

THE KING'S OWN ROYAL REGIMENT (LANCASTER) REGIMENTAL MUSEUM

England & Wales · Charity number 272109

Details

Status Registered

Legal form Other

Registered 1976-10-26

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

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Activities

Objects: THE OBJECTS OF THE CHARITY ("THE OBJECTS") SHALL BE TO EDUCATE THE PUBLIC AND MEMBERS OF THE REGIMENT IN THE HISTORY AND MILITARY ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE REGIMENT AND TO PROMOTE MILITARY EFFICIENCY AND ENCOURAGE RECRUITMENT BY PUBLIC EXHIBITION OF THE COLLECTION IN A MUSEUM OR MUSEUMS OR SUCH OTHER PUBLIC PLACES AS THE TRUSTEES MAY FROM TIME TO TIME DECIDE, AND TO CONSERVE, RESTORE, REPAIR, RECONSTRUCT AND PRESERVE OBJECTS IN THE COLLECTION.

Activities: The Trust owns a collection of over 40,000 objects, documents and photographs chronicling the history of the King's Own Royal Regiment from its formation in 1680 to its amalgamation in 1959 with the Border Regiment to form the King's Own Royal Border Regiment. By agreement with the City Council of Lancaster, the collection is curated, stored, exhibited and managed by Lancaster City Museums.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Services, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Arts/culture/heritage/science, Environment/conservation/heritage, Armed Forces/emergency Service Efficiency
- **Who:** The General Public/mankind

Geography

- Throughout England And Wales

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£9,135	£15,192	-	-
2024-03-31	£45,948	£31,769	-	-
2023-03-31	£31,922	£33,439	-	-
2022-03-31	£0	£300	-	-
2021-03-31	£459	£1,726	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Col Retd Andrew Dean Charles Whitton		2024-08-19
Col Retd David Charles Bates ARRC		2025-03-27
Col Retd Robin Geoffrey Jackson		2023-05-04
Councillor Roger Thomas Francis Dennison		2019-08-29
Dr Michael Francis Brown		2025-03-03
Major James Andrew Stuart Glover		2025-06-18

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Chair's Annual Report 2023-2024.

The past year has been a successful one for the King's Own Royal Regiment Museum Trust which, while not as high profile as the previous year has seen some very significant developments.

Our first Trustee led exhibition - 1942: The Hinge of Fate was brought to a successful conclusion with both the physical exhibition and the public engagement programme enthusiastically received by Lancaster and beyond. Although only a relatively small exhibition space wise it achieved interesting content with an engaging aesthetic and exciting interaction. Much of use was learnt during the programme.

We appointed a project manager for the Abyssinia Project thanks to support from the Esmee Fairbairn Foundation and the Museum Association. The aim of the project is to explore and fully understand those artefacts we retain from the King's Own's involvement the Napier Expedition of 1867 and engage with the full range of stakeholders with an interest in the collection for Trustees to develop an open, transparent and collegiate approach to the future of the collection.

There are, however, some concerns regarding the recruitment of fresh Trustees with appropriate professional skills and Trustee (volunteer) fatigue. This is now pressing particularly on the case of the Chair's term in office. These issues have been raised with RHQ Duke of Lancaster's Regiment and Lancaster City Council.

That said the King's Own Royal Regiment Museum Trust is in good heart and we look forward to working with Lancaster City Council to play our role in developing or home, the City Museum as soon as they are in a position to do so.

King's Own Royal Regiment Museum Trust Account 2022 - 2023.

	C/F	Q 1	Q 2	Q 3	Q 4
Income	44944				
Donations		0	0	1000	0
Donations Box		0	484.83	0	0
Legacy Income		0	0	0	0
Book Royalties		0	0	0	0
Exhibition Grants		30305		0	0
Project Grants		0	0	0	0
Ecommerce		0	0	0	0
Bank Interest		6.47	14.21	34.68	78.23
Other		0	0	0	0

Sub Total		30311.47	499.04	1034.68	78.23
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	C/F	Q 1	Q 2	Q 3	Q 4
Expenditure					
Acquisitions		0	0	0	0
Auditor's Fees		0	0	0	0
Professional Services		0	0	0	0
Professional Support		0	0	0	0
Subscriptions & Licenses		0	0	0	0
Memberships		0	0	82	
Trustee Meetings, Conferences & Training		0	70		0
Trustee Travel & Subsistence		0	0	123	0
Publicity		0	0	0	0
World Pay (Website Hosting)		0	0	0	0

Museum Association

AMOT Conference

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Website Development		0	0	0	0
Ecommerce		0	0	0	0
Postage		0	16.8	0	0
Stationery & Printing Supplies		0	0	0	0
Exhibitions		0	30000	0	3000
Projects		0	0	0	0
Zoom		0		0	0
Insurance		0	147.69	0	0
Bank Charges		0	0	0	

To Special Projects Account/Hinge of Fate

Sub Total		0	30234.49	205	3000
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Inspected and assessed to be correct.

Robin Ashcroft. 12th January 2025

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