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Trustees' Annual Report for the year

From: 01-12-2024 To: 30-11-2025

Suggys Champions Foundation

Charity number: 1205883

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Diane Blackshaw	Treasurer
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Lisa Daws	Trustee
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Report of the Trustees

The Trustees present their report and financial statements for the year ending 30th November 2025.

Structure, governance and management

Suggys Champions Foundation was registered as a charity on 24th November 2023. Trustees are appointed by a quorum of the current trustees. Roles are reappointed or re-elected at every AGM by the other trustees.
Trustees meet every 6-8 weeks throughout the year. The day to day operation of the charity is controlled and managed by the trustees.
The Foundation is constituted as a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) using the foundation model. Its governing document is its CIO constitution, registered on 24th November 2023 and amended on 15th May 2025.

Objectives and Activities

The charitable objects of Suggys Champions Foundation, as set out in its governing document, are: "TO ADVANCE IN LIFE AND HELP YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 5-25 THROUGH: A) THE PROVISION OF RECREATIONAL AND LEISURE TIME 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 IN PARTICULAR BY PROVIDING BOXING LESSONS AND TRAINING."

The Foundation delivers these charitable objects through its programmes, including its amateur boxing club. Boxing provides recreational, sporting, mentoring and developmental opportunities through which the Foundation supports young people to develop skills, capacities and capabilities and to participate positively in society. The club provides a safe, inclusive and supportive environment where participants can take part in boxing, develop physical fitness and learn valuable life skills. Through structured coaching, training and competition, the Foundation promotes discipline, respect, confidence, resilience and teamwork.

Public Benefit

The Trustees confirm that they have had regard to the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit when reviewing the Foundation's aims and activities. The Trustees are

satisfied that the activities undertaken during the year were carried out to further the Foundation's charitable objects and provide public benefit.

Achievements and Performance

As in the previous year, the Foundation has continued to see significant achievements from our boxers, and we are extremely proud of the commitment, hard work and dedication demonstrated by both our boxers and coaching team.

This year, our boxers took part in a total of 98 bouts across the season, reflecting a significant year for Suggys Champions Foundation and Newark Amateur Boxing Club.

We are incredibly proud of what our boxers and coaching team achieved, including two National Development finalists, five East Midlands Champions, four boxers selected to represent the East Midlands, two Ed Bilby Box Cup Gold medal winners, and two East Midlands Elite Challenge Belt Champions.

For the second consecutive year, we also celebrated a National Champion who went on to represent England, achieving a Gold Medal at the Three Nations Championships.

These outstanding achievements were complemented by numerous other regional, national and individual successes throughout the year. Each result reflects the commitment, determination and hard work of our boxers, supported by the dedication of our coaches, volunteers and wider Suggys Champions community.

We continued to provide funded boxing and intervention sessions in schools, supporting children and young people through positive engagement, physical activity, mentoring and behaviour-focused interventions until the end of July 2025.

In January, we delivered a highly successful 10-week Alternative Provision programme for Gypsy, Roma and Traveller (GRT) young people aged 10–16. The programme provided participants with structured education, boxing, mentoring and opportunities to develop confidence, discipline and positive relationships. As part of the programme, the young people visited the English Institute of Sport in Sheffield, where the England and Great Britain boxing teams train. This provided an exceptional opportunity for the young people to experience a high-performance sporting environment, meet members of the current Great Britain team and meet former Olympic bronze medallist Richie Woodhall.

Alongside our programme delivery and sporting achievements, we continued to invest in our facilities and equipment to strengthen the services we provide. This included the purchase of a new treadmill, competition gloves, additional gym and strength-and-conditioning equipment, and a new defibrillator. These investments have helped us

maintain a safe, well-equipped environment and continue to provide high-quality opportunities for children and young people within our community.

Funding and Income

During the year, the Foundation received grant funding from a range of organisations, including Nottinghamshire County Council, Newark and Sherwood District Council, Lincoln Co-op, Midcounties Co-operative and Jazz Apples.

We also generated fundraising income through our boxing home shows and sponsorship arrangements supporting our boxers and their participation in competitions and events.

In addition, the Foundation generated income through the delivery of charitable activities, including school-based behaviour intervention programmes and other community-focused initiatives. These activities enabled us to continue supporting children and young people through boxing, education, mentoring and positive intervention.

Cash at bank at 30 November 2025 was £6,462.43.

The year began with cash at bank of £13,062.08. Total receipts for the year were £40,756.94 and total payments were £47,356.59, resulting in a deficit of £6,599.65 and closing cash of £6,462.43. The deficit reflects, in part, expenditure on equipment of £5,497.80 and the ending of school-based intervention work in July 2025. The remaining funds are intended to support continuation of current projects, purchase of further equipment, upkeep and maintenance of the minibus and other unforeseen expenditure. The Charity owns no land or buildings. The Trustees consider that the Foundation has sufficient resources to continue its current activities, subject to the availability of future income and grants.
These funds are for continuation of current projects, purchase of further equipment, upkeep and maintenance of the minibus and any other unforeseen expenditures.
The Charity owns no land or buildings.

Reserves Policy

The Trustees aim to maintain sufficient unrestricted reserves to meet the Foundation's ongoing operating commitments and to provide a reasonable contingency for unexpected costs or fluctuations in income. The level of reserves is reviewed regularly by the Trustees in light of planned activities, known commitments and expected income. Restricted funds, where applicable, are held and used only for the purposes for which they were provided.

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Trustee Payments and Conflicts of Interest

During the year, £1,192.50 shown in the accounts under Volunteer Mileage was paid to Dean Sugden, who is a trustee and Head Coach, as reimbursement of mileage incurred in connection with Foundation activities. This payment is disclosed separately because Dean Sugden is a trustee. The Trustees managed the associated conflict of interest in accordance with the Foundation's conflict of interest procedures and the Foundation's governing requirements. No remuneration is being reported as part of this mileage reimbursement.

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Receipts and Payments Account

From: 01-12-2024 To: 30-11-2025

	Total funds 2025 £
Opening cash at bank at 1 December 2024	13,062.08

Incoming Revenue	
Incoming revenue from funds:	
Grants and Donations	11,552.50
Amateur Boxing Club Income	6,389.52
Charitable Activity Income	19,881.61
Miscellaneous income	2,933.31
Total	**40,756.94**

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Comparative information: the Charity Commission record shows total income of £56,922 and total expenditure of £43,633 for the year ended 30 November 2024. Detailed prior-year line-by-line figures are not reproduced here because they were not contained in the accounting information supplied for this report.

Restricted funds: grants and donations may be subject to conditions imposed by funders. The Trustees should review each grant award and confirm the restricted/unrestricted allocation before filing these accounts. The figures above currently present grants and donations in aggregate and do not include a separate restricted-fund column.

Receipts and Payments Account

From: 01-12-2024 To: 30-11-2025

	Total funds 2025 £
Revenue Payments	
Outgoing revenue payments to:	
Amateur Boxing Club expenses	5,107.26
Vehicle expenses *including maintenance, repairs, Tax, Insurance, MOT and fuel*	3,005.70
Venue/Facilities costs	5,380
Volunteer Expenses *including food, drink, travel and accommodation*	1,901.69
Volunteer Mileage	1,192.50
Miscellaneous expenses	842.72
Equipment Purchase	5,497.80
Software and Subscriptions *including website costs*	1,855.80
Coaches and Programme Delivery	22,573.12
Net deficit for the year	(6,599.65)

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Closing cash at bank at 30 November 2025 6,462.43

Total	**47,356.59**

Statement of Assets and Liabilities

From: 01-12-2024 To: 30-11-2025

	Total funds 2025 £
Assets:	
Cash in bank at year end	6,462.43
Assets retained for the charity's own use:	0
Vehicle (approximate current value, based on Trustees' assessment)	6,000
Equipment (bags, gloves, pads, treadmill) (approximate current value, based on Trustees' assessment)	6,000
Liabilities	Nil

The trustees declare that they have approved the Trustees' Annual Report and the accounts for the year ended 30th November 2025.

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Declaration of Report

Declarations
The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report.
Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees:

Full Name	Nicki Peters-Bayford
Position	Chairperson
Signed	
Full Name	Diane Blackshaw
Position	Treasurer
Signed	D. Blackshaw
Date	30-09-2026

Suggys Champions Foundation
Registered Charity Number 1205883 (a Charitable Incorporated Organisation)

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Suggys Champions Foundation on the accounts for the year ended 30 November 2025

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of Suggys Champions Foundation (the charity) for the year ended 30 November 2025, comprising the Receipts and Payments Account and the Statement of Assets and Liabilities. The accounts have been prepared on a receipts and payments basis in accordance with section 133 of the Charities Act 2011 (the Act).

Respective responsibilities of the Trustees and the Independent Examiner

As the charity trustees of the charity, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Act.

The Trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144(1) of the Act, and that there is no requirement in the charity's constitution for an audit to be carried out. As a consequence, the Trustees have elected that the accounts be subject to independent examination.

Having satisfied myself that the charity is not subject to audit under any legal provision, or otherwise, and is eligible for independent examination, it is my responsibility to:

a) examine the accounts under section 145 of the Act;

b) follow the procedures laid down in the Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act; and

c) state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of Independent Examiner's Statement and scope of work undertaken

I conducted my examination in accordance with the Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you, as Trustees, concerning any such matters.

The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair view'. Accounts prepared on a receipts and payments basis are not required to give a true and fair view, and my report is limited to the matters set out in the statement below.

I planned and performed my examination so as to satisfy myself that the objectives of the independent examination are achieved and, before finalising this report, I obtained written assurances from the Trustees on all material matters.

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Independent Examiner's Statement

The charity's gross income for the year ended 30 November 2025 did not exceed £250,000, the sum specified in section 145(3) of the Act. I am qualified to act as independent examiner by virtue of being a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales (ICAEW).

I have completed my examination. Subject to the limitations on the scope of my work set out above, I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 130 of the Act; or

2. the accounts do not accord with those records.

I have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed: .....

Hassan Rashid – Independent Examiner
Chartered Accountant (ICAEW)

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Date: 30/9/2026