KD-UK, Kennedy's Disease UK

TRUSTEES' REPORT
AND
UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

for the year ended 28 February 2026

Company registration number: CE003657

Charity number: 1160793

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Unaudited Financial Statements

Year ended 28 February 2026

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Trustees and Professional Advisers

Year ended 28 February 2026

Trustees	Mr Darren J. Arthur Mr Anthony H. Beazer Mrs Helena M. Conibear Dr Helen E. Devine Mr Kim D.J. Slowe (Chair) Mr Luke C. Tillotson Dr Laurence E. Lee Mr Ian Scarrott
Registered office	Suite RA01 195-197 Wood Street London E17 3NU
Independent Examiner	Mr Tim Pattinson Bakehouse Cottage Church St Micheldever Hants SO21 3DB
Bank	CAF Bank Ltd 25 Kings Hill Avenue Kings Hill West Malling

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Trustees' Report

Year ended 28 February 2026

The trustees present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the company for the year ended 28 February 2026.

The accounts have been prepared on a receipts and payments basis and comply with the Charity's governing document and applicable law.

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Objectives

The objectives of the Charity are to raise awareness of Kennedy's disease in the general population of the UK, to raise funds for research into understanding the mechanisms of the disease with a view to finding suitable treatments and to provide support for Kennedy's disease patients, carers and carriers.

Aims, Strategies and Activities for the year

The Charity has continued to raise funds through sponsorship events, and donations, to be channelled into research to advance the understanding of the mechanisms of the disease with a view to finding suitable treatments. In addition, the Charity has provided funding for clinical support of Kennedy's Disease patients and carriers. In planning activities for the year, the Trustees kept in mind the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit.

ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE

Charitable Activities

KD-UK has continued to support the salary of the specialist Kennedy’s Disease nurse at UCLH in London and has fully funded a clinical research physio. These commitments will continue into the next financial year.

Other key activity included assisting the development of a regional network to manage the care of Kennedy’s Disease patients. To help underpin the strong international cooperation into managing and defeating the disease, the charity has produced an international Kennedy’s Disease newsletter in 5 languages. The charity has directly provided funding for Kennedy’s Disease specific drug repurposing research at Newcastle University.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Total receipts for the year amounted to £39,799 (2025 - £20,056) and expenses were £19,237 (2025 - £108,666). Unrestricted reserves at 28 February 2026 amount to £156,771 (2025 - £136,209).

Reserves Policy

The Trustees have reviewed their policy, considering recommendations by the Charity Commission with regards to maintaining an acceptable level of reserves. The charity has set a reserve of £20,000. This is sufficient to cover KD-UK's very low overheads during a lean fundraising year.

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing Document

The Charity was registered as a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) on 9th March 2015 and commenced operations immediately.

Organisational Structure

The Charity is managed and operated by the Board of Trustees who meet at least twice a year.

Trustees

Trustees are elected and removed by the Board of Trustees. The maximum number of Trustees shall be 8 and the minimum shall be 4.

Trustees (continued)

The power to appoint new trustees is vested in the existing trustees. Future trustees will be selected to ensure the board maintains a suitable mix of skills and experience to continue its work and will be given an appropriate induction into the Charity. Trustees attend training courses where it is considered necessary.

The trustees who served the company during the year were as follows:

Mr Darren J. Arthur
Mr Anthony H. Beazer
Mrs Helena M. Conibear
Dr Helen E. Devine
Dr Michael I. Hope (retired 1 July 2025)
Mr Kim D.J. Slowe (Chair)
Mr Luke C. Tillotson
Dr Laurence E. Lee (appointed 1 December 2025)
Mr Ian Scarrott (appointed 1 December 2025)

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Major Risks

The Trustees have carried out an assessment of the major risks to which the Charity is exposed. Procedures and systems are in place to mitigate these risks.

STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES

The Trustees are required under Charity law to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of the affairs of the Charity and of the financial activities of the Charity for that year.

In preparing those financial statements, the Trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departure disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which 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 applicable laws and regulations. They are also responsible for ensuring that the Charity maintains an adequate system of internal control designed to provide reasonable assurance that assets are safeguarded against loss or unauthorised use and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

SMALL COMPANY PROVISIONS

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies entitled to the small companies exemption.

This report was approved by the board of trustees on 9 June 2026 and signed on behalf of the board by:

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Mr Kim D.J. Slowe	Mr Anthony H. Beazer
Trustee (Chair)	Trustee

Independent Examiner's Report

Year ended 28 February 2026

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES ON THE PREPARATION OF THE UNAUDITED STATUTORY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF KD-UK, KENNEDY'S DISEASE UK FOR THE YEAR ENDED 28 FEBRUARY 2026

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of KD-UK, Kennedy's Disease UK for the year ended 28 February 2026.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity's trustees, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Charity's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.



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Mr Tim Pattinson
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Income Statement

Year ended 28 February 2026

	Year ended 28 February 2026	Year ended 28 February 2025
Income	**£39,799**	£20,056
Expenses		
Costs of raising funds	**£9,906**	£5,430
Costs of charitable activities	**£9,331**	£108,666
	£19,237	£114,096
Surplus / (deficit) in the year	**£20,562**	(£94,040)
Reserves brought forward	**£136,209**	£230,249
Reserves carried forward	**£156,771**	£136,209

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Statement of Financial Position

As at 28 February 2026

	28-Feb-26	28-Feb-25
Current assets		
Bank account	**£156,771**	£136,209
Reserves		
Reserves - carried forward	**£156,771**	£136,209

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1 General information

The company is a private company limited by shares and is registered in England and Wales. The address of the registered office is Suite RA01, 195-197 Wood Street, London, E17 3NU.

For the year ending 28 February 2026, the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Trustees responsibilities:

- The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476;
- The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the micro-entity provisions.

These financial statements were approved by the board of trustees and authorised for issue on 9 June 2026, and are signed on behalf of the board by:



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Mr Kim D.J. Slowe
Trustee (Chair)



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Mr Anthony Hadyn Beazer (FCA)
Trustee

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Detailed Income Statement

Year ended 28 February 2026

	2026	2025
INCOME	**£**	£
Donations from individuals	£15,483	£12,026
Donations - Just Giving	£14,655	£4,390
Donations - Enthuse	£5,254	£2,847
Donations - Other	£2,500	-
Grants from trusts and other organisations	-	-
Gift aid receipts	-	-
Event receipts	-	-
Sale of goods	-	£377
Interest received	£1,907	£416
TOTAL INCOME	**£39,799**	£20,056
EXPENSES		
Costs of raising funds		
Events and promotional costs	£8,858	£2,250
Website costs	£393	£2,380
Online giving site fees	£655	£800
	£9,906	£5,430
Costs of charitable activities		
Grant paid to University College London	-	£100,000
Administration support	£8,160	£8,004
Administration costs	£1,071	£466
Storage costs	-	-
Insurance costs	-	£96
Independent examination fees	£100	£100
	£9,331	£108,666
TOTAL EXPENSES	**£19,237**	£114,096
SURPLUS / (DEFICIT) IN THE YEAR	**£20,562**	(£94,040)
FUNDS AVAILABLE AT 1 MARCH 2025	**£136,209**	£230,249
FUNDS AVAILABLE AT 28 FEBRUARY 2026	**£156,771**	**£136,209**