Name:	Nigel Edwards
Trustee Since:	November 2025
Trust Roles:	Chair (from April 2026) and Secretary – Club/Trust Working Group Secretary – Trust Finance Group Member – Strategy Working Group and the Fundraising/Revenue Generation sub-group Member of a Club/Trust project board developing proposals for future fundraising Support role in various Trust communication exercises

Summary of Contributions for 25/26:

As Secretary and now Chair of the Club/Trust Working Group, I have helped establish it as a collaborative forum for resolving operational, financial and strategic issues at the Club. Together with my contributions to the Trust Finance Group, this has improved Club/Trust relations, supported financial stability and helped safeguard the Trust's ownership.

I have led the procurement of legal advice and discussions with solicitors on unresolved commitments to transfer Club properties to the Trust. I am negotiating revised loan agreements with the Club that will better protect members' money, underpin compliance with the Club/Trust Agreement and the provision of regular financial information.

In anticipation of a possible debt-for-equity swap, I have reviewed the Club's draft legal documentation, provided comments to the Club and worked with the Trust's solicitors to develop advice that will enable the Trust to assess the options and make an informed strategic decision alongside resolving the property transfer situation.

I have contributed to developing the Trust's new vision and led discussions on revenue-generation opportunities for the supporting strategy to be launched soon. I have also helped to develop a potential membership rewards package to encourage increased contributions and recognise loyalty.

I have played a prominent role in responding to members' questions and improving communication of progress. I have undertaken website training to maintain a Q&A page, making explanations of key issues accessible to the wider membership.

I have been an assertive and collaborative participant in monthly meetings, helping to foster a more productive Trust Board.