

Air Training Corps No 1740 Clydebank Squadron Non-Public Sports & Welfare Funds

Scotland · Charity number SC024669

Details

Status	Active
Legal form	Unincorporated association
Registered	1996-04-26
Register	View on the OSCR register

Contact

Address 1740 (Clydebank) Squadron ATC
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The Cadet Centre
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Activities

Activities: 'It carries out activities or services itself'

Purposes: 'the advancement of education', 'the advancement of citizenship or community development'

What the charity does: 1740 Squadron is part of a national youth organisation, sponsored by the Royal Air Force which offers young people opportunities for adventure training, leadership development and community service regardless of their background. We are run by volunteers for the benefit of young people aged 12 to 20.

Beneficiaries: 'Children or young people'

Objectives: The purpose of the Squadron Association ('the Association') is to fully support the squadron commander to further the objects of the Air Training Corps ('the ATC') as contained in the Schedule to the Royal Warrant as amended from time to time but in particular to support activities which foster the spirit of adventure amongst the squadron's cadets and develop their qualities of leadership and good citizenship.

Geography

- **Main operating location:** West Dunbartonshire
- **Geographical spread:** Wider, but within one local authority area

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2026-03-31	£11,223	£9,572	-	0
2025-03-31	£8,386	£9,081	-	0
2024-03-31	£5,150	£4,167	-	0
2023-03-31	£6,907	£8,000	-	0
2022-03-31	£2,742	£905	-	0

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Accounts

Reference and administration details

Names of all other charity trustees during the period, if any, (for example, those who resigned part way through the financial period)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year
Kathleen McIlroy	Until 9 Feb 2026

Structure, governance and management

Type of governing document

Air Cadet Publication 1919
Air Cadet Publication 300
Air Cadet Publication 20a
Air Cadet Publication 11
Air Cadet Publication 10

Trustee recruitment and appointment

Trustee/ committee members are recruited from former cadets, parents and families of cadets.
Before a new member takes up a position on the committee they undergo a PVG check.

Objectives and activities

Charitable purposes

Promote and encourage a practical interest in aviation and the Royal Air Force among young people.
To provide training which will be useful in the service and civilian life.
To encourage the spirit of adventure and develop qualities of leadership and good citizenship.

Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects

Implementation of a training programme and activities.
Cadets are involved in various activities such as sports, flying, Duke of Edinburgh award, First Aid, shooting and academic studies.
The training programme is implemented to ensure that all cadets are given equal opportunities in various programmes and to take a role in developing leadership and good citizenship.

APPENDIX 1

Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the financial period

The Squadron maintains a varied training programme two evenings per week plus at weekends when agreed. The programme, through academic and practical sessions, aims to educate and engage cadets and keep up their interest. Cadets are progressing satisfactorily through academic classes and project-based training.

Staff, together with senior cadets, are continuing to develop the training programme to ensure that it continues to be interesting and varied.

Cadets have had good participation in national training opportunities and have attended UK-wide week-long education and training camps. Flying activities in both powered aircraft and gliders has been undertaken by many cadets.

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

We attempt to ensure that we operate with approximately £1,000 in reserve. The commanding officer has to seek authorisation for any spends over £100 before purchase is made. Petty cash is maintained at £60 - £100 although this may increase for short periods when cash is taken to pay for camps, other activities or during fundraising activities.

Details of any deficit

None

Donated facilities and services (if any)

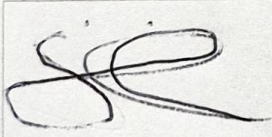
Building and property supplied by MOD (Highland Regular and Cadet Forces Association)

Other optional information

Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s) <i>OSCR will accept digital or typed signatures</i>		
Full name(s)	Cheryl-Lee McPhillie	
Position (e.g. Chair)	Chairperson	
Date	31/03/2026	