Clyde Coast Radio

(Scottish Charity SC050695)

Report of Receipts and Payments

1st April 2025 – 31st March 2026

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The Trustees present their report together with the financial statements for the period 1st April 2025 – 31st March 2026.

Reference and Administrative Details

Name of Group	Clyde Coast Radio
Principal Address	The Trust Building
	46-47 Muirshiel Road
	Port Glasgow, PA14 5XS

Name of the trustees

George Coyle	Chairperson
Liam Lusk	Vice-Chairperson
Lynn Neeson	Secretary

Structure, Governance & Management

Constitution

The group was formed in September 2020 and is governed by a constitution.

Appointment of Trustees

New trustees are appointed by majority vote of existing trustees at the AGM.

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Objectives & Activities

The purposes of the charity as set out in our constitution are as follows

- To advance citizenship and community development through the provision of a community radio station in Inverclyde and encouraging volunteering within all levels of the organisation and wider community.
- To offer relief to those in need through providing opportunities for those experiencing mental ill-health, physical disabilities and/or learning difficulties to become active in the community in order to reduce loneliness and social isolation.
- To advance the arts through the provision of a community radio station in order to provide a means for more people to appreciate and participate in the art of radio production and broadcasting.

The volunteer group aim to achieve the charity's constitutional purposes by:

- Giving a voice to the community
- Fostering local identity and culture
- Providing local information
- Promoting social inclusion and engagement
- Supporting community development
- Developing skills and opportunities
- Encouraging creativity and collaboration
- Playing some great tunes.

While the organisation provides these benefits to the wider community the volunteers gain great personal benefits with respect providing a route to integrate into the local community, combating loneliness, learning new skills, developing life purpose and improving well-being. With these valuable technical, social, and administrative skills, the volunteer experience can offer a pathway for career development.

Financial Review

During the year to 31st March 2026 Clyde Coast Radio received total funds of £8,941, comprising grant funding of £6,855, donations of £1,436 and £650 from performance fees. Over that period Clyde Coast Radio had expenditure of £7,074. This resulted in a net increase of funds of £1,867.

Grant funding was provided by :

Corra Foundation £3,000

Inverclyde Community Trust £2,000

IDC Warm Hand of Friendship £1,855

Overview of upcoming projects

Clyde Coast Radio is currently undertaking a project to launch a digital broadcast (DAB) service. We believe DAB will drive higher listenership and provide our volunteers with new skills and experiences.

We continue to welcome new volunteers who have an interest in radio broadcast and connecting the community across Inverclyde.

Statement of Receipts and Payments

April 2025 – March 2026

	Year to 31st March 2026	Year to 31st March 2025
Receipts		
Grant Funding	£6,855	£1,325
Donations	£1,436	£680
Performance Fees	£650	
	£8,941	**£2,005**
Payments		
IT Supplies	£2,984	£308
Other Supplies	£1,854	£1,171
Catering	£1,324	£273
Equipment	£500	
Licence Fees	£232	
Travel & Fares	£180	£219
	£7,074	**£1,971**
Net Receipts	**£1,867**	**£34**

The Clyde Coast Radio bank balance as at 31st March 2026 was £1,857.

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George Coyle, Founder and Chairman