



**CHARITY COMMISSION**  
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

## **Trustees' Annual Report for the period**

**From April 1<sup>st</sup> 2020 Period start date To March 31<sup>st</sup> 2021 Period end date**

**Charity name: Berkshire Search and Rescue Dogs**

**Charity registration number: 1102479**

### **Objectives and Activities**

Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	1) Protect and preserve good health and life and alleviate suffering by the provision of volunteer search dogs to assist organisations involved in the search and rescue of missing persons, whether they are believed to be alive or deceased. 2) Advance the education of the public in all matters relating to general dog welfare and search and rescue. 3) Assist in the saving of life and alleviation of suffering in the event of an emergency by assisting the statutory emergency services
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.	With the help of the donations and grants received we have been able to provide resources for searches when required. This last financial year has seen us use donations to help provide the relevant PPE kit for team members to help protect themselves and the people we are searching for
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	The three trustees of the charity have read the "Public benefit: rules for charities" document provide by the government.

### **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.	When called upon to help with searching for missing persons we have been able to provide the police with confidence that the missing person has either or not been in located in the search areas. We have also been able to provide team members to help with administration at COVID vaccine centres and administer vaccines.
---	--

### **Financial Review**

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	We ended the finical year with a balance of £21,000 which is over the amount we would normally look to carry over. This was due to the spend on items that had been planned but had not gone through yet because of the problems in the
---	---

Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	supply chain due to the pandemic. We aim to hold reserves of £10,000 which would cover the basic running costs of the team for a year.
Amount of reserves held	£10,000
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	N/A

## Structure, Governance and Management

Type of governing document	Constitution
How is the charity constituted?	Unincorporated
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	The trustee role of chair, secretary and treasurer are voted upon each year at the AGM with all full members being able to stand for any of the roles

## Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Berkshire Search and Rescue Dogs
Other name the charity uses	BSARD
Registered charity number	1102479
Charity's principal address	5 North Road Moulsford Oxon OX10 9JJ

### 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	Jon Bromley	Chair		Full team members
2	Ro Facer	Secretary		Full team members
3	Paul Pink	Treasurer		Full team members

## Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

None

## 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)	Paul Pink	Ro Facer
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Treasurer	Secretary
Date	30/01/2022	



Date	Details	Income									Expenditure								Receipt / Invoice present	Bank Balance
		SUBS	Deposits	DONATIONS	SHOWS	S.A.D.	C.S.J.	KEELA	SUNDRY	Insurance	Storage	TRAINING COURSES	Lowland Rescue / D4H / SEBV	EQUIPMENT	C.S.J.	Stationary / Printing	Sundry			
sub-totals for 1st April 2020 - 31st March 2021		744	50	24860.57	0	60	221.4	196	163.8	4201.12	1989.6	2828.62	1451.43	5847.28	164.18	277.5	337.22			
01/04/2020	Balance B/F from 31/3/2020																		12441.17	
				4						228.33								n/a	12212.84	
		24																n/a	12216.84	
		24																n/a	12240.84	
		24																n/a	12264.84	
		24																n/a	12288.84	
		48																n/a	12336.84	
															73.39			Yes	12263.45	
		24																n/a	12287.45	
		24																n/a	12311.45	
								18.4										n/a	12329.85	
								18.4										n/a	12348.25	
		24																n/a	12372.25	
								27.6										n/a	12399.85	
		24																n/a	12423.85	
		12																n/a	12435.85	
		24																n/a	12459.85	
		24																n/a	12483.85	
		36																n/a	12519.85	
		24																n/a	12543.85	
		24																n/a	12567.85	
		12																n/a	12579.85	
								9.2										n/a	12589.05	
		24																n/a	12613.05	
															139.90			Yes	12473.15	
		24																n/a	12497.15	
				4						228.33								n/a	12268.82	
																		n/a	12272.82	
											165.80							Yes	12107.02	
															509.60			Yes	11597.42	
															119.19			Yes	11478.23	
													110.00					Yes	11368.23	
		24																n/a	11392.23	
		24																n/a	11416.23	
				20														n/a	11436.23	
				28.92														n/a	11465.15	
				26.99														n/a	11492.14	
				20														n/a	11512.14	
				1000														n/a	12512.14	
													205.00					Yes	12307.14	
											165.80							Yes	12141.34	
										228.33								n/a	11913.01	
				4														n/a	11917.01	
							15											n/a	11932.01	
		12																n/a	11944.01	
				48.2														n/a	11992.21	
				395.24														n/a	12387.45	
				318.12														n/a	12705.57	
				221.72														n/a	12927.29	
				110.86														n/a	13038.15	
				139.78														n/a	13177.93	
				155														n/a	13332.93	
		24																n/a	13356.93	
				77.12														n/a	13434.05	
		24																n/a	13458.05	
													22.73					Yes	13435.32	
																		n/a	13690.78	
				255.46																

			43.67															n/a		13734.45
										165.80								Yes		13568.65
			28.92															n/a		13597.57
			48.2															n/a		13645.77
										228.33								n/a		13417.44
			4															n/a		13421.44
										128.88								n/a		13292.56
										165.80								Yes		13126.76
										374.08								n/a		12752.68
			4															n/a		12756.68
			45.81															n/a		12802.49
										165.80								Yes		12636.69
															277.50			Yes		12359.19
			9050															n/a		21409.19
										374.08								n/a		21035.11
			4															n/a		21039.11
			964															n/a		22003.11
													30.98					Yes		21972.13
															108.00			Yes		21864.13
			132.07															n/a		21996.20
							63.53								90.79			Yes		21905.41
							27.27											n/a		21968.94
											100.00							n/a		21996.21
			19.28															Yes		21896.21
			400															n/a		21915.49
										165.80								n/a		22315.49
																		Yes		22149.69
										616.00								n/a		21533.69
															50.00			n/a		21483.69
															50.00			n/a		21433.69
										299.01								n/a		21134.68
			4															n/a		21138.68
			1709.52															n/a		22848.20
			38.56															n/a		22886.76
			38.56															n/a		22925.32
			38.42															n/a		22963.74
			22.16															n/a		22985.90
			400															n/a		23385.90
										165.80								Yes		23220.10
											26.50							Yes		23193.60
															74.22			Yes		23119.38
										299.15								n/a		22820.23
			4															n/a		22824.23
			147.01															n/a		22971.24
			400															n/a		23371.24
			446.38															n/a		23817.62
			723															n/a		24540.62
			39.44															n/a		24580.06
										165.80								Yes		24414.26
												3000.00						Yes		21414.26
			2000															n/a		23414.26
										299.15								n/a		23115.11
			4															n/a		23119.11
												420.00						Yes		22699.11
													80.01					Yes		22619.10
													65.70					Yes		22553.40
													33.84					Yes		22519.56
												115.00						Yes		22404.56
			2000															n/a		24404.56
			102.22															n/a		24506.78
			100															n/a		24606.78
																55.00		Yes		24551.78
										165.80								Yes		24385.98
										299.15								n/a		24086.83
			4															n/a		24090.83
			19.28															n/a		24110.11
													19.98					Yes		24090.13

											240.00							Yes		23850.13
											2488.62							Yes		21361.51
			192.8															n/a		21554.31
		50																n/a		21604.31
			125															n/a		21729.31
					15													n/a		21744.31
					30													n/a		21774.31
										299.15								n/a		21475.16
			4															n/a		21479.16
											165.80							Yes		21313.36
			117.45															n/a		21430.81
													12.00					Yes		21418.81
			2500															n/a		23918.81
							66											n/a		23984.81
			55.91															n/a		24040.72
							40											n/a		24080.72
								£28.00										n/a		24108.72
								28										n/a		24136.72
											165.80							Yes		23970.92
													500.00					Yes		23470.92
														175.50				Yes		23295.42
								28										n/a		23323.42
								28.8										n/a		23352.22
			4															n/a		23356.22
															229.74			Yes		23126.48
															1394.24			Yes		21732.24
										299.15								n/a		21433.09
							90											n/a		21523.09
								28										n/a		21551.09
								23										n/a		21574.09
											165.80							Yes		21408.29
													40.20					Yes		21368.09
														48.60				Yes		21319.49
	24																	n/a		21343.49
							28.5											n/a		21371.99
							28.5											n/a		21400.49
	24																	n/a		21424.49
	24																	n/a		21448.49
			28.5															n/a		21476.99
	24																	n/a		21500.99
	24																	n/a		21524.99
	24																	n/a		21548.99
	48																	n/a		21596.99
			19															n/a		21615.99
	24																	n/a		21639.99



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/  
members of

Berkshire Search and Rescue Dogs

On accounts for the year  
ended

31st March 2021

Charity no  
(if any)

1102479

Set out on pages

1

(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended **31/03/2021**.

Responsibilities and  
basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Trust, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent  
examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention (other than that disclosed below \*) in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Act or
- the accounts do not accord with the accounting records

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

*\* Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.*

Signed:

Date:

30/1/22.

Name:

SARAH BACKHOUSE

Relevant professional  
qualification(s) or body  
(if any):

Address:

35 ST MARYS STREET  
WALLINGFORD  
OX10 0EU.