

# Ardoyne Youth Enterprises

Northern Ireland · Charity number 105047

## Details

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**Known as** AYE

**Status** Received

**Company number** [623234](#)

**Registered** 2016-04-05

**Register** [View on the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland register](#)

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## Activities

**Purposes:** OBJECTS (4) The Company's objects are specifically restricted to the promotion, development and support of the voluntary and community sector and in particular those organisations offering youth services and support to children and young people, the promotion of social inclusion, the advancement of community development and the promotion of the benefit and wellbeing of children and young people aged 5 – 25 years old (hereinafter called the "beneficiaries") resident in the Ardoyne, Marrowbone and Oldpark areas of North Belfast and their environs of Greater Belfast in particular but not exclusively ("hereinafter called the "area of benefit") without distinction of age, gender, sexual orientation, disability/ability, race, ethnic origin, political, religious or other opinion by associating the statutory and local authorities, voluntary organisations and the inhabitants in a common effort to advance education and to provide or assist in the provision of facilities in the interests of social welfare with the objective of improving the conditions of life for the said inhabitants and in particular: (a) to promote the efficiency and effectiveness of voluntary and community youth work, service and support organisations working with children and young people in the area of benefit by providing advice, information, education and training, development, support and practical assistance to such organisations and projects for the benefit of the public; (b) to act as a representative of the voluntary and community youth work, service and support organisations working with children and young people in the area of benefit in relation to government policies and legislation and in so doing promote and organise co-operation in the advancement of the above purposes and to that end bring together in council or conference representatives of voluntary agencies/organisations and statutory authorities engaged in the furtherance of any of the above purposes; (c) to carry out, promote, sponsor or support by means of financial assistance research and study into issues affecting the social welfare of children and young people in the area of benefit and the dissemination of the useful results of such research for the public benefit; (d) to promote or assist in promoting youth community capacity building programmes and projects for the beneficiaries within the area of benefit who have need of such assistance as a result of their youth, age, disability or infirmity, or social and economic circumstances, in an effort to increase the abilities, leadership skills and self-confidence of such inhabitants in the area of benefit; (e) to promote social inclusion for the public benefit by working with young people aged 5-25 who are socially excluded from becoming socially excluded on the grounds of their youth, unemployment, financial hardship, poverty or social and or economic position, in order to relieve the needs of those people who are socially excluded and assisting them to integrate into society; (f) to identify the funding and policy needs of voluntary and community youth work, service and support organisations in the area of benefit.

**What the charity does:** The advancement of citizenship or community development, The relief of those in need by reason of youth, age, ill-health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage

**How the charity works:** Advice/advocacy/information, Community development, Community transport, Education/training, Research/evaluation, Sport/recreation, Youth development

**Who the charity helps:** Children (5-13 year olds), Interface communities, Preschool (0-5 year olds), Specific areas of deprivation, Voluntary and community sector, Volunteers, Youth (14-25 year olds)

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£288,373	£281,260	£-9,578	7

## Trustees

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Name	Role	Appointed
Bill McComb		
Joseph Marley		
Mr Garrett Gorman		
Sarah Smyth		

**Ardoyne Youth Enterprises**

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# Accounts

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**Charity Registration No. NIC105047 (Northern Ireland)**

**Company Registration No. NI623234**

**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES**  
**(A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**  
**ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025**

# ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

## CHARITY INFORMATION

<b>Directors</b>	Mr J Marley Mr W McComb Ms S Smyth Mr J Oliver Mr G Gorman
<b>Secretary</b>	Mr T Turley
<b>Company number</b>	NI623234
<b>Charity number</b>	105047
<b>Registered office</b>	11a Flax Street Belfast BT14 7EJ
<b>Independent examiner</b>	PGM Chartered Accountants 405 Lisburn Road Belfast BT9 7EW
<b>Bankers</b>	First Trust Bank 11-15 Donegall Square North Belfast BT1 5GB

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# **ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

## **TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT (INCLUDING DIRECTORS' REPORT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025**

The trustees (who are also directors of the charitable company for the purposes of company law), present their report and independently examined financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2025. The trustees confirm that the Annual Report and Financial Statements of the company comply with the current statutory requirements, the requirements of the company's governing document and the provisions of the Accounting and Reporting by Charities' Statement of Recommended Practice, applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standards applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (effective 1 January 2019).

### **Objectives and principal activities**

The principle objective is the promotion, development and support of the voluntary and community sector and in particular to those organisations offering youth services and support to children and young people resident in Ardoyne, Marrowbone and Oldpark areas of North Belfast. The trustees have paid due regard to guidance issued by the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland in ensuring the charity's activities meet the public benefit requirements.

### **Achievements and performance**

The trustees are satisfied that they were able to achieve their objectives and delivered a wide range of activities developing the voluntary sector in North Belfast.

### **Financial review**

The trustees are satisfied with the financial position of the charity at the year ended 31 March 2025. The charity has managed its incoming resources effectively in the year under review.

The balance of funds at 31 March 2025 is £195,665 (2024: £188,552). During the year ended 31 March 2025 the charity had a positive movement in funds of £7,113. The results of the year are fully set out in the Statement of Financial Activities.

### **Going concern**

The trustees have reasonable expectations that the charity can continue its operations for the foreseeable future. For this reason, they continue to adopt the going concern principle in preparing the financial statements.

### **Risk management**

The trustees have assessed the major risks to which the charitable company is exposed, to those relating to the operations and finances of the company and are satisfied that systems and procedures are in place to mitigate exposure to major risks.

### **Statement of Trustees Responsibilities**

The trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Annual Report and the Financial Statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors and the trustees must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of the affairs of the charitable company. In preparing these financial statements the trustees are required to:

- Select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently;
- Make judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- Prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in operation

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**TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT (INCLUDING DIRECTORS' REPORT) (CONTINUED)  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025**

The trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charitable company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charitable company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

This report was approved by the trustees on ..... and signed on their behalf by:

William McComb  
Trustee

*W McComb*

*18/12/25*

Sally Smyth  
Trustee

*[Signature]*

*18-12-25*

## ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

### INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the financial statements of Ardoyne Youth Enterprises for the year ended 31 March 2025 set out on pages 6 to 14.

#### Respective responsibilities of Trustees and Examiner

As the charity trustees (and also the directors of the company for the purposes of company law) you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006. Having satisfied myself that the charity is not subject to audit under company law, and is eligible for independent examination, it is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 65 of the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008;
- follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act; and
- state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

#### Basis of independent examiner's report


I have examined your charity accounts as required under section 65 of the Charities Act and my examination was carried out in accordance with the general Directions given by the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act. The examination included a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also included consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as charity trustees concerning any such matters.

My role is to state whether any material matters have come to my attention giving me cause to believe:

1. That accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 386 of the Companies Act 2006
2. That the accounts do not accord with those accounting records
3. That the accounts do not comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the Companies Act 2006 and with the methods and principles of the 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
4. That there is further information needed for a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

#### Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination and have no concerns in respect of the matters (1) to (4) listed above and, in connection with following the Directions of the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland, I have found no matters that require drawing to your attention.

  
Paul McAreavey FCA  
PGM Chartered Accountants  
405 Lisburn Road  
Belfast  
BT9 7EW

18/12/25  
Date

**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES (INCLUDING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025**

		Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	2025 Total	2024 Total As restated
	Notes	£	£	£	£
<b>Income and endowments from:</b>					
Donations, legacies and charitable activities		51,736	236,637	288,373	253,092
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>51,736</b>	<b>236,637</b>	<b>288,373</b>	<b>253,092</b>
<b>Expenditure on:</b>					
Charitable activities		453	280,807	281,260	240,926
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>453</b>	<b>280,807</b>	<b>281,260</b>	<b>240,926</b>
<b>Net income/(expenditure)</b>		<b>51,283</b>	<b>(44,170)</b>	<b>7,113</b>	<b>12,166</b>
Transfers between funds		-	-	-	-
<b>Net movement in funds</b>		<b>51,283</b>	<b>(44,170)</b>	<b>7,113</b>	<b>12,166</b>
<b>Total funds brought forward at 1 April 2024 as originally stated</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>59,177</b>	<b>165,531</b>	<b>224,708</b>	<b>176,386</b>
<b>Prior year adjustment</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>(36,156)</b>	<b>(36,156)</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total funds brought forward at 1 April as restated</b>		<b>59,177</b>	<b>129,375</b>	<b>188,552</b>	<b>176,386</b>
<b>Total funds carried forward at 31 March 2025</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>110,460</b>	<b>85,205</b>	<b>195,665</b>	<b>188,552</b>

The statement of financial activities has been prepared on the basis that all operations are continuing operations.

There are no recognised gains or losses other than those passing through the statement of financial activities.

# ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

## BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 2025

			2025		2024 As restated
	Notes	£	£	£	£
<b>Fixed assets</b>					
Tangible assets	8		50,815		55,609
<b>Current assets</b>					
Debtors	9	14,254		4,570	
Cash at bank and in hand		140,174		139,438	
<b>Total current assets</b>		----- 154,428		----- 144,008	
<b>Liabilities:</b>					
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	10	(9,578)		(11,065)	
<b>Net current assets</b>			----- 144,850		----- 132,943
<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>			----- 195,665		----- 188,552
<b>Net assets</b>			----- 195,665 =====		----- 188,552 =====
<b>Funds</b>					
Unrestricted funds			110,460		59,177
Restricted funds			85,205		129,375
<b>Total funds</b>			----- 195,665 =====		----- 188,552 =====

For the financial year ended 31 March 2025 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

The Trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

The Trustees consider that the company is entitled to exemption from the requirement to have an audit under the provision of section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 and members have not required the company to obtain an audit for the year in question in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

# ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

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

### 1 Accounting policies

#### 1.1 Charity information

Ardoyne Youth Enterprises is a charitable company limited by guarantee, incorporated in Northern Ireland. The registered office is 11a Flax Street, Belfast, BT14 7EJ and the company registration number is NI623234. In the event of the company being wound up the liability in respect of the guarantee is limited to £2 per member.

The charity is a public benefit entity as defined by FRS102.

#### 1.2 Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006, the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) issued in October 2019 and the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008, and UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice.

These financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis under the historical cost convention. The financial statements have been presented in sterling, which is the functional currency of the charity.

The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

#### 1.3 Fund accounting

Income includes restricted and unrestricted funds. Unrestricted funds are funds which are available for use at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the company and 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.

#### 1.4 Income recognition

All incoming resources are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SOFA) when the charity is legally entitled to the income after any performance conditions have been met, the amount can be measured reliably and it is probable that the income will be received.

The charity receives government grants. Income from government and other grants are recognised at fair value when the charity has entitlement after any performance conditions have been met, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably. If the entitlement is not met then these amounts are deferred.

Donated facilities and donated professional services are recognised in income at their fair value when their economic benefit is probable, it can be measured reliably and the charity has control over the item. Fair value is determined on the basis of the value of the gift to the charity. For example, the amount the charity would be willing to pay in the open market for such facilities and services. A corresponding amount is recognised in expenditure.

No amount is included in the financial statements for volunteer time in line with the SORP.

# ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

### 1.5 Expenditure recognition

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to the category. Expenditure is recognised where there is a legal or constructive obligation to make payments to third parties, it is probable that the settlement will be required and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. It is categorised under the following headings:

- Costs of raising funds;
- Expenditure on charitable activities includes; and
- Other expenditure representing those items not falling into the categories above.

Irrecoverable VAT is charged as an expense against the activity for which expenditure arose.

### 1.6 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses.

Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets, at rates calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual value of each asset on a systemic basis over its expected useful life, as follows:

Fixtures & fittings	25% straight line
Motor vehicle	25% reducing balance
Leasehold buildings	2% straight line

The gain or loss arising on the disposal of an asset is determined as the difference between the sale proceeds and the carrying value of the asset and is credited or charged to surplus or deficit.

### 1.7 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents are basic financial assets and include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities.

### 1.8 Debtors and creditors receivable / payable within one year

Debtors and creditors with no stated interest rate and receivable or payable within one year are recorded at transaction price. Any losses arising from impairment are recognised in expenditure.

### 1.9 Impairment

Assets not measured at fair value are reviewed for any indication that the asset may be impaired at each balance sheet date. If such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset, or the asset's cash generating unit, is estimated and compared to the carrying amount. Where the carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount, an impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss unless the asset is carried at a revalued amount where the impairment loss is a revaluation decrease.

### 1.10 Provisions

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

### 1.11 Foreign currency translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date.

## **ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025**

Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate of exchange at the balance sheet date. All differences are taken to the profit and loss account.

#### **1.12 Taxation**

The company is exempt from corporation tax, due to its charitable status.

#### **1.13 Employee benefits**

The charity operates a defined contribution plan for the benefit of its employees. Contributions are expensed as they become payable.

#### **1.14 Going concern**

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis as the trustees believe that no material uncertainties exist. The trustees have considered the level of funds held and the expected level of income and expenditure for 12 months from authorising these financial statements. The budgeted income and expenditure and level of reserves are for the charity to be able to continue as a going concern.

#### **1.15 Cash flow statement**

The Charities SORP 2019 recommends that cash flow statements should be prepared for larger charitable entities, however the UK accounting guidelines also allow for smaller entities to elect not to produce cash flow statements. Ardoyne Youth Enterprises meets the definition of a small entity in terms of the UK accounting standards and the SORP 2019. The trustees have elected not to prepare cash flow statements in terms of provisions allowed to smaller entities.

#### **2. Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty**

There are no judgements (apart from those involving estimates) which have been made in the process of applying the above accounting policies that have a significant effect on amounts recognised in the financial statements.

There are no key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting date that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED  
31 MARCH 2025**

**3. Total resources**

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total 2025	Total 2024 As restated
	£	£	£	£
<b>Incoming resources</b>				
Department for Communities	-	105,428	105,428	104,394
Community Relations Council	-	72,311	72,311	72,311
Belfast City Council	-	42,901	42,901	31,335
Education Authority	-	5,997	5,997	-
Other income	51,736	-	51,736	33,923
E Quinn Civils Ltd	-	-	-	7,000
Community Fund	-	10,000	10,000	4,129
	-----	-----	-----	-----
	<b>51,736</b>	<b>236,637</b>	<b>288,373</b>	<b>253,092</b>
	=====	=====	=====	=====
<b>Resources expended</b>				
<b>Charitable activities</b>				
Salaries	-	116,734	116,734	110,808
Staff pension	-	3,384	3,384	3,127
Project costs	-	133,681	133,681	97,577
Rent	-	5,466	5,466	6,773
Rates	-	234	234	176
Cleaning	-	1,150	1,150	1,225
Heat, light and power	-	600	600	169
Repairs	-	499	499	1,519
Computer running costs	-	1,343	1,343	1,009
Vehicle expenses	-	1,971	1,971	983
Subscriptions	-	100	100	125
Accountancy	-	3,372	3,372	3,900
Bank charges	453	-	453	448
Insurance	-	2,786	2,786	3,091
Postage and stationery	-	2,259	2,259	1,587
Telephone	-	1,855	1,855	1,627
Sundry expenses	-	579	579	612
Depreciation	-	4,794	4,794	6,170
	-----	-----	-----	-----
	<b>453</b>	<b>280,807</b>	<b>281,260</b>	<b>240,926</b>
	=====	=====	=====	=====

## ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

#### 4. Independent examiner's remuneration

The independent examiner's remuneration amounts to an independent examination fee of £2,628 and £744 for payroll services.

#### 5. Trustees' remuneration

None of the Trustees (or any person connected with them) received any remuneration during the year ended 31 March 2025 (2024 - £nil).

#### 6. Trustees' expenses

The Trustees received no payments for expenses during the year ended 31 March 2025 (2024 - £nil).

#### 7. Employees

The average number of employees during the year ended 31 March 2025 was 7 (2024: 6).

Employment costs:	2025 £	2024 £
Gross wages and salaries	113,388	108,146
Employer national insurance costs	3,346	2,662
Defined contribution pension costs	3,384	3,127
	<u>120,118</u>	<u>113,935</u>
	=====	=====

There were no employees whose annual remuneration was £60,000 or more.

#### 8. Tangible fixed assets

	Buildings £	Minibus £	Fixtures & Fittings £	Total £
<b>Cost or valuation</b>				
At 1 April 2024	46,755	59,750	8,284	114,789
Additions	-	-	-	-
	<u>46,755</u>	<u>59,750</u>	<u>8,284</u>	<u>114,789</u>
At 31 March 2025	<u>46,755</u>	<u>59,750</u>	<u>8,284</u>	<u>114,789</u>
	=====	=====	=====	=====
<b>Depreciation</b>				
At 1 April 2024	2,805	49,350	7,025	59,180
Charge for the year	935	2,600	1,259	4,794
	<u>3,740</u>	<u>51,950</u>	<u>8,284</u>	<u>63,974</u>
At 31 March 2025	<u>3,740</u>	<u>51,950</u>	<u>8,284</u>	<u>63,974</u>
	=====	=====	=====	=====
<b>Net book value</b>				
At 31 March 2025	<u>43,015</u>	<u>7,800</u>	-	<u>50,815</u>
	=====	=====	=====	=====
At 31 March 2024	<u>43,950</u>	<u>10,400</u>	<u>1,259</u>	<u>55,609</u>
	=====	=====	=====	=====

**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED  
31 MARCH 2025**

**9. Debtors**

	<b>2025</b>	2024
	£	As restated £
Other debtors	<b>13,630</b>	3,975
Prepayments	<b>624</b>	595
	<b>-----</b>	<b>-----</b>
	<b>14,254</b>	4,570
	<b>=====</b>	<b>=====</b>

**10. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year**

	<b>2025</b>	2024
	£	£
Trade creditors	<b>1,367</b>	1,812
Taxation and social security	<b>1,743</b>	2,121
Credit card	<b>2,926</b>	2,963
Accruals and deferred income	<b>3,542</b>	4,169
	<b>-----</b>	<b>-----</b>
	<b>9,578</b>	11,065
	<b>=====</b>	<b>=====</b>

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

	<b>Unrestricted Funds £</b>	<b>Restricted Funds £</b>	<b>Total Funds £</b>
Fixed assets	-	<b>50,815</b>	<b>50,815</b>
Current assets	<b>110,460</b>	<b>43,968</b>	<b>154,428</b>
Current liabilities	-	<b>(9,578)</b>	<b>(9,578)</b>
	<b>-----</b>	<b>-----</b>	<b>-----</b>
	<b>110,460</b>	<b>85,205</b>	<b>195,665</b>
	<b>=====</b>	<b>=====</b>	<b>=====</b>

**12. Restatement of prior year balances**

The comparative figures in the accounts have been restated to adjust for an amount of £36,156 incorrectly included as a debtor at 31 March 2024.

Some income and expense categories have been reclassified to show these on a consistent basis as the current year.

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# **ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

## **TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT (INCLUDING DIRECTORS' REPORT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024**

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Trustee

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Sally Smyth  
Trustee

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**Paul McAreavey FCA**  
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**405 Lisburn Road**  
**Belfast**  
**BT9 7EW**

Date

28/1/25

**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024**

**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES (INCLUDING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE  
ACCOUNT)  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024**

	Notes	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	2024 Total £	2023 Total £
<b>Income and endowments from:</b>					
Donations, legacies and charitable activities		40,923	248,324	289,247	258,343
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>40,923</b>	<b>248,324</b>	<b>289,247</b>	<b>258,343</b>
<b>Expenditure on:</b>					
Charitable activities		448	240,477	240,925	268,516
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>240,477</b>	<b>240,925</b>	<b>268,516</b>
<b>Net income /(expenditure)</b>		<b>40,475</b>	<b>7,847</b>	<b>48,322</b>	<b>(10,173)</b>
Transfers between funds		-	-	-	-
<b>Net movement in funds</b>		<b>40,475</b>	<b>7,847</b>	<b>48,322</b>	<b>(10,173)</b>
<b>Total funds brought forward at 1 April 2023</b>		<b>18,702</b>	<b>157,684</b>	<b>176,386</b>	<b>186,559</b>
<b>Total funds carried forward at 31 March 2024</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>59,177</b>	<b>165,531</b>	<b>224,708</b>	<b>176,386</b>

The statement of financial activities has been prepared on the basis that all operations are continuing operations.

There are no recognised gains or losses other than those passing through the statement of financial activities.

# ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

## BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 2024

		2024		2023	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
<b>Fixed assets</b>					
Tangible assets	8		55,609		61,779
<b>Current assets</b>					
Debtors	9	40,726		46,662	
Cash at bank and in hand		139,438		81,930	
<b>Total current assets</b>		-----		-----	
		180,164		128,592	
<b>Liabilities:</b>					
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	10	(11,065)		(13,985)	
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<b>Net current assets</b>			169,099		114,607
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<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>			224,708		176,386
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<b>Net assets</b>			224,708		176,386
			=====		=====
<b>Funds</b>					
Unrestricted funds			59,177		18,702
Restricted funds			165,531		157,684
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<b>Total funds</b>			224,708		176,386
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For the financial year ended 31 March 2024 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

The Trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

The Trustees consider that the company is entitled to exemption from the requirement to have an audit under the provision of section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 and members have not required the company to obtain an audit for the year in question in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

**BALANCE SHEET (CONTINUED) AS AT 31 MARCH 2024**

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small Companies regime.

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the Board on 20/1/25 and are signed on its behalf by:

**William McComb**  
Trustee *W McComb*  
Date 20/1/25

**Sally Smyth**  
Trustee *Sally Smyth*  
Date 20/1/25

**Company Registration No. NI623234**

# ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

### 1 Accounting policies

#### 1.1 Charity information

Ardoyne Youth Enterprises is a charitable company limited by guarantee, incorporated in Northern Ireland. The registered office is 11a Flax Street, Belfast, BT14 7EJ and the company registration number is NI623234. In the event of the company being wound up the liability in respect of the guarantee is limited to £2 per member.

The charity is a public benefit entity as defined by FRS102.

#### 1.2 Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006, the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) issued in October 2019 and the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008, and UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice.

These financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis under the historical cost convention. The financial statements have been presented in sterling, which is the functional currency of the charity.

The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

#### 1.3 Fund accounting

Income includes restricted and unrestricted funds. Unrestricted funds are funds which are available for use at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the company and 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.

#### 1.4 Income recognition

All incoming resources are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SOFA) when the charity is legally entitled to the income after any performance conditions have been met, the amount can be measured reliably and it is probable that the income will be received.

The charity receives government grants. Income from government and other grants are recognised at fair value when the charity has entitlement after any performance conditions have been met, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably. If the entitlement is not met then these amounts are deferred.

Donated facilities and donated professional services are recognised in income at their fair value when their economic benefit is probable, it can be measured reliably and the charity has control over the item. Fair value is determined on the basis of the value of the gift to the charity. For example, the amount the charity would be willing to pay in the open market for such facilities and services. A corresponding amount is recognised in expenditure.

No amount is included in the financial statements for volunteer time in line with the SORP.

# ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

### 1.5 Expenditure recognition

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to the category. Expenditure is recognised where there is a legal or constructive obligation to make payments to third parties, it is probable that the settlement will be required and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. It is categorised under the following headings:

- Costs of raising funds;
- Expenditure on charitable activities includes; and
- Other expenditure representing those items not falling into the categories above.

Irrecoverable VAT is charged as an expense against the activity for which expenditure arose.

### 1.6 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses.

Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets, at rates calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual value of each asset on a systemic basis over its expected useful life, as follows:

Fixtures & fittings	25% straight line
Motor vehicle	25% reducing balance
Leasehold buildings	2% straight line

The gain or loss arising on the disposal of an asset is determined as the difference between the sale proceeds and the carrying value of the asset and is credited or charged to surplus or deficit.

### 1.7 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents are basic financial assets and include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities.

### 1.8 Debtors and creditors receivable / payable within one year

Debtors and creditors with no stated interest rate and receivable or payable within one year are recorded at transaction price. Any losses arising from impairment are recognised in expenditure.

### 1.9 Impairment

Assets not measured at fair value are reviewed for any indication that the asset may be impaired at each balance sheet date. If such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset, or the asset's cash generating unit, is estimated and compared to the carrying amount. Where the carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount, an impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss unless the asset is carried at a revalued amount where the impairment loss is a revaluation decrease.

### 1.10 Provisions

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

### 1.11 Foreign currency translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date.

# **ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

## **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024**

Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate of exchange at the balance sheet date. All differences are taken to the profit and loss account.

### **1.12 Taxation**

The company is exempt from corporation tax, due to its charitable status.

### **1.13 Employee benefits**

The charity operates a defined contribution plan for the benefit of its employees. Contributions are expensed as they become payable.

### **1.14 Going concern**

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis as the trustees believe that no material uncertainties exist. The trustees have considered the level of funds held and the expected level of income and expenditure for 12 months from authorising these financial statements. The budgeted income and expenditure and level of reserves are for the charity to be able to continue as a going concern.

### **1.15 Cash flow statement**

The Charities SORP 2019 recommends that cash flow statements should be prepared for larger charitable entities, however the UK accounting guidelines also allow for smaller entities to elect not to produce cash flow statements. Ardoyne Youth Enterprises meets the definition of a small entity in terms of the UK accounting standards and the SORP 2019. The trustees have elected not to prepare cash flow statements in terms of provisions allowed to smaller entities.

## **2. Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty**

There are no judgements (apart from those involving estimates) which have been made in the process of applying the above accounting policies that have a significant effect on amounts recognised in the financial statements.

There are no key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting date that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

# ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

### 3. Total resources

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total 2024	Total 2023
	£	£	£	£
<b>Incoming resources</b>				
Department for Communities	-	155,450	155,450	115,734
Community Relations Council	-	72,311	72,311	79,999
Belfast City Council	-	16,434	16,434	16,490
Education Authority	-	-	-	9,844
Other income	800	-	800	315
E Quinn Civils Ltd	-	7,000	7,000	-
TEO Urban Villages	-	-	-	8,391
National Lottery Community Fund	-	-	-	10,000
OCCNI	33,123	-	33,123	15,570
NBWI	-	4,129	4,129	2,000
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	<b>33,923</b>	<b>255,324</b>	<b>289,247</b>	<b>258,343</b>
	=====	=====	=====	=====
 <b>Resources expended</b>				
<b>Charitable activities</b>				
Salaries	-	110,808	110,808	124,635
Staff pension	-	3,127	3,127	3,559
Rent	-	6,773	6,773	5,292
Rates	-	176	176	234
Heat, light and power	-	169	169	4,104
Project costs	-	99,568	99,568	104,949
Subscriptions	-	125	125	187
Cleaning	-	1,225	1,225	1,242
Repairs	-	1,519	1,519	4,701
Computer running costs	-	1,009	1,009	676
Postage and stationery	-	1,587	1,587	4,075
Telephone	-	1,627	1,627	1,817
Vehicle expenses	-	983	983	681
Depreciation	-	6,170	6,170	7,628
Insurance	-	1,099	1,099	514
Bank charges	448	-	448	532
Bank interest	-	-	-	260
Accountancy	-	3,900	3,900	3,240
Sundry expenses	-	612	612	190
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# ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

### 4. Independent examiner's remuneration

The independent examiner's remuneration amounts to an independent examination fee of £2,700 and £720 for payroll services.

### 5. Trustees' remuneration

None of the Trustees (or any person connected with them) received any remuneration during the year ended 31 March 2024 (2023 - £nil).

### 6. Trustees' expenses

The Trustees received no payments for expenses during the year ended 31 March 2024 (2023 - £nil).

### 7. Employees

The average number of employees during the year ended 31 March 2024 was 6 (2023: 7).

#### Employment costs:

	2024 £	2022 £
Gross wages and salaries	108,146	120,211
Employer national insurance costs	2,662	4,424
Defined contribution pension costs	3,127	3,559
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	113,935	128,194
	=====	=====

There were no employees whose annual remuneration was £60,000 or more.

### 8. Tangible fixed assets

	Buildings £	Minibus £	Fixtures & Fittings £	Total £
<b>Cost or valuation</b>				
At 1 April 2023	46,755	59,750	8,284	114,789
Additions	-	-	-	-
	-----	-----	-----	-----
At 31 March 2024	46,755	59,750	8,284	114,789
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<b>Depreciation</b>				
At 1 April 2023	1,870	45,883	5,257	53,010
Charge for the year	935	3,467	1,768	6,170
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At 31 March 2024	2,805	49,350	7,025	59,180
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<b>Net book value</b>				
At 31 March 2024	43,950	10,400	1,259	55,609
	=====	=====	=====	=====
At 31 March 2023	44,885	13,867	3,027	61,779
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## ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

#### 9. Debtors

	2024	2023
	£	£
Other debtors	40,131	46,140
Prepayments	595	522
	40,726	46,662
	40,726	46,662

#### 10. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2024	2023
	£	£
Trade creditors	1,813	2,207
Taxation and social security	2,120	4,973
Accruals and deferred income	7,132	6,805
	11,065	13,985
	11,065	13,985

#### 11. Analysis of net assets between funds

	Unrestricted Fund £	Restricted Fund £	Total Funds £
Fixed assets	-	55,609	55,609
Current assets	59,177	120,987	180,164
Current liabilities	-	(11,065)	(11,065)
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**Ardoyne Youth Enterprises**

Northern Ireland - Charity number 105047

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# Annual report

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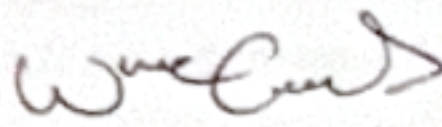
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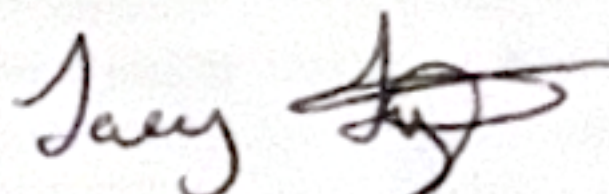
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This report was approved by the trustees on 20/1/25 and signed on their behalf by:

William McComb   
Trustee  
20/1/25

Sally Smyth  
Trustee

  
20/1/25

**Ardoyne Youth Enterprises**

Northern Ireland - Charity number 105047

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# Annual return

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**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024**

**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT  
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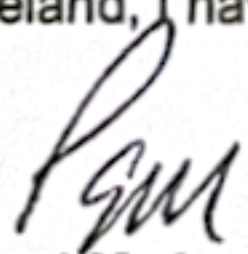
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Paul McAreavey FCA  
PGM Chartered Accountants  
405 Lisburn Road  
Belfast  
BT9 7EW

Date

28/1/25

**Ardoyne Youth Enterprises**

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# Accounts

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Charity Registration No. NIC105047 (Northern Ireland)

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**(A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**  
**ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023**

**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

**CHARITY INFORMATION**

<b>Directors</b>	Mr J Marley Mr W McComb Ms S Smyth Mr J Oliver Ms C O'Kane Mr G Gorman
<b>Secretary</b>	Mr T Turley
<b>Company number</b>	NI623234
<b>Charity number</b>	105047
<b>Registered office</b>	11a Flax Street Belfast BT14 7EJ
<b>Independent examiner</b>	PGM Chartered Accountants 405 Lisburn Road Belfast BT9 7EW
<b>Bankers</b>	First Trust Bank 322 Antrim Road Glengormley BT36 5EQ

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## **ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

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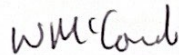
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William McComb



Sally Smyth

**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023**

**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT  
TO THE TRUSTEES OF ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES**

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the financial statements of Ardoyne Youth Enterprises for the year ended 31 March 2023 set out on pages 6 to 14.

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- state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

**Basis of independent examiner's report**


I have examined your charity accounts as required under section 65 of the Charities Act and my examination was carried out in accordance with the general Directions given by the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act. The examination included a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also included consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as charity trustees concerning any such matters.

My role is to state whether any material matters have come to my attention giving me cause to believe:

1. That accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 386 of the Companies Act 2006
2. That the accounts do not accord with those accounting records
3. That the accounts do not comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the Companies Act 2006 and with the methods and principles of the 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
4. That there is further information needed for a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

**Independent examiner's statement**

I have completed my examination and have no concerns in respect of the matters (1) to (4) listed above and, in connection with following the Directions of the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland, I have found no matters that require drawing to your attention.

  
Paul McAreavey FCA  
PGM Chartered Accountants  
405 Lisburn Road  
Belfast  
BT9 7EW

Date

31/1/24

**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023**

**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES (INCLUDING INCOME AND EXPENDITURE  
ACCOUNT)  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023**

		Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	2023 Total	2022 Total
	Notes	£	£	£	£
<b>Income and endowments from:</b>					
Donations, legacies and charitable activities		15,885	242,458	258,343	339,541
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>15,885</b>	<b>242,458</b>	<b>258,343</b>	<b>339,541</b>
<b>Expenditure on:</b>					
Charitable activities		792	267,724	268,516	263,108
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>792</b>	<b>267,724</b>	<b>268,516</b>	<b>263,108</b>
<b>Net income /(expenditure)</b>		<b>15,093</b>	<b>(25,266)</b>	<b>(10,173)</b>	<b>76,433</b>
Transfers between funds		-	-	-	-
<b>Net movement in funds</b>		<b>15,093</b>	<b>(25,266)</b>	<b>(10,173)</b>	<b>76,433</b>
<b>Total funds brought forward at 1 April 2022</b>		<b>3,609</b>	<b>182,950</b>	<b>186,559</b>	<b>110,126</b>
<b>Total funds carried forward at 31 March 2023</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>18,702</b>	<b>157,684</b>	<b>176,386</b>	<b>186,559</b>

The statement of financial activities has been prepared on the basis that all operations are continuing operations.

There are no recognised gains or losses other than those passing through the statement of financial activities.

**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

**BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 2023**

		2023		2022	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
<b>Fixed assets</b>					
Tangible assets	8		61,779		69,407
<b>Current assets</b>					
Debtors	9	46,662		40,000	
Cash at bank and in hand		81,930		91,172	
<b>Total current assets</b>		<u>128,592</u>		<u>131,172</u>	
<b>Liabilities:</b>					
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	10	(13,985)		(10,099)	
<b>Net current assets</b>			<u>114,607</u>		<u>121,073</u>
<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>			<u>176,386</u>		<u>190,480</u>
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	11		-	(3,921)	
<b>Net assets</b>			<u>176,386</u>		<u>186,559</u>
<b>Funds</b>					
Unrestricted funds			18,702		3,609
Restricted funds			157,684		182,950
<b>Total funds</b>			<u>176,386</u>		<u>186,559</u>

For the financial year ended 31 March 2023 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

The Trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

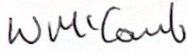
The Trustees consider that the company is entitled to exemption from the requirement to have an audit under the provision of section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 and members have not required the company to obtain an audit for the year in question in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

**BALANCE SHEET (CONTINUED) AS AT 31 MARCH 2023**

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small Companies regime.

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the Board on 30/1/2024 and are signed on its behalf by:

  
**William McComb**

**Trustee**

Date 30/01/24

  
**Sally Smyth**

**Trustee**

Date 30/1/24

**Company Registration No. NI623234**

## **ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023**

#### **1 Accounting policies**

##### **1.1 Charity information**

Ardoyne Youth Enterprises is a charitable company limited by guarantee, incorporated in Northern Ireland. The registered office is 11a Flax Street, Belfast, BT14 7EJ and the company registration number is NI623234. In the event of the company being wound up the liability in respect of the guarantee is limited to £2 per member.

The charity is a public benefit entity as defined by FRS102.

##### **1.2 Basis of preparation**

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006, the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) issued in October 2019 and the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008, and UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice.

These financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis under the historical cost convention. The financial statements have been presented in sterling, which is the functional currency of the charity.

The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

##### **1.3 Fund accounting**

Income includes restricted and unrestricted funds. Unrestricted funds are funds which are available for use at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the company and 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.

##### **1.4 Income recognition**

All incoming resources are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SOFA) when the charity is legally entitled to the income after any performance conditions have been met, the amount can be measured reliably and it is probable that the income will be received.

The charity receives government grants. Income from government and other grants are recognised at fair value when the charity has entitlement after any performance conditions have been met, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably. If the entitlement is not met then these amounts are deferred.

Donated facilities and donated professional services are recognised in income at their fair value when their economic benefit is probable, it can be measured reliably and the charity has control over the item. Fair value is determined on the basis of the value of the gift to the charity. For example, the amount the charity would be willing to pay in the open market for such facilities and services. A corresponding amount is recognised in expenditure.

No amount is included in the financial statements for volunteer time in line with the SORP.

## ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

#### 1.5 Expenditure recognition

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to the category. Expenditure is recognised where there is a legal or constructive obligation to make payments to third parties, it is probable that the settlement will be required and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. It is categorised under the following headings:

- Costs of raising funds;
- Expenditure on charitable activities includes; and
- Other expenditure representing those items not falling into the categories above.

Irrecoverable VAT is charged as an expense against the activity for which expenditure arose.

#### 1.6 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses.

Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets, at rates calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual value of each asset on a systemic basis over its expected useful life, as follows:

Fixtures & fittings	25% straight line
Motor vehicle	25% reducing balance
Freehold buildings	2% straight line

The gain or loss arising on the disposal of an asset is determined as the difference between the sale proceeds and the carrying value of the asset and is credited or charged to surplus or deficit.

#### 1.7 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents are basic financial assets and include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities.

#### 1.8 Debtors and creditors receivable / payable within one year

Debtors and creditors with no stated interest rate and receivable or payable within one year are recorded at transaction price. Any losses arising from impairment are recognised in expenditure.

#### 1.9 Impairment

Assets not measured at fair value are reviewed for any indication that the asset may be impaired at each balance sheet date. If such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset, or the asset's cash generating unit, is estimated and compared to the carrying amount. Where the carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount, an impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss unless the asset is carried at a revalued amount where the impairment loss is a revaluation decrease.

#### 1.10 Provisions

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

#### 1.11 Foreign currency translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date.

## ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate of exchange at the balance sheet date. All differences are taken to the profit and loss account.

#### 1.12 Taxation

The company is exempt from corporation tax, due to its charitable status.

#### 1.13 Employee benefits

The charity operates a defined contribution plan for the benefit of its employees. Contributions are expensed as they become payable.

#### 1.14 Going concern

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis as the trustees believe that no material uncertainties exist. The trustees have considered the level of funds held and the expected level of income and expenditure for 12 months from authorising these financial statements. The budgeted income and expenditure and level of reserves are for the charity to be able to continue as a going concern.

#### 1.15 Cash flow statement

The Charities SORP 2019 recommends that cash flow statements should be prepared for larger charitable entities, however the UK accounting guidelines also allow for smaller entities to elect not to produce cash flow statements. Ardoyne Youth Enterprises meets the definition of a small entity in terms of the UK accounting standards and the SORP 2019. The trustees have elected not to prepare cash flow statements in terms of provisions allowed to smaller entities.

#### 2. Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

There are no judgements (apart from those involving estimates) which have been made in the process of applying the above accounting policies that have a significant effect on amounts recognised in the financial statements.

There are no key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting date that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023**

**3. Total resources**

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total 2023	Total 2022
	£	£	£	£
<b>Incoming resources</b>				
Department for Communities	-	115,734	115,734	135,208
Community Relations Council	-	79,999	79,999	114,543
Belfast City Council	-	16,490	16,490	3,460
Education Authority	-	9,844	9,844	15,448
Consumer Council	-	-	-	10,500
Department of Foreign Affairs	-	-	-	7,499
Other income	315	-	315	30,283
Breakthrough Peace	-	-	-	1,198
Ashton Community Trust	-	-	-	-
Co-Operation Ireland	-	-	-	3,000
TEO Urban Villages	-	8,391	8,391	3,000
National Lottery Community Fund	-	10,000	10,000	-
OCCNI	15,570	-	15,570	15,402
NBWI	-	2,000	2,000	-
	<u>15,885</u>	<u>242,458</u>	<u>258,343</u>	<u>339,541</u>
	=====	=====	=====	=====
<b>Resources expended</b>				
<b>Charitable activities</b>				
Salaries	-	124,635	124,635	115,904
Staff pension	-	3,559	3,559	4,746
Training	-	-	-	527
Rent	-	5,292	5,292	4,766
Rates	-	234	234	74
Heat, light and power	-	4,104	4,104	2,025
Project costs	-	104,949	104,949	113,331
Subscriptions	-	187	187	576
Cleaning	-	1,242	1,242	1,651
Repairs	-	4,701	4,701	180
Computer running costs	-	676	676	1,102
Postage and stationery	-	4,075	4,075	1,373
Telephone	-	1,817	1,817	1,990
Vehicle expenses	-	681	681	677
Depreciation	-	7,628	7,628	8,968
Insurance	-	514	514	980
Bank charges	532	-	532	465
Bank interest	260	-	260	790
Accountancy	-	3,240	3,240	2,916
Sundry expenses	-	190	190	67
	<u>792</u>	<u>267,724</u>	<u>268,516</u>	<u>263,108</u>
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**4. Independent examiner's remuneration**

The independent examiner's remuneration amounts to an independent examination fee of £2,640 and £600 for payroll services.

**5. Trustees' remuneration**

None of the Trustees (or any person connected with them) received any remuneration during the year ended 31 March 2023 (2022 - £nil).

**6. Trustees' expenses**

The Trustees received no payments for expenses during the year ended 31 March 2023 (2022 - £nil).

**7. Employees**

The average number of employees during the year ended 31 March 2023 was 7 (2022: 11).

<b>Employment costs:</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Gross wages and salaries	<b>120,211</b>	111,553
Employer national insurance costs	<b>4,424</b>	4,351
Defined contribution pension costs	<b>3,559</b>	4,746
	<b>128,194</b>	120,650
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There were no employees whose annual remuneration was £60,000 or more.

**8. Tangible fixed assets**

	<b>Buildings</b>	<b>Minibus</b>	<b>Fixtures &amp; Fittings</b>	<b>Total</b>
	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>Cost or valuation</b>				
At 1 April 2022	46,755	59,750	8,284	114,789
Additions	-	-	-	-
At 31 March 2023	46,755	59,750	8,284	114,789
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<b>Depreciation</b>				
At 1 April 2022	935	41,261	3,186	45,382
Charge for the year	935	4,622	2,071	7,628
At 31 March 2023	1,870	45,883	5,257	53,010
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<b>Net book value</b>				
At 31 March 2023	44,885	13,867	3,027	61,779
	=====	=====	=====	=====
At 31 March 2022	45,820	18,489	5,098	69,407
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**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)**

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023**

**9. Debtors**

	2023 £	2022 £
Other debtors	46,140	40,000
Prepayments	522	-
	<u>46,662</u>	<u>40,000</u>
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**10. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year**

	2023 £	2022 £
Bank loans and overdrafts	-	4,200
Trade creditors	2,207	-
Taxation and social security	4,973	1,619
Accruals and deferred income	6,805	4,280
	<u>13,985</u>	<u>10,099</u>
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**11. Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year**

	2023 £	2022 £
Finance loans	-	3,921
	=====	=====

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

	Unrestricted Fund £	Restricted Fund £	Total Funds £
Fixed assets	-	61,779	61,779
Current assets	18,702	109,890	128,592
Current liabilities	-	(13,985)	(13,985)
	<u>18,702</u>	<u>157,684</u>	<u>176,386</u>
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**Ardoyne Youth Enterprises**

Northern Ireland - Charity number 105047

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# Annual report

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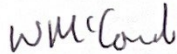
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This report was approved by the trustees on 30/1/2024 and signed on their behalf by:



William McComb



Sally Smyth

**Ardoyne Youth Enterprises**

Northern Ireland - Charity number 105047

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# Annual return

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**ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE)  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023**

**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT  
TO THE TRUSTEES OF ARDOYNE YOUTH ENTERPRISES**

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- state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

**Basis of independent examiner's report**


I have examined your charity accounts as required under section 65 of the Charities Act and my examination was carried out in accordance with the general Directions given by the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act. The examination included a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also included consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as charity trustees concerning any such matters.

My role is to state whether any material matters have come to my attention giving me cause to believe:

1. That accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 386 of the Companies Act 2006
2. That the accounts do not accord with those accounting records
3. That the accounts do not comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the Companies Act 2006 and with the methods and principles of the 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
4. That there is further information needed for a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

**Independent examiner's statement**

I have completed my examination and have no concerns in respect of the matters (1) to (4) listed above and, in connection with following the Directions of the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland, I have found no matters that require drawing to your attention.

  
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Date 31/1/24