# **FINANCIAL REPORT**

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

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## **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

The directors present their report on The Society for Creative Anachronism Ltd for the financial year ended 31 December 2024.

#### 1. General Information

#### Directors

The names of the directors in office at any time during, or since the end of, the year are:

Name		
Katherine Rowell		Resigned May 2024
Tam Hovenga		
Tegan Brinkman		
Rachel Horne		Resigned Nov 2024
Alex Seith		Resigned May 2024
David Potter	Appointed May 2024	
Amanda LÉstrelle	Appointed May 2024	
Deborah Lane	Appointed May 2024	Resigned Dec 2024
Nicole Hellessey	Appointed Dec 2024	
Catherine Connor	Appointed Jan 2025	

Directors have been in office since the start of the financial year to the date of this report unless otherwise stated.

#### Information on directors

Tam Hovenga Period for which this pe	rson was a Director:	Tomas van den Hove (VIC) Jan 2022 - Present
Qualifications	Bachelor of Arts, Deakin, 2020	
	Diploma of Community Services, Melbo	urne Polytechnic, 2020
Experience	Currently working in community services	
•	Previously on the Board of Directors for	-
	In the SCA for over 31 years.	·····
	Baronial Reeve (2 years)	
	Stewarded several large SCA events	
SCA Awards	Award of Arms (2004)	
	Golden Tear (2015)	
	Baronial Commendation (2017)	
	Silver Drakkar (2017)	
	Royal Cypher (2018)	
	Order of the Mouse Guard (2023)	
Special responsibilities	Treasurer (from 1 May 2022)	
	Chair (from 1 May 2024)	
Katherine Rowell		Altani Khaligu (NSW)
Period for which this pe	rson was a Director:	May 2021 - May 2024

 Period for which this person was a Director:
 May 2021 - May 2024

 Qualifications
 Associate Diploma - Library Technician

 Bachelor of Arts (Classical Civilisation/Celtic Studies/ Religious Studies)

# **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

Experience	Mundane		
	Library Technician- Sydney Conservator	ium of Music, The University of	
	Sydney, 1995-2006	· · · · ·	
	Space and Timetabling Coordinator- Syc	Iney Conservatorium of Music, The	
	University of Sydney, 2006-	•	
	P&C Secretary, Tower Street Public Sch	ool- 2019-2021	
	P&C President, Tower Street Public Scho		
	SCA		
	Member of the SCA since 1998- to prese	ent	
	Held College Reeve office- 2000-2001		
	Reigned as Princess- Jan 2001 - Jul 200	)1	
	Reigned as Baroneess (Rowany/NSW) -		
	Reigned as Queen - Jan 2015 - July 201	•	
	Reigned as Queen - Jul 2018 - Jan 2019		
	Rowany Festival Timetable Officer-2014		
SCA Awards	Kingdom Awards	, _ 0	
	Award of Arms, 2000		
	Viscounty, 2001		
	Princess' Cypher, 2002		
	Princess' Cypher, 2002		
	Royal Cypher, 2003		
	Queen's Cypher, 2006		
	Queen's Cypher, 2008		
	Star and Lily, 2009		
	Court Barony, 2011		
	Rowan, 2012		
	Royal Cypher, 2014		
	County, 201,		
	Rose, 2015		
	Coronaria, 2015		
	Golden Tear, 2017		
	Star and Lily, 2018		
	Duchy, 2019		
	Baronial Awards		
	Order of the Golden Staple		
	Silver Cinquefoil		
	Order of the Dovetail		
Special responsibilities	Deputy Chair (from 1 May 2022 to 7 May	2023)	
	Chair (from 7 May 2023)		
Tegan Brinkman		Genevieve Blackwolf (SA)	
Period for which this per	son was a Director:	May 2022 - Present	
Qualifications	Bachelor of Archaeology, Flinders Unive	rsity (2016)	
	Nies Program, 2015		
	Diploma of Business, TAFE SA (2 units from completion		
	Masters of Teaching (paused due to Cov	/id)	

# **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

Experience	Secretary for two different Re-enactment not for profit groups in their policy creation
SCA Awards Special responsibilities	Worked on starting up a small business through the Nies Program Award of Arms (2020) Secretary (from 1 May 2023)
Alex Selth	Sigvaldr Svithandi (ACT)
Period for which this per	
Qualifications:	Master of International Security (USYD, 2016)/ Bachelor of Arts (USYD, 2013)
Experience:	Combined 13 years of SCA office holding at College, Baronial, and Kingdom level, of 15 offices, 30+ events on formal stewarding teams, 9 years NSW and Australian public service:
SCA awards	Court Barony, Queen's Cypher, Silver Pegasus, Order of the Rapier (twice), Royal Cypher, Golden Tear, Award of Arms
Special Responsibilities	None
Rachel Horne	Liadan ingen Fheradaig
Period for which the per	
Qualifications	Rachel is mundanely a lawyer, with experience in commercial, government and maritime law. Rachel will graduate with a PhD in 2024, and has various post grad
Experience	and under grad qualifications. Rachel is a longstanding SCA Peer (Knight and Rose) and semi-active member of Politarchopolis. Rachel has previously held various deputy Kingdom and Baronial positions including Deputy Kingdom Events and Deputy Hospitaller, together with numerous stints as Chamberlain and Guard member for Royals. Rachel has been a member of the SCA on and off for 30 years (i.e. since she was a child). Rachel holds an extensive list of awards, including for service, grace, and fighting prowess.
SCA Awards	Award of arms Royal Cypher Hector County Rose Golden Sword Duchy Rowan Golden Tear Red Wyvern Chivalry Lochac Order of Grace Wreath of Valour Court Barony Golden Coranae
Special Responsibilities	None

# **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

Nicole Gail Hellessey Period for which the per	son was a director	Anna Felice Tavestoche Dec 2024 - Present
Qualifications	Bachelor of Marine Science (2010)	
	Master of Marine and Antarctic Sciences	
	Doctor of Philosophy (Biochemistry) (207	19)
Experience	In the SCA for 20 years	
	Seneschal of College (2008) and Barony	
	Landed B&B of Ynys Fawr (Tasmania) ( Student liaison to Institute Board (IMAS)	
	Secretary of BOTES society (2018)	(2018)
	Pride in Polar Research (PiPR) Committ	ee Member (2021-2023)
	Leadership Steering Group Member for	
	Committee for Antarctic Research (SCA	
SCA Awards	Award of Arms (2007)	
	Golden Tear (2016)	
	Court Barony (2020)	(2222)
Special Despensibilities	Argent Comet (Meridies service award)	2023)
Special Responsibilities	None	
Devid Detter		
David Potter		Norbert of Iken
Period for which the per	son was a director	Norbert of Iken May 2024 - Present
Period for which the per Qualifications	Bachelor of Science, Melbourne Uni, 198	May 2024 - Present
Period for which the per	Bachelor of Science, Melbourne Uni, 198 Currently working at CBA	May 2024 - Present
Period for which the per Qualifications	Bachelor of Science, Melbourne Uni, 198 Currently working at CBA Treasurer of:	May 2024 - Present
Period for which the per Qualifications	Bachelor of Science, Melbourne Uni, 198 Currently working at CBA Treasurer of: Frog and Tadpole Study Group	May 2024 - Present
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# **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

Mandy LÉstrelle Period for which the per		Violetta Vasari May 2024 - Present
SCA Awards	Award of Arms - 5 July 2008 Golden Tear - 6 June 2011 Royal Cypher - 2 July 2011 Star and Lily - 10 May 2014 Silver Pegasus - 26 September 2015 Prometheus - 20 January 2016 Cockatrice - 19 January 2017 Golden Poyntel - 4 November 2017 Laurel - 2 November 2024	
Special Responsibilities	None	
Deborah Lane Period for which the pera Qualifications	son was a director Batchelor of Arts, Art History and Curato Batchelor of Arts, Cultural Heritage Batchelor of Arts, Materials Conservatio	
Experience	<ul> <li>Involved with the SCA for 32 years.</li> <li>Previous SCA roles: <ul> <li>Politarchopalis-</li> <li>Arts and Sciences Minister</li> <li>Seneschal</li> </ul> </li> <li>Borderscros- <ul> <li>Arts and Sciences Minister</li> <li>Chirugeon</li> </ul> </li> <li>Professional credentials include: <ul> <li>Conservator</li> <li>Small business owner</li> <li>Army Warrent Officer</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
SCA Awards	Award of Arms - 1995 Roman Lilies - 1996 Leaf of Merit - 1997 Laurel - 2004	
Special Responsibilities	None	
Catherine Connor	oon woo o director	Catherine James of Glastonbur Jan 2025 - Present
Period for which the pera Qualifications	Bachelor of Education (1978) Syd Uni	Jan 2025 - Present
Experience	Master of Education (2002), Uni of Canb In the SCA from 1980-1984, 2006-prese Chirurgeon of Politarchopolis (2014??? Herald (2010) Scribe Teacher 1980-2014 Volunteer work with St John's Care and	nt )

## **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

### 1. General Information (continued)

SCA Awards	Award of Arms - 27 October 2007
	Fellowship of Grace (Politarcoplis 2009)
	Golden Staple (Rowany 2014)
	Burley Griffin (Politarcoplis 2015)
	Royal Cypher - 16 January 2016
	Golden Tear - 30 November 2019
	Court Baroness in the Court of Aonghus and Ginevra - 2023
	Rowan - 30 November 2024

## Objectives

The Company is an affiliated part of an international organisation devoted to the research and recreation of preseventeenth century life, encouraging its participants to employ knowledge of history to enrich their lives and the lives of others through events, demonstrations, experimental archaeology and other educational avenues.

## Principal activities

Activities during a typical year will comprise:

- Festivals and multi-day camping events, with attendances of 100 1,000 people
- Tournaments and other events involving armoured combat, fencing, archery and equestrian activities
- Arts and sciences events, such as renaissance dancing balls
- Cultural events, including feasts and period games and competitions
- Regularly scheduled training in armoured and rapier combat, and target archery
- Regularly scheduled workshops in arts, crafts and sciences
- Educational activities and short-course training in combat, arts and crafts
- Publication of research, newsletters and educational materials developed by members

#### Performance measures

The following measures are used within the Company to monitor performance:

- Number of members, and retention of members over time
- Kingdom and baronial awards
- Activity levels (physical and virtual participation in regular and special events)
- Quality and accuracy of re-enactment
- Publication of newsletters and education materials
- Registration of names, arms and devices
- The formation of, and activities of guilds, orders and special interest groups

#### Members' guarantee

The Society for Creative Anachronism Ltd is a company limited by guarantee. In the event of, and for the purpose of winding up of the company, the amount capable of being called up from each member is limited to \$2.00 for members that are corporations and \$2.00 for all other members, subject to the provisions of the company's constitution.

At 31 December 2024 the collective liability of members was \$2,284 (2023: \$2,256).

## DIRECTORS' REPORT

#### 2. Other items

## **Meetings of Directors**

During the financial year, 10 meetings of directors (including committees of directors) were held. Attendances by each director during the year were as follows:

Directors	Number Attended
Katherine Rowell	4
Tam Hovenga	10
Tegan Brinkman	9
Alex Selth	4
Rachel Horne	9
David Potter	5
Amanda LÉstrelle	6
Debora Lane	4
Dr Nicole Hellessey	0

#### Auditor's independence declaration

The lead auditor's independence declaration in accordance with section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001, for the year ended 31 December 2024 has been received and can be found on page 7 of the financial report.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors:

Director:

Tam Hovenga

Dated this 19th day of May 2025





The Directors Society for Creative Anachronism Ltd PO Box 4160 Weston Creek, ACT 2611

Dear Directors,

## Auditor's Independence Declaration Under Section 307C of the *Corporations Act 2001*

We hereby declare, that to the best of our knowledge and belief, during the financial year ended 31 December 2024 there have been:

- (i) no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements as set out in the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the Review; and
- (ii) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the Review.

#### **Camphin Boston**

**Chartered Accountants** 

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Rob Cooper Lead Auditor

Sydney Dated this 19<sup>th</sup> day of May 2025.

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# STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

		2024	2023
	Note	\$	\$
Revenue			
Event income		264,577	301,234
Non-event income		49,618	39,642
Membership fees		47,210	45,679
Event insurance		9,108	8,733
Donations		11,046	12,474
Other income		21,539	6,221
Total Revenue	_	403,098	413,983
Expenses			
Affiliation fees		(5,188)	(191)
Event expenses		(219,911)	(251,203)
Insurance expenses		(23,629)	(20,410)
Non-event expenses		(97,141)	(116,551)
Kingdom expenses		(13,415)	(5,743)
Equipment	_	(20,107)	(19,695)
Total expenses		(379,391)	(413,793)
Profit/(loss) before income tax	_	23,707	191
Income tax benefit/(expense)	-	-	
Profit/(loss) after income tax	_	23,707	191
	=		
Other comprehensive income, net of income tax			
Other comprehensive income	_	-	-
Total comprehensive profit/(loss) for the year	=	23,707	191

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2024

		2024	2023
	Note	\$	\$
ASSETS			
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	3	515,123	427,481
Trade and other receivables	4	34,650	38,144
Total current assets	_	549,773	465,626
Non-Current assets	-	-	-
TOTAL ASSETS	-	549,773	465,626
LIABILITIES			
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	5	122,656	62,217
Total current liabilities	_	122,656	62,217
Non-Current liabilities	-	-	-
TOTAL LIABILITIES	-	122,656	62,217
NET ASSETS	=	427,117	403,410
EQUITY			
Retained surplus		427,117	403,410
TOTAL EQUITY	=	427,117	403,410

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

	Retained Earnings	Total	
	\$	\$	
Balance at 1 January 2023	403,219	403,219	
Profit/(Loss) after income tax expense for the year	191	191	
Other comprehensive income for the period	-	-	
Balance at 31 December 2023	403,410	403,410	
Profit/(Loss) after income tax expense for the year	23,707	23,707	
Other comprehensive income for the period	-	-	
Balance at 31 December 2024	427,117	427,117	

## STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

		2024	2023
	Note	\$	\$
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Receipts from members & supporters		480,496	413,629
Payments to suppliers and employees		(393,182)	(389,794)
Interest received		328	354
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	7(b)	87,642	24,188
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Payments for property, plant and equipment Net cash provided by/ (used in) investing activities		<u>-</u>	<u> </u>
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Net cash provided by/ (used in) financing activities		<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Net increase/ (decrease) in cash held		87,642	24,188
Cash at the beginning of the financial year		427,481	403,293
Cash at the end of the year	7(a)	515,123	427,481

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

#### 1 Basis of Preparation

The financial statements are general purpose financial statements that have been prepared in accordance with the Australian Accounting Standards - Simplified Disclosure Requirements and the Corporations Act 2001.

The financial statements have been prepared on an accruals basis and are based on historical costs modified, where applicable, by the measurement at fair value of selected non-current assets, financial assets and financial liabilities.

Significant accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements are presented below and are consistent with prior reporting periods unless otherwise stated.

The financial report covers The Society for Creative Anachronism Ltd as an individual entity. The Society for Creative Anachronism Ltd is a not-for-profit Company limited by guarantee, incorporated and domiciled in Australia.

The functional and presentation currency of The Society for Creative Anachronism Ltd is Australian dollars.

Comparatives are consistent with prior years, unless otherwise stated.

#### 2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### (a) Revenue and other income

#### Revenue from contracts with customers

Revenue is recognised at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the company is expected to be entitled in exchange for transferring goods or services to a customer. For each contract with a customer, the company: identifies the contract with a customer; identifies the performance obligations in the contract; determines the transaction price which takes into account estimates of variable consideration and the time value of money; allocates the transaction price to the separate performance obligations on the basis of the relative stand-alone selling price of each distinct good or service to be delivered; and recognises revenue when or as each performance obligation is satisfied in a manner that depicts the transfer to the customer of the goods or services promised.

#### Specific revenue streams

The revenue recognition policies for the principal revenue streams of the Company are:

#### **Events revenue**

Events revenue is recognised when the event is held.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

#### 2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

#### Sales revenue

Fundraising and raffles are recognised when received or receivable.

#### Membership revenue

Membership revenue is recognised over the period the membership relates on an accruals basis. Any membership revenue billed or collected in advance is deferred and recorded in unearned income on the statement of Financial Position.

#### Donations

Donations are recognised at the time the pledge is made.

#### Interest

Interest revenue is recognised as interest accrues using the effective interest method. This is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset and allocating the interest income over the relevant period using the effective interest rate, which is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset to the net carrying amount of the financial asset.

#### Other revenue

Other revenue is recognised when it is received or when the right to receive payment is established.

#### (b) Income tax

The Company is exempt from income tax under Division 50 of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997.

#### (c) Goods and services tax (GST)

Revenue, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST), except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office (ATO).

Receivables and payable are stated inclusive of GST.

Cash flows in the statement of cash flows are included on a gross basis and the GST component of cash flows arising from investing and financing activities which is recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is classified as operating cash flows.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

#### 2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

#### (d) Property, plant and equipment

Plant and equipment is stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when there is no future economic benefit to the Company. Gains and losses between the carrying amount and the disposal proceeds are taken to profit or loss.

Depreciation is calculated and reported in accordance with tax legislation surrounding small business entities and relevant concessions.

#### (e) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprises cash on hand, demand deposits and short-term investments which are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value.

#### (f) Leases

At inception of a contract, the Company assesses whether a lease exists - i.e. does the contract convey the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

#### **Right-of-use assets and liabilities**

At the lease commencement, the Company recognises a right-of-use asset and associated lease liability for the lease term. The lease term includes extension periods where the Company believes it is reasonably certain that the option will be exercised.

The right-of-use asset is measured using the cost model where cost on initial recognition comprises of the lease liability, initial direct costs, prepaid lease payments, estimated cost of removal and restoration less any lease incentives received.

The right-of-use asset is depreciated over the lease term on a straight line basis and assessed for impairment in accordance with the impairment of assets accounting policy. The Company does not have any leases.

#### (g) Adoption of new and revised accounting standards

No new and revised standards have been adopted during the year.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

3 Cash and Cash Equivalents	2024 \$	2023 \$
5 Cash and Cash Equivalents		
Bank balances	515,123 515,123	427,481 427,481
4 Trade and other receivables		
Current		
Advances to branches	9,374	14,644
Prepayments	25,276	23,500
	34,650	38,144
5 Trade and other payables		
Unearned income	82,065	46,436
Accrued expenses	10,135	4,947
GST payable	21,158	3,361
Other liabilities	9,298	7,472
	122,656	62,217
6 Retained Surplus		
Retained surplus at the beginning of the financial year	403,410	403,219
Net surplus/(deficit) after income tax expense for the year	23,707	191
Retained surplus at the end of the financial year	427,117	403,410

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

7	Cash Flow Information		2024 \$	2023 \$		
7	Cash Flow Information					
(a)	<b>Reconciliation of cash</b> Cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the Statement of Cash Flows is reconciled to the related items in the statement of financial position as follows:					
	Cash at bank	3	<u>515,123</u> 515,123	<u>427,481</u> 427,481		
(b)	(b) Reconciliation of result for the year to cashflows from operating activities					
	Reconciliation of net income to net cash provided by operating activities					
	Profit for the year		23,707	191		
	Cash flows excluded from profit attributable to oper Non-cash flows in profit Depreciation and amortisation expense	rating activ	rities -	-		
	Changes in assets and liabilities					
	(increase)/decrease in trade and other receivables		3,494	3,173		
	increase/(decrease) in trade and other payables		60,441	20,824		
	Cash flows from operating activities		87,642	24,188		

## 8 Contingencies

In the opinion of the Directors, the Company did not have any contingencies at 31 December 2024 (31 December 2023: None).

#### 9 Commitments

The Company had commitments of \$10,135 as at 31 December 2024 related to general administration expenses (2023: \$4,947).

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

#### 10 Related parties

#### (a) Loans to/from related parties

There were no loans to or from related parties at the current and previous reporting date.

(b) Receivable from and payable to related parties The Company had affiliation fees payable of \$10,135 at the reporting date (2023: \$4,947).

#### 11 Events after the end of the Reporting Period

The financial report was authorised for issue on May 2025 by the Board of Directors. No matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial year which significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the Company, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Company in future financial years.

#### 12 Members guarantee

The Society for Creative Anachronism Ltd is a company limited by guarantee. In the event of, and for the purpose of winding up of the company, the amount capable of being called up from each member and any person or association who ceased to be a member in the year prior to the winding up, is limited to \$2.00 for members that are corporations and \$2.00 for all other members, subject to the provisions of the company's constitution.

At 31 December 2024 the collective liability of members was \$2,284 (2023: \$2,256).

# DIRECTORS' DECLARATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

The directors of the Company declare that:

- 1. The financial statements and notes, as set out pages 8 to 17, are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 and:
  - (a) comply with Australian Accounting Standards Simplified Disclosure Requirements; and
  - (b) give a true and fair view of the financial position as at 31 December 2024 and of the performance for the year ended on that date of the Company.
- 2. In the directors' opinion, there are seasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of directors made pursuant to s.295(5) of the Corporations Act 2001.

#### On behalf of the directors

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Director

Director

Dated this<sup>15th</sup> day of May 2025





## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT

To the members of the Society for Creative Anachronism Ltd

#### **Report on the Financial Report**

We have reviewed the accompanying financial report of the Society for Creative Anachronism Ltd, which comprises the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2024, the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year ended on that date, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the directors' declaration.

#### Board of Management's Responsibility for the Financial Report

The board of management of the company are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors/board of management determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the financial report based on our review. We conducted our review in accordance with Auditing Standard on Review Engagements ASRE 2415 *Review of a Financial Report: Company Limited by Guarantee or an Entity Reporting under the ACNC Act or Other Applicable Legislation or Regulation*, in order to state whether, on the basis of the procedures described, we have become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the financial report is not in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* including:

- giving a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 31 December 2023 and its performance for the year ended on that date; and
- complying with the Australian Accounting Standards and *Corporations Regulations* 2001.

ASRE 2415 requires that we comply with the ethical requirements relevant to the review of the financial report.

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A review of a financial report consists of making enquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

## Independence

In conducting our review, we have complied with the independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001*. We confirm that the independence declaration required by the *Corporations Act 2001*, which has been given to the board members of the Society for Creative Anachronism Ltd, would be in the same terms if given to the members as at the time of this auditor's report.

## Conclusion

Based on our review, which is not an audit, we have not become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the financial report of the Society for Creative Anachronism Ltd is not in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* including:

- a) giving a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 31 December 2024 and of its performance for the year ended on that date; and
- b) complying with Australian Accounting Standards Simplified Disclosure Standards and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*.

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Rob Cooper Lead Auditor Sydney Dated this 19th day of May 2025