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Trustees' Annual Report for the period							
	Period start date				Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
From	01	01	2025	To	31	12	2025

Reference and administration details

Charity name	Aberdeen Orpheus Choir
Other names charity is known by	
Registered charity number	**SC** 052079
Charity's principal address	90 Burnieboozle Crescent
	Aberdeen
	Postcode AB15 8NQ

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	Brian Livingstone	President		
2	Janice Montgomery	Vice President		
3	Susan Summers	Secretary		
4	Karen Morrice	Treasurer		
5	Jane Livingstone			
6	Graeme Morrice			
7	Jane McAllister			
8	Anne McClure			
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Reference and administration details

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	Aberdeen Orpheus Choir was recognised as a Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation with effect from 20 October 2022. Administration is in accordance with the terms of the Constitution.
Trustee recruitment and appointment	The trustees are those appointed at the Annual General Meeting on 3 June 2026. Appointment and removal is in accordance with the Constitution which requires that appointment is approved at the Annual General Meeting or by co-option by the existing Trustees. No remuneration was paid to any Trustee or connected person during the year.

Objectives and activities

Charitable purposes	The purpose of the charity is to advance the art and science of choral music and to develop and maintain public education in, and appreciation of choral music in all its aspects through the study of choral music and the giving of public performances of the music studied.
Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects	Regular meetings of the members of the choir to study choral music, and public performances of choral music. The choir encourages young musicians by inviting them to perform at the concerts.

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Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the financial period	Concerts were performed in Skene Parish Church on 23 May 2025 and on 5 December 2025. The total gross proceeds from these performances were donated to charity. Concerts were performed in Mannofield Parish Church on 31 May 2025 and 13 December 2025.

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves	There is no specific policy on reserves. All funds are unrestricted funds, which represent income earned but not yet utilised in supporting charitable activities.
Details of any deficit	None
Donated facilities and services (if any)	None.

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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)	K R Morrice	B S Livingstone
Full name(s)	Karen R Morrice	Brian S Livingstone
Position (e.g. Chair)	Treasurer	President
Date	16-06-26	16 JUNE 2026

Aberdeen Orpheus Choir
Statement of Receipts and Payments
Year ended 31 Dec 2025
Scottish Charity Number: SC 052079

	Unrestricted Funds	
INCOME	**2025**	2024
	£	£
Members' Subscriptions	**4,370.00**	4,450.00
Christmas Concert Income	**3,050.00**	3,220.00
Summer Concert Income	**2,915.00**	2,625.00
Social & Fundraising Events Income	**438.06**	450.45
Donations Received	**200.00**	200.00
Gift Aid	**817.21**	1,431.91
Legacies Received	**4,939.92**	0.00
Uniforms Income	**0.00**	30.00
Total Receipts	**16,730.19**	**12,407.36**
EXPENDITURE		
Summer Concert expenses	**1,077.44**	582.75
Christmas Concert expenses	**763.49**	829.25
Social & Fundraising Events expenses	**392.99**	322.24
Honoraria	**5,847.00**	4,897.50
Rent of Premises	**2,769.25**	2,456.25
Music Costs	**1,895.74**	1,725.77
Insurance	**227.14**	0.00
Secretary's Expenses	**54.51**	45.16
AGM Expenses	**179.76**	171.92
Equipment Costs	**0.00**	30.23
Website expenses, stationery & sundries	**51.64**	50.42
Independent Examiner	**100.00**	100.00
Donations Paid	**500.00**	0.00
Total Payments	**13,858.96**	**11,211.49**
Surplus/(Deficit) for Period	**2,871.23**	**1,195.87**

Aberdeen Orpheus Choir
Statement of Balances at at
Year ended 31 Dec 2025
Scottish Charity Number: SC 052079

	Unrestricted Funds	
Funds Reconciliation		
Opening Balance	**6,295.30**	5,099.43
Surplus/(Deficit) for Period	**2,871.23**	1,195.87
Closing balance	**9,166.53**	6,295.30
Bank and Cash Balances		
Bank Account	**9,106.53**	6,235.30
Cash in Hand	**60.00**	60.00
	9,166.53	6,295.30

Trustee Remuneration and Related Party transactions
No Trustee received any remuneration during the period.
No Trustee nor any person related to a Trustee had any personal interest in any contract or transaction entered into by the charity during the period

Trustees received reimbursement of expenses as follows:

Graeme Morrice	1110.54	936.02
Jane Livingstone	227.39	77.48
Janice Montgomery		52.88
Susan Summers	54.51	61.06

Approved by the Trustees on 24 January 2026

K R Morrice
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K R Morrice
Treasurer

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Independent examiner's report on the accounts V2

Report to the trustees/members of	Aberdeen Orpheus Choir SCIO
Registered charity number	**SC052079**

On the accounts of the charity for the period

Period start date				Period end date		
Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
1st	January	2025	**to**	31st	December	2026

Set out on pages	1 - 6 (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

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:	Sarah Irvine	**Date:**	12/08/2026
Name:	Sarah Irvine		
Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):	MA(Hons) Accounting and Legal Studies		
Address:	ACVO		
	38 Castle Street		
	Aberdeen		
	AB11 5YU		

*Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply. If the words do apply, set out those matters which have come to your attention on the following page.

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Disclosure section

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material problems.

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose	