

**Sticky Fingers Arts**  
(A company limited by guarantee, not having a share capital)  
**Annual Report and Unaudited Financial Statements**  
**for the financial year ended 31 March 2025**

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**Company Number: NI044255**  
**Charity Number: 101275**

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### **REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION**

<b>Trustees</b>	David Hanna Helena Young Stephen Anthony McClelland (Resigned 20 May 2025) Alifie Magill (Resigned 20 May 2025) Tracey Caroline Crossan (Resigned 10 December 2024) Daniel Gebski (Resigned 25 August 2025) Brian Cleland Anne Marie McGourty Cathal King
<b>Company Secretary</b>	Helena Young
<b>Charity Number in Northern Ireland</b>	101275
<b>Company Registration Number</b>	NI044255
<b>Registered Office and Principal Address</b>	The Imaginarium 10 Upper Edward Street Newry Co. Down BT35 6AX Northern Ireland
<b>Independent Examiner</b>	John MacMahon & Co Chartered Accountants 112 Camlough Road Newry Co. Down BT35 7EE Northern Ireland
<b>Principal Bankers</b>	Ulster Bank Limited 86 Hill Street Newry Co. Down BT34 1BT Northern Ireland

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# **TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT**

for the financial year ended 31 March 2025

The trustees present their Trustees' Annual Report, combining the Directors' Report and Trustees' Report, and the unaudited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 March 2025.

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006, FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" and Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their financial statements in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102).

The Trustees' Report contains the information required to be provided in the Trustees' Annual Report under the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) guidelines. The trustees of the company are also charity trustees for the purpose of charity law and under the company's constitution are known as members of the board of trustees.

In this report the trustees of Sticky Fingers Arts present a summary of its purpose, governance, activities, achievements and finances for the financial year 31 March 2025.

The company is a registered charity and hence the report and results are presented in a form which complies with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

### **Principal Activity**

The principle activity of the company is the entertainment of children through arts and crafts.

### **Mission, Objectives and Strategy**

#### **Objectives**

Aims-

- To advance education and promote the arts for the benefit of children, the beneficiaries primarily, but not exclusively in Northern Ireland.
- Advance education and promote the arts for the benefit of the wider community across Northern Ireland.
- Promote and assist others in the promotion of educational and recreational programmes designed to engage children and the wider community in the arts, and especially those in need as result of adverse social, economic geographical or cultural circumstances and conflict as a result of disability or infirmity.
- Promote and provide quality environmental arts projects and to provide the opportunity and support for children to take the lead in the development of their cities and communities by working with local government, business and the art to create positive regeneration of their local area by engaging in creative and arts-based activity and events.
- Foster international relationships and children's and young people's rights to promote and lobby for statutory agencies at all levels and adhere to UNICEF policies.

The key aim of the organization is to promote and provide quality arts and cultural experiences and opportunities for young children and the wider community. Ensuring our work delivers our aims, objectives and activities each year. This review looks at what we achieved and the outcomes of our work in the previous 12 months. The review looks at the success of projects and the program and the outcomes of each element. The review also helps us to ensure our aims, objectives and activities are focused on our stated purpose.

#### **Compliance with Public Benefit**

The Charity Trustees have had regard to the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland's statutory public benefit guidance to ensure that activities entered into during the year have helped to achieve the charity's aims and objectives as well as providing public benefit.

### **Structure, Governance and Management**

#### **Structure**

Sticky Fingers Arts has a Board of Trustees not less than 2. All strategic and operational management decisions are the responsibility of the trustees.

#### **Governance**

Sticky Fingers Arts is a private company limited by guarantee and does not have share capital. It is governed by a memorandum and articles of association.

#### **Appointment of Trustees**

The Trustees of the company are also charity trustees for the purposes of charity law. Under the requirements of the Memorandum and Articles of Association the trustees are elected to serve for a period from one Annual General Meeting to the next.

#### **Review of Achievements and Performance**

Sticky Fingers Arts are now an established children's arts organisation with a reputation for producing and creating

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high quality professional arts projects locally, nationally and internationally.

During the financial year ended 31 March 2025, the organisation has strengthened with the introduction of several new projects across a number of sectors, to provide a more robust community program and ensure that each project is fully accessible and inclusive to children of all abilities.

The year was very productive as new partnerships were established with a renewed focus on the income generated through the social enterprise element of the organisation, working towards becoming self-sufficient and less reliant on Government Funding. In the financial year ended 31 March 2025 the organisation established a dedicated Special Educational Needs (SEN) program within the centre, providing children with complex needs and disabilities a nurturing learning program to suit their individual needs. A cross border partnership was also established with the Museum of Children Ireland to create new opportunities and expand our services across border counties.

The launch of a new cross border Children's Arts Festival Féile Na Draíochta was built on the success of the Sticky Fingers Arts International Children's Festival, enabling the organisation to expand the programme across border counties, with support from Louth County Council and Arts Council Ireland. The organisation has continued to pioneer new approaches for children's arts and play development, leading the way on advocating for policy reform and playing an essential role in the development of children.

Sticky Fingers Arts continues to create and provide quality, age appropriate arts, cultural and creative play experiences for young children across Northern Ireland and the border counties. Sticky Fingers Arts will also continue to provide a frontline service to a specific audience (children from 0 to 18 years). We will continue to deliver a service that no other organisation delivers and provide a service in an area where no other organisation provides a similar service. We will build on the success of the Imaginarium as it continues to grow, attracting more visitors and offering more activities and services at a regional level.

The organisation has continued to provide a front-line service to children and young people in the Newry and border area, ensuring that the work with special needs groups continued throughout the year uninterrupted. During the financial year, the charity continued to provide one to one support programs and education initiatives for children with additional needs, both in the Centre and within school settings. These activities aim to support children and young people who are struggling with mental health, development delays or family crisis. They were delivered in partnership with both health and education agencies.

The board wish to convey their sincere thanks to all who contributed their wonderful efforts and generosity to the organisation.

#### **Financial Review**

The results for the financial year are set out on page 9 and additional notes are provided showing income and expenditure in greater detail.

#### **Income**

The charity had total income of £250,931 in 2025 compared to £200,160 in 2024.

#### **Expenditure**

During the financial year £265,910 (2024: £219,163) was spent on charitable activities.

#### **Financial Results**

At the end of the financial year the company has assets of £168,323 (2024 - £194,190) and liabilities of £65,848 (2024 - £76,736). The net assets of the company have decreased by £(14,979).

#### **Reserves Position and Policy**

##### **Reserves Policy**

The reserves policy was agreed following an analysis of the following four factors

- Forecasts for levels of income in future years taking into account the reliability of each source of income and the prospects for opening up new sources.
- Forecasts for expenditure in future years on the basis of planned activity;
- Analysis of any future needs, opportunities, contingencies or risks, the effects of which are not likely to be met out of income if and when they arise; and
- Assessment of the likelihood of each of those needs and risks materialising and the potential consequences of the charity not being able to meet them.

The charity's policy is to maintain a level of free reserves which meets the needs of the Charity both at the current time and for the foreseeable future. Free reserves are its total funds excluding restricted funds, designated funds, or income funds which can only be released by disposing of fixed assets held for charity use. Total reserves at the end of the financial year were £102,475 of which restricted was £28,031 and unrestricted of £74,444.

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#### Trustees

The trustees who served throughout the financial year, except as noted, were as follows:

David Hanna  
Helena Young  
Stephen Anthony McClelland (Resigned 20 May 2025)  
Alifie Magill (Resigned 20 May 2025)  
Tracey Caroline Crossan (Resigned 10 December 2024)  
Daniel Gebski (Resigned 25 August 2025)  
Brian Cleland  
Anne Marie McGourty  
Cathal King

The secretary who served during the financial year was:

Helena Young

#### Compliance with Sector-Wide Legislation and Standards

The company engages pro-actively with legislation, standards and codes which are developed for the sector. Sticky Fingers Arts subscribes to and is compliant with the following:

- The Companies Act 2006
- The Charities SORP (FRS 102)

Approved by the Board of Trustees on 17 December 2025 and signed on its behalf by:



Helena Young  
Trustee

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# **STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES' RESPONSIBILITIES**

for the financial year ended 31 March 2025

The trustees, who are also directors of Sticky Fingers Arts for the purposes of company law, are responsible for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the trustees as the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the trustees have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law) including FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" Section 1A (Small Entities). Under company law the trustees must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the surplus or deficit of the company for that period.

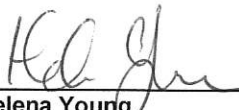
In preparing these financial statements, the trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the relevant financial reporting framework, identify those standards, and note the effect and the reasons for any material departure from those standards; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in operation.

The trustees confirm that they have complied with the above requirements in preparing the financial statements.

The trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

**Approved by the Board of Trustees on 17 December 2025 and signed on its behalf by:**

  
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**Helena Young**  
Trustee

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# INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF STICKY FINGERS ARTS

We have examined the financial statements of the company for the financial year ended 31 March 2025, which comprise the Statement of Financial Activities (incorporating an Income and Expenditure Account), the Balance Sheet and the related notes.

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our work has been undertaken so that we might compile the financial statements that we have been engaged to compile, report to the Board of Trustees that we have done so, and state those matters that we have agreed to state to them in this report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members, as a body, for our work, or for this report.

### Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The company's trustees (who are also the directors of the company for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006. The company's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this financial year under Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006 and that an independent examination is required.

It is our responsibility to:

- examine the financial statements under section 65 of the Charities Act;
- follow the procedures laid down by the general Directions given by the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act; and
- state whether particular matters have come to our attention.

### Basis of independent examiner's report

We have examined your company financial statements as required under section 65 of the Charities Act and our examination was carried out in accordance with the general Directions given by the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the company and a comparison of the financial statements presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the financial statements and seeking explanations from the 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 and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

In connection with our examination, no matter has come to our attention which gives us cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 386 of the Companies Act 2006
- the financial statements do not accord with those accounting records
- the financial statements have not been prepared in accordance with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the Companies Act 2006 and with the methods and principles of the 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 (FRS102)
- there is further information needed for a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

### Independent examiner's statement

We have no concerns and 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 financial statements to be reached.



**John MacMahon FCA**  
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**Date: 17 December 2025**

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### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

(Incorporating an Income and Expenditure Account)

for the financial year ended 31 March 2025

	Notes	Unrestricted Funds 2025 £	Restricted Funds 2025 £	Total Funds 2025 £	Unrestricted Funds 2024 £	Restricted Funds 2024 £	Total Funds 2024 £
<b>Incoming Resources</b>							
Voluntary Income	4.1	-	159,670	159,670	8,816	76,306	85,122
Charitable activities	4.2	78,261	-	78,261	67,638	-	67,638
Other income	4.3	13,000	-	13,000	6,000	41,400	47,400
<b>Total incoming resources</b>		<b>91,261</b>	<b>159,670</b>	<b>250,931</b>	<b>82,454</b>	<b>117,706</b>	<b>200,160</b>
<b>Resources Expended</b>							
Charitable activities	5.1	76,609	189,301	265,910	104,388	114,775	219,163
<b>Net incoming/outgoing resources before transfers</b>		<b>14,652</b>	<b>(29,631)</b>	<b>(14,979)</b>	<b>(21,934)</b>	<b>2,931</b>	<b>(19,003)</b>
Gross transfers between funds		-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Net movement in funds for the financial year</b>		<b>14,652</b>	<b>(29,631)</b>	<b>(14,979)</b>	<b>(21,934)</b>	<b>2,931</b>	<b>(19,003)</b>
<b>Reconciliation of funds:</b>							
Total funds beginning of the year	17	59,792	57,662	117,454	81,726	54,731	136,457
<b>Total funds at the end of the year</b>		<b>74,444</b>	<b>28,031</b>	<b>102,475</b>	<b>59,792</b>	<b>57,662</b>	<b>117,454</b>

The Statement of Financial Activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the financial year.  
All income and expenditure relate to continuing activities.

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### BALANCE SHEET

as at 31 March 2025

	Notes	2025 £	2024 £
<b>Fixed Assets</b>			
Tangible assets	11	162,660	175,044
<b>Current Assets</b>			
Debtors	12	-	18,295
Cash and cash equivalents		5,663	851
		5,663	19,146
<b>Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year</b>	13	(40,986)	(76,736)
<b>Net Current Liabilities</b>		(35,323)	(57,590)
<b>Total Assets less Current Liabilities</b>		127,337	117,454
<b>Creditors</b>			
Amounts falling due after more than one year	14	(24,862)	-
<b>Total Net Assets</b>		102,475	117,454
<b>Funds</b>			
Restricted funds		28,031	57,662
General fund (unrestricted)		74,444	59,792
<b>Total funds</b>	17	102,475	117,454

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to small companies within Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006.

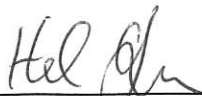
For the financial year ended 31 March 2025 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006; and no notice has been deposited under section 476.

The trustees confirm that the members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the financial year in question in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 386 and for preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit and loss for the financial year in accordance with the requirements of sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime and in accordance with FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland", applying Section 1A of that Standard.

Approved by the Board of Trustees and authorised for issue on 17 December 2025 and signed on its behalf  
by

  
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Helena Young  
Trustee

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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

for the financial year ended 31 March 2025

## 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Sticky Fingers Arts is a private company limited by guarantee incorporated in Northern Ireland. The registered office of the company is The Imaginarium, 10 Upper Edward Street, Newry, Co. Down, BT35 6AX, Northern Ireland which is also the principal place of business of the company. The financial statements have been presented in Pound Sterling (£) which is also the functional currency of the company.

The financial statements cover the individual entity Sticky Fingers Arts for the year ended 31 March 2025.

The Charity is a public benefit entity.

## 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the charity's financial statements.

### Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis under the historical cost convention, modified to include certain items at fair value. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) (2019) "Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland FRS 102", applying Section 1A of that Standard.

### Statement of compliance

The financial statements of the company for the financial year ended 31 March 2025 have been prepared on the going concern basis and in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) "Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland FRS 102", applying Section 1A of that Standard.

### Fund accounting

The following are the categorises of funds maintained:

#### Restricted funds

Restricted funds represent income received which can only be used for particular purposes, as specified by the donors. Such purposes are within the overall objectives of the company.

#### Unrestricted funds

General funds are unrestricted funds which are available for use at the discretion of the Trustees in furtherance of the general objectives of the company and which have not been designated for other purposes.

### Incoming Resources

Voluntary income or capital is included in the Statement of Financial Activities when the company is legally entitled to it, its financial value can be quantified with reasonable certainty and there is reasonable certainty of its ultimate receipt. Entitlement to legacies is considered established when the company has been notified of a distribution to be made by the executors. Income received in advance of due performance under a contract is accounted for as deferred income until earned. Grants for activities are recognised as income when the related conditions for legal entitlement have been met. All other income is accounted for on an accruals basis.

### Income from charitable activities

Income from charitable activities include income earned from the supply of services under contractual arrangements and from performance related grants which have conditions that specify the provision of particular services to be provided by the company. Income from government and other co-funders is recognised when the company is legally entitled to the income because it is fulfilling the conditions contained in the related funding agreements. Where a grant is received in advance, its recognition is deferred and included in creditors. Where entitlement occurs before income is received, it is accrued in debtors.

Grants from governments and other co-funders typically include one of the following types of conditions:

- Performance based conditions: whereby the company is contractually entitled to funding only to the extent that the core objectives of the grant agreement are achieved. Where the company is meeting the core objectives of a grant agreement, it recognises the related expenditure, to the extent that it is reimbursable by the donor, as income.

-Time based conditions: whereby the company is contractually entitled to funding on the condition that it is

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utilised in a particular period. In these cases the company recognises the income to the extent it is utilised within the period specified in the agreement.

In the absence of such conditions, assuming that receipt is probable and the amount can be reliably measured, grant income is recognised once the company is notified of entitlement.

Grants received towards capital expenditure are credited to the Statement of Financial Activities when received or receivable, whichever is earlier.

#### Resources Expended

All resources expended are accounted for on an accruals basis. Charitable activities include costs of services and grants, support costs and depreciation on related assets. Costs of generating funds similarly include fundraising activities. Non-staff costs not attributed to one category of activity are allocated or apportioned pro-rata to the staffing of the relevant service. Finance, HR, IT and administrative staff costs are directly attributable to individual activities by objective. Governance costs are those associated with constitutional and statutory requirements.

#### Going Concern

At the date of approving the financial statements, the trustees have a reasonable expectation that the charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future.

#### Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost or at valuation, less accumulated depreciation. The charge to depreciation is calculated to write off the original cost or valuation of tangible fixed assets, less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives as follows:

Long leasehold property	4% Straight line
Plant and machinery	4% Straight line
Fixtures, fittings and equipment	20% Straight line

#### Debtors

Debtors are recognised at the settlement amount due after any discount offered. Prepayments are valued at the amount prepaid net of any trade discounts due. Income recognised by the company from government agencies and other co-funders, but not yet received at year end, is included in debtors.

#### Creditors

Creditors and provisions are recognised where the charity has a present obligation resulting from a past event, which will probably result in the transfer of economic value to a third party, and the amount due to settle the obligation can be reliably measured or estimated. Creditors and provisions are normally recognised at their settlement amount after allowing for any trade discounts due and at their present value where the time value of money is deemed significant. Funds already received from government agencies and other co-founders that do not meet the criteria for recognition as income, are shown in creditors.

#### Cash at bank and in hand

Cash at bank and in hand comprises cash on deposit at banks requiring less than three months notice of withdrawal.

#### Taxation

No current or deferred taxation arises as the company has been granted charitable exemption. Irrecoverable valued added tax is expensed as incurred.

The charity is a registered charity, and as such is entitled to certain tax exemptions on income and profits from investments and surpluses on any trading activities carried out in the furtherance of the charity's primary objectives, if these profits and surpluses are applied solely for charitable purposes.

The charity is not registered for VAT and, accordingly, all their expenditure is inclusive of any VAT incurred.

#### Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme for employees. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company. Annual contributions payable to the company's pension scheme are charged to the income and expenditure account in the period to which they relate

### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY

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In the application of the Charity's accounting policies, the Trustees are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amount of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised where the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods where the revision affects both current and future periods.

**Depreciation and amortisation**

The trustees exercise judgement in the determination of the useful economic lives and residual values of all classes of fixed assets. These assets are then depreciated over their useful economic lives to their residual value.

<b>4. INCOME</b>						
<b>4.1</b>	<b>DONATIONS AND LEGACIES</b>	<b>Unrestricted Funds</b>	<b>Restricted Funds</b>	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>	
		<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	
	ACNI	-	-	-	9,376	
	Halifax Foundation	-	20,000	20,000	5,000	
	Newry Mourne & Down District Council	-	-	-	18,812	
	Community Foundation	-	13,500	13,500	12,578	
	Arts Council Ireland	-	20,713	20,713	-	
	Foyle Foundation	-	18,000	18,000	-	
	Job Start - Department for Communities	-	24,475	24,475	2,815	
	National Lottery	-	62,982	62,982	36,541	
		-	159,670	159,670	85,122	
<b>4.2</b>	<b>CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>Unrestricted Funds</b>	<b>Restricted Funds</b>	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>	
		<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	
	Earned Income	78,261	-	78,261	67,638	
<b>4.3</b>	<b>OTHER INCOME</b>	<b>Unrestricted Funds</b>	<b>Restricted Funds</b>	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>	
		<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	
	Other incoming resources	-	-	-	41,400	
	Rental Income	13,000	-	13,000	6,000	
		13,000	-	13,000	47,400	
<b>5. EXPENDITURE</b>						
<b>5.1</b>	<b>CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>Direct Costs</b>	<b>Other Costs</b>	<b>Support Costs</b>	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>
		<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
	Operation of theatre and arts centre	165,261	27,280	35,743	228,284	167,355
	Governance Costs	-	-	-	-	9,889
	Art House	1,120	-	-	1,120	1,704
	Depreciation	-	36,506	-	36,506	40,215
		166,381	63,786	35,743	265,910	219,163

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<b>5.2 SUPPORT COSTS</b>	<b>Charitable Activities £</b>	<b>2025 £</b>	<b>2024 £</b>
Legal and other professional fees	5,465	5,465	9,768
Telephone	4,289	4,289	4,031
General office	59	59	232
Rates	(1,627)	(1,627)	714
Insurance	6,009	6,009	4,525
Computer Costs	3,090	3,090	-
Rent	10,000	10,000	-
Light & Heat	8,458	8,458	9,067
	<u>35,743</u>	<u>35,743</u>	<u>28,337</u>
<b>6. ANALYSIS OF SUPPORT COSTS</b>		<b>2025 £</b>	<b>2024 £</b>
Legal and other professional fees		5,465	9,768
Telephone		4,289	4,031
General office		59	232
Rates		(1,627)	714
Insurance		6,009	4,525
Computer Costs		3,090	-
Rent		10,000	-
Light & Heat		8,458	9,067
		<u>35,743</u>	<u>28,337</u>
<b>7. NET INCOMING RESOURCES</b>		<b>2025 £</b>	<b>2024 £</b>
<b>Net Incoming Resources are stated after charging/(crediting):</b>			
Depreciation of tangible assets		36,506	40,215
Operating lease rentals			
- Motor vehicles		3,115	4,836
Independent Examiner's remuneration:			
- independent examination services		3,000	3,000
Amortisation of grants receivable		-	(41,400)
		<u>36,506</u>	<u>40,215</u>
<b>8. INVESTMENT AND OTHER INCOME</b>		<b>2025 £</b>	<b>2024 £</b>
Rental Income		13,000	6,000
Amortisation of capital grants received		-	41,400
		<u>13,000</u>	<u>47,400</u>
<b>9. INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES</b>		<b>2025 £</b>	<b>2024 £</b>
On bank loans and overdrafts		2,367	4,580

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**10. EMPLOYEES AND REMUNERATION****Number of employees**

The average number of persons employed (including executive trustees) during the financial year was:

	2025 Number	2024 Number
Employees	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>
The staff costs comprise:	<b>2025</b>	2024
	£	£
Wages and salaries	93,839	78,620
Social security costs	626	1,680
Pension costs	1,293	1,704
	<u>95,758</u>	<u>82,004</u>

None of the individuals employed by the charity earn a yearly salary above £60,000.

The total amount of employee benefits received by key management personnel is £32,200.

**11. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS**

	Long leasehold property £	Plant and machinery £	Fixtures, fittings and equipment £	Total £
<b>Cost</b>				
At 1 April 2024	-	166,745	228,597	395,342
Additions	24,122	-	-	24,122
At 31 March 2025	<u>24,122</u>	<u>166,745</u>	<u>228,597</u>	<u>419,464</u>
<b>Depreciation</b>				
At 1 April 2024	-	57,175	163,123	220,298
Charge for the financial year	363	6,670	29,473	36,506
At 31 March 2025	<u>363</u>	<u>63,845</u>	<u>192,596</u>	<u>256,804</u>
<b>Net book value</b>				
At 31 March 2025	<u>23,759</u>	<u>102,900</u>	<u>36,001</u>	<u>162,660</u>
At 31 March 2024	<u>-</u>	<u>109,570</u>	<u>65,474</u>	<u>175,044</u>

**12. DEBTORS**

	2025 £	2024 £
Prepayments and accrued income	<u>-</u>	<u>18,295</u>

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<b>13. CREDITORS</b>		<b>2025</b>	2024
<b>Amounts falling due within one year</b>		<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Bank overdrafts		-	28,804
Bank loan		<b>5,138</b>	12,145
Taxation and social security costs		<b>18,409</b>	24,301
Other creditors		<b>9,739</b>	3,462
Accruals and deferred income:			
Pension accrual		-	324
Other accruals		<b>7,700</b>	7,700
		<u><b>40,986</b></u>	<u>76,736</u>
<b>14. CREDITORS</b>		<b>2025</b>	2024
<b>Amounts falling due after more than one year</b>		<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Bank loan		<b>24,862</b>	-
Repayable in one year or less, or on demand (Note 13)		<b>5,138</b>	40,949
Repayable between one and two years		<b>5,967</b>	-
Repayable between two and five years		<b>18,895</b>	-
		<u><b>30,000</b></u>	<u>40,949</u>
<p>The total secured liabilities as at 31 March 2025 are £30,000 (2024: £40,949). The Bank hold a fixed and floating charge over property and a negative pledge.</p>			
<b>15. PENSION COSTS - DEFINED CONTRIBUTION</b>			
<p>The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in an independently administered fund. Pension costs amounted to £1,293 (2024 : £1,704).</p> <p>At the balance sheet date there was an outstanding liability of £0 (2024: £324) due to the fund, this is included in creditors amounts falling due within one year.</p>			
<b>16. RESERVES</b>		<b>2025</b>	2024
		<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
At the beginning of the year		<b>117,454</b>	136,457
Deficit for the financial year		<b>(14,979)</b>	(19,003)
At the end of the year		<u><b>102,475</b></u>	<u>117,454</u>
<b>17. FUNDS</b>			
<b>17.1 RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENT IN FUNDS</b>		<b>Unrestricted</b>	<b>Restricted</b>
		<b>Funds</b>	<b>Funds</b>
		<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
At 1 April 2023		81,726	54,731
Movement during the financial year		(21,934)	2,931
At 31 March 2024		59,792	57,662
Movement during the financial year		14,652	(29,631)
At 31 March 2025		<u><b>74,444</b></u>	<u><b>28,031</b></u>
		<u><b>102,475</b></u>	<u><b>102,475</b></u>

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**17.2 ANALYSIS OF MOVEMENTS ON FUNDS**

	Balance 1 April 2024 £	Income £	Expenditure £	Transfers between funds £	Balance 31 March 2025 £
<b>Restricted funds</b>					
Restricted funds	57,662	159,670	189,301	-	28,031
<b>Unrestricted funds</b>					
Unrestricted funds	59,792	91,261	76,609	-	74,444
<b>Total funds</b>	<b>117,454</b>	<b>250,931</b>	<b>265,910</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>102,475</b>

**17.3 ANALYSIS OF NET ASSETS BY FUND**

	Fixed assets - charity use £	Current assets £	Current liabilities £	Long-term liabilities £	Total £
Restricted funds	28,031	-	-	-	28,031
Unrestricted general funds	134,629	5,663	(40,986)	(24,862)	74,444
	<b>162,660</b>	<b>5,663</b>	<b>(40,986)</b>	<b>(24,862)</b>	<b>102,475</b>

**18. STATUS**

The company is limited by guarantee not having a share capital.

The liability of the members is limited.

Every member of the company undertakes to contribute to the assets of the company in the event of its being wound up while they are members, or within one year thereafter, for the payment of the debts and liabilities of the company contracted before they ceased to be members, and the costs, charges and expenses of winding up, and for the adjustment of the rights of the contributors among themselves, such amount as may be required, not exceeding £1.

**19. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION**

The trustees did not receive a remuneration during the financial year. The trustees did not have any expenses reimbursed during the financial year.

**20. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

A spouse of key management personnel, was paid £11,500 during the financial year for remedial works. There was no outstanding amount owed at the financial year ended 31 March 2025.

