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At these fairs which are open to members of the general public the Society's representatives supply information advice and literature.

# **Trustees' Annual Report for the period**

From

То

Period start date

Period end date

1st January Year2020

31st December 2020

Section A

Reference and administration details

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#### **Charity name**

## The Arms and Armour Society

Other names charity is known by

1161734

Registered charity number (if any)

Charity's principal address

Potters Bar

Hertfordshire

Postcode EN6 2DG

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

Trustee name Office (if any) Dates acted if not for whole year Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any) David Penn President

Thomas Bennett Secretary

Anthony Evans Treasurer

Anthony Dove

Kenneth Hocking

01/01/2020-15/04/2020

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Michael Spencer

Frederick Wilkinson

David Williams

Guy Wilson

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Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name Dates acted if not for whole year Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser Name Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

## Section B

## Structure, governance and management

#### Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)

How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company)

Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)

#### Constitution

It is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation

#### Additional governance issues (Optional information)

You may choose to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
- the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;
- relationship with any related parties;
- trustees' consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.

# Section C Objectives and activities

#### Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

To advance the education of the public in the field of arms and armour including making grants for the acquisition and study of relevant artifacts for the public benefit.

# Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)

The Society is usually represented at three major London antique fairs. These fairs are open to members of the general public and the Society's representatives supply information, advice, and literature on request. As a result of the current pandemic these events did not take place in2020.

#### Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include further statements, where relevant, about:

- policy on grantmaking;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.

Grants can be made to individuals or organisations on application to the trustees. These applications are judged by the Society's Council of Administration on their individual merit.

## Section D

## Achievements and performance

Section D	Achievements and performance
Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year	One application was made for financial and other support by The Armourers and Braziers Company with a forthcoming 700 <sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration. The trustees agreed to consider this application on receipt of more detailed information.
	Work on the school's essay competition has continued with a possible start date of September 2021.
	The Journal of The Arms and Armour Society continues to be published and is available to members and non-members on application.
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## **Financial review**

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves	Five thousand pounds are held in reserve to sustain publication of the Society's journal.
Details of any funds materially in deficit	None
Further financial review de	etails (Optional information)
<ul> <li>You may choose to include additional information, where relevant about:</li> <li>the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);</li> <li>how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;</li> <li>investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.</li> </ul>	

# Section G

# Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

T.G.Bennett

Signature(s)

Thomas Gerald Bennett

Secretary

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Date

# Arms and Armour Society

#### **INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT**

#### <u>2020</u>

INCOME	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u> <u>EXPENDITURE</u>		<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
Subscriptions	£8,222	£8,193	Post	£2,589	£1,787
Advertisements	880	1140	Stationary	147	229
Tie Sales	0	51	Journal	5822	4630
Binder Sales	235	0	0 Print		619
Back Numbers	106	71	FESAC/HBSA	120	403
Donations	30	42	Audit	40	0
Bank Interest	50	127	Insurance	398	383
Mem. Sticks etc.	261	60	Sundries	0	21
			PO Box	200	200
Sundry	0	25	Purch/stock adj	-84	
Publishers Licence	1194	1001	Memory Sticks	100	160
			<b>Depreciation computer</b>	20%97	97
			Web	33.3% 521	£317
			Zoom Licence	£144	
			Excess Income	<u>£216</u>	<u>£1,864</u>
	£10,978	£10,710		£10,978	£10,710

# Arms and Armour Society

### **Balance Sheet**

**31st December** 2020

ASSETS			LIABILITIES				
	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	2020			<u>2019</u>	
Bank							
Santander	£63,791	£63,591	General Fund £17,008		£17,008	£15,144	
Barclays	£6,307	6796	Inc. & Exp. Account	t 216			1864
	70098	70387			17224		17008
Memory Sticks	146	160					
Medals	300	300	T. North	£48,884		£48,605	
Binders	11	60	interest	183		254	
Ties	851	693	Book Sales	£0	49067	25	48884
Debtors	260	0					
Computer	290	387	Creditors				£971
Website	0	614	Journal Reserve		5000		5000
Adjustment	53	317	Advance Subs		718		1055
	£72,009	£72,918		_	£72,009	-	£72,918

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