



**CHARITY COMMISSION**  
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

## Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From **01/01/2024**      Period start date    To **31/12/2024**      Period end date

**Charity name: Whiteknights Yorkshire Blood Bikes**

**Charity registration number: 1124510**

## Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	<b>The object of the charity is to relieve sickness and protect health by the transport of urgently needed blood, drugs, human tissues and other medical requirements between hospitals and blood transfusion banks primarily but not exclusively in Yorkshire.</b>
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.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	<b>Through our volunteer riders and drivers operating a fleet of dedicated cars and motorcycles, to relieve sickness and protect health by the transport of urgently needed blood, drugs, human tissues and other medical requirements between hospitals and blood transfusion banks primarily but not exclusively in Yorkshire.</b>
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	<b>All trustees have been provided with Charity Commission guidance on public benefit.</b>

## Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	

Other		

## Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
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.	Para 1.20	<p><b>Our volunteers have carried out approximately 3,400 jobs in 2024, each one benefitting a member of the public, being cared for by a health professional. We know we have made a significant difference to thousands of lives in the areas that we serve.</b></p> <p><b>We were delighted to be recognised for the Kings Award for Voluntary Service in 2024.</b></p>

### Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	
Other		

## Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	<b>The charity was in good standing with reserves available of £5,809 at the year end. Whilst this is below both our reserves policy aim and the £9,123 of the prior year, it is at a point in time following two new vehicles being purchased in December 2024 with known cash inflows to follow. The balance had returned to £8,975 within one week of the year end.</b>
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	<b>We aim to maintain funds of £10,000 in order to sustain the charity's ongoing operations.</b>
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	<b>£5,809.</b>
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	<b>n/a</b>
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	<b>n/a</b>
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	<b>n/a</b>

### Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	
Other		

## Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document ( <a href="#">trust deed</a> , <a href="#">royal charter</a> )	Para 1.25	<b>Constitution</b>
How is the charity constituted? (e.g. <a href="#">unincorporated association</a> , <a href="#">CIO</a> )	Para 1.25	<b>Association</b>
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	Para 1.25	<b>Trustees elected by the committee</b>

### Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	
Other		

## Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	WHITEKNIGHTS YORKSHIRE BLOOD BIKES
Other name the charity uses	WYBB
Registered charity number	1124510
Charity's principal address	HAMNETT HOUSE GIBBET STREE HALIFAX HX2 0AX

**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	Andrew Foster	Chairman		
2	Matthew Beynon-Tullett	Vice Chairman		
3	Matthew Tice	Treasurer		
4	Andrew Wragg		1 <sup>st</sup> January -18 <sup>th</sup> August 2024	
5	Michael Harrison			
6	Matthew Butterfield			
7	Roy Clark			
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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

### Additional information (optional)

#### Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

#### Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

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## Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

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

## Other optional information

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## 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)	Andrew Foster	Matthew Tice
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chairman	Treasurer

Date	29/10/2025
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## Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period  
from

01/01/2024

To

31/12/2024

### Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Donations	52,193	-	-	52,193	52,209
		-	-		-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total (Gross income for AR)</b>	<b>52,193</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>52,193</b>	<b>52,209</b>
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).</b>					
Insurance proceeds disposal	7,500	-	-	7,500	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>7,500</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7,500</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>59,693</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>59,693</b>	<b>52,209</b>
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Repairs and servicing (inc tyres)	11,647	-	-	11,647	13,134
Petrol	10,852	-	-	10,852	9,734
Call monitoring and telephone	6,784	-	-	6,784	5,869
Vehicle insurance and tax	8,536	-	-	8,536	7,338
Equipment and bike improvements	1,028	-	-	1,028	4,775
Non-vehicle insurance	891	-	-	891	797
Fundraising expenses	1,091	-	-	1,091	890
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>40,829</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>40,829</b>	<b>42,537</b>
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)</b>					
Purchase of motorcycles / cars	22,178	-	-	22,178	9,700
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>22,178</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>22,178</b>	<b>9,700</b>
<b>Total payments</b>	<b>63,007</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>63,007</b>	<b>52,237</b>
<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	<b>- 3,314</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>- 3,314</b>	<b>- 28</b>
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	<b>9,123</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9,123</b>	<b>9,151</b>
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	<b>5,809</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5,809</b>	<b>9,123</b>



## Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Bank account	5,809	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	<b>Total cash funds</b>	<b>5,809</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK

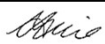

	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Motorcycles and cars		-	50,000
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
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			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
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Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	Matt Tice	29/10/2025
	Andrew Foster	29/10/2025

## **Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Whiteknights Yorkshire Blood Bikes**

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31 December 2024.

### **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 Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 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 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.

### **Richard Turner**

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29 October 2025