

# Kingdom Brass SCIO

Scotland · Charity number SC047741

## Details

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Status	Active
Legal form	SCIO (Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation)
Registered	2017-09-14
Register	<a href="#">View on the OSCR register</a>

## Contact

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Address	Kingdom Brass Bandroom Cocklaw Street Kelty KY4 0DD
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## Activities

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**Activities:** 'It carries out activities or services itself'

**Purposes:** 'the advancement of education', 'the advancement of the arts, heritage, culture or science'

**What the charity does:** 1. Operate a brass band ( the band) which performs at various events, both locally and nationally, providing a high standard of music making for its members and entertainment for the public. 2. Run a youth and development band to provide opportunities to young players to develop and perform along with the band at several venues in Fife.

**Beneficiaries:** 'No specific group, or for the benefit of the community'

**Objectives:** The objectives of the Band shall be - To advance the education of the public in music and in particular brass band music and to advance the public's participation in and appreciation of brass band music. In furtherance thereof the band shall seek: a) To provide facilities, instruments, and such necessary equipment as to facilitate the learning and playing of music, particularly that pertaining to brass bands. b) To participate actively and be an effective influence in the cultural activities within the community. c) To compete in such contests or competitions as are arranged or organised by the Management Committee.

## Geography

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

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-01-01	£6,177	£26,395	-	1
2024-01-01	£5,434	£36,135	-	0
2023-01-01	£93,486	£93,811	-	0
2022-01-01	£19,446	£21,935	-	0
2021-01-01	£88,872	£84,413	-	0

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# Accounts

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Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator

Trustees' Annual Report for the period							
Period start date				Period end date			
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
From	01	01	2024	To	31	12	2024

**Reference and administration details**

Charity name  
 Other names charity is known by  
 Registered charity number  
 Charity's principal address

Kingdom Brass
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[Redacted]

**Names of the charity trustees on date of approval of Trustees' Annual Report**

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	[Redacted]			
2	[Redacted]			
3	[Redacted]			
4	[Redacted]			
5	[Redacted]			
6	[Redacted]			
7	[Redacted]			
8	[Redacted]			
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## 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
[REDACTED]	
[REDACTED]	
[REDACTED]	

## Structure, governance and management

Type of governing document

The charity is governed by its constitution.

The charity currently consists of a single brass band which is run by a committee of at least 5 people, and a youth development project which is overseen by a sub-committee.

Trustee recruitment and appointment

Trustees are elected at an annual general meeting of members.

## Objectives and activities

Charitable purposes

The purpose of the charity is to:

1. Operate a brass band (the Band) which will perform at various events, both locally and further afield, providing a high standard of music making for its members and entertainment for the public.
2. Run a youth development project for brass and percussion players, providing tuition, equipment and facilities as necessary.

Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects

The Band continued to perform to a high level with numerous performances throughout central Scotland at competitions and festivals, as well as supporting several community events. The Band also travelled to Blackpool to compete in the Senior Cup, part of the Spring Festival contest programme.

The youth development programme continues to provide opportunities to young players to develop and perform along with the Band at several venues in Fife.

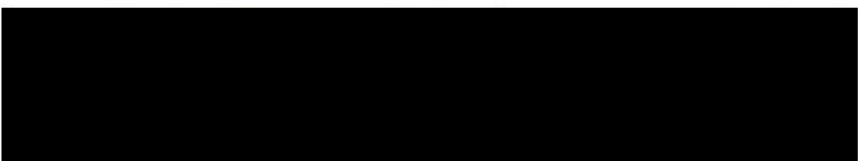

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Other optional information

Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)		
Position (e.g. Chair)	Secretary	Treasurer
Date	25/11/2025	25-11-25

## APPENDIX 1

### Achievements and performance

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

The Band held regular rehearsals on Sundays and Thursdays, supplemented with additional rehearsals prior to major competitions.

The Band also supported a range of community events including performances in St Andrews bandstand, Kelty Coal race, Cowdenbeath gala and a community carol concert.

### Financial review

#### Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

The charity aims to maintain reserves of at least £5,000 to cover unforeseen circumstances.

The charity owns its own rehearsal hall and various musical instruments, equipment and a musical library. As the hall was transferred from the local authority with restrictions on its future use, the charity would be unable to sell the hall, so it is not assigned a cash value on the balance sheet. The charity has not historically assigned a value to its equipment for similar reasons.

#### Details of any deficit

The charity has been running a deficit which has reduced the level of reserves. The deficit has reduced since the previous year and the Trustees are working on further changes to management of the band's affairs and are in the process of making claims for Giftaid on donations made by band members and supporters.

#### Donated facilities and services (if any)

Players have donated their services to the charity by performing free of charge and/or at a reduced fee to support the charity's objectives.

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Receipts and payments accounts							
For the period from	Period start date			to	Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
	01	01	2024		31	December	2024

## Section A Statement of receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total funds current period to nearest £	Total funds last period to nearest £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>						
Donations	3,213				3,213	2,580
Legacies					-	-
Grants					-	-
Receipts from fundraising activities					-	-
Gross trading receipts					-	-
Income from investments other than land and buildings	163				163	204
Rents from land & buildings					-	-
Gross receipts from other charitable activities	2,801				2,801	2,650
<b>A1 Sub total</b>	<b>6,177</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6,177</b>	<b>5,434</b>
<b>A2 Receipts from asset &amp; investment sales</b>						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	-
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	-
<b>A2 Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>6,177</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6,177</b>	<b>5,434</b>
<b>A3 Payments</b>						
Expenses for fundraising activities					-	-
Gross trading payments					-	-
Investment management costs					-	-
Payments relating directly to charitable activities	26,275				26,275	36,015
Grants and donations					-	-
Governance costs:					-	-
Audit / independent examination					-	-
Preparation of annual accounts					-	-
Legal costs					-	-
Other	120				120	120
<b>A3 Sub total</b>	<b>26,395</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>26,395</b>	<b>36,135</b>
<b>A4 Payments relating to asset and investment movements</b>						
Purchases of fixed assets					-	-
Purchase of investments					-	-
<b>A4 Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total payments</b>	<b>26,395</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>26,395</b>	<b>36,135</b>
<b>Net receipts / (payments)</b>	<b>(20,218)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(20,218)</b>	<b>(30,701)</b>
<b>A5 Transfers to / (from) funds</b>						
<b>Surplus / (deficit) for year</b>	<b>(20,218)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(20,218)</b>	<b>(30,701)</b>

Section B Statement of balances

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Expendable endowment funds	Permanent endowment funds	Total current period	Total last period
		to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Cash and bank balances at start of year	92,168				92,168	122,869
	Surplus / (deficit) shown on receipts and payments account	(20,218)				(20,218)	(30,701)
	Cash and bank balances at end of year (Agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	71,950	-	-	-	71,950	92,168

B2 Investments	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Market valuation	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £
		Total	-	-

B3 Other assets	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (if available)	Current value (if available)	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
		Total	-	-	-

B4 Liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £
		Total	-	-

B5 Contingent liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (estimate)	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £
		Total	-	-

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees



Date of approval



**Section C Notes to the Accounts**

**C1 Nature and purpose of funds**  
(may be stated on analysis of funds worksheets)

A large proportion of the organisation's current assets consist of a cash balance which was derived from the sale of a property some time ago. This balance has been reducing year by year and the trustees are working to make the organisation financially sustainable. Progress has been made in 2024 which has continued into 2025.

	Type of activity or project supported	Individual / Institution	Number of grants made	£
<b>C2 Grants</b>				
			<b>Total</b>	-

<b>C3a Trustee remuneration</b>	If no remuneration was paid during the period to any charity trustee or person connected to a trustee cross this box (otherwise complete section 3b)	x
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	Authority under which paid	£
<b>C3b Trustee remuneration - details</b>		

<b>C4a Trustee expenses</b>	If no expenses were paid to any charity trustee during the period then cross this box (otherwise complete section 4b)	x
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		Number of trustees	£
<b>C4b Trustee expenses - details</b>			

	Nature of relationship	Nature of transaction	Transaction amount (£)	Balance outstanding at period end (£)
<b>C5 Transactions with trustees and connected persons</b>				

**C6 Other information**  
The charity owns its own rehearsal hall and various musical instruments, equipment and a musical library. As the hall was transferred from the local authority with restrictions on its future use, the charity would be unable to sell the hall, so it is not assigned a cash value on the balance sheet. The charity has not historically assigned a value to its equipment for similar reasons.

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Additional analysis (1)

Analysis of receipts and payments

1 Donations

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
Subscriptions from band members	3,213				3,213	2,580
					-	
					-	
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,213</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3,213</b>	<b>2,580</b>

2 Grants

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
			-	
			-	
			-	
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

3 Gross receipts from other charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
Performance fees received	2,261				2,261	2,650
Equipment loan fees	540				540	
					-	
					-	
					-	
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,801</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,801</b>	<b>2,650</b>

4 Payments relating directly to charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
Conductor/musician rehearsal/performance fees	18,574				18,574	26,587
Equipment	662				662	2,935
Music	357				357	226
Contest fees/expenses	3,347				3,347	4,185
Rehearsal hall overhead costs	2,765				2,765	2,092
Cost of performing concerts	571				571	-
					-	
					-	
					-	
<b>Total</b>	<b>26,275</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>26,275</b>	<b>36,015</b>

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**Additional analysis (2)**

**5 Breakdown of unrestricted funds**

	Unrestricted fund 1 - enter name of fund below	Unrestricted fund 2 - enter name of fund below	Unrestricted fund 3 - enter name of fund below	Unrestricted fund 4 - enter name of fund below	Total unrestricted funds	Total unrestricted funds last period
<b>Receipts</b>						
Donations	3,213				3,213	2,580
Legacies					-	
Grants					-	
Receipts from fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading receipts					-	
Income from investments other than land and buildings	163				163	204
Rents from land & buildings					-	
Gross receipts from other charitable activities	2,801				2,801	2,850
<i>Sub total</i>	6,177	-	-	-	6,177	5,434
<b>Receipts from asset &amp; investment sales</b>						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	
<i>Sub total</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total receipts</b>	6,177	-	-	-	6,177	5,434
<b>Payments</b>						
Expenses for fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading payments					-	
Investment management costs					-	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities	26,275				26,275	36,015
Grants and donations					-	
Governance costs:						
Audit / independent examination					-	
Preparation of annual accounts					-	
Legal costs					-	
Bank Charges	120				120	120
<i>Sub total</i>	26,395	-	-	-	26,395	36,135
<b>Payments relating to asset and investment movements</b>						
Purchases of fixed assets					-	
Purchase of investments					-	
<i>Sub total</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total payments</b>	26,395	-	-	-	26,395	36,135
<b>Net receipts / (payments)</b>	(20,218)	-	-	-	(20,218)	(30,701)
<b>Transfers to / (from) funds</b>						
<i>Surplus / (deficit) for year</i>	(20,218)	-	-	-	(20,218)	(30,701)

**Nature and purpose of funds**

All the Band's funds are unrestricted, available to support the general purpose of the organisation as set out in its constitution. Under the terms of the constitution, in the event that the Band is dissolved, any assets remaining after satisfaction of the debts and liabilities of the Band shall be transferred to some other charity or charities having objects similar to those of the Band.

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**Additional analysis (3)**

**6 Breakdown of restricted funds**

	Restricted fund 1 - enter name of fund below	Restricted fund 2 - enter name of fund below	Restricted fund 3 - enter name of fund below	Restricted fund 4 - enter name of fund below	Total restricted funds	Total restricted funds last period
<b>Receipts</b>						
Donations					-	
Legacies					-	
Grants					-	
Receipts from fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading receipts					-	
Income from investments other than land and buildings					-	
Rents from land & buildings					-	
Gross receipts from other charitable activities					-	
<i>Sub total</i>						
<b>Receipts from asset &amp; investment sales</b>						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	
<i>Sub total</i>						
<b>Total receipts</b>						
<b>Payments</b>						
Expenses for fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading payments					-	
Investment management costs					-	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities					-	
Grants and donations					-	
Governance costs:					-	
Audit / independent examination					-	
Preparation of annual accounts					-	
Legal costs					-	
<i>Sub total</i>						
<b>Payments relating to asset and investment movements</b>						
Purchases of fixed assets					-	
Purchase of investments					-	
<i>Sub total</i>						
<b>Total payments</b>						
<b>Net receipts / (payments)</b>						
<b>Transfers to / (from) funds</b>						
<b>Surplus / (deficit) for year</b>						

Nature and purpose of funds

**Independent examiner's report on the accounts** v2

Report to the trustees/members of

Kingdom Brass

Registered charity number

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On the accounts of the charity for the period

Period start date			Period end date		
Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year
01	January	2024	to	31	December 2024

Set out on pages

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(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

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) 2005 Act and the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006 (as amended). 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 2006 Accounts 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 [other than that disclosed on the attached page\*]

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 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.

Signed:

Date: 18/11/2025.

Name:

Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):

Member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland (ICAS)

Address:

\*Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply. If the words do apply, set out those matters which have come to your attention on the following page.

## Disclosure section

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material problems.

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose