

Pastiche Musical Theatre Constitution- Summary: July 2024

Our objectives

For the public benefit, promote the arts of drama, music and dance in Hillingdon and the surrounding areas through in particular but not exclusively the arts of musical theatre;

- a. by enabling the instruction of dance, music and drama which supports people of all levels of experience and ability;
- b. by enabling the local community to have affordable access to the dramatic arts; and
- to further develop local community appreciation of said art through staging of performances and other activities.
- The income and property of Pastiche must be applied solely towards the promotion of our objectives.
- Pastiche may hire services, equipment and spaces, and purchase property such as costumes.
- Treasurer operates a bank account and prepares financial statements for Members' approval

Trustees		
Minimum of 5Maximum of 9	Term of office until next AGMMay be reappointed at AGM	3 month notice period
Appointed by Members voteMay be removed by 66% Members vote	 Trustees decisions by simple majority voting. Chair has casting vote. 	 Trustees manage all matters Minimum 4 minuted meetings per year 66% quorate

Trustees: Fiona Bailey, Daniel Cox, Olivia Holburd, Byron Jones, Deborah Langford (Secretary), Shivashtie Poonwassie, Matthew Ridley, Margaret Warren (Chair), Michael Wright (Treasurer)

Members

Each Member of Pastiche to exercise their powers as a Member of Pastiche in the way they decide in good faith would be most likely to further the purposes of Pastiche.

- Membership and involvement is open to all.
- Trustees may decline application to be a Member, if just reason, with right of appeal.
- Members pay subscription
- Membership grades and fees decided by Trustees.
- Annual AGM, maximum interval of 15 months.
- 14 days' notice of AGM
- EGMs may be called

- Vote at AGM by anonymous poll if requested by 10% of Members
- 33% attendance for AGM to be quorate
- 20% of Members can propose resolutions.
- 20% of Members can require an AGM, to be held within 28 days
- Simple majority vote at AGM for ordinary decisions
- 75% vote required to change constitution or wind up Pastiche

Informal and associate membership

Trustees may create associate membership such as Friends of Pastiche.

Associates are non-voting

Honorary roles

Trustees may at their discretion create and appoint persons to Honorary roles, such as patron and President, for a term of the Trustees choice.