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Companies House number: 07476646

BARLOW MOOR COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION LIMITED
TRUSTEES REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2026

Barlow Moor Community Association Limited
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Barlow Moor Community Association limited
Report of the Trustees
For the Year Ended 31 March 2026

The trustees present their annual directors' report and financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31st March 2026 which are also prepared to meet the requirements for a directors' report and accounts for Companies Act purposes.

The financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011, the Companies Act 2006, the Memorandum and Articles of Association, and the Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2019).

Reference and administrative information

Charity Name:	Barlow Moor Community Association Limited
Charity Number:	1142217
Company No:	07476646

Directors and trustees

The directors of the charitable company (the charity) are its trustees for the purpose of charity law. The trustees and officers serving during the year and since the year end were as follows:

Ms Joanna Midgley	(Chair)
Rev. Thomas Phipps	(Treasurer)
Ms Helen Sharples	(Company Secretary)
Miss Clover Hudson	(Vice Chair)
Ms Cathy Dell	(Trustee)
Ms Victoria Nicholas	(Trustee)

Key Management Personnel: Trustees and Directors

Ms Joanna Midgley — Chair of Trustees
Senior Managers:
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Objectives and activities

The purposes of the charity are:

- to promote the benefit of the inhabitants of Barlow Moor and its environs without distinction of sex, sexual orientation, race or of political, religious or other opinion by associating together the said inhabitants and the local authorities, voluntary or other organisations in a common effort to advance education
- to provide facilities in the interests of social welfare for recreation and leisure time occupation with the object of improving the condition of life for the said inhabitants.
- to secure the establishment of a community centre and to maintain and manage the same whether alone or in cooperation with any local authority or other person or body in furtherance of these objects, and
- such other purposes as may be charitable according to the law of England and Wales and to relieve the poverty of the public in England by the provision of free and confidential information about charitable, voluntary, health and public services.

The trustees confirm that they have referred to the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit when reviewing the Charity's aims and objectives, in planning future activities, and setting the policies for the year.

Our Role in the Community

Based at the heart of the community, BMCA provides a trusted, accessible and inclusive place where people can access practical help, build skills and confidence, improve their health and wellbeing, connect with others and contribute to their community. Our strength is not simply the range of services we provide, but the way they connect. People can come through our doors with one immediate need and, through trusted relationships, be supported to address wider challenges, build resilience and access opportunities for longer-term change.

BMCA is more than a collection of individual projects. We provide a "one front door" to support, opportunity and community participation, bringing together practical assistance, advice, learning, health and wellbeing, children and young people's activities, volunteering, community development, environmental action and access to wider services.

Significant Development During 2025–26 - Nursery Closure and Organisational Transition

During the year, BMCA's 30-place nursery provision closed on 18 July 2025 following a comprehensive business case review which concluded that the provision was no longer financially sustainable or viable for the organisation to continue operating.

The early years provision has a particularly significant place in BMCA's history, having formed the foundation from which the organisation developed more than three decades ago. Over this period, the nursery provided early education and support to generations of local children and families and became an important part of BMCA's longstanding relationship with the community.

The closure therefore represented a significant moment in the organisation's history, as well as a major operational change. Trustees recognise the contribution made by the nursery staff and volunteers, including those who had dedicated many years to supporting local children and families, and would like to place on record their appreciation for their commitment and service to BMCA and the community.

The closure related solely to the nursery provision and BMCA's wider community work continued throughout the year. Trustees have subsequently continued to review the organisation's staffing, resources and service model, with a focus on maintaining BMCA's core community offer and developing a sustainable model for the future.

1. Poverty, Crisis & Financial Resilience - We provide practical support for people experiencing poverty, financial hardship, housing insecurity and other challenges, helping people access immediate assistance while building longer-term financial resilience.

- **Early intervention and enhanced support:** Intensive 1:1 support for people experiencing financial hardship, housing insecurity or complex needs, including benefits advice, budgeting, signposting and crisis response.
- **Cost-of-living support:** We have played a leading role in local cost-of-living partnership activity, supporting neighbourhood-level anti-poverty initiatives and connecting residents to available support.
- **Food poverty support:** Community meals- breakfast and lunch daily, food parcels, foodbank referrals, community food redistribution and access to affordable or free food and essential household items.
- **Community shop and practical support:** Affordable goods and essential items through our community shop and wider community support offer.
- **Family support:** Practical support for families experiencing financial pressures, including school uniform initiatives, holiday activities and access to wider services.

Our approach recognises that immediate crisis support can also be the starting point for longer-term change. Someone accessing food or financial support may subsequently receive advice, improve their household income, access digital or English support, become involved in volunteering or progress towards training and employment.

2. Health, Wellbeing & Social Connection - Our preventative approach recognises that health and wellbeing are closely connected to poverty, isolation, confidence, community connection and access to support.

- **Physical activity:** Yoga, Tai Chi, chair-based exercise, Walk & Talk and other accessible activities.
- **Mental health and emotional wellbeing:** Creative activities, Music for Mindfulness, befriending, social groups and wellbeing programmes.
- **Healthy living and wellbeing:** Healthy cooking, nutrition, and health information events.
- **Social connection:** Men's Den, community lunches, seasonal wellbeing events and opportunities for people to meet others in a safe and welcoming environment. Warm/Cold hub provision.
- **Prevention and early intervention:** A trusted environment where people can seek support before difficulties escalate and be connected to appropriate services.

Our community-based approach helps reduce isolation and creates opportunities for people to build relationships, confidence and resilience alongside improving their physical and emotional wellbeing.

3. Learning, Skills, Digital Inclusion & Employment - We provide a pathway from basic skills and confidence-building through to accredited learning, volunteering and employment.

- **Matrix-accredited IAG:** Tailored advice on benefits, housing, employment, budgeting and financial resilience, including in-work support.
- **Employment support:** Job Club, CV development, interview preparation, job searching, employer engagement and job fairs.
- **Digital inclusion:** Digi Drop-In sessions, access to ICT facilities and support to develop the digital skills needed for everyday life, services, education and employment.
- **English and basic skills:** English Conversation Café, Everyday English and Maths and informal confidence-building learning.
- **Accredited qualifications:** In-house NCFE/Cache qualifications including Support Work in Schools, Retail, Customer Service and Volunteering, alongside Food Hygiene, First Aid, Safeguarding and other vocational training.
- **Progression through volunteering:** Opportunities to develop practical skills, confidence and experience that can support progression into training and employment.

Our model enables people to progress at their own pace. For some, the first step is simply building confidence or accessing digital support; for others it may be gaining a qualification, volunteering, entering training or moving into employment.

4. Children, Young People & Families - We support children, young people and families through accessible activities that promote wellbeing, confidence, social connection and positive development.

- **Open-access play:** Regular play provision for children aged 5–12, including holiday activities.
- **Youth provision:** Weekly sessions for 11–14-year-olds and 13+ groups, supporting personal development, wellbeing, social connection and youth-led social action.
- **Family activities:** Community events, Play Streets, excursions, holiday activities and opportunities for families to spend time together.
- **Early Years:** Until July 2025, BMCA operated a 30-place nursery providing 15 hours of early education each week for children aged 2–4. *The nursery closure is outlined in the Significant Development During 2025–26 section above.*
- **Whole-family approach:** Families can access practical support, food provision, activities, learning and wider community provision through one trusted community setting.

Our whole-family approach means that support for one member of a household can have wider benefits for parents, children and family wellbeing.

5. Community, Volunteering & Social Action - We create opportunities for local people not only to access support, but to shape, lead and contribute to their community.

- **Community voice:** Community consultation, our Community Forum and opportunities for residents to influence local priorities and services.
- **Volunteering:** Volunteers play a central role across our library, charity shop, food provision, community projects and events. More than 87 volunteers have contributed over 2859 hours of community activity.
- **Social action:** Residents contribute to litter picks, youth-led initiatives, community activities and projects that respond directly to local needs.
- **Community events:** Merseyfest, Spookeyfest, Santa's First Stop, Play Streets and seasonal events bring residents together, strengthen community cohesion and create positive shared experiences.
- **Community leadership:** We support residents to develop confidence, skills and leadership experience and to play an active role in shaping their neighbourhood.

Volunteering is not simply an additional resource for BMCA. It is an important part of our community development model, creating opportunities for people to develop confidence, skills, relationships and experience while making a meaningful contribution to their neighbourhood.

6. Food, Sustainability & Reuse - Our environmental and reuse work forms part of our anti-poverty and community development approach, helping people access essential goods while reducing waste and creating volunteering and skills opportunities.

- **Food redistribution:** Working with partners including FareShare and Coop to redistribute surplus food to local residents and community provision.
- **Charity shop:** Affordable goods, reuse and volunteering opportunities.
- **Sharing Shed:** Access to essential household items and practical community support.
- **Bike Library:** Supporting affordable and sustainable transport while creating opportunities for volunteering and skills development.
- **School uniform exchange:** Helping families access essential items while reducing waste.
- **Reuse and sustainability:** Reusing, redistributing and sharing resources to reduce waste, tackle poverty and strengthen community resilience.

This work creates multiple benefits at the same time: reducing household costs, preventing waste, improving access to essential resources, creating volunteering opportunities and strengthening community resilience.

7. The Library & Community space

Our library and wider community facilities provide important community infrastructure and act as a gateway into other forms of support.

The library is more than access to books. It provides opportunities for:

- Access to information and resources.
- Digital inclusion and use of ICT facilities.
- Social connection and reduced isolation.
- Volunteering and community participation.
- Access to a safe, welcoming community space.
- Connection to wider BMCA services and activities.

The centre itself provides an accessible physical space where residents can move between different forms of support and activity without having to navigate multiple organisations or unfamiliar environments.

8. Partnerships & Community Infrastructure - BMCA also acts as a bridge between residents and the wider network of organisations and services working in the community.

Our centre hosts and facilitates access to services including Citizens Advice, Narcotics Anonymous, DWP Access to work Advisors, local councillors and MPs' surgeries, alongside community groups, activities and private community use.

We work with public, voluntary, community and other partners to respond to local needs, share knowledge and make services more accessible to residents. This creates value beyond the services BMCA delivers directly. By providing trusted local infrastructure, relationships, space and knowledge of the community, BMCA enables other organisations to reach people who may otherwise struggle to access support.

The Ripple Effect of BMCA's Work - The impact of BMCA extends far beyond the individual activity or service someone initially accesses. Someone may visit BMCA for a hot meal, food support, help with a form, access to a computer, a children's activity or simply somewhere to go. Because our services sit alongside one another within a trusted community setting, that initial contact can become the starting point for wider support and longer-term change. For example:

Food or crisis support → Immediate pressure reduced → Trusted conversation with staff → Advice and support identified → Benefits, housing or financial situation improved → Digital, English or other skills developed → Volunteering, training or community participation → Qualification, employment or greater independence → Person contributes back to their community.

The same principle applies across our work. A young person attending a play or youth session may develop confidence and become involved in social action. A volunteer may gain skills and experience, achieve a qualification and progress towards employment. Someone experiencing isolation may initially attend a social activity and subsequently become involved in volunteering or other community opportunities.

The benefit therefore does not stop at the first intervention.

The Wider Impact - The value of BMCA's work extends across individuals, households, the community and the wider local system.

For individuals - Our work can contribute to:

- Improved financial stability.
- Increased confidence and resilience.
- Improved health and wellbeing.
- Reduced isolation.
- Increased digital inclusion.
- Improved skills and qualifications.
- Progression into volunteering, training and employment.
- Greater independence and participation.

For families - Supporting one person can have wider household benefits through:

- Reduced financial pressure.
- Access to food and essential items.
- Improved access to advice and services.
- Children's participation in positive activities.
- Improved family wellbeing.
- Stronger connections to the local community.

For the community - Our work contributes to:

- Increased volunteering and social action.
- Stronger community relationships.
- Resident participation and leadership.
- Greater community cohesion.
- Improved access to services.
- A stronger sense of belonging.
- Increased community capacity and resilience.

For the environment - Our reuse and sustainability work contributes to:

- Reduced waste.
- Redistribution of surplus food.
- Increased reuse of household goods.
- Affordable access to essential resources.
- Sustainable transport.

For the wider system - BMCA provides an important bridge between residents and public, voluntary and community services. By bringing organisations together, sharing local knowledge, providing community space and maintaining trusted relationships with residents, BMCA helps make support more accessible and responsive to local need.

Our Social Value - The value created by BMCA cannot be measured solely through the number of people attending a session or accessing a service.

It includes the confidence gained by a volunteer, the household costs reduced through access to affordable goods, the person who moves from crisis towards employment, the young person who develops leadership skills, the resident who becomes more connected to their community, the surplus food diverted from waste and the relationships created between residents and organisations.

Our volunteers alone have contributed more than 2859 hours of community activity, equating to £38,464.00 in social value, this represents significant social value alongside the direct outcomes achieved through our programmes.

Together, these outcomes demonstrate that BMCA creates value at multiple levels: individual, family, community, environmental and wider system impact.

BMCA's Impact in Numbers - Our annual impact reporting brings together quantitative and qualitative evidence across our services.

Headline measures include:

- People accessing BMCA services and activities.
- Adults receiving enhanced 1:1 support.
- Advice and IAG contacts.
- People progressing into employment or further training.
- Qualifications achieved.
- People accessing digital inclusion provision.
- Children and young people participating.
- Hot meals provided.
- Foodbank referrals and food support.
- Library usage.
- Volunteers involved.
- Volunteer hours contributed.
- Estimated volunteer social value.
- Community events and activities delivered.

Alongside these figures, case studies and feedback demonstrate the difference these interventions make in people's lives.

The BMCA Difference - BMCA helps people through immediate difficulties, but our impact goes further.

We create the relationships, skills, confidence, opportunities and community infrastructure that help prevent problems from escalating and enable people to participate and contribute.

People come to us for support → build stability and confidence → connect with others → develop skills and opportunities → contribute to their community → and help create a stronger, more resilient neighbourhood.

That is the wider impact of BMCA: not simply what we provide, but what becomes possible because BMCA exists.

Looking Ahead - BMCA's future development is focused on strengthening the community infrastructure and interconnected support model that enables this impact.

Our priorities include:

- Continuing to provide accessible, trusted support in response to emerging community need.
- Strengthening financial sustainability and developing a more resilient income model.
- Progressing towards returning to Real Living Wage employer status.
- Developing unrestricted income and strategic partnerships.
- Strengthening our employment, skills and progression pathways.
- Expanding reuse and sustainability activity, including the launch of a Library of Things.
- Increasing opportunities for volunteering, social action and resident leadership.
- Developing partnerships and commissioning opportunities.
- Maintaining the centre as a trusted and accessible community facility.

Our ambition is not simply to deliver more activity. It is to strengthen the connections between people, services, opportunities and the community, enabling the greatest possible impact from the resources invested in BMCA.

Financial Context and Sustainability

BMCA continues to operate within a challenging financial environment, with increasing operational costs, significant reliance on grant funding and uncertainty around the availability and duration of future funding. At the same time, demand for BMCA's services remains high, with the organisation continuing to provide a broad range of support to local residents.

During the year, BMCA took significant steps to manage its financial position and organisational sustainability. The closure of the nursery provision in July 2025 followed a formal review of its financial sustainability and viability and resulted in a reduction in the organisation's staffing and operating costs. Trustees have continued to review the organisation's cost base and resource allocation to ensure that available funds are used effectively to maintain core community provision.

BMCA ended the year with a surplus, supported in part by additional and one-off funding received during the year, alongside careful management of expenditure. Trustees recognise, however, that this position does not remove the longer-term financial challenges facing the organisation. BMCA remains reliant on grant funding and does not yet have certainty over all future income, making the development of sustainable and more diverse income streams an important priority.

The organisation's reserves provide an important financial buffer against fluctuations in income and unexpected costs. Trustees continue to monitor reserves against the organisation's reserves policy and the level of unrestricted funds required to provide financial stability while enabling BMCA to invest appropriately in its future.

Workforce sustainability is also an important part of BMCA's longer-term financial planning.

BMCA remains committed to working towards returning to Real Living Wage employer status as its financial position and income base allow. Trustees recognise that achieving this sustainably requires sufficient recurring income to meet the associated staffing costs, rather than relying on short-term or restricted funding. Developing a stronger and more resilient income model will therefore be important to BMCA's ability to progress towards this objective while maintaining appropriate reserves and protecting core services.

Looking ahead, trustees will continue to focus on financial sustainability, income diversification, strengthening unrestricted income, developing strategic partnerships and ensuring that the organisation's staffing model is sustainable in relation to its income and future service commitments.

Structure, governance and management

Barlow Moor Community Association Limited is a company limited by guarantee governed by its Memorandum and Articles of Association dated 22nd December 2010. It is registered as a charity with the Charity Commission (dated 2nd June 2011).

Appointment of trustees

As set out in the Articles of Association trustees are elected annually by the members of the charitable company attending the Annual General meeting. Each year one third of the trustees shall retire from office by rotation based on the longest standing and offer themselves for re-election.

Trustee induction and training

Trustees are given information about their role and responsibilities on first being appointed. They are also given a copy of the constitution, information about staffing and management, and are shown copies of policy documents.
Once appointed to subgroups they are given further information on funding, systems etc, and are trained in relevant procedures (eg. Bank reconciliation and other Quickbooks procedures for the treasurer).

Organisation

The board of trustees administers the charity. The board normally meet bi-monthly. A Centre Management Team are appointed by the trustees to manage the day-to-day operations of the charity.

Related parties and co-operation with other organisations

None of our trustees receive remuneration or other benefit from their work as a trustee with the charity. Any connection between a trustee or senior manager with any service providers must be disclosed to the full board of trustees in the same way as any other contractual relationship with a related party. Payments to related parties are disclosed in Note 20 to the accounts.

A review of our achievements and performance

The main achievements during the year are set out in the Impact Report in the Appendix.

Financial review

The charity had ended the year with income totalling £543,590 (2025 £542,600). Expenditure decreased to £481,052 from £576,512. This left a surplus of £62,538 (2025 deficit of £33,912). Unrestricted reserves at the year end, were £207,298 up from £131,382 in 2025.

Investment powers and policy

The trustees, having regard to the liquidity requirements of operating the charity, have kept available funds in an interest-bearing deposit account.

Reserves policy and going concern

The balance held in unrestricted reserves at 31st March 2026 was £207,298 of which £174,046 is free reserves, after allowing for funds tied up in tangible fixed assets. The charity has designated £11,323 of this to support specific activities and capital items. In addition, trustees have designated a further £20,000 of unrestricted funds as a Workforce and Sustainability Transition Fund. Restricted reserves totalled £130,869 with £72,596 relating to fixed assets (spent) and £58,273 relating to revenue.

The trustees aim to establish and maintain free reserves in unrestricted funds at a level which equates to approximately four months of charitable expenditure (currently £160,000). The trustees consider that this level will provide sufficient funds to respond to applications for grants and ensure that support and governance costs are covered. Currently free reserves stand at just over 4 months running costs. Having regard to the 26/27 budget and supplemented by the general funds the trustees consider that the charity is a going concern.

Income of £295,629.00 has been confirmed for 2026/27.

Designated Funds / Workforce and Sustainability Transition Fund

Trustees have designated £20,000 of unrestricted funds as a Workforce and Sustainability Transition Fund.

The purpose of this designation is to provide BMCA with a designated financial resource to support the transition towards a sustainable staffing model, including the organisation's longer-term objective of returning to Real Living Wage employer status, subject to sustainable recurring income being secured.

The fund is intended to support the organisation during the transition period while BMCA develops and secures sustainable recurring income to support its staffing structure. This recognises that any increase in ongoing staffing costs, including progression towards Real Living Wage employer status, must be supported by sustainable income rather than short-term or restricted funding. The designation does not represent a commitment to spend the funds immediately. The funds remain part of BMCA's unrestricted resources and have been set aside by trustees for this specific strategic purpose. The level and appropriateness of the designation will be reviewed regularly in light of BMCA's financial position, income prospects, staffing requirements and reserves policy.

Risk management

The trustees have conducted a review of the major risks to which the charity is exposed and systems have been established to mitigate those risks. Where appropriate, systems or procedures have been established to mitigate the risks the charity faces. Procedures are in place to ensure compliance with health and safety of staff, volunteers, young people, other service users and visitors.

Trustees' responsibilities in relation to the financial statements

The charity trustees (who are also the directors of Barlow Moor Community Association Limited for the purposes of company law) are responsible for preparing a trustees' annual report and financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Company law requires the charity trustees to prepare financial statements for each year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company and of the incoming resources and application of resources, including the income and expenditure, of the charitable company for that period. In preparing the financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- Select suitable accounting principles and then apply them consistently;
- Observe the methods and principles in the applicable Charities SORP;
- Make judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- State whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures that must be disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- Prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis unless it is appropriate to presume that the charity will continue in business.

The trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

By order of the board of trustees

Joanna R. Midgley _____ Chair Ms Joanna Midgley

Date: 11th September 2026

Barlow Moor Community Association Limited
Independent Examiner's Report
For The Year Ended 31 March 2026

I report on the accounts of the company for the year ended 31 March 2026 , which are set out on pages 13 to 34.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The trustees (who are also directors of the company for the purposes of company law) 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. The charity is required by company law to prepare accrued accounts and I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a qualified member of The Association of Chartered Certified Accountants.

Having satisfied myself that the charity is not subject to audit under company law and is eligible for independent examination, it is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the 2011 Act;
- follow the procedures laid down in general Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(b) of the 2011 Act; and
- to 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 connection with 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 386 of the Companies Act 2006; and
- to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records, comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the Companies Act 2006; and
- with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities 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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11 September 2026

Barlow Moor Community Association Limited
Statement of Financial Activities (Including Income and Expenditure Account)
For The Year Ended 31 March 2026

	Notes	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	2026 £	2025 £
INCOME FROM					
Donations and legacies	3	780	31,017	31,797	34,867
Charitable activities	4	149,166	323,722	472,888	477,871
Other trading activities	5	32,047	-	32,047	23,286
Investment income		6,858	-	6,858	6,576
TOTAL INCOME		188,851	354,739	543,590	542,600
EXPENDITURE ON					
Raising funds	7	3,430	8,286	11,716	12,474
Charitable activities	7	109,378	354,558	463,936	561,908
Other	7	-	5,400	5,400	2,130
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		112,808	368,244	481,052	576,512
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)		76,043	(13,505)	62,538	(33,912)
Transfers between funds	15	(127)	127	-	-
NET MOVEMENT IN FUNDS		75,916	(13,378)	62,538	(33,912)
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS					
Total funds brought forward	15	131,382	144,247	275,629	309,541
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD	15	207,298	130,869	338,167	275,629

The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year. All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

The notes on pages 16 to 34 form part of these accounts.

Barlow Moor Community Association Limited
Balance Sheet
As At 31 March 2026

Companies House number: 07476646

	Notes	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	2026 £	2025 £
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	11	1,929	80,830	82,759	90,636
		1,929	80,830	82,759	90,636
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors and prepayments	12	6,050	14,403	20,453	21,821
Cash at bank and in hand		243,373	116,188	359,561	259,499
		249,423	130,591	380,014	281,320
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	13	44,054	80,552	124,606	96,327
NET CURRENT ASSETS		205,369	50,039	255,408	184,993
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		207,298	130,869	338,167	275,629
NET ASSETS		207,298	130,869	338,167	275,629
THE FUNDS OF THE CHARITY					
Restricted income funds	15	-	130,869	130,869	144,247
Unrestricted income funds	15	207,298	-	207,298	131,382
TOTAL CHARITY FUNDS		207,298	130,869	338,167	275,629

For the period in question the company was entitled to the exemption conferred by section 477 of the Companies Act 2006, and that no notice has been deposited under section 476 in relation to its accounts for the financial year. The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.
These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime.

Approved by the trustees on 11 September 2026

Ms Joanna Midgley - Chair Joanna R. Midgley

The notes on pages 16 to 34 form part of these accounts.

Barlow Moor Community Association Limited
Statement of Cash Flows
For The Year Ended 31 March 2026

RECONCILIATION OF NET MOVEMENT IN FUNDS TO NET CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

	2026 £	2025 £
Net movement in funds	62,538	(33,912)
Add back depreciation	13,915	12,976
Deduct Investment Income	(6,858)	(6,576)
Decrease/(Increase) in debtors	1,368	(2,461)
Increase/(decrease) in creditors	28,279	32,201
NET CASH USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES	99,242	2,228
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES:		
Interest	6,858	6,576
Purchase of fixed assets	(6,038)	(7,477)
NET CASH PROVIDED BY INVESTING ACTIVITIES	820	(901)
INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS DURING THE YEAR	100,062	1,327
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS BROUGHT FORWARD	259,499	258,172
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS CARRIED FORWARD	359,561	259,499

1 Accounting Policies

1.1 Basis of preparation and assessment of going concern

The accounts (financial statements) have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant notes to these accounts. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102), effective 1st January 2019, and the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS
The charity constitutes a public benefit entity as defined by FRS 102.
The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue as a going concern.

1.2 Funds structure

Restricted funds are funds which are to be used in accordance with specific restrictions imposed by the donor or trust deed. There are 24 restricted funds.
Unrestricted income funds comprise those funds which the trustees are free to use for any purpose in furtherance of the charitable objects. Unrestricted funds include designated funds where the trustees, at their discretion, have created a fund for a specific purpose.
Further details of each fund are disclosed in note 15.

1.3 Income recognition

All income is recognised once the charity has entitlement to the income, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount of income receivable can be measured reliably.
Donations are recognised when the charity has been notified in writing of both the amount and settlement date. In the event that a donation is subject to conditions that require a level of performance before the charity is entitled to the funds, the income is deferred and not recognised until either those conditions are fully met, or the fulfilment of those conditions is wholly within the control of the charity and it is probable that those conditions will be fulfilled in the reporting period.
Interest on funds held on deposit is included when receivable and the amount can be measured reliably by the charity; this is normally upon notification of the interest paid or payable by the bank. Dividends are recognised once the dividend has been declared and notification has been received of the dividend due.

1.4 Expenditure Recognition

Liabilities are recognised as expenditure as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to that expenditure, it is probable that settlement will be required and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably.
All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis. All expenses including support costs and governance costs are allocated or apportioned to the applicable expenditure headings. For more information on this attribution refer to note 1.6.

1.5 Irrecoverable VAT

Irrecoverable VAT is charged against the expenditure heading for which it was incurred.

1.6 Allocation of support and governance costs

Support costs have been allocated between governance costs and other support costs. Governance costs comprise all costs involving the public accountability of the charity and its compliance with regulation and good practice. These costs include costs related to independent examination and legal fees together with an apportionment of overhead and support costs.
Governance costs and support costs relating to charitable activities have been apportioned based on type of expense. The allocation of support and governance costs is analysed in note 8.

1.7 Costs of raising funds

The costs of raising funds consists of events, publicity and sponsorship.

1.8 Charitable Activities

Costs of charitable activities include governance costs and an apportionment of support costs as shown in note 7.

1.9 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

All assets costing more than £500 are capitalised and valued at historical cost. Depreciation is charged on the following basis:

Leasehold improvements	over 22 years from January 2014
Furniture & equipment	25% on cost
Computer equipment	33.33% on cost

1.10 Realised gains and losses

All gains and losses are taken to the Statement of Financial Activities as they arise. Realised gains and losses on investments are calculated as the difference between sales proceeds and their opening carrying value or their purchase value if acquired subsequent to the first day of the financial year. Unrealised gains and losses are calculated as the difference between the fair value at the year end and their varying value. Realised and unrealised investment gains and losses are combined in the Statement

1.11 Pensions

The charity operates an auto-enrolment pension scheme. The charity has no liability beyond paying its contributions and collecting employees' contributions.

1.12 Debtors

Trade and other debtors are recognised at the settlement amount due after any trade discount offered. Prepayments are valued at the amount prepaid net of any trade discounts due.

1.13 Creditors and provisions

Creditors and provisions are recognised where the charity has a present obligation resulting from a past event that will probably result in the transfer of funds to a third party and the amount due to settle the obligation can be measured or estimated reliably. Creditors and provisions are normally recognised at their settlement amount after allowing for any trade discounts due.

2 Related party transactions and trustees' expenses and remuneration

The trustees all give freely their time and expertise without any form of remuneration or other benefit in cash or kind (2025: £nil). Expenses paid to the trustees in the year totalled £nil (2025: £nil).

3 Donations and Legacies

	Unrestricted 2026 £	Restricted 2026 £	Total Funds 2026 £	Total Funds 2025 £
Donations	780	7,017	7,797	10,867
Donation in kind	-	24,000	24,000	24,000
	780	31,017	31,797	34,867

Previous reporting period

	Unrestricted 2025 £	Restricted 2025 £	Total Funds 2025 £
Donations	735	10,132	10,867
Donation in kind	-	24,000	24,000
	735	34,132	34,867

4 Income from charitable activities

	Unrestricted 2026 £	Restricted 2026 £	Total Funds 2026 £	Total Funds 2025 £
Our Manchester VCS	-	86,719	86,719	86,719
MCC - Cost of Living	-	13,900	13,900	30,000
MCC NIF - Various	-	8,018	8,018	2,450
HAF	-	18,867	18,867	21,205
MCC - Young People	-	81,074	81,074	77,485
The Henry Smith Charity	-	31,467	31,467	31,533
Trusthouse	-	3,725	3,725	18,623
MCC Work & Skills	-	11,000	11,000	9,000
Southway - Learning Hub	-	10,000	10,000	19,992
Merseyfest - Various	-	-	-	11,736
Big Lottery Reaching Communities	-	-	-	47,867
Revision	-	-	-	12,000
CYP Core	-	450	450	-
Kitchen Fund donations and grants	-	1,500	1,500	15,521
Nursery and Out of School Club contributions	-	-	-	1,791
Awards 4 All	-	9,625	9,625	-
Better Youth Spaces Fund	-	8,077	8,077	-
The Shears Foundation	-	5,750	5,750	-
EEHS	-	25,000	25,000	-
High Sheriff	-	3,000	3,000	-
Household Support Fund	-	5,550	5,550	-
Garfield Weston Foundation	30,000	-	30,000	12,500
Good Things Foundation	-	-	-	8,400
Southway - Youth Elevate	-	-	-	8,766
Big Life	-	-	-	2,500
Nursery Free Entitlement & EYPP	20,467	-	20,467	51,776
Other social contracts	-	-	-	2,000
Other unrestricted small grants	6,850	-	6,850	5,930
Unrestricted group contributions etc	-	-	-	47
Other income	-	-	-	30
Edward Holt	8,333	-	8,333	-
MCC	52,206	-	52,206	-
Forever Manchester	2,400	-	2,400	-
Dowager	8,000	-	8,000	-
Revision	19,000	-	19,000	-
MCC - Food Insecurity	1,910	-	1,910	-
	149,166	323,722	472,888	477,871

4 Income from charitable activities (continued)

Previous reporting period	Unrestricted 2025 £	Restricted 2025 £	Total Funds 2025 £
Our Manchester VCS	-	86,719	86,719
MCC - Cost of Living	-	30,000	30,000
MCC NIF - Various	-	2,450	2,450
HAF	-	21,205	21,205
MCC - Young People	-	77,485	77,485
The Henry Smith Charity	-	31,533	31,533
Trusthouse	-	18,623	18,623
MCC Work & Skills	-	9,000	9,000
Southway - Learning Hub	-	19,992	19,992
Merseyfest - Various	-	11,736	11,736
Big Lottery Reaching Communities	-	47,867	47,867
Revision	-	12,000	12,000
Kitchen Fund donations and grants	-	15,521	15,521
Nursery and Out of School Club contributions	-	1,791	1,791
Garfield Weston Foundation	12,500	-	12,500
Good Things Foundation	8,400	-	8,400
Southway - Youth Elevate	8,766	-	8,766
Big Life	2,500	-	2,500
Nursery Free Entitlement & EYPP	51,776	-	51,776
Other social contracts	2,000	-	2,000
Other unrestricted small grants	5,930	-	5,930
Unrestricted group contributions etc	47	-	47
Other Income	30	-	30
	91,949	385,922	477,871

5 Income from other trading activities

	Unrestricted 2026 £	Restricted 2026 £	Total Funds 2026 £	Total Funds 2025 £
Room hire	11,791	-	11,791	12,521
Project management	9,348	-	9,348	4,030
Fundraising	2,797	-	2,797	2,158
Shop income	8,111	-	8,111	4,577
	32,047	-	32,047	23,286

Previous reporting period

	Unrestricted 2025 £	Restricted 2025 £	Total Funds 2025 £
Room hire	12,521	-	12,521
Project management	4,030	-	4,030
Fundraising	2,153	5	2,158
Shop income	4,577	-	4,577
	23,281	5	23,286

6 Net income

	2026 £	2025 £
Net income is stated after charging:		
Depreciation - owned assets	13,915	12,976
Accountancy	4,800	4,920

7 Expenditure

	Centre £	Activity Zones £	2026 £	2025 £
Expenditure on generating funds				
Employment costs	8,744	-	8,744	9,643
Premises costs	1,412	-	1,412	1,244
Shop costs	1,560	-	1,560	1,587
	11,716	-	11,716	12,474

7 Expenditure on charitable activities

	Centre £	Activity Zones £	2026 £	2025 £
Employment costs	-	256,444	256,444	335,060
Other staff expenses	-	403	403	380
DBS checks	-	203	203	352
Premises costs	-	23,996	23,996	21,157
Volunteer expenses	-	22	22	41
Staff travel	-	196	196	166
Staff training	-	660	660	94
Centre activities	-	29,781	29,781	38,665
Partner payments	-	24,055	24,055	26,649
Beneficiary training	-	-	-	5,211
Subscriptions	-	2,746	2,746	2,824
Publicity and website	-	4,142	4,142	2,785
Governance costs	-	14,174	14,174	13,866
Support costs	-	107,114	107,114	114,658
	-	463,936	463,936	561,908

	Centre £	Activity Zones £	2026 £	2025 £
Other expenditure				
Grants made	-	5,400	5,400	2,130
	-	5,400	5,400	2,130
		469,336	481,052	576,512

	2026 £	2025 £
Restricted funds	368,244	417,691
Unrestricted funds	112,808	158,821
	481,052	576,512

8 Allocation of governance and support costs

The breakdown of support costs and how these were allocated between governance and other support costs is shown below.

	Basis of apportionment	General Support £	Governance £	2026 £
Employment costs	Staff time	19,585	-	19,585
Audit and accountancy	Governance	-	4,800	4,800
Trustee meetings and expenses	Governance	-	115	115
Consultancy	Governance	-	3,168	3,168
Legal fees	Governance	-	900	900
Professional fees (HR)	Governance	-	5,191	5,191
Premises costs	Governance	2,824	-	2,824
Donation in kind (premises)	type of expense	24,000	-	24,000
Insurance	type of expense	4,848	-	4,848
Cleaning	type of expense	25,043	-	25,043
Equipment leasing	Activity	1,308	-	1,308
Repairs and renewals	Activity	3,200	-	3,200
Computer maintenance	Activity	1,010	-	1,010
Minor equipment and software	Activity	691	-	691
Telephone and internet	Activity	6,213	-	6,213
Post, printing andsStationery	Activity	1,475	-	1,475
Subscriptions	Activity	355	-	355
Sundries	Activity	143	-	143
Payroll services	Activity	2,504	-	2,504
Depreciation	type of expense	13,915	-	13,915
		107,114	14,174	121,288

8 Allocation of governance and support costs (continued)

Previous reporting period

	Basis of apportionment	General Support £	Governance £	2025 £
Employment costs	Staff time	23,331	-	23,331
Audit and accountancy	Governance	-	4,920	4,920
Trustee meetings and expenses	Governance	-	182	182
Consultancy	Governance	-	3,168	3,168
Legal fees	Governance	-	420	420
Professional fees (HR)	Governance	-	5,176	5,176
Premises costs	Governance	2,489	-	2,489
Donation in kind (premises)	type of expense	24,000	-	24,000
Insurance	type of expense	4,615	-	4,615
Cleaning	type of expense	23,458	-	23,458
Equipment leasing	Activity	1,308	-	1,308
Depreciation	type of expense	12,976	-	12,976
Repairs and renewals	Activity	7,714	-	7,714
Computer maintenance	Activity	3,960	-	3,960
Minor equipment and software	Activity	3,452	-	3,452
Telephone and Internet	Activity	2,060	-	2,060
Post, printing andsStationery	Activity	2,137	-	2,137
Subscriptions	Activity	444	-	444
Sundries	Activity	105	-	105
Payroll services	Activity	2,609	-	2,609
		114,658	13,866	128,524

9 Analysis of staff costs

	2026 £	2025 £
Wages and salaries	262,708	339,758
Employers NIC	17,179	18,082
Redundancy costs	-	4,294
Pension costs	4,886	5,900
	284,773	368,034
Charitable activities	265,188	344,703
Support costs	19,585	23,331
	284,773	368,034

	2026	2025
Average number of employees	16	24
Number of employees with benefits in excess of £60,000	-	-

	2026 £	2025 £
Total employment benefits, including employer pension contributions of the key management personnel	109,117	121,110

The charity considers its key management personnel comprises the trustees.

10 Independent Examiner Fees

	2026 £	2025 £
Independent examination fees	4,800	4,920
	4,800	4,920

11 Tangible Fixed Assets

	Computer equipment £	Furniture & equipment £	Leasehold improvements £	Total £
Cost				
At 1 April 2025	12,915	31,545	146,423	190,883
Additions	5,240	798	-	6,038
At 31 March 2026	18,155	32,343	146,423	196,921
Depreciation				
At 1 April 2025	11,850	22,103	66,294	100,247
Charge for Year	2,606	3,527	7,782	13,915
At 31 March 2026	14,456	25,630	74,076	114,162
Net Book Value				
At 31 March 2026	3,699	6,713	72,347	82,759
At 1 April 2025	1,065	9,442	80,129	90,636

12 Debtors and prepayments

	2026 £	2025 £
Trade debtors	14,018	20,809
Prepayments	6,435	1,012
	20,453	21,821

	2026 £	2025 £
Restricted	14,403	15,557
Unrestricted	6,050	6,264
	20,453	21,821

13 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2026 £	2025 £
Other taxation and social security	4,722	4,372
Accruals	20,745	23,778
Other creditors	5,552	29,558
Deferred income	93,587	38,619
	124,606	96,327

	2026 £	2025 £
Restricted	80,552	69,578
Unrestricted	44,054	26,749
	124,606	96,327

14 Deferred income

Deferred income comprises rental income and grants invoiced and received in advance.	2026 £	2025 £
Balance as at 01 April 2025	38,619	16,393
Amount released to income earned from charitable activities	(38,619)	(16,393)
Amount deferred in year	93,587	38,619
Balance as at 31 March 2026	93,587	38,619

15 Analysis of charitable funds

Analysis of movements in unrestricted funds

	As at 1 April 2025 £	Incoming Resources £	Resources Expended £	Transfers £	As at 31 March 2026 £
General fund	116,629	188,851	(109,378)	(20,127)	175,975
Designated funds	5,487	-	(3,430)	20,000	22,057
Designated funds - capital fund	9,266	-	-	-	9,266
	131,382	188,851	(112,808)	(127)	207,298

Previous reporting period

	As at 1 April 2024 £	Incoming Resources £	Resources Expended £	Transfers £	As at 31 March 2025 £
General fund	147,382	111,641	(136,059)	(6,335)	116,629
Designated funds	16,949	10,900	(22,362)	-	5,487
Designated funds - capital fund	3,672	-	(400)	5,994	9,266
	168,003	122,541	(158,421)	(341)	131,382

15 Analysis of movements in restricted funds

	As at 1 April 2025 £	Incoming Resources £	Resources Expended £	Transfers £	As at 31 March 2026 £
Our Manchester VCS	-	86,719	(86,719)	-	-
The Henry Smith Charity	1,077	31,467	(28,816)	-	3,728
Trusthouse	115	3,725	(3,840)	-	-
Kitchen Fund donations and grants	10,657	3,509	(9,918)	-	4,248
Merseyfest - Various	3,797	-	-	-	3,797
Donation in kind (premises)	-	24,000	(24,000)	-	-
MCC NIF - Various	2,798	8,018	(7,781)	-	3,035
MCC - Cost of Living	16,835	13,900	(24,729)	-	6,006
Southway - Learning Hub	-	10,000	(10,000)	-	-
MCC Work & Skills	-	11,000	(10,500)	-	500
HAF	-	18,867	(16,425)	-	2,442
MCC - Young People	1,342	81,074	(82,416)	-	-
TFGM Bike Project	3,889	-	-	-	3,889
CYP Core	1,398	550	-	-	1,948
MCC Mcr Wellbeing Fund	1,233	-	(1,358)	125	-
Cost of Living grants and donations	3,500	500	(1,424)	-	2,576
Illuminate	704	-	-	-	704
White House	1,365	-	-	-	1,365
Southway - Uniforms	1,470	-	(160)	-	1,310
Southway - Music for Mindfulness	376	-	(90)	-	286
NIF	2,578	-	(2,258)	-	320
Over 60's Contributions	1,752	-	-	-	1,752
Donations	1,705	-	-	-	1,705
Southway Housing	71	-	(71)	-	-
Diabetes Project	1,421	-	-	-	1,421
South Neighbourhood Team - NIF -	392	-	(394)	2	-
Skipton Building Society	746	-	(746)	-	-
Manchester Uni. NHS Foundation Tr	2,700	-	-	-	2,700
Climate Action Project	510	-	-	-	510
Awards 4 All	-	9,625	(6,310)	-	3,315
Better Youth Spaces Fund	-	8,077	(3,740)	-	4,337
The Shears Foundation	-	5,750	(5,750)	-	-
EEHS	-	25,000	(25,000)	-	-
High Sheriff	-	3,000	(1,029)	-	1,971
Just Giving - Shower	-	4,408	-	-	4,408
Household Support Fund	-	5,550	(5,550)	-	-
Continued on next page	62,431	354,739	(359,024)	127	58,273

15 Analysis of movements in restricted funds (continued)

	As at 1 April 2025 £	Incoming Resources £	Resources Expended £	Transfers £	As at 31 March 2026 £
From previous page	62,431	354,739	(359,024)	127	58,273
Capital Grants:					
Veolia	26,206	-	(2,718)	-	23,488
Wates	9,092	-	(909)	-	8,183
MCC- S Mcr Regeneration	5,460	-	(545)	-	4,915
Early Years - Playground	11,147	-	(1,123)	-	10,024
Southway Donation In Kind	1,907	-	(463)	-	1,444
NIF - TV	1,182	-	(596)	-	586
Young Manchester	574	-	(288)	-	286
NIF - SEN	96	-	(131)	-	(35)
TFGM - Bike Project	6,123	-	-	-	6,123
Sport England	1,256	-	(314)	-	942
Kitchen Fund Donations	3,467	-	(726)	-	2,741
Youth Investment Fund - Music Roo	15,306	-	(1,407)	-	13,899
	144,247	354,739	(368,244)	127	130,869

15 Analysis of movements in restricted funds (continued)

Previous reporting period

	As at 1 April 2024 £	Incoming Resources £	Resources Expended £	Transfers £	As at 31 March 2025 £
Our Manchester VCS	-	86,719	(86,719)	-	-
The Henry Smith Charity	1,144	31,533	(31,600)	-	1,077
Big Lottery Reaching Communities	-	47,867	(48,200)	333	-
Big Lottery - Million Hours	2,921	-	(2,921)	-	-
Trusthouse	1,387	18,623	(19,895)	-	115
Kitchen Fund donations and grants	-	16,187	(2,063)	(3,467)	10,657
Merseyfest - Various	1,374	11,736	(9,313)	-	3,797
Donation in kind (premises)	-	24,000	(24,000)	-	-
MCC NIF - Various	2,346	2,450	(1,998)	-	2,798
MCC - Cost of Living	-	30,000	(13,165)	-	16,835
Restricted donation - service user w	-	750	(750)	-	-
Southway - Learning Hub	-	19,992	(19,992)	-	-
MCC Work & Skills	548	9,000	(9,548)	-	-
Revision	-	12,000	(12,000)	-	-
HAF	-	21,205	(21,205)	-	-
MCC YPP Play Day	-	250	(250)	-	-
MCC - Young People	7,435	77,485	(83,578)	-	1,342
TFGM Bike Project	5,460	1,656	(2,126)	(1,101)	3,889
MCC - Hate Crime	38	-	(46)	8	-
Sport England	6,905	-	(5,649)	(1,256)	-
CYP Core	4,098	-	(2,700)	-	1,398
Aris	2,000	-	(2,003)	3	-
MCC Mcr Wellbeing Fund	1,233	-	-	-	1,233
Cost of Living grants and donations	3,500	-	-	-	3,500
Duchy of Lancaster	563	-	(564)	1	-
Illuminate	704	-	-	-	704
Skipton Building Society	-	1,000	(254)	-	746
Greater Manchester Sports Partners	-	100	(100)	-	-
Manchester Uni. NHS Foundation Tr	-	3,000	(300)	-	2,700
Climate Action Project	-	510	-	-	510
White House	1,640	-	(275)	-	1,365
Southway - Uniforms	1,755	-	(285)	-	1,470
Southway - Music for Mindfulness	775	-	(399)	-	376
NIF	2,578	-	-	-	2,578
Over 60's Contributions	1,752	-	-	-	1,752
Donations	2,419	-	(710)	(4)	1,705
Southway Housing	71	-	-	-	71
Diabetes Project	3,330	-	(1,909)	-	1,421
South Neighbourhood Team - NIF -	565	-	(173)	-	392
Nursery and Out of School Club con	-	1,791	(1,791)	-	-
DLA	-	1,820	(1,820)	-	-
Welfare	-	385	(385)	-	-
Continued on next page	56,541	420,059	(408,686)	(5,483)	62,431

15 Analysis of movements in restricted funds (continued)

From previous page	56,541	420,059	(408,686)	(5,483)	62,431
Capital Grants:					
Veolia	28,924	-	(2,718)	-	26,206
Wates	10,001	-	(909)	-	9,092
MCC- S Mcr Regeneration	6,005	-	(545)	-	5,460
Early Years - Playground	12,270	-	(1,123)	-	11,147
Southway Donation In Kind	2,370	-	(463)	-	1,907
Opens	121	-	(121)	-	-
NIF - TV	1,778	-	(596)	-	1,182
Young Manchester	862	-	(288)	-	574
NIF - SEN	236	-	(140)	-	96
TFGM - Bike Project	5,719	-	(697)	1,101	6,123
Sport England	-	-	-	1,256	1,256
Kitchen Fund Donations	-	-	-	3,467	3,467
Youth Investment Fund - Music Roo	16,711	-	(1,405)	-	15,306
	141,538	420,059	(417,691)	341	144,247

Name of restricted fund:	Description, nature and purpose of the fund
MCC - Cost of Living	Funding to support the delivery of enhanced crisis and poverty reduction services, including associated running
MCC NIF - Various	Funding to support the delivery of community projects, events and activities for local residents.
HAF	Funding to support the delivery of the holiday playscheme during the Easter and summer holidays,
The Henry Smith Charity	Contribution towards the wages and salaries of two full-time staff delivering adult services provision.
MCC Work & Skills	Contribution towards the wages and salaries of a key delivery post within the Work Club, together with specific
Merseyfest - Various	Grant towards core running costs associated with the delivery of education, training and employment
TFGM Bike Project	To provide support for cycling training
CYP Core	Restricted funding for food, consumables and other essential costs associated with children and young
Cost of Living grants and donations	Funding to support the delivery of enhanced crisis and poverty reduction services, including associated running
White House	Support and activities for local residents
Southway - Uniforms	Provision of school uniforms
Southway - Music for Mindfulness	Provision of health and wellbeing through music
NIF	Funding to support the delivery of community projects, events and activities for local residents.
Over 60's Contributions	Funding to support the delivery of community projects, events and activities for local residents.
Diabetes Project	To support older people and their wellbeing
Kitchen Fund donations and grants	Ring-fenced funding for the development and operation of the new commercial kitchen, including equipment and

16 Analysis of net assets between funds

	Unrestricted £	Restricted £	2026 £
Tangible fixed assets	1,929	80,830	82,759
Cash at bank and in hand	243,373	116,188	359,561
Other net current assets/(liabilities)	(38,004)	(66,149)	(104,153)
Total	207,298	130,869	338,167

Previous reporting period

	Unrestricted £	Restricted £	2025 £
Tangible fixed assets	3,672	86,964	90,636
Cash at bank and in hand	148,195	111,304	259,499
Other net current assets/(liabilities)	(20,485)	(54,021)	(74,506)
Total	131,382	144,247	275,629

17 Going Concern

The charity's main source of income is grant funding and investment income. The trustees consider, having regard to reserves that it is appropriate to prepare the accounts on a going concern basis and, consequently, the accounts do not include any adjustments that would be necessary if the funding income should cease.

18 Post Balance Sheet Events

The Trustees do not consider that there have been any events since the balance sheet date that significantly impact on the financial statements.

19 Financial Instruments

The charity only has financial assets and financial liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments. Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at transaction value and subsequently measured at their settlement value.

20 Trustee Remuneration and Expenses

Except as disclosed below, no remuneration has been paid or is due to be paid to any of the trustees in respect of their role as trustees, nor have any trustees been reimbursed for expenses.

During the year, payments totalling £720 were made to Clover Hudson, a trustee, in respect of the provision of yoga classes to the charity. These services were provided separately from her duties as a trustee.

Revised Articles of Association have subsequently been submitted to the Charity Commission for approval to permit payments to trustees for services provided to the charity which are separate from their role as trustees. At the date of approval of these financial statements, the revised Articles remain subject to Charity Commission approval and have not yet been formally adopted.

Barlow Moor
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IMPACT REPORT



2025-2026

Southway Housing Trust

Garfield Weston FOUNDATION

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BMCA CHAIRS REPORT



It is a privilege as always to introduce the Impact Report for Barlow Moor Community Association and I am really proud to share it with you.

At the heart of everything we do is a simple but powerful commitment: to stand alongside our community through tough times, to make sure practical help is close at hand, and to create opportunities for local people and families to thrive and live well. From food and crisis support to health, wellbeing, learning, play and community events, the centre remains a welcoming place where people can find connection, encouragement and practical help.

Over the year, our community support has been wide reaching – we have served over 4,500 tasty meals, distributed foodbank and supermarket vouchers, Winter Warmer and Hygiene Packs, school uniform items, Christmas gifts for children, Christmas Dinner in a bag and much more.

We were especially proud to launch the new Sharing Shed project, a brilliant initiative that enables people to bring and share food at any time of day or night. It is a practical response to real need, but it is also much more than that: it reflects the kindness, dignity and mutual support that make this community so special.

Our wider work has continued to strengthen pride and belonging across the neighbourhood. Local litter picks have helped improve the area and encouraged everyone to take pride in the estate. Youth and play activities remain as important and popular as ever, with play schemes offering a wide range of free activities and opportunities for young people. As a learning hub, we continue to provide training, volunteering opportunities, qualifications and student placements, helping people build confidence, develop skills and take steps towards employment.

Health and wellbeing remain central to our work. Cake and Conversation sessions and social afternoons, music sessions and the Men's Club help reduce loneliness and bring people together, while our free and accessible yoga class continues to go from strength to strength.

We are also delighted to now offer outdoor Tai Chi, giving residents another positive way to support their physical and mental wellbeing. We know that everyday essentials can make a huge difference. The washing machine has been very well used and warmly welcomed by local residents, and we are looking forward to the installation of the community shower in the coming year. These services show how small, thoughtful responses can have a big impact on dignity, confidence and quality of life.

Events like the Santa Dash, the community Christmas dinner and our much loved seasonal fairs have once again brought people together and created fun for all ages. As Chair of the Board, I've enjoyed taking part in many of these events.

I want to give heartfelt thanks to our volunteers. They bring energy, experience, compassion and commitment to the centre every day, and quite simply, we could not do what we do without them.

Our brilliant staff have also given their all again this year – thank you for your commitment, hard work and dedication to BMCA.

Thanks also to our partners, funders and supporters for helping us to deliver this incredible impact. Finally, thank you to every person who has come through the doors of the centre, taken part, asked for support and helped us create such a special place.

Together, we will continue to listen, adapt and grow, ensuring that Barlow Moor Community Association remains a place of welcome, support and opportunity for everyone in our community

Joanna Midgley

Merseybank Estate in Chorlton Park is a community disproportionately affected by the ongoing cost-of-living crisis, with increasing levels of food and fuel poverty, holiday hunger, and financial hardship, all of which continue to negatively impact both mental and physical health and overall wellbeing. This context has been further intensified by rising homelessness presentations, rent arrears, and housing instability, our work aims to ensure we intervene early to prevent escalation into crisis.

BMCA continues to deliver a holistic programme of early intervention services, including benefit support, financial guidance, digital inclusion, employment support, wellbeing activities, and targeted homelessness prevention work. This has enabled individuals not only to meet immediate needs, but also to build longer-term resilience, improve stability, and move towards safer, more secure housing, improved wellbeing, and greater independence. By addressing these multiple deprivation factors simultaneously through this person-centred model, BMCA ensures continuity of services and prevents crisis escalation linked to poverty, housing insecurity, unemployment, poor health, and digital exclusion.

Over a six-month period we delivered.....

522.75 hours





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1:1 Appointments

Our comprehensive programme has enabled BMCA to meet increasing demand and deliver a holistic, person-centred model of early intervention. This vital funding ensures continuity of services, helping individuals not only meet immediate needs and prevent crisis escalation, but also build the long-term financial and emotional resilience needed to move towards greater independence.



BMCA's Cost-of-Living (COL) Partnership has continued to provide vital support to local individuals and families, responding directly to the ongoing impacts of poverty, housing insecurity, and the cost-of-living crisis. Our anti-poverty work is rooted in both practical, frontline action and strategic systems influence, ensuring that lived experience directly shapes how services are designed and delivered across Manchester.

Alongside delivering core early help and support services, BMCA has significantly expanded its role as a city-wide convenor and strategic partner. We are now the commissioned lead organisation for early and extra help and support across South Manchester, and have also recently become the commissioned facilitating organisation of Manchester City Council's Anti-Poverty Insight Group, a direct progression following our partnership delivery in 2024-2025. While neighbourhood delivery remains at the heart of our core work, we are now driving a wider ripple effect across the city, where our voice is trusted to help shape systems, policy, and strategy.

REDUCING THE IMPACT OF POVERTY

At the core of BMCA's work is a commitment to meeting people where they are.

Our comprehensive programme has enabled BMCA to meet increasing demand and deliver a holistic, person-centred model of early intervention. This approach ensures continuity of services, helping individuals not only meet immediate needs and prevent crisis escalation, but also build the long-term financial and emotional resilience needed to move towards greater independence. We have also delivered a wide range of poverty reduction activities, including food and fuel support, emergency provision, supermarket voucher scheme and community-based support mechanisms that reduce immediate hardship and promote dignity.



4511 meals served



876 Supermarket Vouchers worth £2,430



312 support packs distributed

Our early intervention approach reduces the impact of poverty and prevents residents from reaching crisis point by providing timely, personalised support before problems escalate resulting in reduced financial pressure, improved household income and increased financial stability through welfare advice, income maximisation, budgeting support and financial guidance. Many people report greater confidence in managing their finances independently and a better understanding of the welfare system.

Housing advice and homelessness prevention support helped stabilise vulnerable households. Several individuals and families were prevented from rough sleeping or losing their accommodation through rapid intervention, coordinated multi-agency working and housing advocacy.

"THE CENTRE HAS BEEN A LIFELINE FOR ME AND MY CHILDREN. WE'VE HAD FOOD, ADVICE, AND A PLACE TO FEEL SAFE."

REDUCING THE IMPACT OF POVERTY

RESPONDING FLEXIBLY TO CHANGING NEEDS

Our overall Winter support enables individuals and families to be able to worry less about their daily challenges and stresses even if it's for a short period of time whilst they enjoy family time over the festive period. BMCA offer the tailored packages of support to help families and meet their needs.



50 Winter Warmer packs



24 people joined us on Christmas Day



40 attended our Community Christmas Dinner



We have continued to deliver our school uniform support, assisting 41 families to access essential school uniform and footwear.



178 Children received Christmas gifts



59 Christmas Dinner in a Bag



Through our partnership with Fareshare, we successfully utilised 2,858.53kg of surplus food, helping to ensure that no one accessing our services went hungry. The food supported a wide range of activities, including breakfasts, lunches, snacks, emergency food parcels and community cooking sessions. As well as increasing access to nutritious food, this provision helped reduce loneliness and isolation by creating opportunities for people to come together, build connections and access wider support. The regular contact also enabled staff to have meaningful conversations with local residents, identifying additional needs and providing early help where required.

Our Sharing Shed is a secure, weatherproof outdoor unit located outside the centre, enabling people to discreetly collect what they need outside of normal opening hours, including evenings, weekends, and any closure periods. This is particularly vital during times when BMCA and other local providers are closed, such as over Christmas, ensuring that no one is left without access to food or basic supplies at the most difficult times of the year.



SOCIAL ACTION

INTEGRATING ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS, WASTE REDUCTION, AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Following last years launch our Bike Library is already making a significant impact, enabling local families to enjoy cycling together, promoting sustainable travel, and improving physical and mental wellbeing. By removing financial barriers to bike ownership, we are supporting people who may not otherwise have had the opportunity to cycle.

To further enhance this initiative, BMCA has invested in new cycling infrastructure, installing bike racks and secure storage lockers to make bike use more convenient. Additionally, we provide essential accessories, including helmets, locks, and lights, ensuring that all users can cycle safely.

A key feature of our new facilities is the bike maintenance station, equipped with a bike pump and essential tools for minor repairs. This is freely available to local people, allowing them to keep their bikes in good condition and continue riding with confidence.





Our fully volunteer-run charity shop continues to be an important community asset, providing affordable, high-quality second-hand clothing, household items, toys and books for local residents. Led entirely by dedicated volunteers, the shop not only offers opportunities for people to give back to their community but also creates a welcoming space where local people can connect and access affordable essentials. By extending the lifespan of donated items, the shop helps reduce waste, promote re-use and support more sustainable lifestyles, keeping valuable resources in circulation and out of landfill while contributing to a stronger, more resilient community.

In partnership with Manchester City Council, Groundwork and Southway Housing, we are delivering vital energy-saving and climate awareness projects, helping local people reduce energy costs, improve home efficiency, and access reconditioned digital devices.

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GROUNDWORK

Southway Housing Trust

By empowering individuals with knowledge, skills, and access to sustainable resources, we are working towards a greener, more connected, and more environmentally responsible future for our community.

UNIVERSAL SERVICES

HOLISTIC MODELS OF SUPPORT THAT ARE INTEGRATED RATHER THAN DELIVERED SEPARATELY

Each year, we support approximately 1,200 residents through a combination of one-to-one advice, group sessions, and outreach. Our Information, Advice and Guidance (IAG)/Support services include:



Housing support: We assist with housing applications, eviction prevention, disrepair issues, rent arrears, and liaison with landlords or housing associations. In 2025/26, we supported 47 individuals with housing-related needs.



Benefits: We provide hands-on support with Universal Credit, PIP, legacy benefit migration, sanctions, and appeals especially for those facing digital exclusion or language barriers. In the last year, we supported 171 individuals with tailored face-to-face benefits support captured.



Money management: We offer budgeting guidance, debt management support, and referrals to specialist agencies. Our goal is to help people regain financial control and build long-term stability. Last year we provided enhanced support for 39 individuals.

"WE SAW THE HUGE IMPORTANCE AND IMPACT THE CENTRE AND STAFF HAVE ON THE WELLBEING OF INDIVIDUALS... IT IS A LIFELINE TO THOSE IN NEED AND A CREDIT TO THE CARING NATURE OF THE STAFF. WE ENCOUNTERED ISSUES WITH NUMEROUS AGENCIES WHEN TRYING TO ARRANGE ACCOMMODATION FOR ONE OF THE VULNERABLE MALES BUT BMCA WERE VERY HELPFUL IN WORKING WITH US TO ASSIST."

GREATER MANCHESTER POLICE

UNIVERSAL SERVICES

CREATING SPACES WHERE EVERYONE FEELS SEEN, VALUED, AND SUPPORTED.

29 Attendees



Cake and Conversation



Social Afternoons

42 Individuals

111 People Staying Connected





26 SIM cards



42 Keeping Fit

18 Budding Chefs



Let's Cook

40 Getting Crafty



"I'VE LEARNED TO COOK HEALTHY MEALS ON A BUDGET AND NOW HELP OTHERS DO THE SAME."

UNIVERSAL SERVICES

SPACE TO EXPLORE IDENTITY, BUILD CONFIDENCE, AND CONNECT WITH OTHERS

Our youth and play provision has continued to grow creatively and meaningfully. This year, we introduced a new project focused on T-shirt making and vinyl printing. Thanks to additional funding, we were able to purchase the necessary equipment, including a Cricut Maker, which allowed young people to design and produce their own clothing.

The sessions are lively and engaging, with young people creating freestyle designs that reflected their personalities and interests. Some have even made T-shirts for their parents and siblings! Alongside this, we delivered trinket box-making sessions using paint, acrylic pens, and vinyl prints, activities that encouraged creativity, self-expression, and pride in their work.

Young people from our centre also had the opportunity to help spearhead the inaugural focus group consultation to discuss new initiatives around designing ideal Youth spaces



Media room upgrades mean we now have two professional grade PC set ups with industry leading video editing and music creation software. This has led to a marked uptake in use of the facilities by young people accessing the sessions.



Photography projects looked at pride in our area and self-identity. Sessions included learning how to use the new equipment and culminated in a short film about resilience and bullying.



This year we were joined by Duke of Edinburgh volunteers who supported our play sessions receiving help, support and advice from our staff team.

461 HOURS YOUTH & PLAY

1,952 ATTENDANCES

VIBRANT COMMUNITIES

BMCA'S WORK IS NOT JUST ABOUT SERVICE DELIVERY; IT'S ABOUT BUILDING A KINDER, MORE INCLUSIVE CITY.







36 Families celebrating National Play Day

32 Young People attended trips



87 Families at Santa Dash

76 Children attending Playscheme



65 Families at Spookyfest

87 Volunteers



2859 Volunteer Hours

ff £38,454 in Social Value





"VOLUNTEERING AT BMCA HAS GIVEN ME CONFIDENCE AND HELPED ME GET BACK INTO WORK."

POSITIVE CHANGE

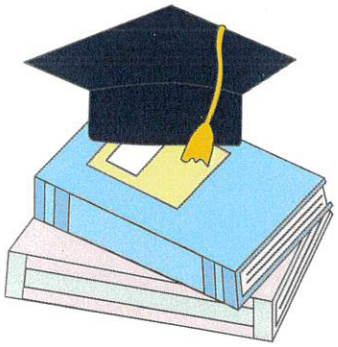
FROM CONFIDENCE BUILDING THROUGH TO EMPLOYMENT PROGRESSION



154 Accessing Information, Advice & Guidance



186 Receiving Health & Wellbeing Support



126 Gaining Training & Qualifications

"BMCA EXEMPLIFIES WHAT MEANINGFUL PARTNERSHIP WORKING SHOULD LOOK LIKE... THEIR ADVOCACY WORK IS ROOTED IN DEEP RESPECT FOR COMMUNITY VOICES AND CONSISTENTLY CHAMPIONS CO-PRODUCTION AND EQUITY."



196 Receiving Enhanced 1:1 Support

17 Job Outcomes



"YOUR BEST PRACTICES AND INSIGHTS HAVE DIRECTLY IMPACTED THE CREATION OF THE EARLY SUPPORT AND PREVENTION FRAMEWORK... YOUR EXPERTISE HAS ENSURED IT IS ALIGNED WITH THE REAL-WORLD NEEDS OF THOSE IT SEEKS TO SUPPORT."

REFORM AND INNOVATION OFFICER, MCC

Case Study: From Seeking Support to Supporting Others

Finding Purpose Through Community

When Service User A first engaged with BMCA, they were experiencing significant challenges relating to addiction. At the time, they needed urgent support and were accessing specialist services to begin their recovery journey. Alongside this, they were looking for somewhere they could feel connected, accepted and less isolated.

Over the last 12 months, BMCA has provided a welcoming space where they have been able to build positive relationships, develop confidence and establish a sense of routine. Initially, they would visit the centre for company and conversation, benefiting from the informal support offered by staff, volunteers and other community members.

As their confidence grew, they began exploring opportunities to get more involved. With encouragement from the team, they completed a Food Hygiene qualification and Allergy Awareness course, enabling them to volunteer safely within our community kitchen. Since then, they have become a regular volunteer, supporting food preparation, helping at community meals and offering a friendly face to those accessing services.

Volunteering has given them a renewed sense of purpose and belonging. Their journey from seeking support to supporting others demonstrates the power of community-based interventions in helping people rebuild their lives. Today, they play an important role within BMCA, using their own experiences to encourage and inspire others who may be facing challenges of their own.

Impact

- Increased confidence and self-esteem
- Reduced social isolation
- Gained an accredited Food Hygiene qualification
- Developed new skills and experience
- Progressed from service user to regular volunteer
- Contributed positively to the wellbeing of others in the community



A YEAR IN PHOTOS





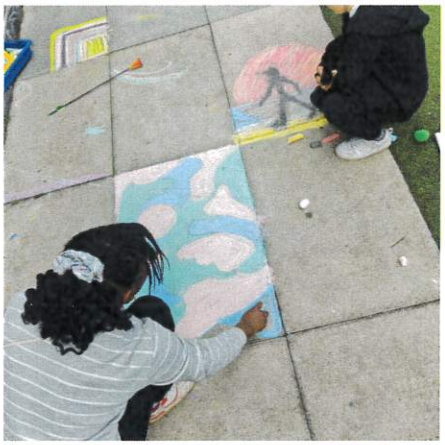


















CEO STATEMENT

Every year, our Impact Report gives us the opportunity to pause, reflect and celebrate what has been achieved together. It is a chance to look beyond the numbers and remember that every statistic represents a person, a family, a friendship, a new opportunity, or a moment when someone felt supported when they needed it most.

This year has been one of the most challenging and transformative in BMCA's recent history. For many years, our nursery was a cherished part of the BMCA family. It provided a safe, nurturing environment where children could learn, grow and thrive, whilst supporting parents and carers to access work, training and opportunities. Making the difficult decision to close the nursery was not something we ever wanted to do, and we know how much it meant to the families, children, staff and wider community who were part of its story. We are incredibly proud of everything the nursery achieved over the years and grateful to the dedicated staff who helped shape so many young lives. While that chapter has closed, its legacy remains an important part of who we are.

Whilst saying goodbye to one service was difficult, this year has also shown the incredible resilience, determination and strength of BMCA. If there was one word to describe this year, it would be adaptation.

As communities continue to face rising costs, increasing inequality and growing pressures on health and wellbeing, BMCA has adapted to meet changing needs. We have continued to support people through our cost-of-living work, providing food support, supermarket vouchers, school uniforms, winter warmer packs and Christmas assistance to hundreds of local residents. We have expanded our hot food provision and made full use of our fantastic commercial kitchen, which has become a real hub for bringing people together.

Our children and young people's services have continued to flourish, creating opportunities for young people to learn new skills, build confidence, volunteer and enjoy experiences they may not otherwise have access to. From trips and events to youth-led projects and community celebrations, we have continued to see young people grow into confident and active members of their community.

We have also seen remarkable achievements through our Learning Hub, helping people gain qualifications, move closer to employment, secure jobs and build brighter futures. Time and again we see people walk through our doors looking for support and leave with new confidence, new skills and new opportunities. Some even become volunteers and staff members themselves, which is perhaps the greatest measure of our impact.

The generosity of our volunteers continues to amaze us. Whether supporting events, supporting our chef, helping in the library, leading activities or simply offering a friendly smile and listening ear, they are at the heart of everything we do. BMCA simply would not be BMCA without them.

We have continued to strengthen our partnerships across Manchester, ensuring that local voices are heard and that communities like Merseybank are represented in conversations about poverty, wellbeing and opportunity. By working alongside residents, community organisations, funders, businesses and academic partners, we have strengthened our ability to drive meaningful change beyond our own walls. Perhaps most importantly, throughout a year of change, BMCA has remained what it has always been: a welcoming place where people feel they belong.

The familiar smell of food cooking in the kitchen, conversations over a brew, laughter at community events, children playing, volunteers giving their time, people supporting one another through difficult moments. These are the things that truly define BMCA.

As we look ahead, we do so with optimism. The closure of our nursery marks the end of an important chapter, but it also gives us the opportunity to focus our resources, strengthen existing services and explore new ways of meeting the needs of our community. We remain committed to tackling poverty, reducing isolation, supporting health and wellbeing, creating opportunities and ensuring that local people continue to shape everything we do.

To our staff, volunteers, trustees, partners, funders and service users, THANK YOU. Your commitment, kindness and belief in our mission make everything in this report possible. The challenges may change, but our purpose remains the same: to build a stronger, more connected community where everyone has the opportunity to thrive.

Here's to the next chapter.

Toni & Becky

THANK YOU TO ALL OUR FUNDERS

Re:vision

Trusthouse Charitable Foundation

Southway Housing Trust

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The Shears Foundation

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EDWARD HOLT TRUST

MCR active

YOUTH INVESTMENT FUND



Manchester Library of Things (MCR LOT) is a community-led lending library that enables people to borrow useful household, DIY, gardening, cleaning and leisure equipment rather than purchasing items they may only use occasionally. The project helps residents save money, reduce waste, build community connections and access equipment that may otherwise be unaffordable.

MCR LOT will be joining the BMCA family in late 2026!







English Conversation Cafe has been at the core of our ESOL delivery for over 7 years welcoming service users from across the city to come together and share their culture and heritage whilst learning about Manchester and their local communities; providing a relaxed and welcoming introduction to further ESOL courses.

Look out for new classes in 2026/27



JOIN US IN MAKING A DIFFERENCE

THE FUTURE STARTS WITH YOU

SCAN ME

BMCA Community Consultation:
Helping Shape Future Support

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YOUR VOICE MATTERS

No crystal ball? No problem! We're looking to the future and want local people to help shape it. Whether you've got a brilliant idea, a burning question or simply an opinion on what would make our community even better, we'd love to hear from you. You don't need any special qualifications or expert knowledge, just your experiences, thoughts and ideas. Whether you've been involved with BMCA for years or are completely new to the centre, your voice matters. So grab a brew, take a few minutes to share your views and help us build the next chapter of our community together.

DONATE

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BECOME A BMCA TRUSTEE

No superhero cape? No problem! If you care about your community, enjoy working with others and want to make a real difference, you could be the perfect BMCA Trustee. Help shape the future of your local community centre, support the amazing work happening across Merseybank and be part of something truly special. Tea, biscuits and a warm welcome guaranteed!

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