Registered Charity Number 1200856

Men in Sheds Brigg

STATEMENTS

For the year ending 1 November 2025

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Trustees' Annual Report

For the year ending 1 November 2025

The Trustees present their report with the financial statements of Men in Sheds Brigg, a registered charity, for the year ending 01 November 2025. This is the third year of financial operation of this Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO).

Reference and Administrative Details of the charity, its trustees and advisers

Name of Charity: Men in Sheds Brigg

Charity Registration Number: 1200856

Charity's Principal Address:

Registered at 10 Mill Lane, Brigg, DN20 8NA

Operating from The EC Surfacing Stadium, Wrawby Road, Brigg, DN20 8DT

Trustees

Name	Position	Date of Service if not for the full year
Deborah Farrow	Chair	
Stewart Green	Secretary	
Sharon Worth	Treasurer	
Moyna Jackson	Trustee	Resigned May 2025

Bankers

NatWest Bank PLC
Online / Brigg Branch / 51-81-34
Leicester Customer Services Centre

Insurers

Wessex Insurance Brokers Ltd
21 High Street, Overton
Hampshire RG25 3HB

Structure, Governance and Management

Governing Document

Men in Sheds Brigg is a registered Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO), governed by its Constitution (Foundation Model). The organisation was registered with the Charity Commission on 31 October 2022.

Operational Information

The Trustees form the executive committee of the charity, elected at the Annual General Meeting by members. All trustees are initially appointed for a two-year period.

The charity operates with a minimum of three trustees. There is currently an upper limit of twelve trustees.

All Trustees are provided with the Charity Commissions "Roles and Responsibilities of Trustees", the Constitution and in future years, the financial statements and Annual Report.

Any training required by the trustees may be requested at any point, where it is considered useful to their role.

The board of trustees manages the charity and considers strategic decisions at its meetings.

Development meetings are held to inform, and receive insight from, members and volunteers as required. These also include potential referrers into the shed.

Any conflicts of interest are declared and recorded.

Day to day running of the charity will be undertaken by trustees, volunteers and members via the development meetings.

Objective

The objective of the Charity remains;

"To promote social inclusion for the public benefit by preventing adults, not exclusively men, in Brigg, from becoming socially excluded, relieving the needs of people who are socially excluded and helping them to integrate into society by providing facilities in which they can meet to undertake creative, physical or recreational activities, learn or pass on skills, knowledge and support each other."

Activities, Performance and Achievements

Physical Location

It has been necessary to move our shed to another part of the Brigg Town Football Club site.

The original shed building was taken down in February 2025 and relocated on unused ground besides the football club car park.

The size of the plot enabled the charity to purchase an add on cabin to replace the football clubs shared storage container which had to be scrapped in the redevelopment.

Operation and Funding

The charity has continued to run 3 sessions per week during rebuilding and renovations. It is anticipated that more sessions will run when additional trustees and volunteers are in place and trained.

The charity still promotes and sells on Brigg local markets and at local events. Proceeds from markets are the sheds highest source of new members and of earnings, followed closely by grant funding.

It is hoped that market success will continue including more shed-made items.

Grants

Our grant from Singleton Birch (2023/2024) has not yet been fully spent as priority has been getting the relocated shed running. The remainder of tools and supplies which is the grant's purpose will be bought during 2025/26.

At the end of December 2024, Humber & Wolds Rural Action received confirmation of 2 years' funding for the shed from the National Lottery sustainability bid.

To date (1 November 2025) the charity has used year 1 funds and part of year 2 funds to cover rent, utilities, groundworks & repairs. This leaves approximately £4,000 for use in the 2025/26 reporting year.

In early 2025 the charity applied for and was granted £865 by Wressle Oil Community Fund to enable works to be carried out whilst rebuilding the original shed.

Membership subscriptions

Membership subscriptions continue to be suspended until ratification at April 2026 AGM where £30 per year or £3 per month will be proposed.

Our Objectives for 2025-2026

1. To continue to raise the profile of the charity focussing on more professionalism in both our operations and external publicity.
2. Continue to increase membership.
3. Appoint more trustees.
4. To continue fundraising at markets, local fayres and car-boot sales.
5. To look to apply for grants from both local and national funds.
6. To ensure that grant funds are used both sustainably and in line with funders' requirements.
7. To continue to build our relationships with HWRA and other local sheds.
8. To use both shed buildings efficiently.
9. To identify and implement additional sessions for members.
10. To continue to maintain a good relationship with BTFC CIC.

Financial Review

The charity has a financial policy in place and, due to the cash-based nature of much of its income, has an applied petty cash policy.

Plans for future years

There is a definite need for more trustees in the long term and we will seek volunteers from shedders and general publicity.

The charity plans to increase membership and fundraising to ensure sustainability after the end of the lottery funding.

Trustee Statement and Declaration

We, the trustees of the charity who are in office at the time of this report and accounts confirm that as far as we are aware that;

there is no omission of relevant information known to the trustees,

We have taken all the steps we ought to have taken as trustees in order to make ourselves aware of any relevant information that should be included in this report.

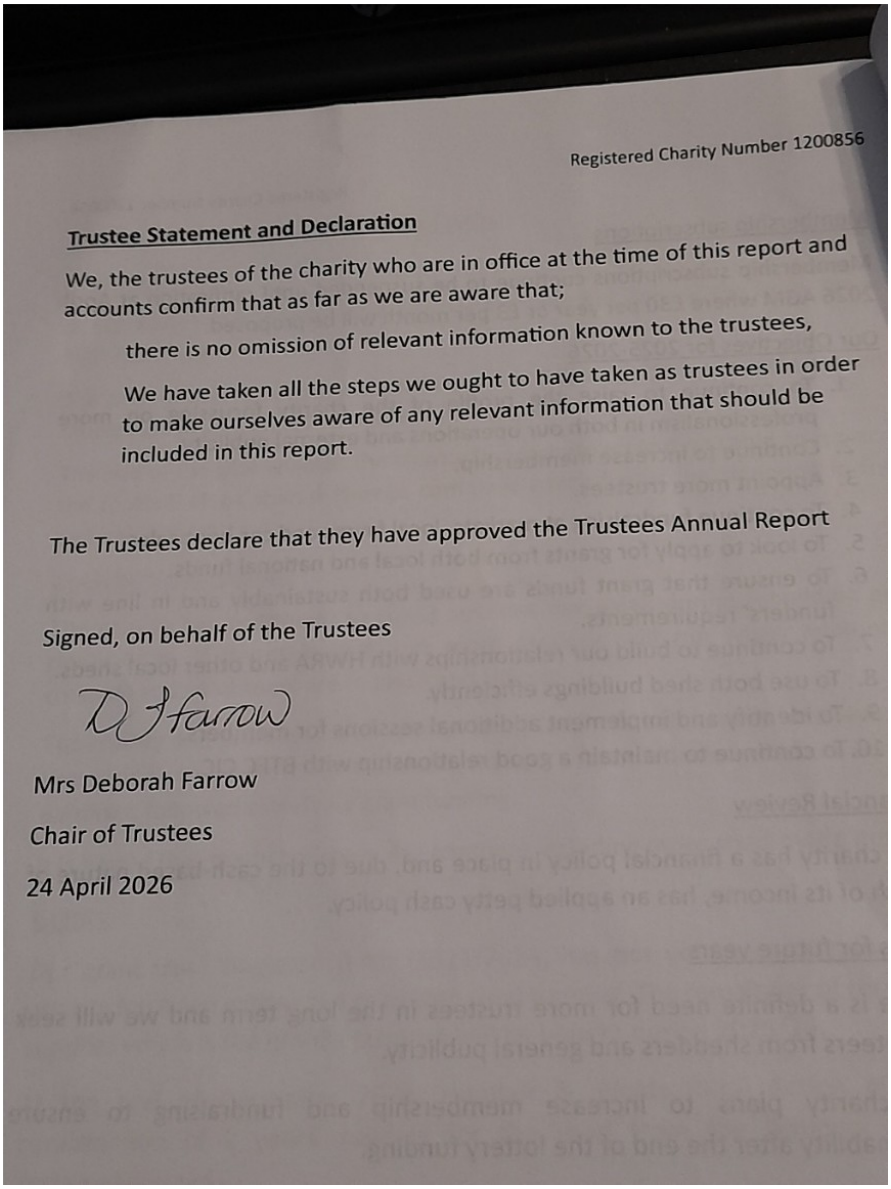
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Receipts and Payments Account

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For the Year ending 1 November 2025							
	Notes	2025 Unrestricted Funds	2025 Restricted Funds	2025 Total Funds	2024 Unrestricted Funds	2024 Restricted Funds	2024 Total Funds
RECEIPTS							
Grants	(1)		3,086	3,086		1,000	1,000
Subscriptions				0	118		118
Donations		101		101	679		679
Sales		1,964		1,964	1,670		1,670
		2,065	3,086	5,150	2,467	1,000	3,467
PAYMENTS							
Rent			400	400			0
Insurance			549	549	449		449
Utilities				0			0
Subscriptions			30	30			
Capital		2,500		2,500			
Works		203	1,320	1,523			
Materials				0	339		339
Sundries		258	567	826	36	257	293
		2,961	2,866	5,828	824	257	1,081
Net Surplus/(Deficit) for the year before transfers		-897	219	-677	1,643	743	2,386
Transfers between funds		0	0	0	0	0	0
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Cash and Bank Balance brought forward		4,422	743	5,165	2,779	0	2,779
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Statement of Assets and Liabilities

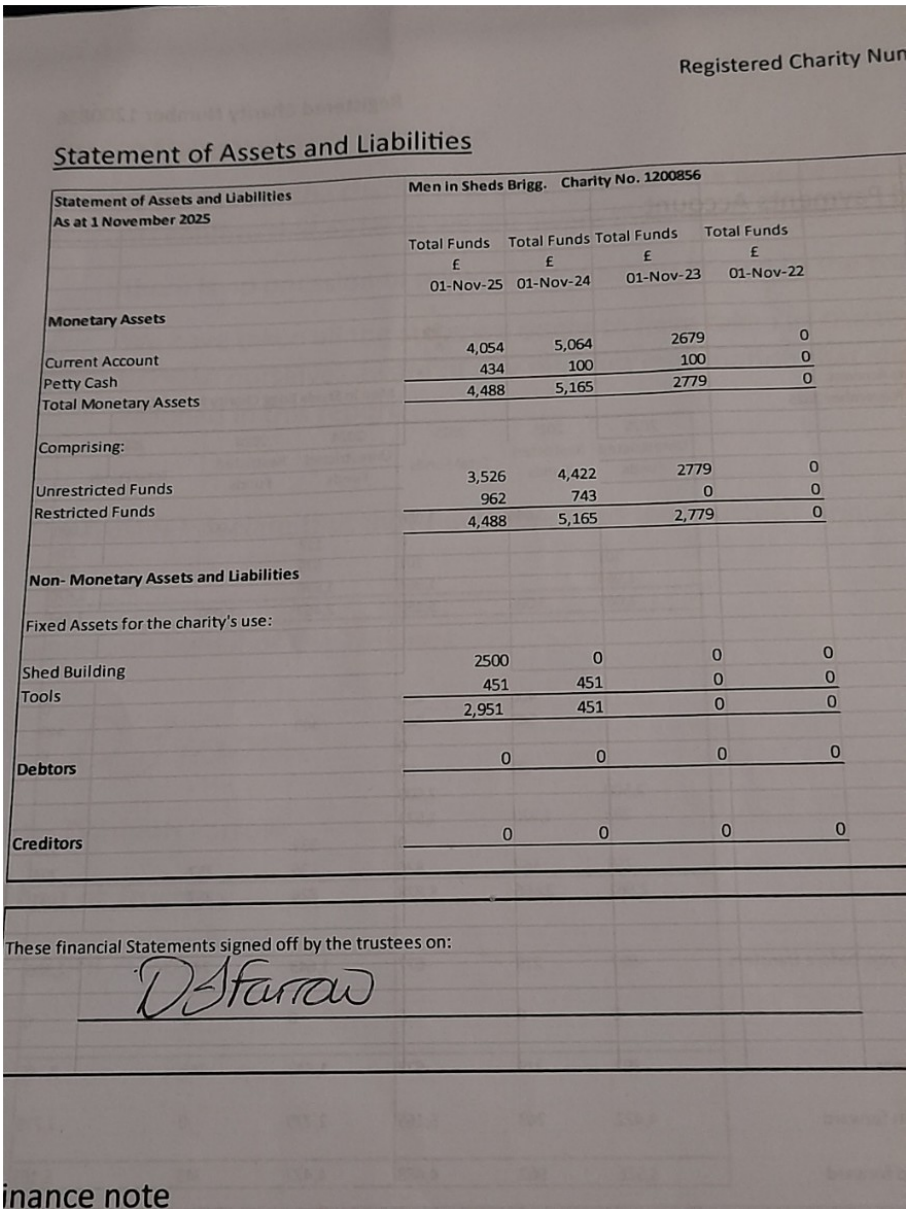
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As at 1 November 2025				
	Total Funds	Total Funds	Total Funds	Total Funds
	£	£	£	£
	01-Nov-25	01-Nov-24	01-Nov-23	01-Nov-22
Monetary Assets				
Current Account	4,054	5,064	2679	0
Petty Cash	434	100	100	0
Total Monetary Assets	4,488	5,165	2779	0
Comprising:				
Unrestricted Funds	3,526	4,422	2779	0
Restricted Funds	962	743	0	0
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Non- Monetary Assets and Liabilities				
Fixed Assets for the charity's use:				
Shed Building	2500	0	0	0
Tools	451	451	0	0
	2,951	451	0	0
Debtors	0	0	0	0
Creditors	0	0	0	0

These financial Statements signed off by the trustees on:	**24 April 2026**
	Mrs D Farrow,
	Chair of Trustees

Finance note

Grants: Grants have been received from the following:

From	Notes	Value
Wressle Oil Community Fund	Restricted funds for the purchase of identified tools and materials	£865
National Lottery Funding via HWRA	Sustainability funding for Rent, Groundworks, Insurance	£2220



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