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Trustees' Annual Report for the period							
	Period start date				Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
From	**01**	**06**	**2025**	To	**31**	**05**	**2026**

Reference and administration details

Charity name	Ayrshire Street Pastors (SCIO)	
Other names charity is known by		
Registered charity number	**SC046583**	
Charity's principal address	34 AUCHINCRUIVE AVENUE	
	PRESTWICK	
	AYRSHIRE	
		Postcode KA9 2DU

Names of the charity trustees on date of approval of Trustees' Annual Report

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	RICHARD WIGGINS	CHAIR		
2	JOHN WOTHERSPOON	TREASURER		
3	BRIAN HENDRIE			
4	FIONA WILSON			
5	HUGH HUNTER			
6	STUART WRIGHT	VICE CHAIR (VC)		
7	ALASTAIR COLQUHOUN			
8	SUSAN CAMPBELL		17/09/25 to 31/05/26	Trustees
9	PAULINE JOHNSTONE	SECRETARY	29/04/26 to 31/05/26	Trustees
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Names of all other charity trustees during the period, if any, (for example, those who resigned part way through the financial period)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

Structure, governance and management

Type of governing document	By way of Constitution
Trustee recruitment and appointment	N/A

Objectives and activities

Charitable purposes	The Advancement of Religion and Health; and relief of those in need by reason of age, ill health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage or any other purpose that may reasonably be regarded as analogous to any of the preceding purposes.
Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects	Ayrshire Street Pastors aim to share our love of Christ with people through our actions, as we believe that these speak louder than words. This is achieved by patrolling the streets of Ayr and Prestwick, primarily at night, ensuring that people are safe on the streets, by Caring, Listening and Helping. Ayrshire Street Pastors are now a recognised and appreciated part of the night-time economy. We are members of the Safe Ayr Group which comprises of all the agencies and organisations that try and make South Ayrshire a safe and enjoyable place to socialise in, at the weekend. We also get included in other initiatives, for our input but, unfortunately at this point in time, not practical assistance, in particular Safe Beaches initiative. Patrols have continued from 1 June 2025, at weekly intervals through to December, with an extra patrol near Christmas itself. During 2026, after closing for January, weekly patrols have continued. We have continued to pay our License Fee to Ascension Trust Scotland from our reserves, to help to maintain our parent body charity. Management Meetings were held in September & November 2025 and April 2026 within the current financial period. An AGM was arranged and held on 12 Dec 2025.

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Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the chari ty during the financial period

The public Facebook page continues to be very popular with sixty thousand views over the period and over 1,200 followers. The weekly reports are well received.

Our Chair continues to represent Street Pastors (SPs) on local forums, which involve all the agencies, both statutory and 3rd sector, working with the night time economy. SPs have been invited to join the Third Sector Welfare Forum which is being co-ordinated by Voluntary Action South Ayrshire (VASA).

We have just passed our 10th Anniversary. It was marked by a very well attended Thanksgiving Service at St Ninians Episcopal Church in Prestwick. This was a fitting venue as it was there that the idea of having Street Pastors in the area began to become a reality. Eight of the nine new SPs were commissioned by Chris Jewell the CEO of Ascension Trust Scotland

We continue to enjoy an excellent supportive relationship with Police Scotland and South Ayrshire Council (SAC) and are much valued by them. The number of bottles, flipflops and people helped assist the Joint Action Group of SAC in planning resources as well as quantifying the value of our deployment..

The ongoing attempts to start Initiatives in Kilmarnock & Irvine are still moving slowly forward. We had a stand at Ayrshire Keswick at the end of May 2026 in Kilmarnock. East Ayrshire Police and Council are still very keen to have Street Pastors in Kilmarnock and like Irvine the patrol times will be 7pm to 12 midnight, so hopefully later in 2026 might see Street Pastors in both Kilmarnock & Irvine. Some of the newly trained SPs are from the North Ayrshire area.

From June 2025 to May 2026, Ayrshire Street Pastors volunteered for 636 hours of duty during which time they gave out 206 pairs of flip flops; 48 bottles of water and 13 other useful items, such as foil blankets, spikeys or sick bags. They disposed of 398 glasses or bottles and 108 lots of broken glass. Three vulnerable people were assisted by arranging first aid. Conversations were held with 366 persons, including receiving thanks for the work of the Street Pastors in the night-time economy. Records show that, now fully up to speed after the Covid pandemic, the work undertaken is generally double the levels of activity in the previously reported active year of 2019-20. Compared with 2024-25, another very busy year, the general activity in this current year is about 115% of that previous year.

First Aid training continues as required, new recruits were trained funded by a grant from Rotary Club of Ayr, while the majority of existing SPs were retrained in January 2026. SAC have asked us to take on the First Aid responsibility from April 2026 as Girvan and South Carrick First Responders are having to stop providing the cover. The Management Committee have discussed this and have agreed to the request. With the level of training, we can deal with any incidents. The Team Leaders have receive additional training and the First Aid items carried have been enhanced. We also already have several SPs with enhanced training. An SAC grant covered the additional enhanced training and additional costs for the coming year.

We continue to receive generous support from our local churches, particularly Alloway and Fisherton Parish Church, St Columba Church Keep-Fit group and our regular support from coffee time at St Leonard's. We have also received grants from the Rotary Club of Ayr and from South Ayrshire Council.

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Financial review

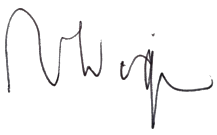
Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves	The Charity aims to retain sufficient reserves for three months operations which at this point in time is £1000, assuming a paid Administrator were to be appointed.
Details of any deficit	None
Donated facilities and services (if any)	None

Other optional information

Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Richard James Wiggins	John Chorlton Wotherspoon
Position (e.g. Chair)	Chair	Treasurer
Date	8 Oct 2026	8 Oct 2026

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Receipts and payments accounts		
	Period start date	Period end date
For the period from	01 June 2025	31 May 2026

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Total funds current period	Total funds last period
	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
A1 Receipts				
Donations	£2,877		£2,877	£2,406
Grants	£1,450		£1,450	£0
A1 Sub total	£4,327	£0	£4,327	£2,406
Total receipts	£4,327	£0	£4,327	£2,406
A2 Payments				
Payments relating directly to charitable activities	£2,270		£2,270	£791
Governance costs:				
Other (ATS Licence Fee)	£1,070		£1,070	£800
A2 Sub total	£3,340	£0	£3,340	£1,591
Total payments	£3,340	£0	£3,340	£1,591
Net receipts / (payments)	£987	£0	£987	£815
A3 Transfers to / (from) funds			£0	£0
Surplus / (deficit) for year	£987	£0	£987	£815

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Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Cash and bank balances at start of year	3138		3138	2322
	Surplus / (deficit) shown on receipts and payments	987		987	815
	Cash and bank balances at end of year	4124	0	4124	3138
	(Agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK	OK

	Details	Market valuation to nearest £	Market valuation to nearest £
B2 Investments			
		0	0

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Current value (if available) to nearest £	Current value (if available) to nearest £
B3 Other assets				
	1579			
			0	0

	Details	Amount due to nearest £	Amount due to nearest £
B4 Liabilities			
		0	0

	Details	Amount due (estimate) to nearest £	Amount due (estimate) to nearest £
B5 Contingent liabilities			
		0	0

Signed by two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	Richard James Wiggins	8 Oct 2026
JCWotherspoon	John Chorlton Wotherspoon	8 Oct 2026

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C1 Nature and purpose of funds (may be stated on analysis of funds worksheets)

Our mission is to train and support volunteers drawn from Christian churches of different denominations to provide a listening ear and practical help to the socially marginalised and the needy. We patrol the streets of towns in Ayrshire on Saturday nights and other days and times when required. We work in partnership with the police, local councils and a range of voluntary and statutory organisations in order to reach and help all those in need. The volunteer's Christian faith is the reason for what we do but is not at the forefront of what we say. We only talk about our faith when invited to, we are non-judgemental and will give time and help to anyone and everyone we meet.
The administration continues to be shared amongst five or six volunteers.

C2 Grants

Type of activity or project supported	Individual / institution	Number of grants made	£
First Aid training	Rotary Club of Ayr	1	250
Enhanced First Aid Training for volunteers, due to SPs taking on extra responsibilities in Ayr and Prestwick.	South Ayrshire Council	1	1,200
Total			1,450

C3a Trustee remuneration

If no remuneration was paid during the period to any charity trustee or person connected to a trustee cross this box (otherwise complete section 3b)	**X**

C3b Trustee remuneration - details

Authority under which paid	£
	X

C4a Trustee expenses

If no expenses were paid to any charity trustee during the period then cross this box (otherwise complete section 4b)	**X**

C4b Trustee expenses - details

	Number of trustees	£
None		

C5 Transactions with trustees and connected persons

Nature of relationship	Nature of transaction	Transaction amount (£)	Balance outstanding at period end (£)
None	None		**0**

C6 Other information

We are sharing the Coordinator's role between five or six volunteers, who are either Street Pastors themselves or Trustees of the charity. This has functioned satisfactorily for the previous twelve months, so is continuing as our mode of operation for the year 2025-26.

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Analysis of receipts and payments

1 Donations

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Total current period	Total last period
	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
Church Donations	1,463		1,463	1,513
Other Donations	1,170		1,170	613
Gift Aid received	244		244	280
Total	2,877	0	2,877	2,406

2 Grants

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Total current period	Total current period
	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
SAC Locality Grant	1,200	-	1,200	-
Treasure Chest Grant for Training	250	-	250	-
	-	-	0	-
Total	1,450	0	1,450	0

3 Payments relating directly to charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Total current period	Total current period
	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
Uniforms & Supplies	547	-	547	353
Training	1,266	-	1,266	0
Salary	0	-	0	0
Miscellaneous	456	-	456	180
Equipment		-	0	258
Total	2,270	0	2,270	791

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Independent examiner's report on the accounts V2

Report to the trustees/ members of	Ayrshire Street Pastors (SCIO)						
Registered charity number	**SC046583**						
On the accounts of the charity for the period	Period start date				Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
	1st	June	2025	**to**	31st	May	2026
Set out on pages						(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)	

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the terms of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) 2005 Act and the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006. The charity trustees consider that the audit requirement of Regulation 10(1) (d) of the Accounts Regulations does not apply. It is my responsibility to examine the accounts as required under section 44(1) (c) of the Act and to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of independent examiner's statement

My examination is carried out in accordance with Regulation 11 of the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006. 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 seeks 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, I do not express an audit opinion on the accounts.

Independent examiner's statement

In the course of my examination, no matter has come to my attention ~~[other than that disclosed on the attached page*]~~

1. which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:
   - to keep accounting records in accordance with section 44(1) (a) of the 2005 Act and Regulation 4 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations, and
   - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with Regulation 9 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations

have not been met, or

2. to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed:	C B Crosthwaite	**Date:**	3/10/2026
Name:	Craig Crosthwaite (digital signature)		
Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):			
Address:	60 Montgomerie Street, Ardrossan, Ayrshire, KA22 8HT		