Ringwood Mens Shed

Charitable Incorporated Organisation # 1191239

Income	
Sales Cash	1182.00
Sales Bank	290.85
Ringwood Carnival donation New Build	1500.00
Colin Andrews donation to Planning costs	480.00
Subscriptions cash	800.00
Subscriptions Bank	515.92
EDF Energy refund	247.01
EDF Energy refund	220.06
Petty cash in cash box	19.35
	5255.19

Exenditures	
EDF Energy	525.23
Goodmans Insurance	555.90
Water to Business	211.16
WIX Website	129.60
Materials by FPO or Credit Card	411.94
Materials Cash (Petty cash)	21.95
Men's Shed Association Subscription	30.00
ABR Ecology report (new shed)	510.00
Planning Portal Debit Card (6016)	673.00
Kitchen Supplies (Petty cash)	33.00
Kitchen Supplies, Stationary etc D/C	94.45
Transferred Ringwood Carnival to project account	1500.00
Transferred Colin Andrews donation to project account	480.00
	5176.23

Balance April 1st 2025	9113.58
Income	5255.19
Expenditure	5176.23
Sub Total	14368.77
Balance March 31st 2026	9192.54

CHARITY COMMISSION

Trustees Annual Report for the period 1st Apr 2025 to 31 Mar 2026

Charity name : Ringwood Men's Shed

Charity registration number : 1191329

Objectives and Activities

To promote social inclusion through the provision of a shared, equipped workshop space and social area for members to make and repair things for themselves and others and socialise and to carry out projects supporting the local community.

Achievements and Performance

The charity has occupied the same premises on a rolling informal lease for the past 5 years but had to vacate the building due to redevelopment. Whilst actively searching for a new location a number of options have been explored including construction of a new building on an available site. Owing to the potential cost the charity has discounted this solution but is now hoping to take over an unoccupied building owned by the town council. Positive discussions have taken place and it would appear that this will be the likely solution. As there was no effective meeting place little activity has taken place apart from a social afternoon each week though successful fund raising has taken place which is made more difficult by the present challenging financial environment.

In spite of this and increased running costs the charity continues to offer services to the wider community in the form of assisting the council with various social activities.

Membership fees were collected from members as normal for the year and the Charity iincurred expenses as normal particularly in respect of energy bills for the premises and hardware for ongoing projects

The association continued to receive financial support from various organisations in the form of cash donations and/ or materials.

Financial Review

The financial position remains strong with a stable membership, wide acceptance from the local community and support from local organisations.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature :

Full name : Gordon Robert Maxwell

Position : Chairman

Date : 31 Mar 2026