



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From **1 July 2023** Period start date

To **30 June 2024** Period end date

Charity name: **Children of Honduras Trust**

Charity registration number: **1075562**

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	The objective of the charity is to support the children of Honduras, and particularly poorer children. This will include their, feeding, education, health, and the safe environment of children.
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	The charity achieves these objectives by raising the awareness of the needs of poor children in Honduras. This is by newsletters, presentations and its website at chtrust.org.uk. The funds to finance these activities come from donations in response to the awareness programme. In addition, children in Honduras are sponsored to enter and stay in education so that they can escape the poverty trap of their parents. The primary aims of CHTrust are the following charitable purposes: The prevention or relief of poverty. The advancement of education. The advancement of health. The nourishment of children. The public benefits of the work of CHTrust in achieving its objectives are that funds are supplied in response to requests to advance the lives and prospects of children in Honduras, including: clothing, food to children in poverty, equipment for children. Also providing sponsorship and equipment to support children to enter and stay in education. It is estimated that CHTrust supports about 8000 children in Honduras through its activities. The distribution of aid is open to all children in poverty in Honduras; there are no qualifying requirements for receiving aid. The trustees of CHTrust ensure that its activities fulfil the charity's objectives and comply with the principles of public benefit of a registered charity.

Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	The trustees apply the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit.
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	
Other		

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	<p>1.1. Please see the accounts, CC16a section A3, for the total amount spent on each category.</p> <p>1.2. Provision of Food</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Food bags were supplied only to the poorest families which are in the indigenous people groups who happen to live in remote regions that are not easy to access. 1000 food bags to the Lenca, 350 to the Tolupan, and a further 100 to another group in the south. Plus biscuits and juice for the children. A total of 85300 children's meals were provided through 2 church based

		<p>feeding centres throughout the whole year.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At 6 schools, a total of 61600 meals were provided for school children, during term time. This meets the nutritional needs of the children furthering good attendance and learning. • At Vicente College in the capital, Tegucigalpa, a total of 23200 meals were supplied to 150 students over an 8 month period. • Food was provided for children's parties: 1400 meals for Christmas parties, and 450 for Day of the Child parties. • Thus the total number of meals provided for children during the year approximates to 173000. <p>1.3. Education Sponsorship</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1238 children were sponsored allowing them to attend school. This sponsorship allows the each child to access the state schools. This sponsorship may take the form of uniforms, exercise books, pens, crayons etc. according the child's needs as they progress through primary and secondary education. Without this sponsorship these children would not be able to attend state schooling and is thus very good value for money. <p>1.4. Domestic Housing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 basic house was completed during the year. In the Valle d'Angeles area. • 2 toilets and septic tanks were supplied for 2 families. • Pilas were constructed for 2 families. Pilas are an outdoor concrete box used for storing water and for clothes washing. <p>1.5. Poultry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hens were bought for the school hen houses, which had been built by parents and school PTAs. Eight hens for the Buena Vista and 10 for the Liquidambar schools. Eggs from these hens go to school kitchens and supplement the
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children's diets. The children also learn about animal husbandry.

1.6. Horticulture

- 1636 fruit trees were supplied. Types: Lemon, Mango, Papaya, Avocado, Guava, Orange, (varieties: Victoria, Valencia, Mandarin). These are a longer term investment, as although these take time to come to maturity, they then provide nutritious fruit for many years.
- £2300 was spent on seeds: sweet corn, beans and a wide variety of vegetables for both cooking and salads. Given to both schools and families.

1.7. Supporting Schools

- A large classroom was under construction at the Chiquistepe School. Not fully completed during the financial year. Also a metal safety rail and concrete floor needs completion.
- 3 school mini libraries, 3 bookcases, and 788 books supplied.

1.8. Water Projects

- Two water storage tanks of 20,000 gallon (91,000 litre) each were being constructed at Yarula to benefit the local indigenous Lenca peoples. Almost completed in the current financial year. The water comes from local springs.

1.9. Other

- Money from a specific donation was given to buy medical supplies, so that an operation could take place for a single mother with two children.
- Finances were provided to buy wood, varnish and paint to refurbish the tables that are used by the children for dining, at the church in La Ceiba. The original metal framed tables were sent out by the Trust in the containers over 10 years ago.
- To assist in the processing of the Charity's accounts in Honduras, a

		<p>photocopier was bought and also a year's internet.</p> <p>Benefit Summary.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The charity has brought relief to many, perhaps up to 8000 children, in Honduras not only in providing food but also in supporting their education which will have a lasting benefit throughout their lives, benefitting not only themselves but also their future families.
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	
Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	With a year-end balance of £57,146, the charity is considered financially sound.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	CH Trust's policy is to use the funds received, and therefore does not operate a reserves policy.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	None, see the above 2 statements.

Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	The charity only spends the funds it has and does not commit to any activity until the funding is available.
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	No funds are in deficit.
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	The charity is completely dependent upon future donations which necessarily remain uncertain. There is no indication of funding drying up, thus there is no concern about the charity's ability to continue.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	
Other		

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed , royal charter)	Para 1.25	Constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association , CIO)	Para 1.25	Association
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Appointed at AGM annually

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Children of Honduras Trust
Other name the charity uses	CH Trust
Registered charity number	1075562
Charity's principal address	20 Chapel Street, Spondon, Derby DE21 7JP

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Rita Liggett	Chairperson		AGM
2	Jennifer Cox	Treasurer		AGM
3	Adrian Cox	-	14 Apr 2024 – 30 Jun 2024	AGM
4	Guy Cooper	Secretary		AGM
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		
		The charity does not have corporate trustees

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	
		The charity does not hold any property.

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	No funds are held on behalf of others
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

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Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

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Other optional information

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Declarations

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)	<i>J A Cox</i>	<i>R E Liggett</i>
Full name(s)	Jennifer Anne Cox	Rita Elizabeth Liggett
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Treasurer	Chairperson

Date *13-04-2025*



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Charity Name
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No (if any)
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Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period
from

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1st July 2023

To

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30th June 2024

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Donations	134,478	6,910	-	141,388	130,931
Legacies	-	-	-	-	-
Gift Aid Tax Refunds	12,354	-	-	12,354	1,604
Fund Raising	775	-	-	775	1,437
Interest on Funds	288	-	-	288	210
Other income	3,792	-	-	3,792	5,279
Transfers in-flight	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	151,687	6,910	-	158,597	139,461
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	151,687	6,910	-	158,597	139,461
A3 Payments					
Building Projects	74,592	-	-	74,592	60,289
Feeding Programs	41,555	-	-	41,555	71,303
Sustainable Projects	5,613	-	-	5,613	5,890
Educational Sponsorship	18,875	-	-	18,875	11,971
Other Educational Projects	5,824	-	-	5,824	15,006
Operating Costs	4,708	-	-	4,708	10,366
Support/Admin Costs	3,206	-	-	3,206	3,866
Other Expenses	3,050	-	-	3,050	11,076
Transfers in-flight	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	157,423	-	-	157,423	189,767
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	157,423	-	-	157,423	189,767
Net of receipts/(payments)	- 5,736	6,910	-	1,174	- 50,306
A5 Transfers between funds	6,000	- 6,000	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	54,301	1,671	-	55,972	106,279
Cash funds this year end	54,565	2,581	-	57,146	55,973

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Bank Accounts	55,664	2,581	-
	Cash Accounts	- 1,099	-	-
		-	-	-
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	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))			

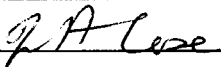
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B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
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		-	-	-
		-	-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
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B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use			-	-
			-	-
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			-	-
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			-	-
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	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities			-	
			-	
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Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	Jennifer A Cox	14-4-25



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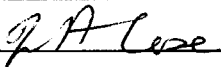
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