Peasedown
Community Trust

Charity Number: 1185096

Championing civic and community life in Peasedown St John

Annual Financial Statement

1st September 2025 - 31st August 2026

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We believe passionately in making a difference and work with a 'can-do' attitude.

We run several volunteer-led projects in the village:

1. Peasedown Community Library – in partnership with B&NES Council, we run the village's library service. Almost 20 volunteers help manage a wide range of library services.
2. Dementia Friendly Peasedown – dementia affects everyone! Our team of trained Dementia Champions are raising awareness of the condition across the village. We also host the district's only Dementia Awareness Conference.
3. Peasedown Job Fair – Launched in 2026, the Peasedown Job Fair is our newest project where we seek to pair up employers with prospective employees through the organisation of job fairs.
4. Peasedown Community Orchard – in partnership with Curo, we run the village's community orchard. It's a place where villagers can go to relax, unwind, and volunteer in a range of initiatives.

Over the last 12 months we have also taken the lead on other initiatives for the benefit of people living the community. These have included:

- Working with residents to plant trees, bulbs and shrubs around the community
- Providing funding for small, grassroots community projects
- Running the Peasedown St John Community Civic Award

Here is our financial statement for the 12-month period – ending 31st August 2026:

INCOME:

Grants - £3,800
Donations - £2,237.97
Sponsorship - £600

TOTAL = £6,637.97

EXPENDITURE:

Library (Rent, Equipment, Insurance, Sundries, Volunteer Expenses) - £1,985.86
Dementia Friendly Peasedown - £489.23
Peasedown Job Fair – £267.46
Storage Unit – £366.94
Grants/Expenditure/Other/Sundries - £388.39

TOTAL = £3,497.88

RINGFENCED POTS OF MONEY:

The Trustees currently have ringfenced the following amounts of money for these purposes:

Library Rent/Insurance - £5,908
Library Marketing Fund - £1,285
Dementia Friendly Peasedown - £650
Peasedown Job Fair - £127
CDF - £7,000
Storage Unit - £674
Sundries/General spend - £1,116.14
Reserves - £1,780.00

Signed: NHartley

Position: Charity Secretary

Date: 25/10/26

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