# Henry, Duke of Cleveland Charity use of cookies

#### Introduction

The charity endeavours to to use only cookies which are strictly necessary for the website's operation.

We use cookies on our website which are necessary for the website to work properly. A cookie is a small text file which is placed onto your device when you use our website. They help us recognise you and your device and store some information about your preferences or past actions.

You can set your browser to refuse all or some browser cookies, or to alert you when websites set or access cookies. If you disable or refuse cookies, please note that some parts of this website may become inaccessible or not function properly.

A cookie in no way gives us access to your computer or any personal information about you, other than the data that you choose to share with us.

We use cookies to analyse data about web page traffic and improve our website in order to tailor it to visitors' needs. This information helps us monitor the sites from which visitors arrived at our website, to determine which pages and features within the website are popular and deliver an improved service to website visitors.

#### What is a cookie?

A cookie is a small file that is sent to your computer or mobile phone which contains information that allows us to recognise that you have used our website before. A cookie typically contains:

- The name of the server the cookie was sent from
- The lifetime of the cookie
- A unique identifier (usually a number)

Our website server sends the cookie and uses this number to recognise you when you return to a site or browse from page to page. Only the server that sends a cookie can read, and therefore use, that cookie. This file is stored on your computer or phone hard drive. All websites can send a cookie to your browser if your browser settings allow it. Many websites do this to track on-line traffic flow.

## Accepting and declining cookies

You can choose to accept or decline cookies. Most web browsers automatically accept cookies, but you can modify your browser setting to decline cookies if you prefer. Instructions on how to do so will vary from browser to browser, but you can find out more by visiting <a href="https://www.aboutcookies.org">www.aboutcookies.org</a>.

### Disabled cookies

Some features and functionality may be lost if you choose to disable cookies. Please note that you will have to adjust the cookie settings for each browser and device you use to visit our website.