

# Valley Rangers Youth Football Club

Northern Ireland · Charity number 107551

## Details

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**Status** Received

**Registered** 2020-08-11

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

## Contact

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Kilkeel  
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## Activities

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**Purposes:** The Club is established to: -To provide opportunities for young persons aged under eighteen years to gain training in the skills of Association Football. -To arrange competitive games for all teams playing under its name -To encourage young people to participate in competitive team sport. -To promote for the benefit of the inhabitants aged under eighteen years of the Ballinran area and its environs (hereinafter described as "the area of benefit") without distinction of age, sex, race, political, religious or other opinion, participation in active sport and recreation in the interests of the social welfare, education, recreation or other leisure-time occupation with the object of improving the conditions of life for the said inhabitants;

**What the charity does:** The advancement of amateur sport

**How the charity works:** Community development,Cross-border/cross-community,Disability,Education/training,General charitable purposes,Rural development,Sport/recreation,Volunteer development,Youth development

**Who the charity helps:** Adult training,Children (5-13 year olds),Community safety/crime prevention,General public,Interface communities,Learning disabilities,Men,Mental health,Parents,Physical disabilities,Specific areas of deprivation,Voluntary and community sector,Volunteers,Women,Youth (14-25 year olds)

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£28,393	£38,840	£0	0

## Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Mr Christopher Mcauley		
Mr Mervin Teggarty		
Mr Neil Ardis		
Mr Thomas Haugh		
Mrs Deborah Annett		

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# Accounts

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Charity Name

Charity No. (if any)

VALLEY RANGERS YOUTH FC	NIC107551
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## Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	01/04/2024	To	31/03/2025
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### Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Last year
	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Donations & legacies				£ -	£ -
Grants	£ -	£ 8,845		£ 8,845	£ 16,250
Fundraising activities	£ 805			£ 805	£ 2,250
Interest on deposit account				£ -	£ -
Dividend on investments				£ -	£ -
Members' subscriptions	£ 14,711			£ 14,711	£ 18,030
Charitable trading receipts				£ -	£ -
Rents from land & buildings				£ -	£ -
Other charitable receipts	£ 4,032			£ 4,032	£ -
<b>A1 Sub total (Gross income for the Annual Return)</b>	<b>£ 19,548</b>	<b>£ 8,845</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 28,393</b>	<b>£ 36,530</b>
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales (see tables 1 and 2 in section 7 of the guidance).</b>					
Proceeds from sale of fixed asset		£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
Loan repayments received		£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
<b>A2 Sub total</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>£ 19,548</b>	<b>£ 8,845</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 28,393</b>	<b>£ 36,530</b>
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Cost of fundraising events	£ 2,817			£ 2,817	£ 2,636
Gross trading payments				£ -	£ -
Investment management costs	£ 212			£ 212	£ 211
Direct charitable activity	£ 15,836			£ 15,836	£ 10,820
Grants & donations paid	£ 2,482	£ 15,993		£ 18,475	£ 13,165
Governance costs				£ -	£ -
Other costs	£ 1,500			£ 1,500	£ 1,500
	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
<b>A3 Sub total</b>	<b>£ 22,847</b>	<b>£ 15,993</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 38,840</b>	<b>£ 28,333</b>
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases (see tables 1 and 2 in section 7 of the guidance)</b>					
Purchase of investments	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
Loans made	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
<b>A4 Sub total</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>
<b>Total payments</b>	<b>£ 22,847</b>	<b>£ 15,993</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 38,840</b>	<b>£ 28,333</b>
<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	<b>-£ 3,299</b>	<b>-£ 7,148</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>-£ 10,447</b>	<b>£ 8,198</b>
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>				£ -	£ -
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	£ 9,727	£ 5,350	£ -	£ 15,077	£ 6,879
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	<b>£ 6,428</b>	<b>-£ 1,798</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 4,630</b>	<b>£ 15,077</b>

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Signed by Independent Examiner

R Forsythe

Date

15.09.25

Signed by Treasurer

C McAuley

Date

15.09.25

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# Accounts

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## Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	01/04/2023	To	31/03/2024
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### Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Donations & legacies				£ -	£ -
Grants	£ 250	£ 16,000		£ 16,250	£ 21,414
Fundraising activities	£ 2,250			£ 2,250	£ 1,185
Interest on deposit account				£ -	£ -
Dividend on investments				£ -	£ -
Members' subscriptions	£ 18,030			£ 18,030	£ 13,434
Charitable trading receipts				£ -	£ -
Rents from land & buildings				£ -	£ -
Other charitable receipts				£ -	£ -
<b>A1 Sub total (Gross income for the Annual Return)</b>	<b>£ 20,530</b>	<b>£ 16,000</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 36,530</b>	<b>£ 36,033</b>
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales (see tables 1 and 2 in section 7 of the guidance).</b>					
Proceeds from sale of fixed asset		£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
Loan repayments received		£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
<b>A2 Sub total</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>£ 20,530</b>	<b>£ 16,000</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 36,530</b>	<b>£ 36,033</b>
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Cost of fundraising events	£ 2,636			£ 2,636	£ 3,540
Gross trading payments				£ -	£ -
Investment management costs	£ 211			£ 211	£ 231
Direct charitable activity	£ 10,820			£ 10,820	£ 10,981
Grants & donations paid	£ 1,655	£ 11,510		£ 13,165	£ 25,306
Governance costs				£ -	£ -
Other costs	£ 1,500			£ 1,500	£ 1,500
	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
<b>A3 Sub total</b>	<b>£ 16,823</b>	<b>£ 11,510</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 28,333</b>	<b>£ 41,559</b>
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases (see tables 1 and 2 in section 7 of the guidance)</b>					
Purchase of investments	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
Loans made	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
<b>A4 Sub total</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ -</b>
<b>Total payments</b>	<b>£ 16,823</b>	<b>£ 11,510</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 28,333</b>	<b>£ 41,559</b>
<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	<b>£ 3,708</b>	<b>£ 4,490</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 8,198</b>	<b>-£ 5,526</b>
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>				£ -	£ -
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	£ 6,019	£ 860	£ -	£ 6,879	£ 12,405
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	<b>£ 9,727</b>	<b>£ 5,350</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 15,077</b>	<b>£ 6,879</b>
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Signed by Independent Examiner

R Forsythe

Date

25.09.24

Signed by Treasurer

C McAuley

Date

25.09.24

**Valley Rangers Youth Football Club**

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# Annual report

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**Valley Rangers Youth Football Club**  
**Charity No: 107551**  
**Trustee Report 2023-24**

Address: 46 Balinran Road, Kilkeel, Co. Down, BT34 4JA

Trustees: Neil Ardis (Chairperson), Chris McAuley, Mervin Teggarty, Thomas Haugh and Deborah Annett

The purpose of the charity is to promote the sport and to provide opportunities for young persons aged under eighteen years to gain training in the skills of Association Football, to arrange competitive games for all teams playing under its name, to encourage young people to participate in competitive team sport and to promote for the benefit of the inhabitants aged under eighteen years of the Ballinran area.

The main beneficiaries of this purpose are the people living in the Kilkeel area although the work of the Youth impacts throughout the wider Down area.

During 2023-24 the Youth continued with its focus on strengthening and ensuring our governance structure continues to be fit for purpose. The Youths financial situation continued to be managed in a positive position during uncertain and challenging times through the continued support from our members and further successful applications to several small grants.

During 2023-24 the Youth has maintained and enhanced its Structure by increasing the number of volunteers to support all age group coaches from age U6 to U14's. During 2023-24 many of our coaches gained IFA coaching Awards, and we plan to continue to apply for grants to do these during 2023-24. All new volunteers have undergone an AccessNI Check in association with IFA. Safeguarding Children and First Aid in sport have been facilitated by the Youth and made available to Volunteers to attend.

Our youth teams are involved and compete across different NI Football Leagues. We have several youth teams within our youth setup playing in the Mid Ulster Youth League and Carnbane (GDC) Youth League in Newry. Our youth teams range from under 6s mini soccer up to under 14s. Teams train twice a week with qualified coaches and play matches on Saturdays and occasionally mid-week games in spring and summer. We have a girl's football academy which has approx. 90 girls who train regularly. We encourage kids with disability and Autism to come along to training when they can as we are an all-inclusive club. We also encourage cross community networking and participation.

The Youth was able to support the provision of further equipment, training, insurance, and venue hire through the successful application of grant funding.

During the past year, the Trustees consider that we have fulfilled our purpose by way of promoting the sport and to provide opportunities for young persons aged under eighteen years to gain training in the skills of Association Football in Kilkeel, County Down and have ensured a safe environment for members to participate.

The trustees are content that the finances of the Youth are maintained and reported in a satisfactory manner. There are regular updates at the committee meetings which were managed through zoom or in the Committee Room. Minutes of these meetings are recorded

and duly signed by the Chairperson. The Annual General Meeting for 2023/24 was held at the time as agreed by the Youth Committee.

In setting our objectives and planning our activities for the year the Trustees have given careful consideration to the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland's guidance on public benefit to ensure that the activities have helped to achieve the charity's purposes and provide a benefit to the beneficiaries.

*Neil Ardis*

Neil Ardis  
Chairperson

**Valley Rangers Youth Football Club**

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# Annual return

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## **Independent examiner's report to the charity trustees of Valley Rangers Youth Football Club**

I report on the accounts of the above charity (107551) for the year ended 31 March 2024.

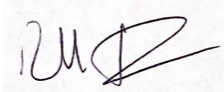
I have examined your charity accounts as required under section 65 of the Charities Act and my examination has been carried out in accordance with the general direction given by the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland under section 65(9) (b) of the Charities Act.

My 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 such matters.

### **Independent examiner's statement**

I have completed my examination of the accounts of Valley Rangers Youth Football Club (107551) and have no concerns with respect to any material matters relating to the accounts and in connection with following the directions of the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland.

Therefore, I have found no matters that require drawing to your attention.



**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_

Richard Forsythe  
Third Sector Connect  
2 Market Place  
Lisburn  
BT28 1AN

Tel: 07835771951

**Date:** 25 September 2024

**Valley Rangers Youth Football Club**

Northern Ireland - Charity number 107551

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# Accounts

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Charity No. (if any)

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NIC107551

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### Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Donations & legacies				£ -	£ -
Grants	£ -	£ 21,414		£ 21,414	£ 18,423
Fundraising activities	£ 1,185			£ 1,185	£ 1,628
Interest on deposit account				£ -	£ -
Dividend on investments				£ -	£ -
Members' subscriptions	£ 13,434			£ 13,434	£ 9,480
Charitable trading receipts				£ -	£ -
Rents from land & buildings				£ -	£ -
Other charitable receipts				£ -	£ -
<b>A1 Sub total (Gross income for the Annual Return)</b>	<b>£ 14,619</b>	<b>£ 21,414</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 36,033</b>	<b>£ 29,531</b>
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales (see tables 1 and 2 in section 7 of the guidance).</b>					
Proceeds from sale of fixed asset		£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
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<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>£ 14,619</b>	<b>£ 21,414</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 36,033</b>	<b>£ 29,531</b>
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Cost of fundraising events	£ 3,540			£ 3,540	£ 500
Gross trading payments				£ -	£ -
Investment management costs	£ 231			£ 231	£ 235
Direct charitable activity	£ 10,981			£ 10,981	£ 8,419
Grants & donations paid	£ 1,188	£ 24,118		£ 25,306	£ 14,864
Governance costs				£ -	£ -
Other costs	£ 1,500			£ 1,500	£ 1,664
	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
<b>A3 Sub total</b>	<b>£ 17,441</b>	<b>£ 24,118</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 41,559</b>	<b>£ 25,682</b>
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases (see tables 1 and 2 in section 7 of the guidance)</b>					
Purchase of investments	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
Loans made	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -
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<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	<b>-£ 2,821</b>	<b>-£ 2,704</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>-£ 5,526</b>	<b>£ 3,849</b>
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>				£ -	£ -
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	£ 8,840	£ 3,564	£ -	£ 12,405	£ 8,556
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	<b>£ 6,019</b>	<b>£ 860</b>	<b>£ -</b>	<b>£ 6,879</b>	<b>£ 12,405</b>

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Signed by Independent Examiner

R Forsythe

Date

29.08.23

Signed by Treasurer

C McAuley

Date

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Neil Ardis  
Chairperson

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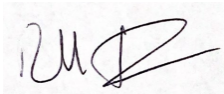
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**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Date:** 29 August 2023