

# Murieston Tennis and Sports Club

Scotland · Charity number SC051583

## Details

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Status	Active
Legal form	SCIO (Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation)
Registered	2022-02-11
Register	<a href="#">View on the OSCR register</a>

## Contact

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Address	18 Albyn Drive Murieston Livingston West Lothian EH54 9JN
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## Activities

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

**Purposes:** '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'

**What the charity does:** We are a community-based sports club with 3 tennis courts and 1 multi-purpose court offering both memberships and pay-per-play options. Our offerings include general play, club nights, coaching classes, open days and use of our facilities by local clubs, schools and groups. In addition to tennis we have an active pickleball group and have local netball and football teams using our courts. We have worked with our local scout group and primary schools through the Active Schools program. We are also active members of our local Community Sport and Wellbeing Hub and offer summer camps with funded places for disadvantaged kids.

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

**Objectives:** The organisation's purposes are: (a) the advancement of public participation in sport and. (b) 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 In furtherance of these purposes the organisation will: provide facilities for and to promote, encourage and improve access to the playing of tennis, basketball, netball, and other appropriate sports for the benefit of the local Community provide and promote open and inclusive opportunities for social play, coaching and competition, of tennis and other sports and activities, at all levels and all ages provide and maintain facilities and equipment, run by Community members and for the benefit of the wider local Community improve the physical and mental health of all participants in the Community through increased sports activity and social interaction and to provide an intervention path for minority and disadvantaged groups through the provision of affordable fees,

concessions, free coaching and equipment, and Open Days work closely with Livingston Cricket Club and others to foster a Community-based Sports Hub run by and for the benefit of the Community apply for and retain membership of appropriate governing bodies such as Tennis Scotland and to abide by the relevant codes of conduct of each body

## Geography

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- **Main operating location:** West Lothian
- **Geographical spread:** A specific local point, community or neighbourhood

## Finances

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Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2026-04-05	£0	£0	-	0
2025-04-05	£296,757	£339,980	-	0
2024-04-05	£53,421	£2,498	-	0
2023-04-05	£710	£0	-	0

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# Accounts

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**APPENDIX 1**



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	06	04	2024	To	05	04	2025

**Reference and administration details**

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

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**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				
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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

## Structure, governance and management

Type of governing document

SCIO Constitution (based on approved SCIO template)

Trustee recruitment and appointment

Trustees approached and appointed on formation, representing key stakeholders and active volunteers with relevant experience. No new appointments since charity established.

## Objectives and activities

Charitable purposes

1. The advancement of public participation in sport and;
2. 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

Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects

1. Provide facilities and equipment to improve access to tennis, basketball, netball, and other sports for Community benefit
2. Provide inclusive opportunities for social play, coaching and competition at all levels and all ages
3. Improve physical and mental health of all participants
4. Provide an intervention path for disadvantaged groups through affordable fees, concessions, free coaching and equipment
5. Foster a community-based Sport and Wellbeing Hub
6. Active member of appropriate governing bodies such as Tennis Scotland and abide by the relevant codes of conduct of each body

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### Achievements and performance

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

**Key Milestones:**

**April 2024** – planning permission granted for construction of courts plus floodlights.

**May 2024** – supplementary award of £43K from sportscotland enables construction to go ahead.

**Aug 2024** – construction gets underway with civil works led by our main contractor Sportex.

**Dec 2024** – main construction phases completed and signed off by our design contractor Sportslabs.

**Feb 2025** – award of £12K from Benzies Foundation proves critical in covering some overspends on construction. Club website goes live, 20 members sign up immediately and play gets underway.

**Mar 2025** – our 25-year lease agreement with West Lothian Council is formally signed and approved.

**Apr 2025** – additional planning approval for supplementary earthworks is granted by West Lothian Council. 50 members now signed up with the Club.

This period provided the final funding pieces and allowed construction of the site to ahead. The club was able to have a 'soft launch' in late Feb and play got underway. Encouraging early uptake of members and completion of some final administrative pieces ended a very good year for the Club.

### Financial review

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

While we have now been successful with our funding work, at this early stage our reserves will remain minimal once we have fully paid for the construction. We aim to maintain a level of reserves sufficient to allow us to maintain the courts and invest in future improvements and upgrades.

**Details of any deficit**

N/A

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

N/A

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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)	Chairman	
Date	20/12/2025	

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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
	06	April	2024		05	April	2025

## 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					-	-
Legacies					-	-
Grants		293 701			293 701	50 000
Receipts from fundraising activities	300				300	3 421
Gross trading receipts	2 756				2 756	
Income from investments other than land and buildings					-	
Rents from land & buildings					-	
Gross receipts from other charitable activities					-	
					-	
<b>A1 Sub total</b>	<b>3 057</b>	<b>293 701</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>296 757</b>	<b>53 421</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>3 057</b>	<b>293 701</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>296 757</b>	<b>53 421</b>
<b>A3 Payments</b>						
Expenses for fundraising activities					-	698
Gross trading payments	954				954	1 800
Investment management costs					-	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities					-	
Grants and donations					-	
Governance costs:					-	
Audit / independent examination					-	
Preparation of annual accounts					-	
Legal costs					-	
Other					-	
					-	
<b>A3 Sub total</b>	<b>954</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>954</b>	<b>2 498</b>
<b>A4 Payments relating to asset and investment movements</b>						
Purchases of fixed assets	100	338 926			339 026	
Purchase of investments					-	
<b>A4 Sub total</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>338 926</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>339 026</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total payments</b>	<b>1 054</b>	<b>338 926</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>339 980</b>	<b>2 498</b>
<b>Net receipts / (payments)</b>	<b>2 003</b>	<b>(45 225)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(43 223)</b>	<b>50 923</b>
<b>A5 Transfers to / (from) funds</b>						
					-	
<b>Surplus / (deficit) for year</b>	<b>2 003</b>	<b>(45 225)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(43 223)</b>	<b>50 923</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 £
<b>B1 Cash funds</b>	Cash and bank balances at start of year	51 633				51 633	710
	Surplus / (deficit) shown on receipts and payments account	2 003				2 003	50 923
						-	
						-	
	<b>Cash and bank balances at end of year</b>	<b>53 636</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>53 636</b>	<b>51 633</b>
(Agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))		-	45 225	-	-	45 225	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Market valuation	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £
<b>B2 Investments</b>				
		<b>Total</b>	-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (if available)	Current value (if available)	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
<b>B3 Other assets</b>	Outdoor Sports Courts	Murieston Tennis & Sports Club	338 926	338 926	-
	Sports Equipment	Murieston Tennis & Sports Club	276	276	-
	Cleaning & Office Equipment	Murieston Tennis & Sports Club	100	100	-
		<b>Total</b>	<b>339 302</b>	<b>339 302</b>	<b>-</b>

Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due	Last year
			to nearest £	to nearest £
<b>B4 Liabilities</b>				
		<b>Total</b>	-	-

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

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

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
		20 December 2025

**Section C Notes to the Accounts**

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

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**C2 Grants**

Type of activity or project supported	Individual / institution	Number of grants made	£
Construction of the courts	West Lothian Council	1	137 741
Construction of the courts	SportScotland	1	143 684
Construction of the courts	The Benzies Foundation	1	12 000
Construction of the courts	SportEd	1	276
<b>Total</b>			<b>293 701</b>

**C3a Trustee remuneration**

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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**C3b Trustee remuneration - details**

Authority under which paid	£

**C4a Trustee expenses**

If no expenses were paid to any charity trustee during the period then cross this box (otherwise complete section 4b)	
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**C4b Trustee expenses - details**

	Number of trustees	£
Duplicate keys cut for access to Livingston Cricket Clubhouse - Gordon Young	1	36

**C5 Transactions with trustees and connected persons**

Nature of relationship	Nature of transaction	Transaction amount (£)	Balance outstanding at period end (£)

**C6 Other information**

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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 £
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-

2 Grants

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
West Lothian Council		137 741	137 741	50 000
SportScotland		143 684	143 684	
The Benzies Foundation		12 000	12 000	
SportEd		276	276	
<b>Total</b>	-	293 701	293 701	50 000

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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 £
					-	2 724
					-	698
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	3 422

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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 £
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
<b>Total</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					-	-
Legacies					-	-
Grants					-	50 000
Receipts from fundraising activities	300				300	3 421
Gross trading receipts	2 756				2 756	
Income from investments other than land and buildings					-	
Rents from land & buildings					-	
Gross receipts from other charitable activities					-	
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>3 057</b>	-	-	-	<b>3 057</b>	<b>53 421</b>
<b>Receipts from asset &amp; investment sales</b>						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	
<b>Sub total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>3 057</b>	-	-	-	<b>3 057</b>	<b>53 421</b>
<b>Payments</b>						
Expenses for fundraising activities					-	698
Gross trading payments	954				954	1 800
Investment management costs					-	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities					-	
Grants and donations					-	
Governance costs:					-	
Audit / independent examination					-	
Preparation of annual accounts					-	
Legal costs					-	
					-	
					-	
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>954</b>	-	-	-	<b>954</b>	<b>2 498</b>
<b>Payments relating to asset and investment movements</b>						
Purchases of fixed assets	100				100	
Purchase of investments					-	
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>100</b>	-	-	-	<b>100</b>	-
<b>Total payments</b>	<b>1 054</b>	-	-	-	<b>1 054</b>	<b>2 498</b>
<b>Net receipts / (payments)</b>	<b>2 003</b>	-	-	-	<b>2 003</b>	<b>50 923</b>
<b>Transfers to / (from) funds</b>					-	
<b>Surplus / (deficit) for year</b>	<b>2 003</b>	-	-	-	<b>2 003</b>	<b>50 923</b>

## Nature and purpose of funds

Unrestricted funds represent income raised by the charity that can be used at the trustees' discretion to further the charity's objectives. These funds are not subject to donor-imposed restrictions.

For Murieston Tennis & Sports Club, unrestricted funds comprise:

1. Income generated from operating the tennis club (e.g., membership fees, court hire).
2. Proceeds from fundraising activities and events.

These funds are applied to cover the charity's general running costs, maintenance of facilities, and other activities that support the club's charitable purpose.

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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	293 701				293 701	
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					-	
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>293 701</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>293 701</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Receipts from asset &amp; investment sales</b>						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>293 701</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>293 701</b>	<b>-</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					-	
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Payments relating to asset and investment movements</b>						
Purchases of fixed assets	338 926				338 926	
Purchase of investments					-	
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>338 926</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>338 926</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total payments</b>	<b>338 926</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>338 926</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Net receipts / (payments)</b>	<b>(45 225)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(45 225)</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Transfers to / (from) funds</b>					-	
<b>Surplus / (deficit) for year</b>	<b>(45 225)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(45 225)</b>	<b>-</b>

**Nature and purpose of funds**

Restricted funds represent grants received by the charity that must be used for specific purposes as set by the donors. These funds cannot be applied to general operating costs.

For Murieston Tennis & Sports club, restricted funds comprise of grants provided to finance the construction of the tennis courts and the multipurpose sports court. These funds were used exclusively for building and improving the club's sporting facilities in line with the grant conditions.

**APPENDIX 3**



		<b>Independent examiner's report on the accounts</b>						v2
<b>Report to the trustees/members of</b>	Charity name	Murieston Tennis and Sports Club						
	<b>Registered charity number</b>	SC051583						
<b>On the accounts of the charity for the period</b>	Period start date				Period end date			
	Day	Month	Year	to	Day	Month	Year	
	06	04	2024		05	04	2025	
<b>Set out on pages</b>							(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.

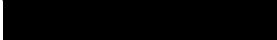
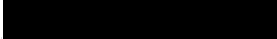
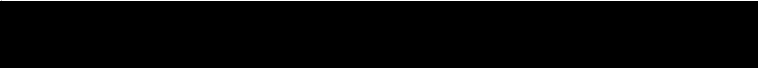
**Basis of independent examiner's statement**

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

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

<b>Signed:</b>		<b>Date:</b>	19/12/2025
<b>Name:</b>			
<b>Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):</b>	Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland (ICAS)		
<b>Address:</b>			

\*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.

## APPENDIX 3

### 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**