

CHARITY REGISTERED NUMBER:1021669

WALSALL BANGLADESHI PROGRESSIVE SOCIETY

TRUSTEES' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

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LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

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INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT

TO THE TRUSTEES OF WALSALL BANGLADESHI PROGRESSIVE SOCIETY

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

I report on the accounts which are set out on pages 4 to 9

Respective responsibilities of the

The trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 (the 2011 Act) and that an independent examination is needed. It is my responsibility to:

The trustees who are also directors of the company for the purpose of

Examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act; follow the procedures laid down in the general directions given by the Charity Commission (under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act); and state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of independent examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission. 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 seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a "true and fair view" and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

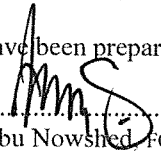
Independent examiner's statement

In our opinion the financial statements:

give a true and fair view of the of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 March 2025 and of its profit for the year then ended;

have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice - Financial Reporting Standard 102; and

have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.


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Dated: 29 May 2025

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The Charities Act 2011, together with the financial statements for the year, and confirm that the latter comply with the requirements of the Act, the Trust Deed and the Charities SORP 2005.

Structure, Governance and Management

Organisation

A board of trustees of up to 3 members, who meet quarterly, administers the charity.

Risk policy

The trustees have examined the major strategic, business and operational risks which the charity faces and confirm that systems have been established to enable regular reports to be produced so that the necessary steps can be taken to lessen these risks.

Volunteers

Many volunteers give up their time to help at the branches, particularly at weekends and in the evenings. We are greatly indebted to these volunteers for their commitment and support.

Objectives and activities

The principal activity of the charity continues to be that of charitable activities, providing community well being services to the community.

Achievements and performance

The trustees and volunteers of the charity are in debt to its funders and their continued support. Without their financial support, the charity would not have been able to deliver its key objectives in benefitting local communities. Apart from the financial support, the charity received 200 Trees from Birmingham City Council. Also non cash donations received Sim Cards and Mobile Phones from GoodThings Foundation. The trustees and volunteers are very grateful for their generosity and gifts in kind.

Financial review

Plans for future periods

Trustees are confident that post pandemic, the organisation will carry on its vital community activities and provide necessary services to various communities on matters adversely affecting them.

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Accounting and reporting responsibilities

The trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

The law applicable to charities in England and Wales requires the trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charity and of the incoming resources and application of resources of the charity for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles in the Charities SORP;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in operation.

The trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the Charity (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 and the provision of the trust deed. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Approved by the trustees on 29 May 2025 signed on its behalf by:

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Noor Miah
Trustee

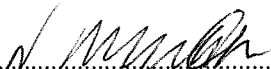
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BALANCE SHEET

AT 31 MARCH 2025

	Note	2025	2024
		£	£
Tangible fixed assets			
Tangible assets	4	797	1,195
Current assets			
Debtors	5	6,000	6,000
Bank Accounts		43,907	19,414
		<u>49,907</u>	<u>25,414</u>
Creditors			
Amounts falling due within one year	6	3,004	1,702
Net current assets		<u>46,903</u>	<u>23,712</u>
Total assets less current liabilities		<u>47,700</u>	<u>24,907</u>
Net assets		<u>£47,700</u>	<u>£24,907</u>
Capital funds			
Restricted funds		24,734	19,823
Unrestricted funds		22,966	5,084
Total funds		<u>£47,700</u>	<u>£24,907</u>

Approved by the trustees on 29 May 2025 and signed on its behalf.

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Noor Miah

The annexed notes form part of these financial statements.

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

	Unrest'd Funds £	Rest'd Income Funds £	Total Funds 2025 £	Total Funds 2024 £
Incoming resources				
Incoming Resources from generated funds:				
Voluntary income	19,000	72,384	91,384	59,716
Total incoming resources	<u>19,000</u>	<u>72,384</u>	<u>91,384</u>	<u>59,716</u>
Resources expended				
Charitable activities	0	67,473	67,473	54,783
Governance costs	1,118	0	1,118	1,098
Total resources expended	<u>1,118</u>	<u>67,473</u>	<u>68,591</u>	<u>55,881</u>
Net movement in funds	17,882	4,911	22,793	3,835
Total funds brought forward	<u>£ 5,084</u>	<u>£19,823</u>	<u>£24,907</u>	<u>21,072</u>
Total funds carried forward	<u><u>£22,966</u></u>	<u><u>£24,734</u></u>	<u><u>£47,700</u></u>	<u><u>£24,907</u></u>

Details of Incoming resources and resources used are given in the notes to the financial statements.

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

DETAILED ANALYSIS OF MOVEMENTS IN FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

	2025		2024	
	£	£	£	£
General Fund				
Balance B/fwd	5,084		2,569	
General awards	19,000		3,933	
Costs re general activities	0		(320)	
Accountancy	(720)		(700)	
Depreciation	(398)		(398)	
	<u> </u>	22,966	<u> </u>	5,084
- Restricted Income Fund 1 -				
Opening Balance	19,823		18,503	
Project grants	72,384		55,783	
Costs of project activities	(67,473)		(54,463)	
	<u> </u>	24,734	<u> </u>	19,823
Total funds at 31 March 2025		<u>£47,700</u>		<u>£24,907</u>

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

1. **Accounting policies**

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention in accordance with the accounting policies set out below.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with FRS102 Section 1A - The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland and the Companies Act 2006.

Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included in the SOFA when the charity is legally entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy.

Resources expended

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with use of the resources. Plant & Machinery under Fixed Assets consists of items bought using funds received from Big Lottery, Peoples Health Trust, and Awards For All.

Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Land and buildings - 3% per annum of cost
Plant and Machinery - 25% per annum of cost
Fixtures and Fittings - 25 % per annum of cost

Grants received

Organisation received following grants during the accounting period. Trustees are grateful to the awarding bodies for their immense contributions. The awarding bodies are as below : Big Lottery: £54109.00 Heart of England: £16775.00 Award For All: £20000.00 Arnold Clark Autom: £500.0

2. **Turnover**

Organisation do not have any subsidiary to generate income except provides charitable activities to its beneficiaries on receiving grants from various awarding bodies.

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3. **Staff costs**

The average number of persons employed by the company, including director, during the year was as follows:

	2025	2024
Administration	3	3
	=	=

4. **Tangible fixed assets**

	Plant and Machinery £
Cost:	
At 1 April 2024	1,593
At 31 March 2025	<u>1,593</u>
Depreciation:	
At 1 April 2024	398
Charge for the year	398
At 31 March 2025	<u>796</u>
Net book value:	
At 31 March 2025	£ 797
At 31 March 2024	<u>£1,195</u>

5. **Debtors and prepayments**

Amounts falling due within one year:

	2025	2024
	£	£
Prepayments and Accrued Income	6,000	6,000
	<u>6,000</u>	<u>6,000</u>

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6. Creditors

Amounts falling due within one year:-

	2025 £	2024 £
Sundry Creditors	720	600
Other Taxes & PAYE	2,284	1,102
	<u>£3,004</u>	<u>£1,702</u>

Organisation was granted a loan during Covid 19 which has now been fully paid.

7. Incoming resources

	Unrest'd Funds 2025 £	Rest'd Income Funds 2025 £	Total Funds 2025 £	Total Funds 2024 £
Voluntary Income				
General awards	19,000	0	19,000	3,933
Project grants	0	72,384	72,384	55,783
	<u>19,000</u>	<u>72,384</u>	<u>91,384</u>	<u>59,716</u>

8. Charitable activities

	2025 £	2025 £	2024 £
Costs of project activities	67,473		54,463
Costs re general activities	0		320
		<u> </u>	<u> </u>

9. Governance costs

	2025 £	2025 £	2024 £
Accountancy	720		700
Depreciation	398		398
		<u>1,118</u>	<u>1,098</u>