

Royal British Legion Scotland Penicuik

Scotland · Charity number SC030721

Details

Status	Active
Legal form	Unincorporated association
Registered	2000-12-18
Register	View on the OSCR register

Contact

Address 60-62 Kirkhill Road
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Penicuik
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Activities

Activities: 'It makes grants, donations or gifts to organisations'

Purposes: 'the prevention or relief of poverty', 'the advancement of citizenship or community development', 'the advancement of the arts, heritage, culture or science', 'the advancement of public participation in sport', 'the provision of recreational facilities, or the organisation of recreational activities, with the object of improving the conditions of life for the persons for whom the facilities or activities are primarily intended', 'the relief of those in need by reason of age, ill-health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage', 'any other purpose that may reasonably be regarded as analogous to any of the preceding purposes'

What the charity does: assist local community charitable organisations, organise annual Remembrance Day.

Beneficiaries: 'Older People'

Objectives: The charitable purposes of RBLs are: - 4.1.1 The prevention or relief of poverty amongst men or women who have at any time honourably served with any branch of the naval, military and air forces of the Crown (whether Regular or Reserve). Royal Observer Corps and members of HM Coastguard. the Merchant Navy. the Forces of Allied Nations. the Women's Land Army. the Women's Timber Corps. Bevin Boys, members of the War Widows Association or Adult Cadet Instructors and their spouses, partners and dependants, hereinafter referred to as "ex-Service men and women". 4.1.2 The advancement of citizenship and community development by the encouragement of co-operation between ex-Service men and women and others supporting the objects of RBLs through the establishment of Branches, by promoting and encouraging volunteering and the principle of service to others and by perpetuating and honouring the

memory of those who died in the service of their country through the education of the public and through acts of remembrance. 4.1.3 The relief of ex-Service men and women in need by reason of age, ill-health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage. 4.1.4 The advancement of the arts, heritage, culture or science by the promotion of music, including the music of pipe bands and military bands and the encouragement of participation in music by young people. by preserving war memorials and by promoting and parading ceremonial colours as a tribute to those ex-Service men and women who have died in the service of their country and as a symbol of belief in our common culture. 4.1.5 The advancement of public participation in sport. 4.1.6 The provision of recreational facilities and the organisation of recreational activities with the object of improving the conditions of life for ex-service men and women in particular and for members of the public generally. and 4.1.7 Any other purposes that reasonably may be regarded as analogous to any of the preceding purposes.

Geography

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

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-10-31	£6,500	£250	-	0
2024-10-31	£490	£205	-	0
2023-10-31	£3,644	£4,312	-	0
2022-10-31	£2,896	£3,134	-	0
2021-10-31	£2,011	£2,828	-	0
2020-10-31	£4,256	£3,682	-	0

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Accounts

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION SCOTLAND
PENICUIK BRANCH
CHARITY NUMBER - SC030721

60/62 KIRKHILL ROAD
PENICUIK
EH23 0HH

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER 2025

Ian J Brown & Company
Chartered Accountants
4 Lothian Street
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Edinburgh
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**Trustees Annual Report
For The Year Ended 31st October 2025**

The Royal British Legion Scotland - Penicuik Branch is constituted under the rules of the Royal British Legion Scotland and is a registered charity (SC 030721).

The address of the branch is 60/62 Kirkhill Road, Penicuik. The Trustees for the year were :

Chairman	Mr A Burns
Secretary	Mrs C Rorrison
Treasurer	Mr H Fairley

The Trustees are elected annually at the AGM. Decisions on the running of the charity are made by the board of trustees. The Trustees meet on no less than three occasions a year.

The objectives of the charity are to provide welfare to ex-servicemen, in particular senior citizens and other ex-servicemen's organisations.

The charity makes donations towards the other ex-servicemen's organisations.

The level of reserves of £1,564.18 at 31st October 2025 is considered to be adequate for the purpose of running the charity.

By Order Of The Board

Mrs C Rorrison
Secretary

I report on the accounts of the charity for the period ended 31st October 2025 which are set out on pages 3 to 4.

Respective Responsibilities of Committee and Independent Examiner

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the terms of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) Act 2005 and the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006. The charity trustees consider that the audit requirement of Regulation 10(1) (d) of the Accounts Regulations does not apply. It is my responsibility to examine the accounts as required under section 44 (1) (c) of the Act and to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of Independent Examiner's Statement

My examination is carried out in accordance with Regulation 11 of the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006. An examination includes 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 seeks explanations from the trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently I do not express an audit opinion on the view given in the accounts.

Independent Examiners Statement

In the course of my examination, no matter has come to my attention

1. Which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements :

- to keep accounting records in accordance with Section 44 (1) (a) of the 2005 Act and Regulation 4 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations, and
- to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with Regulations 9 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations

have not been met, or

2. to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

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**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF
THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION SCOTLAND - PENICUIK BRANCH**

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**Receipts and Payments Account
For The Year Ended 31st October 2025**

	<u>Notes</u>	<u>2025</u> £	<u>2024</u> £
<u>Receipts</u>			
Capitations		0	2983
Donations		0	0
Interest		0	0
From Club		2500	0
Penny Box		0	7
Non-Members		0	0
		<u>2500</u>	<u>2989</u>
<u>Payments</u>			
Capitation Fees		946	2110
To Club		380	1200
Penny Boxes		0	0
Donations		0	65
Travel		0	0
Wreaths		0	0
Entertainment		0	200
		<u>1326</u>	<u>3575</u>
Profit / (Deficit) For The Year		<u>1174</u>	<u>-586</u>

**Balance Sheet
As At 31st October 2024**

Current Assets

Bank		1,564	390
Club Account		-	-
		<u>1,564</u>	<u>390</u>
Unrestricted Funds	1	<u>1,564</u>	<u>390</u>

The financial statements on page 3 and the notes on page 4 were approved and signed on behalf of the Branch on

Mrs C Rorrison- Secretary

Mr H Fairley - Treasurer

**Notes To The Financial Statements
For The Year Ended 31st October 2025****1 Unrestricted Funds**

Receipts and Payments Account

	<u>2025</u>		<u>2024</u>
Balance at 31st October 2024	390		976
(Deficit) / Surplus For The Year	1,174	-	586
Balance at 31st October 2025	<u>1,564</u>		<u>390</u>

2 Committee Members

No remuneration was paid to committee members. Royal British Legion HQ reimbursed conference travel expenses made to committee members during the financial year.