



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 01 March 2022 **To** 28 February 2023

Charity name: East Coast Truckers Charity

Charity registration number: 1082023

Objectives and Activities

Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	To aid/assist any disabled or disadvantaged children in the east Anglia region who have registered on our database.
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.	We supply 2/3-day trips, a Christmas party, a trip to the Christmas circus and our annual children's convoy event. The charity also provides 1-week holidays throughout the year for registered children and their families.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Yes, the trustees are aware of the guidance.

Achievements and Performance

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.	<p>Holidays and day trips that we provide may not otherwise be possible due to individual conditions of the children that we assist. We ensure that these are family events and cater for any requirements to make the events special.</p> <p>Our annual convoy is well known not only locally but across the country, attracting media coverage and several thousand spectators along the route. This not only makes the day an unforgettable experience for the children involved but brings a vast increase of people to the area thus benefiting our local economy.</p>
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Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	With 2 Large public donations this year the charity is in a strong position to further the work that we do and grow the offering that we have to the children on our database.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Currently our reserves are held in a secure investment account. This was a one of donation that was invested to ensure the continuation of the charity if general funds were to be depleted.
Amount of reserves held	Total (as advised 05/04/23) £70,942.57
Reasons for holding zero reserves	n/a
Details of fund materially in deficit	n/a
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	None.

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:	n/a
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	
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	Trustees are proposed and voted into position each year at the annual AGM.

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	East Coast Truckers Charity
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1082023
Charity's principal address	11 Oxcroft Acle Norwich NR13 3JP

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	Ian Mackie	Chair		
2	Trevor Howlett	Vice Chair		
3	Dale Johnson	Treasurer		
4	Marcus Hambling	Health & Safety		
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	n/a
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	n/a
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	n/a

Exemptions from disclosure



Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

n/a

Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Ian Mackie	Dale Johnson
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair	Treasurer
Date	29/12/2023	

East Coast Truckers Charity - Overall picture

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