

KAREN ACTION GROUP

England & Wales · Charity number 1102446

Details

Other names KAG

Status Registered

Legal form Other

Registered 2004-03-02

Register [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

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Activities

Objects: TO RELIEVE POVERTY, ADVANCE EDUCATION, PRESERVE AND PROTECT THE HEALTH OF THE KAREN PEOPLE LIVING IN THAILAND AND BURMA (THE AREA OF BENEFIT.

Activities: KAG helps support projects for spiritual, humanitarian & educational within Burma & Thailand.- Provide relief aid to homeless Karen on the Thai-Burmese boarder.- Helping to set up long term sustainable projects to help in agriculture & education for the Karen people.- Supporting student education in a Bible school in Chang Mai, North Thailand.Educating within UK about Karen issues

Classification

- **How:** Makes Grants To Organisations, Provides Human Resources, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** General Charitable Purposes, Education/training, The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives, Disability, The Prevention Or Relief Of Poverty, Overseas Aid/famine Relief, Religious Activities
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People, People With Disabilities, People Of A Particular Ethnic Or Racial Origin, Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** FOR THE KAREN PEOPLE LIVING IN THAILAND AND BURMA.
- Burma
- Thailand
- Devon
- Somerset

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£30,383	£28,315	-	-
2024-03-31	£15,575	£14,611	-	-
2023-03-31	£15,721	£18,992	-	-
2022-03-31	£16,254	£12,746	-	-
2021-03-31	£16,469	£20,889	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
DAVID JAMES LEWIS	Chair	
CAROLE PITMAN		
David Searle		2024-01-01
James King		2024-01-01
SPENCER KINGDOM		

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Accounts

Trustees' Annual Report 2024-2025

Charity name: Karren Action Group

Charity registration number: 1102446

Trustees:

David James Lewis, David Searle, James King, Carole Pitman, Spencer Kingdom

Structure, governance and management

The charity is governed by its governing document and managed by the trustees, who meet as required to make decisions regarding the charity's activities and finances.

Objectives and activities

The charity's objectives are to advance education, relieve poverty and hardship, and provide humanitarian aid to Karen people and other vulnerable individuals in Myanmar, Thailand, and related regions. During the year, the trustees continued to pursue these objectives through the provision of aid.

Achievements and performance

- Sent funds to support the improvement of students' education
- Supported agricultural development to provide food for Karen students and their families
- Assisted single homeless mothers and their babies with accommodation, education and welfare
- Provided aid to internally displaced Karen people on the Thai–Myanmar border
- Supplied medical supplies to victims of the earthquake in Myanmar

The trustees believe these activities have had a positive impact on the individuals and communities supported.

Public benefit statement

The trustees have had regard to the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit and confirm that the charity's activities during the year have been carried out for the public benefit.

Financial review

During the year, the charity's income was applied to further its charitable purposes. Expenditure was incurred in line with the charity's objectives. The trustees are satisfied with the charity's financial position at the year end.

Plans for future periods

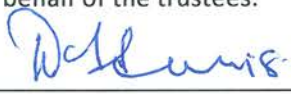
The trustees intend to continue supporting education, welfare and humanitarian aid projects in line with the charity's objectives, subject to available funds.

Statement of trustees' responsibilities

The trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' Annual Report and the accounts in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Approved by the trustees on: 31/01/2026

Signed on behalf of the trustees:

Name: 

Position: Chair

Charity Commission

Accounting Year 2024-2025

Name of Charity

Charity No.

Receipts

Fund raising
Gift Aid

This year	
£	22,355.21
£	8,027.33
£	30,382.54

Last Year	
£	15,575.19
£	-
£	15,575.19

Payments

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This year	
£	-
£	28,161.08
£	153.96
£	28,315.04

This year	
£	-
£	14,610.53
£	-
£	14,610.53

Net of Receipts/(Payments)
Cash funds last year end
Cash funds this year end

£	2,067.50
£	1,643.52
£	3,711.02

£	964.66
£	678.86
£	1,643.52

Independent Examiner's Statement

I have examined the charity's accounts for the accounting year 2024-2025, which comprise the receipts and payments account and the statement of assets and liabilities.

My examination was carried out in accordance with the Charity Commission's guidance on independent examination. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts and seeking explanations from the trustees concerning any such matters.

The trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. My responsibility is to report on the examination of those accounts.

The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a true and fair view. The examination is limited to matters set out below.

Independent Examiner's Report to the trustees of Karren Action Group Charity registration number: 1102446

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

1. which gives me reasonable cause to believe that, in any material respect:
 - a. the accounting records have not been kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act 2011; or
 - b. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
2. to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed: 

Name: MRS. S. DISCOMBE

Date: 30/1/26

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