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**QUEEN ELIZABETH'S ENDOWED SCHOOL TRUST**

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**UNAUDITED**

**TRUSTEES' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025**

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### REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS OF THE CHARITY, ITS TRUSTEES AND ADVISERS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

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#### Trustees

The Chairman of Mansfield District Council (ex officio)

T Clay

Alderman J Carter, Chairman

T Butler (resigned 16 August 2024)

N P Henshaw

S Garner (resigned 5 May 2025)

S Anderson (resigned 5 May 2025)

A Camilleri (resigned 5 May 2025)

A Callaghan (appointed 14 September 2024, resigned 5 May 2025)

E Twigger

M Lee, Vice Chairman

C Clayton

B Wheatcroft (appointed 11 July 2025)

D Smith (appointed 11 July 2025)

The Chairman of Mansfield District Council, N P Henshaw and T Clay are representatives of Mansfield District Council.

Alderman J Carter, T Butler, S Anderson, A Camilleri, A Callaghan, S Garner, B Wheatcroft and D Smith are representatives of Nottinghamshire County Council.

E Twigger, M Lee and C Clayton are co-opted trustees.

#### Charity registered number

528259

#### Principal office

J Francis-Ward

Clerk to the Trustees

25 The Banks

Bingham

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#### Independent examiner

Jonathan Wilson

Chartered Accountant

Cromwell House

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REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS OF THE CHARITY, ITS TRUSTEES AND ADVISERS  
(CONTINUED)  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

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**Bankers**

NatWest Bank PLC  
9 Church Street  
Mansfield  
Nottinghamshire  
NG18 1HP

**Solicitors**

Banner Jones  
Union Street  
Mansfield  
Nottinghamshire  
NG18 1RP

**Investment managers**

Evelyn Partners  
Royal Liver Building  
Pier Head  
Liverpool  
L3 1NY

**Chartered Surveyors**

Mathias Perry  
North Muskham Prebend  
Church Street  
Southwell  
Nottinghamshire  
NG25 0HQ

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## QUEEN ELIZABETH'S ENDOWED SCHOOL TRUST

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### TRUSTEES' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

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The trustees present their annual report together with the financial statements of the charity for the year from 1 April 2024 to 31 March 2025. The trustees confirm that the annual report and financial statements of the charity comply with the current statutory requirements, the requirements of the charity's governing document and the provisions of the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their financial statements in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) issued on 16 July 2014 and Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and Charities Act 2011 as amended by Update Bulletin 2 (effective January 2019).

#### **Objectives and activities**

##### **a. Policies and objectives**

The object of the charity is the provision of items, services and facilities for the school.

If and in so far as the income of the charity cannot be applied towards the object above, it may be applied in promoting the education of persons who are in need of financial assistance in the following order of priority:

- persons who are attending the school and
- persons who have at any time attended the school and
- persons under the age of 25 resident in Mansfield

The school was a voluntary aided Church of England school until 31 December 2011 and it became an academy on 1 January 2012.

In setting objectives and planning for activities, the trustees have given due consideration to general guidance published by the Charity Commission relating to public benefit, including the guidance 'Public benefit: running a charity (PB2)'.

#### **Achievements and performance**

##### **a. Main achievements of the charity**

The Trust continues to have an excellent relationship both with the management at Queen Elizabeth's Academy and the Multi Academy Trust of which the school is part. Projects funded at the school this year have included financial support for school trips to enable all pupils to attend and support for equipment to enable pupils to participate in the Duke of Edinburgh Award scheme. Financial support has also been given to support a reward scheme for Academic excellence. The school continues its improvement journey and the Trust supports this in every way possible. This has also included, this year, permission for the establishment of a therapy garden on site. Work continued during the year to make changes to the current Trust Deed to more accurately reflect the school requirements and to allow maximum use of the Trust resources.

TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED)  
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**Achievements and performance (continued)**

**b. Investment policy and performance**

The balance sheet shows that following the sale of the former girls' school in 1996 the cash has been invested on deposit and the trustees are satisfied that the charity will be able to meet its objectives for the foreseeable future. All investments have been acquired in accordance with the powers available to the trustees. The investment portfolio is managed by Evelyn Partners and the freehold properties in the trustees' ownership are managed by Mathias Perry.

The charity holds investments which are available either as income from dividends, interest, rents, or disposals to meet the needs of the school on an annual basis or to meet expenditure in the provision of facilities for the education and social needs of its pupils.

**Financial review**

**a. Going concern**

After making appropriate enquiries, the trustees have a reasonable expectation that the charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. For this reason, they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements. Further details regarding the adoption of the going concern basis can be found in the accounting policies.

**b. Reserves policy**

The trustees confirm that on a fund by fund basis, the assets are available to fulfil the obligations of the charity. The income funds relate to accumulated income which the trustees expect to expend in the foreseeable future in respect of the charity's activities.

**Structure, governance and management**

**a. Constitution**

This charity was established by Letters Patent of Queen Elizabeth I dated 8 March 1561 and its land and property was bequeathed by the will of Lady Cecilia Flogan. It now operates under a scheme made on 26 September 2001 as amended on 1 February 2018 as amended on 16 April 2025.

**b. Methods of appointment or election of trustees**

The management of the charity is the responsibility of the trustees who are elected and co-opted under the terms of the trust deed.

The trustees meet on at least three occasions during the year and have a special committee which can meet as required if urgent decisions are required.

No staff are employed by the trustees.

TRUSTEES' REPORT (CONTINUED)  
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**Structure, governance and management (continued)**

**c. Organisational structure and decision-making policies**

In January 2018 the trustees unanimously voted to make a change in the trust membership. The change to the trust deed now provides for a total of 14 trustees appointed as follows:

- The Chairman of Mansfield District Council for the time being
- Five people appointed by the Nottinghamshire County Council
- Two people appointed by Mansfield District Council
- Six co-opted trustees appointed by resolution of the other trustees

The Chairman is Alderman J Carter and the Vice-Chairman is M Lee.

The trustees normally meet in the Panel Room at the school.

**d. Policies adopted for the induction and training of trustees**

New trustees are provided with a copy of the Charity Commission scheme and the clerk provides further advice as required.

**e. Financial risk management**

The trustees are responsible for the management of the risks faced by the charity. Detailed considerations of risk are identified, assessed and controls established throughout the year. A formal review of the charity's risk management process is undertaken on an annual basis. Through the risk management process established by the charity, the trustees are satisfied that the major risks identified have been adequately mitigated where necessary. It is recognised that systems can only provide reasonable but not absolute assurance that major risks have been adequately managed.

Approved by order of the members of the board of trustees on 14 January 2026 and signed on their behalf by:

**Alderman J Carter**  
(Chair of Trustees)

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### INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

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#### Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Queen Elizabeth's Endowed School Trust (the charity)

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2025.

#### Responsibilities and Basis of Report

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

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

#### Independent Examiner's Statement

Your attention is drawn to the fact that the charity has prepared the accounts in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) in preference to the Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice issued on 1 April 2005 which is referred to in the extant regulations but has been withdrawn.

I understand that this has been done in order for the accounts to provide a true and fair view in accordance with the Generally Accepted Accounting Practice effective for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2015.

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 130 of the 2011 Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do 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.

This report is made solely to the charity's trustees, as a body, in accordance with Part 4 of the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008. My work has been undertaken so that I might state to the charity's trustees those matters I am required to state to them in an independent examiner's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, I do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the charity and the charity's trustees as a body, for my work or for this report.

Signed: Jonathan Wilson FCA CTA

Dated: 20 January 2026

Jonathan Wilson FCA CTA

Chartered Accountant

Mansfield



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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

	Note	Unrestricted funds 2025 £	Restricted funds 2025 £	Total funds 2025 £	Total funds 2024 £
<b>Income from:</b>					
Investments	3	56,837	-	56,837	60,661
<b>Total income</b>		<b>56,837</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>56,837</b>	<b>60,661</b>
<b>Expenditure on:</b>					
Raising funds	4	34,409	-	34,409	33,421
Charitable activities	5	96,219	-	96,219	42,160
<b>Total expenditure</b>		<b>130,628</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>130,628</b>	<b>75,581</b>
<b>Net expenditure before net gains on investments</b>		<b>(73,791)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(73,791)</b>	<b>(14,920)</b>
Net gains on investments	9	16,202	-	16,202	66,970
<b>Net movement in funds before other recognised gains/(losses)</b>		<b>(57,589)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(57,589)</b>	<b>52,050</b>
<b>Other recognised gains/(losses):</b>					
Gains on revaluation of fixed assets	10	27,500	-	27,500	-
<b>Net movement in funds</b>		<b>(30,089)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(30,089)</b>	<b>52,050</b>
<b>Reconciliation of funds:</b>					
Total funds brought forward		1,777,271	11,958	1,789,229	1,737,179
Net movement in funds		(30,089)	-	(30,089)	52,050
<b>Total funds carried forward</b>		<b>1,747,182</b>	<b>11,958</b>	<b>1,759,140</b>	<b>1,789,229</b>

The Statement of Financial Activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.

The notes on pages 9 to 19 form part of these financial statements.

**QUEEN ELIZABETH'S ENDOWED SCHOOL TRUST**

**BALANCE SHEET  
AS AT 31 MARCH 2025**

	Note	2025 £	2024 £
<b>Fixed assets</b>			
Tangible assets	8	53,502	53,502
Investments	9	1,137,476	1,137,428
Investment property	10	512,501	485,001
		<u>1,703,479</u>	<u>1,675,931</u>
<b>Current assets</b>			
Debtors	11	1,422	10,531
Cash at bank and in hand		103,280	111,007
		<u>104,702</u>	<u>121,538</u>
<b>Current liabilities</b>			
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	12	(49,041)	(8,240)
		<u>55,661</u>	<u>113,298</u>
<b>Net current assets</b>			
		<u>1,759,140</u>	<u>1,789,229</u>
<b>Total net assets</b>		<u><u>1,759,140</u></u>	<u><u>1,789,229</u></u>
<b>Charity funds</b>			
Restricted funds	14	11,958	11,958
Unrestricted funds	14	1,747,182	1,777,271
		<u>1,759,140</u>	<u>1,789,229</u>
<b>Total funds</b>		<u><u>1,759,140</u></u>	<u><u>1,789,229</u></u>

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the trustees on 14 January 2026 and signed on their behalf by:

**Alderman J Carter**  
(Chair of Trustees)

**M Lee**  
(Vice Chair of Trustees)

The notes on pages 9 to 19 form part of these financial statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

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**1. Accounting policies**

**1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements**

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Charities SORP (FRS 102) - Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2015), the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Charities Act 2011 as amended by Update Bulletin 2 (effective January 2019).

The financial statements have been prepared to give a 'true and fair' view and have departed from the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 only to the extent required to provide a 'true and fair' view. This departure has involved following the Charities SORP (FRS 102) published on 16 July 2014 rather than the Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice effective from 1 April 2005 which has since been withdrawn.

Queen Elizabeth's Endowed School Trust meets the definition of a public benefit entity under FRS 102. Assets and liabilities are initially recognised at historical cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant accounting policy.

**1.2 Going concern**

At the date of signing there is a degree of uncertainty about the economic impact of the wider geopolitical environment and the cost of living. The trustees continue to monitor the position closely however they believe that the charity can continue at its current level of activity subject to continued support from the bank and they therefore continue to adopt the going concern basis.

**1.3 Income**

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

Income tax recoverable in relation to investment income is recognised at the time the investment income is receivable.

Other income is recognised in the period in which it is receivable and to the extent the goods have been provided or on completion of the service.

**1.4 Expenditure**

Expenditure is recognised once there is a legal or constructive obligation to transfer economic benefit to a third party, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. Expenditure is classified by activity. The costs of each activity are made up of the total of direct costs and shared costs, including support costs involved in undertaking each activity. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs which contribute to more than one activity and support costs which are not attributable to a single activity are apportioned between those activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources. Central staff costs are allocated on the basis of time spent, and depreciation charges allocated on the portion of the asset's use.

Expenditure on raising funds includes all expenditure incurred by the charity to raise funds for its charitable purposes and includes costs of all fundraising activities events and non-charitable trading.

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**1. Accounting policies (continued)**

**1.4 Expenditure (continued)**

Expenditure on charitable activities is incurred on directly undertaking the activities which further the charity's objectives, as well as any associated support costs.

All expenditure is inclusive of irrecoverable VAT.

**1.5 Interest receivable**

Interest on funds held on deposit is included when receivable and the amount can be measured reliably by the charity; this is normally upon notification of the interest paid or payable by the institution with whom the funds are deposited.

**1.6 Heritage assets**

Heritage assets are not capitalised due to unavailability of cost or valuation information, with such information not being obtainable at a cost commensurate with the benefit to the users of the accounts and to the charity.

The charity holds heritage assets, which are tangible fixed assets of historical, artistic or scientific importance that are held to advance preservation and conservation objectives of the charity. Newly purchased heritage assets are capitalised and included at cost including any incidental expenses of acquisition.

At each reporting date the charity assesses whether there is any indication of impairment. If such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is determined to be the higher of its fair value less costs to sell and its value in use. An impairment loss is recognised where the carrying amount exceeds the recoverable amount.

Where heritage assets were acquired in past accounting periods and not capitalised, it can be difficult or costly to attribute a cost or value to them. In such cases, these assets are excluded from the balance sheet if reliable cost information is not available and conventional valuation approaches lack sufficient reliability or significant costs are involved in the reconstruction or analysis of past accounting records or in valuation, which are onerous compared with the additional benefit derived by users of the accounts in assessing the trustees stewardship of the assets.

The very long expected lives of heritage assets, due to their nature, value and need to be protected and preserved means that depreciation is not material and is, therefore, not provided.

**1.7 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation**

Tangible fixed assets are initially recognised at cost. After recognition, under the cost model, tangible fixed assets are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. All costs incurred to bring a tangible fixed asset into its intended working condition should be included in the measurement of cost.

At each reporting date the charity assesses whether there is any indication of impairment. If such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is determined to be the higher of its fair value less costs to sell and its value in use. An impairment loss is recognised where the carrying amount exceeds the recoverable amount.

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**1. Accounting policies (continued)**

**1.7 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation (continued)**

In 2012 the school land and the caretaker's house were leased to the new academy. The actual lease was never signed but heads of terms were signed which said a lease of 125 years. The current position is that, as the school has a new sponsor in Multi Academy Trust, the lease is being renegotiated. The lease is shown in the financial statements at £1. Previously the school's playing field land was stated at cost.

The land that is occupied by Mansfield Bowling Club is subject to a 99 year lease and this is also shown in the financial statements at £1.

The school buildings are excluded from the balance sheet because in the opinion of the trustees the school is an inalienable asset.

The trophies are included in the financial statements at valuations carried out in February 1989 and March 1996 respectively by professional valuers. Some of these trophies have been sold and therefore the valuation has been reduced by 100%.

Oil paintings and ceiling tiles from the library at the girls' school are included in the financial statements at valuations carried out by professional valuers in 2020 for insurance purposes, on a retail replacement basis.

No reliable valuation can be placed on the remaining works of art due to their inestimable value.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing the proceeds with the carrying amount and are recognised in the statement of financial activities.

**1.8 Investments**

Fixed asset investments are a form of financial instrument and are initially recognised at their transaction cost and subsequently measured at fair value at the balance sheet date, unless the value cannot be measured reliably in which case it is measured at cost less impairment. Investment gains and losses, whether realised or unrealised, are combined and presented as 'Gains/(Losses) on investments' in the statement of financial activities.

**1.9 Debtors**

Trade and other debtors are recognised at the settlement amount after any trade discount offered. Prepayments are valued at the amount prepaid net of any trade discounts due.

**1.10 Investment property**

Investment properties are measured initially at cost and subsequently at fair value at the reporting date.

Depreciation is not provided on investment property.

**1.11 Cash at bank and in hand**

Cash at bank and in hand includes cash and short-term highly liquid investments with a short maturity of three months or less from the date of acquisition or opening of the deposit or similar account.

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**1. Accounting policies (continued)**

**1.12 Liabilities and provisions**

Liabilities are recognised when there is an obligation at the balance sheet date as a result of a past event, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefit will be required in settlement, and the amount of the settlement can be estimated reliably.

Liabilities are recognised at the amount that the charity anticipates it will pay to settle the debt or the amount it has received as advanced payments for the goods or services it must provide.

Provisions are measured at the best estimate of the amounts required to settle the obligation. Where the effect of the time value of money is material, the provision is based on the present value of those amounts, discounted at the pre-tax discount rate that reflects the risks specific to the liability. The unwinding of the discount is recognised in the statement of financial activities as a finance cost.

**1.13 Financial instruments**

The charity only has financial assets and financial liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments. Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at transaction value and subsequently measured at their settlement value with the exception of bank loans which are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

**1.14 Fund accounting**

General funds are unrestricted funds which are available for use at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the charity and which have not been designated for other purposes.

Restricted funds are funds which are to be used in accordance with specific restrictions imposed by donors or which have been raised by the charity for particular purposes. The costs of raising and administering such funds are charged against the specific fund. The aim and use of each restricted fund is set out in the notes to the financial statements.

Investment income, gains and losses are allocated to the appropriate fund.

**1.15 Concessionary loans**

The charity has taken advantage of Section 34 of FRS 102 to recognise loans to and from public benefit entities as concessionary loans. As such the company initially recognised and measured the loans at the amounts payable and receivable in the balance sheet. In subsequent years, the carrying values will be adjusted to reflect repayments and any accrued interest, where applicable an adjusted if necessary for any impairment.

**2. General information**

Queen Elizabeth's Endowed School Trust is an unincorporated charity registered in England, registration number 528259.

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3. Investment income

	Unrestricted funds 2025 £	Total funds 2025 £	Total funds 2024 £
Investment income - local investment properties	34,881	<b>34,881</b>	38,944
Income from local listed investments	20,691	<b>20,691</b>	19,864
Investment income - local cash	1,265	<b>1,265</b>	1,853
	<u>56,837</u>	<u><b>56,837</b></u>	<u>60,661</u>
Total 2024	<u>60,661</u>	<u>60,661</u>	

4. Investment management costs

	Unrestricted funds 2025 £	Total funds 2025 £	Total funds 2024 £
Investment management costs	10,496	<b>10,496</b>	13,015
Repairs and maintenance	7,974	<b>7,974</b>	5,821
Insurance	4,594	<b>4,594</b>	3,232
Professional charges	9,255	<b>9,255</b>	8,603
Managing agent's fees	2,090	<b>2,090</b>	2,125
Utility fees	-	-	731
Provision for bad debts	-	-	(106)
	<u>34,409</u>	<u><b>34,409</b></u>	<u>33,421</u>
Total 2024	<u>33,421</u>	<u>33,421</u>	

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5. Analysis of expenditure on charitable activities

Summary by expense type

	Unrestricted funds 2025 £	Total 2025 £	Total 2024 £
Repairs and renewals	36,742	<b>36,742</b>	8,703
Professional fees	33,499	<b>33,499</b>	4,508
Contribution to school expenses	-	-	3,882
Sundry expenses	879	<b>879</b>	1,395
Accountancy fees and independent examination	5,100	<b>5,100</b>	5,100
Governance professional fees	19,499	<b>19,499</b>	17,532
Trustees' travel reimbursed and other expenses	500	<b>500</b>	1,040
	<u>96,219</u>	<u><b>96,219</b></u>	<u>42,160</u>
Total 2024	<u>42,160</u>	<u>42,160</u>	

6. Independent examiner's remuneration

	2025 £	2024 £
Fees payable to the charity's independent examiner for the independent examination of the charity's annual accounts	<u><b>5,100</b></u>	<u>5,100</u>

7. Trustees' remuneration and expenses

During the year, no trustees received any remuneration or other benefits (2024 - £NIL).

During the year ended 31 March 2025, travelling expenses totalling £500 and other expenses totalling £nil were reimbursed or paid directly to 10 trustees (2024 - £450 to 9 trustees for travelling expenses and £590 for other expenses).



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**8. Tangible fixed assets**

	Long-term leasehold property £	Other fixed assets £	Total £
<b>Cost or valuation</b>			
At 1 April 2024	2	77,053	77,055
At 31 March 2025	<u>2</u>	<u>77,053</u>	<u>77,055</u>
<b>Depreciation</b>			
At 1 April 2024	-	23,553	23,553
<b>Net book value</b>			
At 31 March 2025	<u><u>2</u></u>	<u><u>53,500</u></u>	<u><u>53,502</u></u>
At 31 March 2024	<u><u>2</u></u>	<u><u>53,500</u></u>	<u><u>53,502</u></u>

Long-term leasehold property:

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Inalienable asset:

The school buildings are excluded from the balance sheet because in the opinion of the trustees the school is an inalienable asset.

Trophies and works of art:

The trophies are included in the financial statements at valuations carried out in February 1989 and March 1996 respectively by professional valuers. Some of these trophies have been sold and therefore the valuation has been reduced by 100%.

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9. Fixed asset investments

	Listed investments £
<b>Cost or valuation</b>	
At 1 April 2024	1,137,428
Additions	461,675
Disposals	(470,661)
Revaluations	9,034
At 31 March 2025	<u>1,137,476</u>
<b>Net book value</b>	
At 31 March 2025	<u>1,137,476</u>
At 31 March 2024	<u>1,137,428</u>

The historical cost of the fixed asset investments at 31 March 2025 was £964,767 (2024 - £912,685).

All the fixed assets investments are held in the UK.

10. Investment property

	Freehold investment property £
<b>Valuation</b>	
At 1 April 2024	485,001
Surplus on revaluation	27,500
At 31 March 2025	<u>512,501</u>

The 2025 valuations were made by Mathias Perry, Chartered Surveyors, on an open market value for existing use basis.

Freehold land:

The charity owns the freehold land behind The Bowl-In-Hand public house on Leeming Street, Mansfield which was previously occupied by Mansfield Bowling Club and this is shown at a valuation of £1 in the financial statements.

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11. Debtors

	2025 £	2024 £
<b>Due within one year</b>		
Other debtors	917	9,541
Prepayments and accrued income	505	990
	<u>1,422</u>	<u>10,531</u>

12. Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year

	2025 £	2024 £
Other loans	40,000	-
Other creditors	3,641	2,840
Accruals and deferred income	5,400	5,400
	<u>49,041</u>	<u>8,240</u>

13. Financial instruments

	2025 £	2024 £
<b>Financial assets</b>		
Financial assets measured at fair value through income and expenditure	<u>104,197</u>	<u>120,548</u>
	<b>2025 £</b>	<b>2024 £</b>
<b>Financial liabilities</b>		
Other financial liabilities measured at fair value through income and expenditure	<u>49,041</u>	<u>8,240</u>

Financial assets measured at fair value through income and expenditure comprise bank balances and trade debtors.

Other financial liabilities measured at fair value through income and expenditure comprise loans, other creditors and accruals.

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14. Statement of funds

Statement of funds - current year

	Balance at 1 April 2024 £	Income £	Expenditure £	Gains/ (Losses) £	Balance at 31 March 2025 £
<b>Unrestricted funds</b>					
General funds	1,777,271	56,837	(130,628)	43,702	1,747,182
<b>Restricted funds</b>					
Prize funds	11,958	-	-	-	11,958
<b>Total of funds</b>	<b>1,789,229</b>	<b>56,837</b>	<b>(130,628)</b>	<b>43,702</b>	<b>1,759,140</b>

Statement of funds - prior year

	Balance at 1 April 2023 £	Income £	Expenditure £	Gains/ (Losses) £	Balance at 31 March 2024 £
<b>Unrestricted funds</b>					
General funds	1,725,221	60,661	(75,581)	66,970	1,777,271
<b>Restricted funds</b>					
Prize funds	11,958	-	-	-	11,958
<b>Total of funds</b>	<b>1,737,179</b>	<b>60,661</b>	<b>(75,581)</b>	<b>66,970</b>	<b>1,789,229</b>

Purpose of unrestricted funds:

The unrestricted fund is available for the purpose of furthering the charity's objectives.

Purpose of restricted funds:

The prize funds restricted funds represent various prize funds and are available for furthering their individual objectives in accordance with each fund's restrictions.

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**15. Analysis of net assets between funds**

**Analysis of net assets between funds - current year**

	Unrestricted funds 2025 £	Restricted funds 2025 £	Total funds 2025 £
Tangible fixed assets	53,502	-	53,502
Fixed asset investments	1,137,476	-	1,137,476
Investment property	512,501	-	512,501
Current assets	92,744	11,958	104,702
Creditors due within one year	(49,041)	-	(49,041)
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,747,182</b>	<b>11,958</b>	<b>1,759,140</b>

**Analysis of net assets between funds - prior year**

	Unrestricted funds 2024 £	Restricted funds 2024 £	Total funds 2024 £
Tangible fixed assets	41,544	11,958	53,502
Fixed asset investments	1,137,428	-	1,137,428
Investment property	485,001	-	485,001
Current assets	121,538	-	121,538
Creditors due within one year	(8,240)	-	(8,240)
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,777,271</b>	<b>11,958</b>	<b>1,789,229</b>

**16. Related party transactions**

During the year the charity has entered into related party transactions with a business run by the son of J Carter, the chairman of the charity. These are for site work on the school and the total for the year was £6,870 (2024 - £4,050). There was £nil owing by the charity at 31 March 2025 (2024 - £nil).

There are no additional related party transactions to disclose.

**17. Indemnity insurance**

The charity paid £424 (2024 - £412) for the insurance premiums to indemnify trustees from any loss arising from neglect or defaults of trustees and any consequent loss.