

# *Children in Hunger*

*Registered Charity Number 1077628*

*Independently Examined Accounts  
for the year ended 31 August 2024*

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Children in Hunger  
Year ended 31 August 2024

Children in Hunger is registered with the Charity Commission of England and Wales number 1077628.

Children in Hunger is governed by Declaration of Trust made on the 1<sup>st</sup> May 1999, with supplemental deeds executed on the 24<sup>th</sup> September 1999 and 1<sup>st</sup> April 2007.

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## Principal Activity

The principal activity of Children in Hunger during the period under review was the relief of child poverty in Brazil, through the provision of food, education, medical care and clothing.

## Projects

Children in Hunger funded and managed projects in 11 locations in Brazil during the period under review. They were in the city of Fortaleza and the towns of Ipueiras and Macambira in the state of Ceará, in the rural town of São Miguel do Araguaia, in the state of Goiás, the indigenous villages of Barreira Branca, Weheria, Mirindiba, Itxeó and Cachoeirinha, all in the state of Tocantins, and in the cities of Salvador and Lauro de Freitas in the state of Bahia.

To date over 15,000 children and young people have benefited from our work.

Trustees who held office during the year 2023-2024

Graham Townsend (Chairman)	1 Sep 2023 – 31 Aug 2024
Antônia Rosimeire Alves de Sousa	1 Sep 2023 – 31 Aug 2024
Donald Ephraim Thorpe	1 Sep 2023 – 31 Aug 2024
Lucy Barr	1 Sep 2023 – 31 Aug 2024
Eamonn Gowing	1 Aug 2024 - 31 Aug 2024

None of the Trustees, or any person connected with them, received any remuneration or benefits of any kind from the Trust during the year.

Key personnel during the year 2023-2024

Andreia Alves da Silva Lopes. Co-ordinator Fortaleza Projects

Marcos Pereira da Silva, Co-ordinator São Miguel do Araguaia, Mirindiba, Itxeó and Cachoeirinha Projects

Antonio Francisco Azevedo, Co-ordinator Ipueiras & Macambira Projects

Tatiana Nascimento, Co-ordinator Barreira Branca Project

Marly Redman Co-ordinator Weheria Project

Ana Libório Co-ordinator Salvador Projects

Luciana del Mestre Co-ordinator Lauro de Freitas Project

None of the Key Personnel or any person connected with them, received any remuneration or benefits of any kind from the Trust during the year.

## Volunteers during the year 2023-2024

### Volunteers - UK

Peter Beynon  
Lee Marchant  
Amanda Marchant  
Keith Redman

### Volunteers – Brazil

#### Fortaleza

Cissera Andrea Alves da Silva Costa  
Maria Stella Cunha Pacheco  
Dra Maria Virginia Almeida  
Fr Eamonn Gowing  
Fr Martin Murray  
Francisco Rayanne Sousa dos Anjos  
Adalaide Correia da Silva  
Carlene Carneiro de Souza  
Antônio Edvaldo da Silva  
Antonio Benoni  
Ana Lourdes Lima Oliveira  
Lilian Vitoria Madeira  
Rosiana Furtado  
Filipe Pinto Graca  
Marcia Arrais da Silva  
Francisco Celio Saraiva  
Milene Queiroz  
Francicleudia Rodrigues de Paulo  
Ana Celia Queiroz  
Milene Queiroz

#### Ipueiras & Macambira

Núbia Marques Duarte  
Deuzilane Barros  
Francisco Douglas Barbosa  
Gabriel Silva Azevedo  
Luzia Sousa Nobre

#### Salvador

Eliana de Virgens Barbosa  
Viviane Barbosa de Oliveira  
Eric de Virgens Barbosa

#### Lauro de Freitas

Rama Moura de Jesus  
Tainá Brito  
Tereza Cristiana del Rey  
Luiza Moura

#### Sao Miguel do Araguaia

Geraldo Rodrigues  
Sandro Lopes  
Elaine Santana Garcia  
Marly Redman  
Lukeire Texeira de Paula Silva  
Lavinia de Paula Silva  
Leidyane Santos Silva

### **Chairman's Report**

This year, as in recent years, we have found it very difficult raising funds, due to the ongoing poor economic situation in the UK, from where all our funding comes. We also have the problem of many funders no longer regarding Brazil as a poor country, despite the immense poverty to be found there. As well as this, child poverty in Brazil gets no media coverage at all in the UK, despite being a lot worse than in many countries which receive huge media coverage.

This year our income was £68,375. However, this included donations from the Trustees and their families of £30,000, which they decided to make to cover the shortfall in funding received, thus enabling Children in Hunger to continue all its vital work, without having to reduce the number of children benefiting or avoid having to close any projects.

Another problem we had to contend with was increase in costs of everything in Brazil, caused by Brazil's out-of-control inflation, particularly in Fortaleza, our main area of operation, which has the country's highest inflation, However, we have been helped favourable exchange rate, due to a very strong Pound.

Despite all of this, I am pleased to report that, to date, over 15,000 impoverished children and young people have benefited from our work.

As in previous years, our main area of operation is in the city of Fortaleza, located in Brazil's poor north-east region, where we run feeding and education programs, and this year we re-started the Vocational Training program for unemployed teenagers and young people, which was the first one since the pandemic. We have also continued to give help to poor families suffering extreme hardship, by way of monthly food parcels and financial support.

We also continue to run feeding programs in the poor rural town of São Miguel do Araguaia in the state of Goiás, and in Ipeúras and Macambira in rural Ceará, and for children from the indigenous villages of Barreira Branca, Weheria, Mirindiba, Itxeó and Cachoeirina, all located on Bananal Island in the state of Tocantins. We are also involved in feeding and education programs in the cities of Salvador and Lauro de Freitas, in the state of Bahia. These are in partnership with, and administered by UK charity Children of Bahia.

I would like to thank our Project Co-ordinators and our small group of dedicated volunteers, both here and in Brazil, for all their hard work throughout the year, Along with everyone who has made donations, both large and small, without whom we would not be able to continue this vital work.

Graham Townsend  
Chair of Trustees

Number of children and young people who have benefited from our work

	Year Started	Feeding	Education	Vocational Training	Medical Care
<b>Fortaleza</b>	2000	<b>5,602</b>	<b>4,125</b>	<b>928</b>	<b>691</b>
<b>Ipueiras</b>	2007	<b>253</b>	-	-	-
<b>Macambira</b>	2007	<b>368</b>	-	-	-
<b>Barreira Branca</b>	2008	<b>213</b>	-	-	-
<b>São Miguel do Araguaia</b>	2008	<b>1,171</b>	<b>412</b>	-	<b>19</b>
<b>Mirindiba</b>	2013	<b>60</b>	-	-	-
<b>Cachoeirinha</b>	2013	<b>17</b>	-	-	-
<b>Belford Roxo</b>	2021	<b>43</b>	-	-	<b>18</b>
<b>Weheria</b>	2022	<b>53</b>	-	-	-
<b>Salvador **</b>	2023	<b>378</b>	<b>430</b>	-	<b>178</b>
<b>Lauro de Freitas**</b>	2023	<b>138</b>	<b>138</b>	-	<b>1</b>
<b>Itxeó</b>	2024	<b>20</b>	-	-	-
<b>Uberlândia *</b>	2007	60	-	-	-

\*\* Projects run in partnership with, and administered by partner, UK registered charity Children of Bahia

\*temporarily suspended



## Areas Of Operation Within Brazil

CITY / TOWN	STATE	STARTED	CHILDREN BENEFITING
FORTALEZA	CEARÁ	2000	11,346
IPUEIRAS	CEARÁ	2007	253
MACAMBIRA	CEARÁ	2007	368
BARREIRA BRANCA	TOCANTINS	2008	213
SÃO MIGUEL DO ARAGUAIA	GOIÁS	2008	1,602
MIRINDIBA	TOCANTINS	2013	60
CACHOEIRINHA	TOCANTINS	2013	17
BELFORD ROXO	RIO DE JANEIRO	2021	61
WEHERIA	TOCANTINS	2022	53
SALVADOR	BAHIA	2023	986
LAURO DE FREITAS	BAHIA	2023	277
ITXEÓ	TOCANTINS	2024	20
UBERLÂNDIA	MINAS GERAIS	2007	60
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>15,316</b>



Children In Hunger  
Year Ended 31<sup>st</sup> August 2024

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I have independently examined the attached Income & Expenditure Account and Balance Sheet for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> August 2024 from the books, records, information and explanations so presented to me by the Trustees. I certify that it is in accordance therewith.

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London E18 1LW

K.A. Redman ACMA CGMA  
23<sup>th</sup> September 2024

## Children in Hunger

Charity registration number 1077628

### Income & Expenditure Account for year ending 31.08.24

	2023-24	2022-23
<u>Income</u>	£	£
Grants & donations received	68,375	69,146
Interest received	0	0
Total income	<u>68,375</u>	<u>69,146</u>
 <u>Expenditure</u>		
Cost of generating funds	2,046	1,542
Charitable activities	66,581	64,795
Management & admin costs	1,560	1,694
Total expenditure	<u>70,187</u>	<u>68,031</u>
Net Surplus / (Deficit)	1,812	1,115

Approved by

G. Townsend (Trustee) ..... Date 23/9/24

L. Barr (Trustee) ..... Date 23/09/24

Independently examined by

K.A. Redman ACMA CGMA ..... Date 23/9/24

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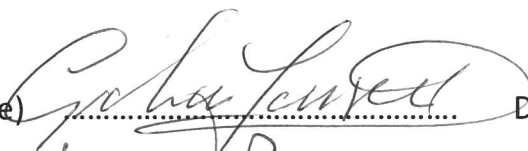
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Balance Sheet as at 31<sup>st</sup> August 2024

	2023-24	2022-23
	£	£
<b>Fixed Assets</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Current Assets</b>		
Debtors	0	0
Cash at bank and in hand	387	2,199
<b>Current liabilities</b>		
Creditors due within one year	0	0
Net current assets	387	2,199
Creditors due in more than one year	0	0
Net assets/ (liabilities)	387	2,199
<b>Funds of the charity</b>		
Unrestricted income funds	387	2,199
Total funds	387	2,199


Approved by:

G. Townsend (Trustee)



Date 23/9/24

L. Barr (Trustee)



Date 23/09/24

Independently examined by:

K.A. Redman ACMA CGMA

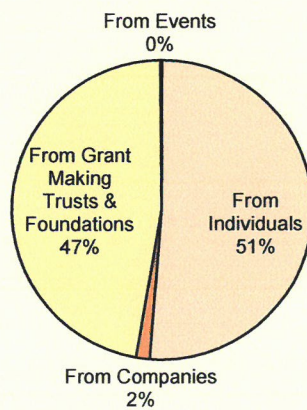


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## Breakdown of Income for Year Ending 31.08.24

Income received during this financial year breaks down as follows:-

From Individuals	£35,058
From Companies	£1,000
From Grant Making Trusts & Foundations	£32,200
From Events	£117
Total	£68,375





### Income & Expenditure over the last 10 years

