

The Tree of Life for Animals Limited
Company number 05460217
Registered Charity number 1120789
Report of the Trustees
for the year ended 31 December 2022

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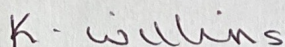
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Approved by order of the board of trustees and signed on its behalf by:



Kerry Wilkins, Managing Trustee

Date 8-9-2023

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(limited by guarantee)
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Unaudited Financial Statements
for the year ended
31 December 2022

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The trustees who are also directors of the charity for the purposes of the Companies Act 2006, present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the period ended 31 December 2021. The trustees have adopted the provisions of the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) "Accounting and Reporting by Charities" FRS 102 effective from 1st January 2015.

Reference and Administrative Details

Registered Office

c/o Clara Nowak
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Trustees

Mrs K Wilkins	Veterinary Nurse	Chair of Trustees
Ms K Robinson	IT Manager	
Miss N Steward	Advertising Consultant	
Dr S Bretherton	Retired Teaching Professional	
Ms D Thomas-Sutcliffe	Corporate Communications Professional	
Ms L Mitchell	Nurse	
Mr A Prentis	Retired Veterinary Surgeon	
Ms K Bhogal	Talent Acquisition Manager	

Company Secretary

Dr S Bretherton

Independent Examiner

Martin Atkinson FCA

Structure, Governance and Management

Governing Document

The charity is controlled by its governing document, a deed of trust, and constitutes a limited company, limited by guarantee, as defined by the Companies Act 2006.

Recruitment and appointment of new trustees

The directors of the company are also charity trustees for the purposes of charity law. All trustees give their time voluntarily and received no benefits from the charity.

Risk management

The trustees have a duty to identify and review the risks to which the charity is exposed and to ensure appropriate controls are in place to provide reasonable assurance against fraud and error.

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Independent Examiner's Report
for the year ended 31 December 2022

I report on the accounts for the twelve month period ended 31 December 2022 set out on pages four to eight.

Respective responsibilities of the trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees (who are also the directors for the purposes of company law) are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year (under Section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011) and that an independent examination is required.

Having satisfied myself that the charity is not subject to audit under company law and is eligible for independent examination, it is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under Section 145 of the 2011 Act
- to follow the procedures laid down in the General Direction given the Charity Commission; and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention

Basis of the independent examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charities Commission. 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 you as trustees concerning any such matters. 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" and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statements below.

Independent examiner's statement

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, the requirements
 - to keep accounting records in accordance with Section 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006; and
 - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records, comply with the accounting requirements of Sections 394 and 395 of the Companies Act 2006 and with the methods and principles of the Statement of Recommended Practice FRS102: Accounting and Reporting by Charities

have not been met: or

- 2 to which in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Martin Atkinson FCA

Date

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Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31 December 2022

	Notes	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	Total funds £ Dec-22	Unrestricted funds £	Restricted funds £	Total funds £ Dec-21
INCOMING RESOURCES							
Incoming resources from generated funds							
Voluntary income		93,025	118,565	211,590	69,422	123,953	193,375
Activities for generating funds	2	494	-	494	856	-	856
Investment income	3	175	-	175	5	-	5
Total incoming resources		93,694	118,565	212,259	70,283	123,953	194,236
RESOURCES EXPENDED							
Costs of generating funds		10,032	-	10,032	8,974	-	8,974
Charitable activities		54,115	114,944	169,059	65,426	88,937	154,363
Governance costs				-			-
Total resources expended		64,147	114,944	179,091	74,399	88,937	163,336
NET INCOMING/(OUTGOING) RESOURCES		29,547	3,621	33,168	(4,116)	35,016	30,900
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS							
Total funds brought forward		11,534	57,170	68,704	15,650	22,154	37,804
Total funds		41,081	60,791	101,872	11,534	57,170	68,704

The attached notes form an integral part of these financial statements

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Balance Sheet
at 31 December 2022

			Dec-22	Dec-21
	Notes	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	Total Funds £
CURRENT ASSETS				
Stocks		400	-	400
Cash		40,682	60,791	101,473
		41,082	60,791	101,873
CREDITORS				
Amounts falling due within one year		-	-	-
NET CURRENT ASSETS		41,082	60,791	101,873
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		41,082	60,791	101,873
NET ASSETS		41,082	60,791	68,704
FUNDS	5			
Unrestricted funds				41,082
Restricted funds				60,791
TOTAL FUNDS				101,873

The charitable company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the twelve month period ended 31 December 2022.

The members have not required the charitable company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The trustees acknowledge their responsibilities for

- 1 ensuring that the charitable company keeps accounting records that comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- 2 preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the charitable company as at the end of each financial year and of its surplus or deficit for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to the financial statements, so far as applicable to the charitable company.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject the small companies regime.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Trustees and signed its behalf by:

Kerry Wilkins, Trustee & Chair

Date

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The Tree of Life for Animals Limited
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Notes to the Financial Statements
for the year ended 31 December 2022

1 Accounting Policies

Basis of preparing the Financial Statements

The Financial Statements have been prepared under the going concern basis.

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

Incoming resources

All incoming resources are included on the Statement of Financial Activities when the charity is legally entitled to the income and the amount can be quantified with reasonable accuracy.

Resources expended

Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all cost related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular heading they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

Stock

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making allowance for obsolete and slow moving items consistent with previous years.

Taxation

The charity is exempt from corporation tax on its charitable activities.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees. Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is included in the notes to the financial statements.

2 Activities for Generating Funds

	Dec-22	Dec-21
Shop income	£498	£856
Fundraising Events	£0	£0
	£498	£856

3 Investment Income

	Dec-22	Dec-21
Deposit account interest	£175	£5

4 Trustee's Remuneration and Benefits

During the period the total of trustees' remuneration amount to £nil (prior year nil)

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the period ended 31 December 2022 nor for the prior year.

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5 Movement in funds	At 1 Jan 2022 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31 Dec 2022 £
Unrestricted funds			
Designated funds - TOLFA developm	0	25,000	25,000
General fund	11,534	4,547	16,081
	11,534	29,547	41,081
Restricted funds			
Dragonfly	0	446	446
Rescue Project	35,592	1,889	37,481
Education Project	2,342	0	2,342
Major Donor Fund	1,000	0	1,000
Staff Health Fund	17,728	(250)	17,478
Capital projects	294	(166)	128
Rescue Vehicle Fund	0	0	0
Asst Salary	214	0	214
Puppy Cages	0	40	40
Infrastructure	0	1,661	1,661
	57,170	3,621	60,791
	68,704	33,168	101,871

Net movement in funds, included in the above are as follows:

	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Movement in funds £
Unrestricted funds			
Designated funds - Tolfa Developme	25,515	515	25,000
General fund	68,179	63,632	4,547
	93,694	64,147	29,547
Restricted funds			
Dragonfly	2,673	2,227	446
Rescue Project	101,821	99,931	1,889
Education Project	0	0	0
Major Donor Fund	0	0	0
Staff Medical Fund	0	250	(250)
Capital projects	0	166	(166)
Rescue Vehicle Fund	8,415	8,415	0
Asst Salary	0	0	0
Puppy Cages	3,882	3,842	40
Infrastructure	1,775	114	1,661
	118,566	114,945	3,621
	212,260	179,092	33,168

Restricted funds

Note corrections:1/ moved £824.77 from staff medical to rescue 2/ £5 interest from restricted to general funds

Rescue Project fund relates to grants received specifically for the Rescue Project.

Education Project relates to a grant received to set up an education programme in local schools.

Dragonfly refers to a grant specifically to fund the salaries of three nurturers

Major Donor fund relates to an initiative to develop 5 new significant donors to support the Rescue project

Capital Projects relates to a grant from Ceva specifically for activities generating funds

Asst Salary refers to a grant made to specifically fund the Assistant's salary

Staff Medical Fund refers to a campaign to raise funds to provide medical cover for TOLFA staff

Puppy Cages refers to an campaign to fund new puppy cages

Infrastructure refers to a grant made to fund infrastructure projects at Tolfa

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6 Staff costs

	Dec-22	Dec-21
Wages and salaries	£33,496	£30,082

The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows:

Dec-22	Dec-21
4	4

No employees received emoluments in excess of £60,000 for the period ended 31 December 2022 nor the year ended 31 December 2021.

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11 September 2023

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