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Trustees' Annual Report for the period							
Period start date				Period end date			
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
From	01	04	2025	To	31	03	2026

Reference and administration details

Charity name
Other names charity is known by
Registered charity number
Charity's principal address

McLean Hall Fearnan
SC023673
McLean Hall
Fearnan
Aberfeldy
Postcode PH15 2PF

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	Elaine Melrose	Chair		
2	Kay Simmonds	Treasurer		
3	Linda Milne	Secretary		
4	Lesley Raeburn	Committee Member		
5	Hilary Law	Committee Member	From 22 May 2025	
6	Tom Alexander	Property Trustee		
7	Frances Brace	Property Trustee		
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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
Rosalind Grant	Resigned 22 May 2025

Structure, governance and management

Type of governing document

McLean Hall Fearnan Hall is an unincorporated organisation governed by a Constitution and is administered in accordance with the terms of the Constitution.

Trustee recruitment and appointment

Trustees are appointed to the Management Committee by members at the Annual General meeting in accordance with the requirements of the constitution.
Property Trustees are appointed by the Management Committee.
Rosalind Grant resigned as Chair in May 2025, and Hilary Law joined the Hall Management Committee.

Objectives and activities

Charitable purposes

The purpose of the Charity is to manage, maintain and improve the McLean Hall Fearnan to provide a local facility for social, recreational and other purposes usual for a village hall and to ensure its continued value for the community.

Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects

The Management Committee is responsible for the administration and management of the Hall, and compliance with statutory duties.

- Use of the Hall by local groups is encouraged by offering subsidised rental rates.
- Hold fundraising events to cover maintenance and running costs not met by rental income.
- Monitor the fabric of the hall to keep it in good condition.

Exploring new activities and facilities to ensure the Hall continues to meet the needs and interests of the local community.

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Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the financial period

The Hall celebrated its 70th anniversary in 2025, and to mark this occasion, an afternoon tea was hosted by the Hall management committee in November. Members and local residents were personally invited and over 65 attended. It was very successful and the Committee was delighted to welcome new residents as well as residents not usually seen at other Hall events. The event was supported by a grant from DLC Taymouth Castle.

To mark the 70th year, the interior and exterior of the hall was redecorated. Externally, the masonry was repaired, washed down and repainted; the front porch, main entrance door and railings on the access ramp were also repainted. Internally the walls and woodwork in the main Hall, kitchen and entrance lobby were repainted. Shelving was installed to provide better access to the Hall's kitchen equipment. This work was funded by grants from PKC, DLC at Taymouth Castle and fundraising at the annual Thrift Shop week.

A new Consumer Unit for the electrical supply was installed, ensuring the Hall has the safest and most up to date protection available. PAT testing was also carried out.

Health and Safety Policy and Risk Assessment was undertaken in December 2025. As a result, a few minor improvements were made, including the replacement of the rusty litter bin in the playground by PKC.

Work to improve the front entrance area continued during the year. New gravel was laid on a weed control membrane, and the garden area was weeded and bulbs planted.

A new activity session, Balance and Strength run by LiveActive, started in March 2026 to join the regular user groups of Tai Chi, Indoor Bowls, Yoga, Masons and Bookclub.

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

A reserve of £4,000 is held within the unrestricted funds to cover the annual running costs of the Hall in the event that there is a period without rental income.

Details of any deficit

Donated facilities and services (if any)

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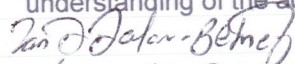
Other optional information

Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity’s trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Kay Simmonds	
Position (e.g. Chair)	Treasurer	
Date	28 May 2026	

		Independent examiner's report on the accounts						v2
Report to the trustees/members of	Registered charity number	Charity name MCLEAN HALL FEARNAN						
On the accounts of the charity for the period	Set out on pages	SCO23673						
		Period start date				Period end date		
		Day	Month	Year	to	Day	Month	Year
		01	APRIL	2025		31	MARCH	2026
		(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 (as amended). 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 2006 Accounts Regulations. 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 view given by 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*] - 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 - to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.							
Signed**:						Date: 20 th May 2026		
Name:	IAN DAVID DORIAN-BETNEY							
Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):								
Address:	Cala Sona, Fearnan ABERFELD Y PH15 2 PG							

*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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Statement of Receipts and Payments 2025-26

		Restricted funds	Unrestricted funds	Total Year ended 31/03/2026	Total Year ended 31/03/2025
	Note	£	£	£	£
RECEIPTS					
FUNDRAISING			1,920.00	1,920.00	£ 2,307.00
RENT			3,209.93	3,209.93	£ 3,445.50
GRANTS	7	8,784.00	500.00	9,284.00	£ 650.00
DONATIONS	6		2,486.00	2,486.00	£ 771.00
INTEREST			65.31	65.31	£ 230.10
INSURANCE CLAIM		-		-	£ 950.00
CHARITY COLLECTIONS	5		75.00	75.00	£ 200.00
TOTAL INCOME		8,784.00	8,256.24	17,040.24	£ 8,553.60
PAYMENTS					
LICENCES/INSURANCE		250	895.69	1,145.69	£ 854.99
MAINTENANCE & HALL SUPPLIES			1,200.68	1,200.68	£ 2,109.42
ANNIVERSARY TEA			230.37	230.37	
EQUIPMENT	8	130.00	2,160.75	2,290.75	£ 1,087.92
UTILITIES			2,480.65	2,480.65	£ 3,085.43
RECYCLING PROJECT	9	855.93	855.94	1,711.87	£ 9,447.00
REDECORATIONS	10	8,184.00	4,106.80	12,290.80	£ -
FUND-RAISING EXPS			-	-	£ 160.00
WARM WELCOME EXPS		521.01		521.01	£ 310.00
CHARITY DONATIONS			75.00	75.00	£ 200.00
SUNDRY			53.30	53.30	£ -
GOVERNANCE COSTS			114.00	114.00	£ 76.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		9,940.94	12,173.18	22,114.12	17,330.76
Surplus(Deficit) for year		- 1,156.94 -	3,916.94 -	5,073.88	-8,777.16
Add surplus B/fwd 1 April		1,256.49	10,529.69	11,786.18	£ 20,563.34
Totals		99.55	6,612.75	6,712.30	11,786.18

Represented by

	Restricted funds	Unrestricted funds	Total Year ended To date	Total Year ended 31/03/2025
	£	£	£	£
Current assets				
Current account		222.05	222.05	611.24
Instant Access account	99.55	6,390.70	6,490.25	11,174.94
Net Assets	99.55	6,612.75	6,712.30	11,786.18
Funds of the charity:				
As at 1 April 25	1,256.49	10,529.69	11,786.18	11,786.18
Net incoming/(outgoing) funds	- 1,156.94 -	3,916.94 -	5,073.88 -	8,777.16
As at 31 March 2026	99.55	6,612.75	6,712.30	11,786.18

The financial statements were approved by the Trustees and signed by



Treasurer

Date

28-May-26

Notes to the accounts

Accounting policies

These accounts have been prepared on a cash receipts and payment basis.

Nature and purpose of funds

Unrestricted funds are used at the discretion of the Trustees in furtherance of the objects of the charity.

The trustees maintain a single unrestricted fund for day to day management of the hall.

Restricted funds may only be used for specific purposes. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for specific purposes,

Trustee remuneration and related party transactions

None

Reserves

Within the unrestricted funds is a designated reserve of £4000 to cover the Hall's annual expenses if there is no income.

Special collections and fundraising for other charities

In addition to the general fund receipts recorded above, the following amounts from special collections and fundraising events for other charities were received and disbursed during the year:

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Donations	Restricted funds £	Unrestricted funds £	Total YTD
Fearnan Indoor Bowls		50	50
FVA		230	230
Individual		2206	2206
		<u>2486</u>	<u>2486</u>

Grants

PKC - admin grant		250	250
Taymouth Castle - Decorations	1750		1750
Taymouth Castle - Anniversary Tea		250	250
PKC - Decorations	6434		6434
PKC - Warm Welcome	600		600
	<u>8784</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>9284</u>

Purchases of fixed assets/Equipment

	Restricted funds £	Unrestricted funds £	Total YTD £
Pickleball equipment	130.00	167.00	297.00
External noticeboard	194.00	2162.80	2356.80
	<u>324.00</u>	<u>2329.80</u>	<u>2653.80</u>

Recycling project

Expenses 2023/24	1,341.10
Expenses 2024/25	9,447.00
Total	<u>10,788.10</u>

Expenditure 2025/26

AMAZON* recycling bins	38.99	38.99	77.98
Bannermans paint	44.16	44.16	88.32
Noticeboard	48.13	48.12	96.25
Bannermans paint	44.16	44.16	88.32
Painting	75.00	75.00	150.00
Gravel	6.30	6.30	12.60
Resource Hut sign	24.00	24.00	48.00
Bannersmans paint refund	-22.08	-22.08	-44.16
Noticeboard	19.99	20.00	39.99

Garden Edging	120.00	120.00	240.00
Barhaul Materials	102.50	102.51	205.01
Garden Cash Float	8.00	8.00	16.00
Compost	24.50	24.50	49.00
Garden membrane & weedkiller	35.67	35.67	71.34
Barhaul Gravel	60.15	60.15	120.30
Planters	27.99	27.98	55.97
Membrane pegs	4.47	4.48	8.95
Noticeboard contribution	194.00	194.00	388.00
Total	855.93	855.94	1711.87

Total	£	12,499.97
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Budget for construction and landscaping £12,500 funded by

Gannochy grant	5500
Thomson trust grant	3500
Hall funds -Pop up shop 2023	2000
Thrift shop 2023	1500
	12,500.00
Remaining funds	£ 0.03

Painting

	Restricted funds	Unrestricted funds	Total YTD
Porch paint	33.90	33.90	67.80
Reid Invoice	7263.60	376.40	7640.00
Repairs to porch	136.50	136.50	273.00
Hall, stage and entrance painting	750.00	2860.00	3610.00
Kitchen painting and shelves		700.00	700.00
	£ 8,184.00	£ 4,106.80	£ 12,290.80