

Rotary Club of North Berwick Trust Fund

**Report and Financial Statements
Year ended 30 June 2025**

Report of the Trustees for the year ended 30 June 2025

Legal and Administrative Information

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This report was approved by the Trustees on 20th March 2025 and signed on their behalf by:

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Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Rotary Club of North Berwick Trust Fund

I report on the accounts of the charity for the year ended 30 June 2025 which are set out on pages 5-7.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and 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 (as amended). The charity trustees consider that the audit requirement of Regulation 10(1)(d) of the 2006 Accounts Regulations does not apply. It is my responsibility to examine the accounts as required under section (44)(1)(c) of the 2005 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 2006 Regulations. 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 includes 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 by the accounts.

Independent examiner's statement

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

1. which gives us 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 Regulation 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.

Signature:



Name: Kenneth Gordon

Independent Examiner

Date:

28 MARCH 2026

Statement of Financial Activities - As at 30 June 2025

	Notes	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	2025 Total £
Income				
- Fund Raising Events		£14,297.06	£41,730.83	£56,027.89
- Miscellaneous Income		£323.28	£24,660.50	£24,983.78
- Grants and Donations		£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Total Income		£14,620.34	£66,391.33	£81,011.67
Payments				
- Local		£8,692.47	£53,548.02	£62,240.49
- National		£1,155.80	£4,680.00	£5,835.80
- International		£6,993.12	£2,221.00	£9,214.12
Total Payments		£16,841.39	£60,449.02	£77,290.41
Surplus/Deficit for the year		-£2,221.05	£5,942.31	£3,721.26
Transfers between funds		£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Net Movement in funds		-£2,221.05	£5,942.31	£3,721.26

Statement of Balances – As at 30 June 2025

	Notes	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	2024 Total £
Funds Reconciliation				
- Balance - 30/06/24		£19,885.28	£600.00	£20,485.28
- Surplus/Deficit for year		-£2,221.05	£5,942.31	£3,721.26
Balance – 30/06/25		£17,664.23	£6,542.31	£24,206.54
Bank Balances - Bank of Scotland				
BankSavings Account				£20,072.28
BankGlobal Account				£0.00
Bank Current Account				£4,134.26
Total				£24,206.54

The notes on pages 6 & 7 form an integral part of these financial statements.

Notes forming part of the financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2025

1(a) Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared on the Receipts and Payments basis in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP), "Accounting and Reporting by Charities" published in 2005 and applicable accounting standards.

1(b) Fund accounting

General funds are unrestricted funds which are available for use at the discretion of the trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the charity.

Restricted funds are funds which are raised for specific purposes. The cost of raising such funds is charged against the specific fund.

2. Related Party Transactions

There are no related party transactions.

3. Income Received:

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total 2025
Fundraising Major Receipts			
Bridge (R)		£1,217.00	£1,217.00
Charity shop (U)	£11,187.48		£11,187.48
Christmas Collections (U)	£2,607.58		£2,607.58
Classic Car Tour (R)		£20,759.25	£20,759.25
Concerts 1 of (R)		£1,806.80	£1,806.80
Drama Supper (R)		£830.00	£830.00
Earthquake in Maynmar (R)		£1,791.53	£1,791.53
East Lothian Triathalon (U)	£400.00		£400.00
Golf Main Event (R)		£6,480.00	£6,480.00
Umbrella Walk (R)		£8,846.25	£8,846.25
Other Major Receipts			£0.00
Donations - miscellaneous (U)	£251.00		£251.00
Foundation members donations (R)		£775.00	£775.00
Shelters Beach/Hill - donations (R)		£23,545.00	£23,545.00
	£14,446.06	£66,050.83	£80,496.89
Fundraising Lesser Receipts not exceeding £250.00 each	£102.00		£102.00
Other Lesser Receipts not exceeding £250.00 each	£72.28	£340.50	£412.78
Totals	£14,620.34	£66,391.33	£81,011.67

4. Grants Received - Rotary District 1320

	0	£0.00	£0.00
Unrestricted Funds		Restricted Funds	Total 2024

5. Payments Made:

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Total 2025
Local Major Payments			
1st NB Brownies (R)		£607.43	£607.43
Anne Hay Irish Dance Academy - Dunbar (U)	£500.00		£500.00
Bass Rock Cricket Club (R)		£1,154.52	£1,154.52
Can do (R)		£1,500.00	£1,500.00
Car Tour Costs (R)		£5,977.62	£5,977.62
Challenge Enterprise (Youth business skills) (U)	£469.00		£469.00
Concert expenses (R)		£397.57	£397.57
East Lothian Young Carers (R&U)	£800.00	£2,000.00	£2,800.00
Gazeebo purchase and repair (U)	£925.77		£925.77
Golf Expenses (R)		£652.00	£652.00
Kindness Co-operative (U)	£1,000.00		£1,000.00
Muirfield Riding Therapy (R)		£4,364.50	£4,364.50
NB Beach and Hill Shelters (R)		£27,109.75	£27,109.75
NB Day Care Centre (R)		£1,340.00	£1,340.00
NB Football Club (R)		£4,994.73	£4,994.73
NB in Bloom (R)		£1,001.27	£1,001.27
NB Stroke Club (R)		£886.31	£886.31
NB Youth Project (R&U)	£700.00	£600.00	£1,300.00
School prizes /dictionaries for kids. (U)	366.14	£695.54	£1,061.68
Shop Costs (U)	£1,264.35		£1,264.35
Umbrella Walk expenses (U)	£616.24		£616.24
National Major Payments			
BBC Children in need (R)		£260.00	£260.00
British Red Cross training (U)	£622.80		£622.80
Poppy Scotland (U)	£533.00		£533.00
St. Columba's Hospice (R)		£4,350.00	£4,350.00
International Major Payments			
End Polio (R)		£306.00	£306.00
Lend with Care (U)	£500.00		£500.00
Rotary Foundation (R&U)	£1,436.32	£775.00	£2,211.32
ShelterBox (R&U)	£3,000.00	£1,140.00	£4,140.00
South Africa (Atlantais) Garden Project (R)		£1,041.00	£1,041.00
Ukraine Support (U)	£1,000.00		£1,000.00
	£13,733.62	£61,153.24	£74,886.86
Local Lesser Payments not exceeding £250.00 each	£2,050.97	£266.78	£2,317.75
National Lesser Payments not exceeding £250.00 each	£0.00	£70.00	£70.00
International Lesser Payments not exc. £250.00 each	£15.80	£0.00	£15.80
Totals	£15,800.39	£61,490.02	£77,290.41

6. Governance Cost

There are no employee and no Governance costs.