



**West Dunbartonshire Council Charitable Trusts**  
**Financial Statement for the year ended 31 March 2024**

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**Trustees' Annual Report**

**Introduction**

The Trustees present the annual report together with the Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March 2024.

**Administration Information**

West Dunbartonshire Council (the Council) is sole Trustee for all Trust Funds with the exception of Dunbartonshire Educational Trust Scheme 1962 and McAuley Prize for Mathematics. The table below identifies the Trustees for 2023/24.

<b>Trust Funds</b>	<b>Charity Number</b>	<b>Trustees</b>	<b>Local Authority</b>	<b>Contact Address</b>
Alexander Cameron Bequest	SC025070	Provost Douglas McAllister Councillor Daniel Lennie Councillor June McKay Councillor Lawrence O'Neill Councillor Clare Steel Councillor Diane Docherty Councillor Jim McElhill Councillor Lauren Oxley Councillor Gordon Scanlan Councillor Sophie Traynor	West Dunbartonshire Council	West Dunbartonshire Council, Church Street, Dumbarton, G82 1QL
UIE Award	SC025070	Provost Douglas McAllister Laura Mason (Chief Officer – Education) Laurence Slavin (Chief Officer – Resources) Liz Connolly (Principal)	West Dunbartonshire Council West Dunbartonshire Council West Dunbartonshire Council West College Scotland	West Dunbartonshire Council, Church Street, Dumbarton, G82 1QL
Dunbartonshire Education Trust	SC025070	Councillor Clare Steel Councillor John Millar Councillor Hazel Sorrell Councillor James McPhilemy Councillor Gordon Currie	West Dunbartonshire Council West Dunbartonshire Council West Dunbartonshire Council North Lanarkshire Council North Lanarkshire Council	West Dunbartonshire Council, Church Street, Dumbarton, G82 1QL
McAuley Prize for Mathematics	SC025070	Councillor Lynda Williamson Councillor Callum McNally Councillor Math Campbell-Sturgess	East Dunbartonshire Council East Dunbartonshire Council Argyll and Bute Council	

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**Objectives and 2023/24 Activity**

All trusts are advertised on the Council's website and details have been passed to West Dunbartonshire Community and Volunteering Service (WDCVS) to publicise them.

The objectives and activities of each of the Trusts are detailed below:

<b>Charity Number</b>	<b>Trust Fund</b>	<b>Objective</b>	<b>2023/24 Activity</b>
SC018701	Dr A K Glen Fund	The benefit of the people of Dumbarton, to assist and relieve those in need by reason of age.	No awards. Fund is now closed.
SC025070	Alexander Cameron Bequest	The benefit of the people of Clydebank to assist those in need by reason of age, ill health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage.	One grant was awarded during 2023/24 as detailed within note 3.
SC025070	UIE Award	For students studying apprenticeships or training in industry.	No awards but work to review and modernise the Trust's governance arrangements to encourage funding applications in the future continues.
SC025070	Dunbartonshire Educational Trust Scheme 1962	Awards educational prizes and bursaries.	No awards for either. Trustees continue to seek clarification as to amendments to the governance arrangements.
SC025070	McAuley Prize for Mathematics	Provides prizes for those studying maths and computing	As these Trusts are governed by statute, discussions are ongoing between the Council (as Administrator) and Scottish Ministers and Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator (OSCR) regarding these arrangements.

**Structure and Governance**

West Dunbartonshire Council Charitable Trusts are OSCR registered. The governance arrangements are under the control of the Council which appoints trustees as required. The current list of trustees are shown within the table on page 3.

Following a review of the governance documents, it was agreed at Council on 31 August 2016 that the Alexander Cameron Bequest Trust Fund noted below would be delegated to the Alexander Cameron Committee.

















