REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER: 1186948

Report of the Trustees and

Unaudited Financial Statements

for the Year Ended 12 December 2025

for

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Report of the Trustees
for the Year Ended 12 December 2025

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 12 December 2025. The trustees have adopted the provisions of 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).

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Objectives and aims

Promote the Art of Steel Pan Music. To advance the education of the public in the arts. In particular Steel Pan music through the provision of workshops and public performances.

Significant activities

We have continued our twice weekly rehearsals for Junior and Senior Band. We ran a workshop during the school holidays for young students to learn the art of Steel Pan playing, performance and music.

We are developing positive social connections and relationships for young people and their parents and friends within our community. We are doing this by providing a facility (Steel Band) that students from ethnic minority backgrounds can relate to. An inclusive community group where students and parents can work together to improve the quality of life for everybody.

Our concerts have been successful events reaching a wider audience within the Community, often complimented on both the high quality of the performance and the fun filled atmosphere we have surrounding them. Students who have attended our workshops and Junior Band have also had the valuable experience of performing with the support of our main band for the wider Community.

Concerts performed in the local area include:

Duck Pond Ruislip
West Harrow Park
Harrow Recreation
Weald Rise School
Pinner Park School
Kingsbury High School 100 Years Celebration
The Star Pub, Family Event
Pinner Memorial Park Summer Concerts
Whitmore High School Christmas Lunch Celebration

Public benefit

The Trustees confirm that they have referred to the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit when reviewing the charity's aims, objectives and activities and are satisfied that they fully meet it.

Volunteers

Harrow Steel can rely on volunteer contributions principally from the Band Manager, Parents, Trustees and former students who contribute time and energy in helping stage concerts and assist in the day to day running of the charity. We are incredibly grateful for efforts and contributions of the volunteers.

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ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE
Charitable activities
The local community have enjoyed the interaction and arts activities/concerts, we provide. Our rehearsals and workshops have:

a) Improved mental health and wellbeing whilst giving young people skills they need for employment such as teamwork, leadership skills, ability to interact with students from different ethnic backgrounds.
b) Improved the quality of life by our commitment to perform regularly within the community.
c) Promoted social inclusion for those who have poor educational skills or attainment, disability or who feel excluded due to their ethnic origin or religion.
d) Provided a leisure time activity to improve aspiration and employment opportunities and enable them to participate in society as mature and responsible individuals.

We will continue to encourage, develop and resume positive social connections and relationships for young people within our community. In the coming year we hope to be able to continue our regular rehearsals and to perform regularly in the local area.

We also hope to be able to continue our aim to bring the local community together to improve mental health and wellbeing and expand this to have a wider reach and impact.

Rehearsals and Workshops:
Rehearsals for the Junior Band are weekly during term time and most of our students have now been learning for 3 years and some are progressing towards the Senior Band. The Senior Band rehearses weekly during term time and this year we have been able to recruit a number of new members who have shown a great deal of commitment. We were able to provide a Summer Workshop, in addition providing a boost to their mental health, a supportive social environment and an outlet for their creative endeavours.
Both the musicians and our staff deserve high praise and credit for their resilience and hard work to make these a success during these difficult times.

FINANCIAL REVIEW
Financial position
We received £22,830 and spent £17,943. We had net assets of £23,213.

Principal funding sources
The charity's principal sources of funds are from John Lyon.

Reserves policy
Now that we have received additional funding the charity's policy will be to hold a reserve of £8,208.

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT
Governing and Charity Constitution
Harrow Steel is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation run by the trustees.

Recruitment and appointment of new trustees
We recruit local community personnel who have shown an interest or have participated in the playing of Steel Pans in their youth.

These personnel were elected to their post or volunteered.

In future we will advertise roles for volunteer trustees based on the skills required.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS
Registered Charity number
1186948

Principal address
16 Burwood Avenue
Pinner
HA5 2RZ

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Report of the Trustees
for the Year Ended 12 December 2025

Trustees
L Henry-Wordsworth (Chair)
G Rance (Secretary) (resigned 25.4.25)
A M Hallett (Assistant Treasurer)
T Hallett (Assistant Treasurer)
Z Keighley
H R Rimmer
L Philip (resigned 27.3.25)
M Benson (resigned 27.4.25)
Y N Yee (Treasurer)
M Lad (appointed 8.7.25)
L Ventin (appointed 14.7.25)

Approved by order of the board of trustees on 7/10/2026 and signed on its behalf by:

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L Henry-Wordsworth - Trustee

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Statement of Financial Activities for the Year Ended 12 December 2025

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted funds £	2025 Total funds £	*2024 Total funds £*
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM					
Donations and legacies		3,355	19,000	22,355	*20,360*
Other trading activities	2	475	-	475	*1,600*
Total		3,830	19,000	22,830	*21,960*
EXPENDITURE ON					
Tutor		350	10,905	11,255	*10,715*
Internet costs		-	342	342	*288*
Assistants		-	1,612	1,612	*1,260*
Insurance		-	348	348	*343*
Event travel		184	690	874	*690*
Repairs		192	1,336	1,528	*1,675*
Promotional activities		144	892	1,036	*1,057*
Training and DBS		153	-	153	*151*
Printing and stationery		34	-	34	*161*
Depreciation of equipment		-	761	761	*474*
Total		1,057	16,886	17,943	*16,814*
NET INCOME		2,773	2,114	4,887	*5,146*
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS					
Total funds brought forward		20,405	3,690	24,095	*18,949*
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		23,178	5,804	28,982	*24,095*

The notes form part of these financial statements

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Balance Sheet
12 December 2025

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted funds £	2025 Total funds £	*2024 Total funds £*
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	5	-	5,769	5,769	*3,662*
CURRENT ASSETS					
Cash at bank		23,178	35	23,213	*20,433*
NET CURRENT ASSETS		23,178	35	23,213	*20,433*
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		23,178	5,804	28,982	*24,095*
NET ASSETS		23,178	5,804	28,982	*24,095*
FUNDS	6				
Unrestricted funds				23,178	20,405
Restricted funds				5,804	3,690
TOTAL FUNDS				28,982	24,095

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees and authorised for issue on 7/10/2020 and were signed on its behalf by:

L Henry-Wordsworth - Trustee

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