

# Birmingham Canoldir and Birmingham Icknield Male Voice Choir

England & Wales · Charity number 501538

## Details

---

Other names	BIRMINGHAM CANOLDIR MALE CHOIR, CANOLDIR (MIDLAND) MALE VOICE CHOIR, Birmingham Male Voice Choir, CANOLDIR (BIRMINGHAM) MALE CHOIR
Status	Registered
Legal form	Other
Registered	1972-07-07
Register	<a href="#">View on the Charity Commission register</a>

## Contact

---

Address	106 Park Hall Crescent Birmingham B36 9SU
Phone	07979852511
Email	<a href="mailto:AdrianBirch7@hotmail.co.uk">AdrianBirch7@hotmail.co.uk</a>
Website	<a href="http://www.canoldir.co.uk">www.canoldir.co.uk</a>

## Activities

---

**Objects:** THE STUDY AND PRACTICE OF CHORAL MUSIC IN ORDER TO FOSTER THE PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE AND APPRECIATION OF SUCH MUSIC BY MEANS OF PUBLIC PERFORMANCE.

**Activities:** We are a Male Choir that meets to provide instruction and entertainment

## Classification

---

- **How:** Provides Services
- **What:** Education/training, Arts/culture/heritage/science
- **Who:** Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies, The General Public/mankind

## Geography

- **Area of benefit:** NOT DEFINED-IN PRACTICE NORMALLY LOCAL
- Birmingham City

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-07-31	£27,037	£21,334	-	-
2024-07-31	£12,454	£6,022	-	-
2023-07-31	£14,007	£10,585	-	-
2022-07-31	£14,063	£22,154	-	-
2021-07-31	£8,842	£11,284	-	-
2020-07-31	£17,513	£14,238	-	-

## Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
<b>Warren George Woodcock</b>	Chair	2016-10-28
Anthony Michael Jones		2009-10-17
L P Sheehan		2019-09-14
Susan Jennifer Grundy		2016-10-28

**Birmingham Canoldir and Birmingham Icknield Male Voice Choir**

England & Wales - Charity number 501538

---

# Accounts

---



# Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From Period start date 01 August Year 2024 **To** Period end date 31 July Year 2025

## Section A Reference and administration details

<b>Charity name</b>	Birmingham Canoldir and Birmingham Ickneild Male Voice Choir		
<b>Other names charity is known by</b>	Birmingham Male Voice Choir		
<b>Registered charity number (if any)</b>	501538		
<b>Charity's principal address</b>	106 Park Hall Crescent		
	Castle Bromwich		
	Birmingham		
	<b>Postcode</b>	B36 9SU	

### Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Warren Woodcock	Chair		Choir Members at AGM
2	Anthony Jones	Vice Chair		Choir Members at AGM
3	Francis Beirne	Secretary		Choir Members at AGM
4	Frank Barnard	Treasurer		Choir Members at AGM
5				
6				
7				
8				
9				
10				
11				
12				
13				
14				
15				
16				
17				
18				
19				
20				

### Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

**Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)**

Type of adviser	Name	Address

**Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)**

--

**Section B Structure, governance and management**

**Description of the charity's trusts**

Type of governing document <i>(e.g. trust deed, constitution)</i>	Constitution as amended February 2014 Approved and adopted 14 March 2014
How the charity is constituted <i>(e.g. trust deed, company, company limited by guarantee)</i>	As an association
Trustee selection methods <i>(e.g. approval by members)</i>	Trustees are elected by membership each year at the Annual General Meeting

**Additional governance issues (Optional information)**

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
- the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;
- relationship with any related parties;
- trustees' consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.

<p>Risk Management</p> <p>The Trustees consider that they undertake their duty to identify and review the risks to which the charity is exposed and to ensure that appropriate controls are in place to provide reasonable assurance against fraud and error.</p>
---

**Section C Objectives and activities**

**Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document**

<p>Objectives and Aims</p> <p>The objectives and aims of the charity are the study and practice of choral music in order to foster the public's knowledge an appreciation of such music by means of public performance.</p>
---

### Main Objectives

A once weekly rehearsal regime utilising a Musical Director and Accompanist enables the choir to achieve high standards in male voice singing.bt

**Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)**

### Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include further statements, where relevant, about:

- policy on grantmaking;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.

**Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year**

The Choir has consolidated during the past year and both the Musical Director and Accompanist have made great impact on the performance of the Choir. Concerts have been performed on average once a month throughout the West Midlands which have been well received, enabling many organisations raise much needed funds through our performances.

Due to illness and retirement we have seen a reduction in our membership and we are now actively engaged in a recruitment campaign to encourage new membership to enable us to continue to promote Male Voice singing in our area.

**Section E****Financial review****Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves**

The Chair confirms that the Choir retains 50% of our average annual expenditure as our reserve policy, which is approximately £6,000

**Details of any funds materially in deficit****Further financial review details (Optional information)**

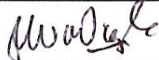
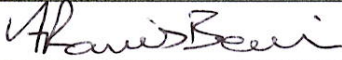
You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant about:

- the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);
- how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;
- investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

**Section F****Other optional information****Section G****Declaration**

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

<b>Signature(s)</b>		
<b>Full name(s)</b>	Warren Woodcock	Francis Beirne
<b>Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)</b>	Chair	SECRETARY
<b>Date</b>	4/05/2026	



CHARITY COMMISSION  
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Charity Name: Birmingham Canoldir and Birmingham Ickneild Male Voice Choir  
Accounting period: 2024

CC16a

## Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from 01-Aug-24 To 31-Jul-25

### Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Subscriptions/Donations	7,117	-	-	7,117	7,421
100 Club	3,580	-	-	3,580	3,735
Concerts	3,042	-	-	3,042	1,298
Miscellaneous	528	-	-	528	-
Exceptional Receipts	-	-	-	-	-
Balance transfer from BIMVC	10,697	-	-	10,697	-
Funds distribution EAMVC	2,073	-	-	2,073	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total (Gross income for AR)</b>	<b>27,037</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>27,037</b>	<b>12,454</b>
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>27,037</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>27,037</b>	<b>12,454</b>
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Rehearsals	10,538	-	-	10,538	5,092
100 Club	2,080	-	-	2,080	880
Concerts	855	-	-	855	50
Uniforms	6,878	-	-	6,878	-
Defibrillator	984	-	-	984	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>21,335</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>21,335</b>	<b>6,022</b>
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total payments</b>	<b>21,335</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>21,335</b>	<b>6,022</b>
<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	<b>5,702</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5,702</b>	<b>6,432</b>
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	<b>5,702</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5,702</b>	<b>6,432</b>

## Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
<b>B1 Cash funds</b>	Main Fund	36,501	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	<b>Total cash funds</b>	<b>36,501</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))				

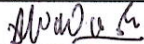

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
<b>B2 Other monetary assets</b>		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
<b>B3 Investment assets</b>			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
<b>B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use</b>	Sheet Music	Main Fund	-	-
	Three Electric Pianos	Main Fund	-	-
	Video Camera & Hard-drive	Main Fund	-	-
	Epson A3 Printer	Main Fund	-	-
	Defibrillator	Main Fund	-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
<b>B5 Liabilities</b>			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	Warren Woodcock	26-5-26
	Francis Beirne	



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/ members of

Birmingham Children's Charity

On accounts for the year ended

31<sup>st</sup> July 2025

Charity no (if any)

501538

Set out on pages

1 & 2

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31/07/2025

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity's trustees, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent examiner's statement

~~[The charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 and I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a qualified member of [insert name of applicable listed body]]. Delete [ ] if not applicable.~~

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination (other than that disclosed below \*) which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

\* Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.

Signed:

[Signature]

Date:

16 May 2006

Name:

STEPHEN ROOPE

Relevant professional qualification(s) or body

ASSOCIATE CHARTERED INSTITUTE OF BANKERS (AIB)

(if any):	
Address:	187 WOOD LANE
	BIRMINGHAM
	B20 2AA

**Section B Disclosure**

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.