CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 1 January 2025 Period start date
To 31 December 2025 Period end date

Charity name: Kent Challenger Games

Charity registration number: 1171325

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	To enhance in life and relieve the needs of young people in Kent, in particular those which are vulnerable and disengaged from society due to physical disability, a medical condition, intellectual difficulties, emotional or behavioural problems, or learning difficulties through: (a) The provision of recreational and leisure activities provided in the interest of social welfare, designed to improve their conditions of life; (b) Providing support and activities which develop their skills, capacities and capabilities to enable them to participate in society as mature and responsible individuals.
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	Plan and execute the Kent Challenger Games every two years. Raise funds to cover the cost of each Games. Formulate and execute policies relevant to Games activity, such as child protection and safeguarding. Ensure the activities of the Trust and Trustees observe the Constitution. Ensure the Trust and Trustees adopt and follow guidelines issued from time to time by the Charity Commission, that are relevant to the Games. Oversee and approve the Games budget. Maintain a proper set of accounts for each Games.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	In setting out objectives and planning activities, Trustees consider the Charity Commission's public benefit guidance

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	The Trust does not give grants.
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	The Trust responds to the needs of schools and their pupils.
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	To deliver the Games in 2025 to some 600 children, 60 volunteers gave of their time over the 1 day. Volunteers acted magnificently to ensure every possible action kept each school's children safe and that the day was huge fun for all those that took part, including for themselves.
Other		The Trust went to considerable lengths and expense to ensure the Games were as safe as possible by taking innovative steps with planning and facility provision in order to mitigate as much as possible risk of injury and accommodate personal health issues. The risk assessment was approved by KCC, and the procedures introduced were effective since no school reported any incidents and they were full of praise for the organisation and deployment of activities.

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	This was the 5th Games. The precautions taken by the Trust to field the Games meant 56 schools were not only confident but enthusiastic to participate. The Games showcased how incredible and resilient the young people of Ashford and the wider Kent area can be. It made young people focus on the assets they do have and not those they don't, revealing to them their true inner strengths, giving them a sense of accomplishment, pride for both themselves and others, discipline and respectfulness. Teamwork and leadership is another important aspect the Games drew out of all those that took part. Feedback confirmed the Games to be a success with achieving its objectives and those young people that attended said how much they enjoyed the challenges presented to them by the Games. Some reports state those attending display a more can do attitude than before.

		Representing their school was something those that attended never dreamed of ever coming their way, but here they were doing just that, and again it gave them immense pride to have the once in a lifetime opportunity to represent their school. The Games were attended by representatives of the Lord Lieutenant of Kent, the CEO of Ashford Borough Council and organisations that gave generous grants and donations towards the cost of fielding the Games. All commented on the value of the Games, saying they could clearly see this in the children's faces and by their enthusiasm. The Games has a close association with the military, and the Princess of Wales's Regiment (The Tigers), and together with Challenger Troop CIC, they helped to plan and execute the activities.

Additional information (optional)
You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	**Feedback from schools stated they saw a marked positive difference in the young people that took part. Improved engagement with school work and more can-do attitude.**
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	
Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	The Trustees confirm, in accordance with the Charitable Incorporated Organisation (General) Regulations 2012, that at the year end the CIO did not have any outstanding guarantees to third parties nor any debts secured on the assets of the CIO
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Surplus funds raised from donations and grants is carried forward to the 2027 Games on the 17th June 2027
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£12,430
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	

Additional information (optional)
You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	Grants and donations from Organisations and Individuals
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	
Other		

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	CIO Foundation Constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	CIO
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Nominated by existing trustees and selected through unanimous vote

Additional information (optional)
You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Kent Challenger Games
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1171325
Charity's principal address	12 Dexter Close, Kennington, Ashford, Kent TN25 4QG

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Winston Michael	Chairman		
2	Teresa Adams			
3	Simon Dean			
4	Gary Sage			
5	Deborah Malthouse			
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

Exemptions from disclosure

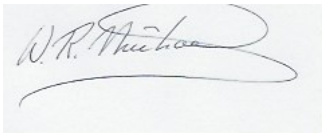
Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

Other optional information

Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Winston Russel Michael	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair	
Date	19 August 2026	

CHARITY COMMISSION FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Charity Name	No (if any)
KENT CHALLENGER GAMES	1171325

Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period from	Period start date	To	Period end date
	01/01/2025		31/12/2025

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Grants and Donations	20 500	-	-	20 500	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
***Sub total** (Gross income for AR)*	20 500	-	-	20 500	-
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	20 500	-	-	20 500	-
A3 Payments					
Stadium Hire	1 100	-	-	1 100	-
Insurance and St Johns Ambulance	497	-	-	497	-
Volunteer/VIP food and refreshments and travel	210	-	-	210	-
Equipment	2 967	-	-	2 967	-
Trophies Medals and Prizes	3 849	-	-	3 849	-
Event Activity Organisers	4 000	-	-	4 000	-
Photography and promotions	400	-	-	400	-
Tshairs and Wristbands	4 007	-	-	4 007	-
Donations	800	-	-	800	-
Sub total	17 830	-	-	17 830	-
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	
	-	-	-	-	
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	17 830	-	-	17 830	-
Net of receipts/(payments)	2 670	-	-	2 670	-
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	9 760	-	-	9 760	-
Cash funds this year end	12 430	-	-	12 430	-

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds		12 430	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	12 430	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK

	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name	Date of approval