,000	32,500
Special Awards		
Friends of Israel Museum	6,108	5,865
Tate	-	5,000
Whitechapel Gallery	5,000	5,000
Matts Gallery	7,860	7,250
Birmingham Royal Ballet	4,000	4,000
City & Guilds London Art	5,000	5,000
Orchestra of Age of Enlightenment	-	-
The Royal Collection Trust	-	-
Royal College of Art	-	1,500
Chelsea College of Art & Design	-	-
London Academy of Music & Dramatic Art	-	9,000
The Old Vic	-	-
Brighton Early Music Festival	-	-
Royal School of Needlework	-	-
Bristol Old Vic	3,000	-
	-	-
Northern Ballet Theatre Ltd	-	-
National Youth Choirs	-	-
Foundation for Young Musicians	-	-
Yorke Dance Project	-	-
Queen Elizabeth Scholarship Trust	-	-
Danse Classique	-	-
Royal Conservatoire of Scotland	-	-
NMC Recordings	-	-
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	30,968	42,615
Kingston University		
Stanley Picker Fellowships and Gallery	43,000	43,000
Fine Art School	22,000	22,000
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	65,000	65,000
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	140,968	140,115

The majority of grants are awarded on an annual basis and charged to the SOFA accordingly. However, in the previous year, a grant of £3,000 was awarded to the London Academy of Music & Dramatic Art for three years and consequently £9,000 was charged in that year.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2021

2. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES: ADVANCEMENT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Art Gallery and Museum - Warren Park		
Art restoration	1,140	2,014
Council tax and business rates	4,149	3,849
Staff wages and housekeeping	45,303	44,159
Light and heating	9,214	7,991
Repairs, servicing and maintenance	18,663	6,710
Water rates	1,584	1,804
Insurance	11,410	11,198
Fire and security	6,628	6,949
Telephones	2,248	2,274
Postage and stationery	5,018	5,156
Guides' fees	60	1,500
Garden expenses	17,096	27,616
Cleaning	3,249	3,836
Books and publications	-	376
Bank charges and sundries	5,657	3,967
Depreciation	1,987	37,167
	133,406	166,566
Support costs (Note 4)	2,964	34,319
Governance Costs (Note 4)	15,587	18,767
	£292,925	£359,767

3. STAFF COSTS

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Warren Park - staffing costs	42,332	41,604
Social security costs	-	362
Pension costs	2,971	2,193
Other staff costs	-	-
	£45,303	£44,159

Average number of employees during the year

Administration and household	2	2
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During the year there were no employees that received benefits of more than £60,000.

4.a1 ANALYSIS OF SUPPORT AND GOVERNANCE COSTS - 2021

	Basis of Apportionment	<u>General support</u> <u>2021</u>	<u>Governance</u> <u>2021</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>2021</u>
Legal fees - Farrer	Invoiced	2,964	4,160	7,124
Reimbursement of Trustees' travel expenses	Governance	-	-	-
Auditors fees - audit services	Governance	-	10,395	10,395
Auditors fees - other services	Governance	-	1,032	1,032
		£2,964	£15,587	£18,551

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST
NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2021

4.a2 ANALYSIS OF SUPPORT AND GOVERNANCE COSTS - 2020

	<i>Basis of Apportionment</i>	<i>General support 2020</i>	<i>Governance 2020</i>	<i>Total 2020</i>
Legal fees - Farrer	<i>Invoiced</i>	34,319	5,760	40,079
Reimbursement of Trustees' travel expenses	<i>Governance</i>		1,911	1,911
Auditors fees - audit services	<i>Governance</i>	-	10,094	10,094
Auditors fees - other services	<i>Governance</i>	-	1,002	1,002
		<u>£34,319</u>	<u>£18,767</u>	<u>£53,086</u>

4.b GOVERNANCE COSTS

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Legal fees - Farrer	4,160	5,760
Reimbursement of Trustees' travel expenses	-	1,911
Auditors fees - audit services	10,395	10,094
Auditors fees - other services	1,032	1,002
	<u>£15,587</u>	<u>£18,767</u>

5.a HERITAGE ASSETS

	<u>Freehold Property</u>	<u>Works of Art</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cost/Valuation			
As at 5 April 2020	4,000,000	179,206	4,179,206
Revaluation	1,000,000	-	1,000,000
	<u>5,000,000</u>	<u>179,206</u>	<u>5,179,206</u>
As at 5 April 2021			
Depreciation			
As at 5 April 2020	210,000	-	210,000
Revaluation	-	210,000	-
Charge for year	-	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
As at 5 April 2021	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Net Book Value			
As at 5 April 2021	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£179,206</u>	<u>£5,179,206</u>
As at 5 April 2020	<u>£3,790,000</u>	<u>£179,206</u>	<u>£3,969,206</u>

The heritage assets, consisting of the property and works of art, were bequeathed to the Trust in May 1982. The Trustees' current policy is not to make further acquisition of heritage assets or dispose of any of the existing assets. The policy is therefore centred on the preservation of the existing assets. Two members of staff are employed at Warren Park. The trustees' have appointed an architect to ensure that the property is regularly reviewed and maintained. The works of art are also subject to regular reviews and the Trustees have engaged the services of a professional conservator who has reported on the condition of all the paintings in the collection and will be undertaking a prioritized programme of conservation.

The Freehold property was formally valued in September 2021 by Robert Holmes & Company Limited, Chartered Surveyors on an open market valuation basis.

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2021****5.b SUMMARY ANALYSIS OF HERITAGE ASSET TRANSACTIONS**

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
<u>Freehold land & buildings</u>					
Cost/Valuation	4,000,000	4,000,000	4,000,000	4,000,000	4,000,000
Revaluation	1,000,000	-	-	-	-
Total cost	<u>£5,000,000</u>	<u>£4,000,000</u>	<u>£4,000,000</u>	<u>£4,000,000</u>	<u>£4,000,000</u>
Charge for depreciation	<u>£0</u>	<u>£35,000</u>	<u>£35,000</u>	<u>£35,000</u>	<u>£35,000</u>

Works of Art

There have been no additions, disposals or impairments to the Works of Art in the last five years. The assets are fully catalogued and insured based on Christies' valuations.

6. FIXED ASSETS

	<u>Office Equipment & Fixture & Fittings</u>
Cost	
As at 6 April 2020	11,911
Additions	-
As at 5 April 2021	<u>11,911</u>
Depreciation	
As at 6 April 2020	9,923
Charge for the year	1,988
As at 5 April 2021	<u>11,911</u>
Net Book Value	
As at 5 April 2021	<u>£-</u>
As at 5 April 2020	<u>£1,988</u>

7. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

	<u>2021 Investment Portfolio</u>	<u>2020 Investment Portfolio</u>
Market value as at 5 April 2020	£6,190,651	6,487,491
Additions at cost	1,590,754	2,212,846
Disposals at opening market value	(1,381,077)	(2,295,984)
Unrealised gains / (losses) on revaluation	1,144,547	(200,143)
Increase / (decrease) in investment cash	(14,508)	(13,559)
Market value as at 5 April 2021	<u>£7,530,367</u>	<u>£6,190,651</u>
Represented by		
Cash Deposits	£3,921	£18,430
Investments held in the UK	£2,876,514	£2,676,949
Investments held outside the UK	£4,649,932	£3,495,272
	<u>£7,530,367</u>	<u>£6,190,651</u>
Historical cost as at 5 April 2021	<u>£4,999,313</u>	<u>£5,945,028</u>

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2021****8. CURRENT ASSET INVESTMENTS**

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
The Julia Loucks Violin Trust	9,069	9,069
The Jamie Walton Cello Trust	10,000	10,000
The Alicja Smietana Violin Trust	10,000	10,000
The Emily Smith Cello Trust	10,000	10,000
The Sophie Rosa Violin Trust	6,996	6,996
	<u>£46,065</u>	<u>£46,065</u>

The Trustees consider that the investments in the instrument trusts are programme related investments. They represent contributions via a trust to purchase an instrument for the exclusive use of a young player.

9. STOCK

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Books for resale	10,140	10,140
	<u>£10,140</u>	<u>£10,140</u>

10. DEBTORS

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Prepayments and accrued income	2,032	-
	<u>£2,032</u>	<u>£ -</u>

11. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Bank loans and overdrafts	392,191	208,989
Grants payable	68,000	9,000
Accruals and deferred income	12,035	14,586
Other creditors	26,696	35,651
	<u>£498,922</u>	<u>£268,226</u>

Deferred income relates to income received for guided tours in the following year. None was brought forward or carried forward at the year end due the temporary closure of the House due to COVID-19.

12. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after one year

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Grants payable	-	3,000
	<u>£ -</u>	<u>£3,000</u>

THE STANLEY PICKER TRUST**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)****FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2021****13.1 FUND MOVEMENTS - 2021**

	<u>Balance at</u> <u>06/04/2020</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>	<u>Gains and</u> <u>Losses</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>05/04/2021</u>
Unrestricted Fund	10,078,750	176,921	(349,904)	2,482,022	12,387,789

13.2 FUND MOVEMENTS - 2020

	<u>Balance at</u> <u>06/04/2019</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>	<u>Gains and</u> <u>Losses</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>05/04/2020</u>
Unrestricted Fund	10,545,566	144,840	(405,375)	(206,281)	10,078,750

14. TRANSACTIONS WITH TRUSTEES

No travel expenses (2020: £1,911) were reimbursed to trustees (2019: 1) during the year. Legal fees of £7,124 (2020: £40,079) relate to Farrer & Co, a firm in which Mr R P G Voremberg was a partner, for charges in connection with key management personnel services. A total of £1,640 was outstanding at the year end (2020: £10,956). Clause 7 of the Trust Deed gives authority for trustees engaged in any profession to charge and be paid professional charges.

15. LEGAL FORM

The Stanley Picker Trust is a charity first registered in England and Wales in 1976 based within the Royal Borough of Kingston-upon-Thames. Its registered office is PO Box 1532, Kingston-upon-Thames, Surrey KT19XR

16. COVID-19 PANDEMIC

The global COVID-19 Pandemic emerged around the end of the year ended 5 April 2020 and the Government introduced measures to control the spread of the virus. These accounts reflect the consequences for the Trust.

The actions taken by the UK Government in its attempts to mitigate the effects of the pandemic included two national lockdowns in 2020 and a tier system, with a further lockdown at the beginning of 2021, this has restricted the Trust being able to open the house and gallery for public viewings.

The Trustees have worked to minimise the impact of the exceptional challenges caused by the pandemic by reducing costs where possible and taking advantage of Government assistance where available, such as grants to assist with business rates.

The effects of the pandemic do not result in any adjustment being made to the value of assets and liabilities at the balance sheet date. The Trustees remain confident that the Trust will be able to overcome any difficulties affecting its activities and as a consequence these accounts are prepared on a going concern basis.