

HAPPY BUNNIES PRE-SCHOOL SOUTHAMPTON

England & Wales · Charity number 1129843

Details

Status Registered

Legal form Charitable company

Company number [06368978](#)

Registered 2009-05-28

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

Contact

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6 Viceroy Road
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Activities

Objects: THE AIMS OF THE PRE-SCHOOL ARE TO ENHANCE THE DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION OF CHILDREN PRIMARILY UNDER STATUTORY SCHOOL AGE BY ENCOURAGING PARENTS TO UNDERSTAND AND PROVIDE FOR THE NEEDS OF THEIR CHILDREN THROUGH COMMUNITY GROUPS AND BY:A OFFERING APPROPRIATE PLAY, EDUCATION AND CARE FACILITIES, FAMILY LEARNING AND EXTENDED HOURS GROUPS, TOGETHER WITH THE RIGHT OF PARENTS TO TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR AND TO BECOME INVOLVED IN THE ACTIVITIES OF SUCH GROUPS, ENSURING THAT SUCH GROUPS OFFER OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL CHILDREN WHATEVER THEIR RACE, CULTURE, RELIGION, MEANS OR ABILITY;B ENCOURAGING THE STUDY OF THE NEEDS OF SUCH CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES AND PROMOTING PUBLIC INTEREST IN AND RECOGNITION OF SUCH NEEDS IN THE LOCAL AREAS;C INSTIGATING AND ADHERING TO AND FURTHER THE AIMS AND OBJECTS OF THE PRE-SCHOOL LEARNING ALLIANCE.

Activities: The provision of childcare and pre-school activities under Ofsted guidelines

Classification

- **How:** Provides Services
- **What:** Education/training
- **Who:** Children/young People

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** UNDEFINED. IN PRACTICE, LOCAL.
- Southampton City

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-09-30	£209,543	£211,312	-	-
2024-09-30	£211,658	£201,063	-	-
2023-09-30	£168,834	£164,332	-	-
2022-09-30	£146,556	£142,743	-	-
2021-09-30	£152,083	£132,968	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Alexandra Jennings		2024-11-11
Caitlin Kempton		2026-01-20
Jamie Farmer		2023-06-16
Katie Mckechnie		2024-11-11
Rebecca Bosworth		2021-11-17
Sarah Soutar		2024-11-11

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Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 1st October 2024 Period start date To 30th September 2025
Period end date

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Registered charity number	1129843
Charity's principal address	Happy Bunnies Preschool 6 Viceroy Road Sholing Southampton SO19 8FJ

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	Ms R Bosworth	Chair		
2	Ms S Soutar	Secretary		
3	Ms K Mckechnie	Treasurer		
4	Ms J Farmer			
5	Ms A Jennings			
6	Ms C Kempton			
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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	
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address
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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)	R. BOSWORTH.	
Full name(s)	Rebecca Bosworth.	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair	
Date	09/02/26.	



Trustee's Annual Report (Incorporating the Directors Report)

Year ended 30 September 2025

The trustees, who are also the directors for the purpose of the company law, present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the charity for the year ended 30 September 2024

Reference and Administrative details

Registered charity name

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southamp

Charity registration number

1129843

Company registration number

6368978

Principal office and registered office

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The trustees

Chair Rebecca Bosworth
Treasurer Katie McKechnie
Secretary

Appointed as Trustee November 2021
Appointed as Trustee November 2025
Appointed as Trustee November 2025

Independent examiner

Fielders Accounting Payroll & VAT Ser
Mrs KF Fielder MAAT
7 Tilbrook Road
Southampton
SO15 4HP

Structure, governance and management

The company is run by the Trustees who also form the management committee. The day to day operating decisions are taken by the Group Leader, with the assistance of two deputies.

Objectives and activities

The company's continuing objectives and activities are the provision of childcare and pre-school activities under Ofsted guidelines.

Achievement and performance

The Trustees consider this years achievements to be satisfactory.

Statement of Financial Activities
 (Including income and expenditure account)

Year Ended 30 September 2025

		Unrestricted	Restricted	2025	2024
	Note	Funds £	Funds £	Total Funds £	Total Funds £
Income and endowments					
Donations and legacies	5	0	0	0	0
Charitable activities	6	207,536	0	207,536	205,040
Other Trading income	7	2,007	0	2,007	6,617
Total Income		<u>209,543</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>209,543</u>	<u>211,658</u>
Expenditure					
Expenditure on raising funds:					
Cost of other trading activities	8	0	0	0	0
Expenditure on charitable activities	9,10	211,312	0	211,312	201,063
Total Expenditure		<u>211,312</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>211,312</u>	<u>201,063</u>
Net Income and net movement in funds		<u>-1,768</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>-1,768</u>	<u>10,594</u>
Reconciliation of funds					
Total funds brought forward		<u>185,128</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>185,128</u>	<u>174,534</u>
Total of funds carried forward		<u>183,360</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>183,360</u>	<u>185,128</u>

The Statement of Financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.
 All income and Expenditure derive from continuing activities.

Statement of Financial Position
Year Ended 30 September 2025

		2025	2024
	Note	£	£
Current Assets			
Debtors	14	0	185,128
Cash at bank and in hand		<u>183,359</u>	<u>185,128</u>
		183,359	185,128
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	15	<u>0</u>	
Net Current assets		<u>183,359</u>	185,128
Total assets less current liabilities		183,359	<u>185,128</u>
Net assets		<u>183,359</u>	<u>185,128</u>
Funds of the charity			
Unrestricted funds		<u>183,360</u>	185,128
Total Charity funds	17	<u>183,360</u>	<u>185,128</u>

For the year ending 30 September 2025 the charity was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Directors' responsibilities:

* The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476;

* The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

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

These financial statements were approved by the board of trustee's and authorised for issue, and are signed on behalf of the board by:

 Trustee
 Date



KATIE MCKECHNIE

17/11/25

 Trustee
 Date



ALEXANDRA JENNINGS

17/11/25

Trustee's Annual Report (Incorporating the Directors Report) (continued)

Year ended 30 September 2025

Financial review

The trustees are satisfied with the financial position of the company.

The Charity is dependant on local authority grant funding for its income, and the trustees are aware that this source of funding can be subject to change at short notice. Therefore the trustees have designated £60,000 of its unrestricted reserves for possible redundancy costs in the event of changes to the Charity's income stream. The trustees are not aware of any such proposed changes.

Plans for future periods

The Trustees are continuing to plan for the charity to provide satisfactory childcare and pre-school activities.

Small company provisions

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies entitled to the small companies exemption.

The trustees' annual report was approved and signed on behalf of the board of trustees by:

Print & Sign REBECCA BOSWORTH 

Date 17/11/25.

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee

Company Registration Number 06368878

Charity Registration Number 1129843

Year Ended 30 September 2025

Notes to the Financial Statements

1 General information

The charity is a public benefit entity and a Private Company Limited by Guarantee, registered in England and Wales and a registered charity in England and Wales. The address of the registered office is Happy Bunnies Pre-School, 6 Viceroy Road, Sholing, Southampton, SO19 8FJ.

2 Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with FRS 102, 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland', the statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the companies act 2006.

3 Accounting Policies

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, as modified by the revaluation of certain financial assets and liabilities and investment properties measured at fair value through income and expenditure.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the entity.

Going Concern

There are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue.

Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The preparation of the Financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the amount reported. These estimates and judgements are continually reviewed and are based on experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the trustees to further any of the charity's purposes.

Designated funds are unrestricted funds earmarked by the trustees for particular future project or commitment.

Restricted funds are subjected to restrictions on their expenditure declared by the donor to through the terms of an appeal, and fall into one of two sub-classes: restricted income funds or endowment funds.

Incoming resources

All income is included in the statement of financial activities when entitlement has passed to the charity, it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the charity and the amount can be reliably measured. The following specific policies are applied to the particular categories of income.

- * income from donations or grants is recognised when there is evidence of entitlement to the gift, receipt is probable and it amount can be measured reliably.
- * legacy income is recognised when receipt is probable and entitlement is established.
- * income from contracts for the supply of services is recognised with the delivery of the contracted service. This is classified as unrestricted unless there is a contractual requirement for it to be spent on a particular purpose and returned if unspent, in which case it may be regarded as restricted.

Resources explained

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is classified under headings of the statement of financials activities to which it relates.

- * expenditure on raising funds includes the cost of all fundraising activities, events, non charitable trading activities, and the sale of donated goods.
- * expenditure on charitable activities includes all costs incurred by a charity in undertaking activities that further its charitable aims for the benefit of its beneficiaries, including those support costs and costs relating to the governance of the charity apportioned to charitable activities.
- * other expenditure includes all expenditure that is neither related to raising funds for the charity nor part of its expenditure on charitable activities.

All costs are allocated to expenditure categories reflecting use of the resource. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs are apportioned between the activities they contribute to on a reasonable, justifiable and consistent basis.

Financial Instruments

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provision of the instrument.

Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the amount receivable or payable including any related transaction costs, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where it is recognised at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Current assets and current liabilities are subsequently measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received and not discounted.

Income and Expenditure account for the year ended 30th September 2025

	Sep-25	Sep-24
Income		
Grant Funding	201,618	195,355
Fee received -Parents	4,750	8,325
Fundraising	457	325
Other income/Ecat	1,550	6,292
Bank interest rec'd	1,167	1,361
Total Income	<u>209,543</u>	<u>211,657</u>

Expenditure

Wages	159,218	152,117
Tax & Ni & Pensions	28,880	24,817
Rent & Waste From SCC & Premises	10,277	11,187
Consumables Inc O2 mobile & Work	1,289	1,390
Insurance	910	1,155
Food & Snacks	339	245
Cleaning & Hygiene	1,604	1,481
Professional and Ofsted: Inc SAGE fe	2,068	1,512
Accountants Fee	650	650
Fund Raising	33	121
Other	3790.7	4,078
Equipment	2,254	2,309

Total Expenditure211,312 201,063**Net Surplus for the year**-1,768 10,594

30th September 2025

Balance sheet of Financial position as at

	Sep-25	Sep-24
<u>Current Assets</u>		
Cash at Bank - Santander	119,760	122,696
Cash at Bank - Nationwide - Reserves	63,599	62,431
Cash in Hand	0	0
Prepayments	0	0
	<u>183,359</u>	<u>185,128</u>
<u>Current Liabilities</u>		
Creditors: (amounts falling due within one year)	0	0
	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Net Current Assets and Total Assets	<u>183,359</u>	<u>185,128</u>
Financed by Capital Account		
Balance at 1st October 2025	185,128	174,534
Surplus for the year	-1,768	10,594
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NOTES: Independent Examination covering year ending 30th September 2025

Income and expenditure are currently recorded using excel spreadsheets where every transaction is recorded and numbered, this allows for ease of tracking and transparency. The number is written on the document which is then scanned in for future referral and quick retrieval.

The system is very workable to follow and transparent. Where invoices for expenses are not held in paper format they can be located within the scanned folder held securely.

THERE WERE NO ERRORS OF CONCERN FOUND.

Expenditure

For everyday essential items purchased and paid by the staff these are cleared for reimbursement on production of receipt straight into the staff members bank account. For more costly items these requests are put to the Trustee's for approval before purchasing.

Income

The majority of income received comes from grants from the government. All transactions are recorded in the spreadsheet. The preschools preferred method of payment from parents is by Standing Order.

Payroll

Payroll is run monthly and paid at the end of month. Paid online and recorded in the spreadsheet. A breakdown of payroll including pensions is held within the online accessed software (Sage Online and NEST Online) accessed by authorised personnel only.

Income and expenditure spreadsheet

The spreadsheet works really well and is a good basis for keeping the accounts in order.

Petty Cash

The Charity does not hold a petty cash float.

POINTS TO NOTE:

Trustee's

The trustee's officers continued from 2024 to 2025, resignations were given from September 25.

HMRC are implementing changes to reporting using the online filing system from April 2026. The annual accounts will be submitted by an alternative software provider approved by HMRC.

Independent Examiners Report to the trustees of Happy Bunnies Pre -School (Southampton)

Year Ended 30 September 2025

I report to the trustees on my examination of the financial statements of Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) ('the charity') for the year ended 30 September 2025

Responsibilities and basis of the report

As the trustees of the company (and also its directors for the purposes of the company law) you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with requirements of the Companies Act 2006 ('the 2006 Act')

Having satisfied myself that the accounts of the company are not required to be audited under Part 16 of the 2006 Act and are eligible for independent examination, I report in respect of my examination of the charity's accounts as carried out under section 145 of the charities Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act'). In carrying out my examination I have followed the directions given by the Charity's Commission under section 145 (5) (b) of the 2011 Act.

Independent examiners statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe:

- 1 accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 386 of the 2006 Act; or
- 2 the financial statements do not accord with those records; or
- 3 the financial statements do not comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the 2006 Act other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of any independent examination; or
- 4 the financial statements have not been prepared in accordance with the methods and principles of the Statements of Recommended Practice for accounting and reporting by charities applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)

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

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2	Ms E Ricketts	Secretary		
3	Ms S Cleverley	Treasurer		
4	Ms J Farmer			
5	Ms S Wylie			
6	Ms K Mckechnie			
7	Ms S Soutar			
8	Ms A Jennings			
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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	
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

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)	MBOSWORTH	
Full name(s)	Rebecca Bosworth	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair	
Date	7/3/25	

**Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by
Company Registration Number 06368978
Charity Registration Number 1129843**

Independent Examiners Report to the trustees of Happy Bunnies Pre -School (Southampton)

Year Ended 30 September 2024

I report to the trustees on my examination of the financial statements of Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) ('the charity') for the year ended 30 September 2024

Responsibilities and basis of the report

As the trustees of the company (and also its directors for the purposes of the company law) you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with requirements of the Companies Act 2006 ('the 2006 Act')

Having satisfied myself that the accounts of the company are not required to be audited under Part 16 of the 2006 Act and are eligible for independent examination, I report in respect of my examination of the charity's accounts as carried out under section 145 of the charities Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act'). In carrying out my examination I have followed the directions given by the Charity's Commission under section 145 (5) (b) of the 2011 Act.

Independent examiners statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe:

- 1 accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 386 of the 2006 Act; or
- 2 the financial statements do not accord with those records; or
- 3 the financial statements do not comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the 2006 Act other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of any independent examination; or
- 4 the financial statements have not been prepared in accordance with the methods and principles of the Statements of Recommended Practice for accounting and reporting by charities applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)

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

Fielders Accounting Payroll & VAT Services
Mrs KF Fielder MAAT
7 Tilbrook Road
Southampton
SO15 4HP

November 2024.



Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
Company Registration Number 06368978
Charity Registration Number 1129843

Trustee's Annual Report (Incorporating the Directors Report)

Year ended 30 September 2024

The trustees, who are also the directors for the purpose of the company law, present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the charity for the year ended 30 September 2024.

Reference and Administrative details

Registered charity name	Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southamp
Charity registration number	1129843
Company registration number	6368978
Principal office and registered office	Happy Bunnies Pre-School 6 Viceroy Road Sholing Southampton SO19 8FJ

The trustees

<i>Chair</i> Rebecca Bosworth	Appointed as Trustee November 2021
<i>Treasurer</i> Samantha Cleverley	Appointed as Trustee November 2021
<i>Secretary</i> Emily Ricketts	Appointed as Trustee November 2021

Independent examiner

Fielders Accounting Payroll & VAT Ser
Mrs KF Fielder MAAT
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SO15 4HP

Structure, governance and management

The company is run by the Trustees who also form the management committee. The day to day operating decisions are taken by the Group Leader, with the assistance of two deputies.

Objectives and activities

The company's continuing objectives and activities are the provision of childcare and pre-school activities under Ofsted guidelines.

Achievement and performance

The Trustees consider this years achievements to be satisfactory.

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
Company Registration Number 06368978
Charity Registration Number 1129843

Trustee's Annual Report (Incorporating the Directors Report) (continued)

Year ended 30 September 2024

Financial review

The trustees are satisfied with the financial position of the company.

The Charity is dependant on local authority grant funding for its income, and the trustees are aware that this source of funding can be subject to change at short notice. Therefore the trustees have designated £60,000 of its unrestricted reserves for possible redundancy costs in the event of changes to the Charity's income stream. The trustees are not aware of any such proposed changes.

Plans for future periods

The Trustees are continuing to plan for the charity to provide satisfactory childcare and pre-school activities.

Small company provisions

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies entitled to the small companies exemption.

The trustees' annual report was approved and signed on behalf of the board of trustees by:

Sign *Elicker*

Date 11/11/2024

Charity Secretary

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
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 Charity Registration Number 1129843

Statement of Financial Activities
 (Including income and expenditure account)

Year Ended 30 September 2024

		Unrestricted	Restricted	2024	2023
	Note	Funds £	Funds £	Total Funds £	Total Funds £
Income and endowments					
Donations and legacies	5	0	0	0	0
Charitable activities	6	205,040	0	205,040	168,228
Other Trading income	7	6,617	0	6,617	606
Total Income		<u>211,658</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>211,658</u>	<u>168,834</u>
Expenditure					
Expenditure on raising funds:					
Cost of other trading activities	8	0	0	0	0
Expenditure on charitable activities	9,10	201,063	0	201,063	164,332
Total Expenditure		<u>201,063</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>201,063</u>	<u>164,332</u>
Net Income and net movement in funds		<u>10,594</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,594</u>	<u>4,502</u>
Reconciliation of funds					
Total funds brought forward		174,534	0	174,534	170,032
Total of funds carried forward		<u>185,128</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>185,128</u>	<u>174,534</u>

The Statement of Financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.
 All income and Expenditure derive from continuing activities.

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
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Statement of Financial Position
Year Ended 30 September 2024

		2024		2023
	Note	£	£	£
Current Assets				
Debtors	14	0		
Cash at bank and in hand		<u>185,128</u>		<u>174,533</u>
		185,128		174,533
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	15	<u>0</u>		
Net Current assets			<u>185,128</u>	<u>174,533</u>
Total assets less current liabilities			185,128	<u>174,533</u>
Net assets			<u>185,128</u>	<u>174,533</u>
Funds of the charity				
Unrestricted funds			<u>185,128</u>	<u>174,534</u>
Total Charity funds	17		<u>185,128</u>	<u>174,534</u>

For the year ending 30 September 2024 the charity was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Directors' responsibilities:

* The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476;

* The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

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

These financial statements were approved by the board of trustee's and authorised for issue, and are signed on behalf of the board by:

M Bosworth
 Trustee
 Date 15/11/24

Greenerley
 Trustee
 Date 20/11/24

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
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Charity Registration Number 1129843

Year Ended 30 September 2024

Notes to the Financial Statements

1 General information

The charity is a public benefit entity and a Private Company Limited by Guarantee, registered in England and Wales and a registered charity in England and Wales. The address of the registered office is Happy Bunnies Pre-School, 6 Viceroy Road, Sholing, Southampton, SO19 8FJ.

2 Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with FRS 102, 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland', the statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the companies act 2006.

3 Accounting Policies

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, as modified by the revaluation of certain financial assets and liabilities and investment properties measured at fair value through income and expenditure.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the entity.

Going Concern

There are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue.

Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The preparation of the Financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the amount reported. These estimates and judgements are continually reviewed and are based on experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the trustees to further any of the charity's purposes.

Designated funds are unrestricted funds earmarked by the trustees for particular future project or commitment.

Restricted funds are subjected to restrictions on their expenditure declared by the donor to through the terms of an appeal, and fall into on of two sub-classes: restricted income funds or endowment funds.

Incoming resources

All income is included in the statement of financial activities when entitlement has passed to the charity, it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the charity and the amount can be reliably measured. The following specific policies are applied to the particular categories of income.

- * income from donations or grants is recognised when there is evidence of entitlement to the gift, receipt is probable and it amount can be measured reliably.
- * legacy income is recognised when receipt is probable and entitlement is established.
- * income from contracts for the supply of services is recognised with the delivery of the contracted service. This is classified as unrestricted unless there is a contractual requirement for it to be spent on a particular purpose and returned if unspent, in which case it may be regarded as restricted.

Resources explained

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is classified under headings of the statement of financials activities to which it relates.

- * expenditure on raising funds includes the cost of all fundraising activities, events, non charitable trading activities, and the sale of donated goods.
- * expenditure on charitable activities includes all costs incurred by a charity in undertaking activities that further its charitable aims for the benefit of its beneficiaries, including those support costs and costs relating to the governance of the charity apportioned to charitable activities.
- * other expenditure includes all expenditure that is neither related to raising funds for the charity nor part of its expenditure on charitable activities.

All costs are allocated to expenditure categories reflecting use of the resource. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs are apportioned between the activities they contribute to on a reasonable, justifiable and consistent basis.

Financial Instruments

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provision of the instrument.

Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the amount receivable or payable including any related transaction costs, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where it is recognised at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Current assets and current liabilities are subsequently measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received and not discounted.

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Charity Registration Number 1129843

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Notes to the Financial Statements (CONTINUED)

3 Accounting policies (continued)

Defined contribution plans

Contributions to defined contributions plans are recognised as an expense in the period in which the related service is provided. Prepaid contributions are recognised as an asset to the extent that the prepayment will lead to a reduction in future payments or a cash refund.

4 Limited by guarantee

The company is limited by guarantee and does not have a share capital. The members guaranteed liability is limited to £1.

The company's profits can only be applied to the promotion of the objects of the company as stated in its Memorandum of Association.

No profits of the company can be distributed amongst its members, and in the event of dissolution of the company any residual property or assets cannot be paid to the members, but may only be applied in accordance with the Memorandum of Association.

5 Donations and legacies

	Restricted Funds £	2024 Total Funds £	2023 Total Funds £
Donations	0	0	0

6 Charitable activities

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	2024 Total Funds £
Sale of goods/services made or provided by the beneficiaries of the charity	8,325	0	8,325
Payments from government or public authorities in normal course of trading	195,355	0	195,355
Other grants	0	0	0
	<u>203,679</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>203,679</u>

	Unrestricted Funds £	Restricted Funds £	2023 Total Funds £
Sale of goods/services made or provided by the beneficiaries of the charity	11,989	0	11,989
Payments from government or public authorities in normal course of trading	155,489	0	155,489
Other grants	0	0	0
	<u>167,477</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>167,477</u>

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Notes to the Financial Statements (CONTINUED)

7 Other trading activities

	Unrestricted Funds	2024 Total Funds	Unrestricted Funds	2023 Total Funds
	£	£	£	£
Fundraising events	325	325	606	606

8 Cost of other trading activities

	Unrestricted Funds	2024 Total Funds	Unrestricted Funds	2023 Total Funds
	£	£	£	£
Cost of fund raising activities- purchases	121	121	134	134

9 Expenditure on charitable activities by fund type

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	2024 Total Funds
	£	£	£
Provision of pre-school facilities	201,063		201,063
Support costs	0		0
	<u>201,063</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>201,063</u>

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	2023 Total Funds
	£	£	£
Provision of pre-school facilities	164,332	0	164,332
Support costs	0	0	0
	<u>164,332</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>164,332</u>

10 Expenditure on charitable activities by activities type

	Unrestricted Funds	Support Costs	2024 Total Funds	2023 Total Funds
	£	£	£	£
Provision of pre-school Facilities	201,063		201,063	164,332
Governance costs		0	0	0
	<u>201,063</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>201,063</u>	<u>164,332</u>

11 Independent examination fees

	2024	2023
Fees payable to the independent examiner for: Independent examination of the financial statements	<u>220</u>	<u>220</u>

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Notes to the Financial Statements (CONTINUED)

12 Staff costs

The total staff costs and employee benefits for the reporting period are analysed as follows:

	2024	20233
	£	£
Wages and salaries	169,569	138,456
Contributions to pensions plans	7,365	4,743
	<u>176,934</u>	<u>143,199</u>

The average head count of employees during the year was 10 (2021:10) The average number of fulltime equivalated employees during the year is analysed as follows:

	2024	2023
	No.	No.
Number of operating staff	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>

No employees received employee benefits of more than £60,000 during the year. (2023: Nil).

13 Trustee remuneration and expense

No remuneration or other benefit from employment with the charity were received by the trustees.

14 Debtors

	2024	2023
	£	£
Prepayments and accrued income	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

15 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2024	2023
	£	£
Accruals and deferred income	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

16 Pensions and other post retirement benefits

Defined contribution plans

The amount recognised in income and expenditure as an expense in relation to defined contribution plans was £7365 (2023 £4743)

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17 Analysis of charitable funds

Unrestricted funds

	At 01.10.2023	Income	Expenditure	Transfers	At 30.09.2024
	£	£	£		£
General funds	114,534	211,658	201,063	0	125,128
Designated Funds	0				0
Redundancy reserve	60,000			0	60,000
	<u>174,534</u>	<u>211,658</u>	<u>201,063</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>185,128</u>

Restricted funds

	At 01.10.2023	Income	Expenditure	Transfers	At 30.09.2024
	£	£	£		£
	0	0	0	0	0

18 Analysis of net assets between funds

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2024	Total Funds 2023
	£	£	£
Current Assets	185,128	185,128	174,533
Creditors less than 1 year	0	0	0
Net Assets	<u>185,128</u>	<u>185,128</u>	<u>174,533</u>

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Balance sheet of Financial position as at

	Sep-24	Sep-23
<u>Current Assets</u>		
Cash at Bank - Santander	122,696	113,463
Cash at Bank - Nationwide - Reserves	62,431	61,071
Cash in Hand	0	0
Prepayments	0	0
	<u>185,128</u>	<u>174,533</u>
<u>Current Liabilities</u>		
Creditors: (amounts falling due within one year)	0	0
	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Net Current Assets and Total Assets	<u>185,128</u>	<u>174,533</u>
Financed by Capital Account		
Balance at 1st October 2024	174,534	170,032
Surplus for the year	10,594	4,502
	<u>185,128</u>	<u>174,534</u>

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
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Income and Expenditure account for the year ended 30th September 2024

	Sep-24	Sep-23
Income		
Grant Funding	195,355	155,489
Fee received -Parents	8,325	11,989
Fundraising	325	606
Other income/Ecat	6,292	0
Bank interest rec'd	1,361	751
Total Income	<u>211,658</u>	<u>168,833</u>
Expenditure		
Wages	152,117	128,022
Tax & Ni & Pensions	24,817	15,176
Rent & Waste From SCC & Premises costs	11,187	9,686
Consumables Inc O2 mobile & Workwear	1,390	1,903
Insurance	1,155	764
Food & Snacks	245	233
Cleaning & Hygiene	1,481	1,609
Professional and Ofsted: Inc SAGE fee's DBS	1,512	1,810
Accountants Fee	650	650
Fund Raising	121	134
Other	4078.24	750
Equipment	2,309	3,594
Total Expenditure	<u>201,063</u>	<u>164,332</u>
Net Surplus for the year	<u><u>10,594</u></u>	<u><u>4,502</u></u>

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton)
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NOTES: Independent Examination covering year ending 30th September 2024

Income and expenditure are currently recorded using excel spreadsheets where every transaction is recorded and numbered, this allows for ease of tracking and transparency. The number is written on the document which is then scanned in for future referral and quick retrieval.

The system is very workable to follow and transparent.

Where invoices for expenses are not held in paper format they can be located within the scanned folder held securely.

THERE WERE NO ERRORS OF CONCERN FOUND.

Expenditure

For everyday essential items purchased and paid by the staff these are cleared for reimbursement on production of receipt straight into the staff members bank account. For more costly items these requests are put to the Trustee's for approval before purchasing.

Income

The majority of income received comes from grants from the government.

All transactions are recorded in the spreadsheet.

The preschools preferred method of payment from parents is by Standing Order.

Payroll

Payroll is run monthly and paid at the end of month. Paid online and recorded in the spreadsheet. A breakdown of payroll including pensions is held within the online accessed software (Sage Online and NEST Online) accessed by authorised personnel only.

Income and expenditure spreadsheet

The spreadsheet works really well and is a good basis for keeping the accounts in order.

Petty Cash

The Charity does not hold a petty cash float.

POINTS TO NOTE:

Trustee's

The trustee's officers continued from 2023 to 2024

HAPPY BUNNIES PRE-SCHOOL SOUTHAMPTON

England & Wales - Charity number 1129843

Accounts



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 1st October 2022 Period start date

To 30th September 2023 Period end date

Charity name: Happy Bunnies Preschool

Charity registration number: 1129843

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	Happy Bunnies purposes are to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- benefit the public by offering high quality care and education for local children aged from 2 – 4 years of age in a safe and stimulating environment from Monday to Friday over 38 weeks of the year.- ensure local children benefit from having a broad range of knowledge and skills that provide the right foundation for good future progress through school.
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	The aims: <ul style="list-style-type: none">-to actively promote inclusion, equality of opportunity, the valuing of diversity and British values.-to benefit the families by supporting their individual needs by offering either morning (8.45am-11.45am), afternoon (11.45am-2.45pm) and all day (8.45am-2.45pm) sessions or a combination of different sessions.-to benefit the parents by working in partnership with them to help their children learn and develop to their full potential, keeping parents informed of their progress and providing ideas on how they can support their children at home-to benefit the children by providing a wide range of equipment and resources both indoors and outdoors which children can access through free flow play to enable them to develop their knowledge and skills in the 7 areas of learning
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	When considering the charity's aims and objectives the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit

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>During the year 52 local children benefitted from attending Happy Bunnies with a maximum of 32 children per session.</p> <p>Happy Bunnies employed 10 members of staff – Manager (qualified to Level 5), Lead (qualified to Level 3), Deputy (qualified to Level 3) and 7 Early Years Practitioners (6 qualified to Level 3 and 1 qualified to Level 2)</p> <p>We held a Winter Wonderland event for our children and their families. Parents were also invited in to celebrate the King's Coronation with their children. An end of term leaver's picnic was organised for the children who were leaving to start school and their families.</p> <p>This year we purchased a Buddy Bench for our sensory garden to support children's well-being and also a small climbing wall to support children's physical development.</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	The trustees are satisfied with the financial position of Happy Bunnies Preschool
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Happy Bunnies main income is the Nursery Education funding received from the Local Authority and the trustees are aware this can be subject to change. We have a reserve fund to cover the possible costs in the event of changes to the income flow. We have a separate bank account to hold the charity's reserves of just over £61k. We aim to have money in reserve to cover main costs for at least three months and to meet our redundancy liabilities
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£61000
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	The Preschool has no deficits
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	

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	This year we fundraised £606 by holding a scavenger hunt, cake stall and tombolo stall
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	Although the children on our books remain the same the increase in the National Living Wage has had an impact on our finances due to the increase in employees wages
Other		

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
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Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Memorandum & Articles of Association
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	Limited by Guarantee
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	Trustees are appointed at the AGM by nominations & with the highest number of votes from the parents attending the meeting

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	Happy Bunnies Preschool
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1129843
Charity's principal address	Happy Bunnies Preschool 6 Viceroy Road Sholing Southampton SO19 8FJ

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

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

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address
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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)	<i>R Bosworth</i>	
Full name(s)	Rebecca Bosworth	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair.	
Date	19/2/24.	

**Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by
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Charity Registration Number 1129843**

Independent Examiners Report to the trustees of Happy Bunnies Pre -School (Southampton)

Year Ended 30 September 2023

I report to the trustees on my examination of the financial statements of Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) ('the charity') for the year ended 30 September 2022.

Responsibilities and basis of the report

As the trustees of the company (and also its directors for the purposes of the company law) you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with requirements of the Companies Act 2006 ('the 2006 Act')

Having satisfied myself that the accounts of the company are not required to be audited under Part 16 of the 2006 Act and are eligible for independent examination, I report in respect of my examination of the charity's accounts as carried out under section 145 of the charities Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act'). In carrying out my examination I have followed the directions given by the Charity's Commission under section 145 (5) (b) of the 2011 Act.

Independent examiners statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe:

- 1 accounting records were not kept in respect of the charity as required by section 386 of the 2006 Act; or
- 2 the financial statements do not accord with those records; or
- 3 the financial statements do not comply with the accounting requirements of section 396 of the 2006 Act other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of any independent examination; or
- 4 the financial statements have not been prepared in accordance with the methods and principles of the Statements of Recommended Practice for accounting and reporting by charities applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)

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

Fielders Accounting Payroll & VAT Services

Mrs KF Fielder MAAT
7 Tilbrook Road
Southampton
SO15 4HP

22nd November 2023



Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
Company Registration Number 06368978
Charity Registration Number 1129843

Trustee's Annual Report (Incorporating the Directors Report)

Year ended 30 September 2023

The trustees, who are also the directors for the purpose of the company law, present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the charity for the year ended 30 September 2023

Reference and Administrative details

Registered charity name	Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southamp
Charity registration number	1129843
Company registration number	6368978
Principal office and registered office	Happy Bunnies Pre-School 6 Viceroy Road Sholing Southampton SO19 8FJ

The trustees

<i>Chair</i> Rebecca Cooper	Appointed as Trustee November 2021
<i>Treasurer</i> Samantha Cleverley	Appointed as Trustee November 2021
<i>Secretary</i> Emily Ricketts	Appointed as Trustee November 2021

Independent examiner

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The company's continuing objectives and activities are the provision of childcare and pre-school activities under Ofsted guidelines.

Achievement and performance

The Trustees consider this years achievements to be satisfactory.

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Charity Registration Number 1129843

Trustee's Annual Report (Incorporating the Directors Report) (continued)

Year ended 30 September 2023

Financial review

The trustees are satisfied with the financial position of the company.

The Charity is dependant on local authority grant funding for its income, and the trustees are aware that this source of funding can be subject to change at short notice. Therefore the trustees have designated £60,000 of its unrestricted reserves for possible redundancy costs in the event of changes to the Charity's income stream. The trustees are not aware of any such proposed changes.

Plans for future periods

The Trustees are continuing to plan for the charity to provide satisfactory childcare and pre-school activities.

Small company provisions

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies entitled to the small companies exemption.

The trustees' annual report was approved and signed on behalf of the board of trustees by:

Sign



Date

29/11/23

Charity Secretary

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
Company Registration Number 06368978
Charity Registration Number 1129843

Year Ended 30 September 2023

Notes to the Financial Statements

1 General Information

The charity is a public benefit entity and a Private Company Limited by Guarantee, registered in England and Wales and a registered charity in England and Wales. The address of the registered office is Happy Bunnies Pre-School, 6 Viceroy Road, Sholing, Southampton, SO19 8FJ.

2 Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with FRS 102, 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland', the statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Companies Act 2006.

3 Accounting Policies

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, as modified by the revaluation of certain financial assets and liabilities and investment properties measured at fair value through income and expenditure.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the entity.

Going Concern

There are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue.

Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The preparation of the Financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the amount reported. These estimates and judgements are continually reviewed and are based on experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds are available for use at the discretion of the trustees to further any of the charity's purposes.

Designated funds are unrestricted funds earmarked by the trustees for particular future projects or commitments.

Restricted funds are subjected to restrictions on their expenditure declared by the donor to through the terms of an appeal, and fall into one of two sub-classes: restricted income funds or endowment funds.

Incoming resources

All income is included in the statement of financial activities when entitlement has passed to the charity, it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the charity and the amount can be reliably measured. The following specific policies are applied to the particular categories of income.

- * income from donations or grants is recognised when there is evidence of entitlement to the gift, receipt is probable and it amount can be measured reliably.
- * legacy income is recognised when receipt is probable and entitlement is established.
- * income from contracts for the supply of services is recognised with the delivery of the contracted service. This is classified as unrestricted unless there is a contractual requirement for it to be spent on a particular purpose and returned if unspent, in which case it may be regarded as restricted.

Resources explained

Expenditure is recognised on an accruals basis as a liability is incurred. Expenditure includes any VAT which cannot be fully recovered, and is classified under headings of the statement of financials activities to which it relates.

- * expenditure on raising funds includes the cost of all fundraising activities, events, non charitable trading activities, and the sale of donated goods.
- * expenditure on charitable activities includes all costs incurred by a charity in undertaking activities that further its charitable aims for the benefit of its beneficiaries, including those support costs and costs relating to the governance of the charity apportioned to charitable activities.
- * other expenditure includes all expenditure that is neither related to raising funds for the charity nor part of its expenditure on charitable activities.

All costs are allocated to expenditure categories reflecting use of the resource. Direct costs attributable to a single activity are allocated directly to that activity. Shared costs are apportioned between the activities they contribute to on a reasonable, justifiable and consistent basis.

Financial instruments

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provision of the instrument.

Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the amount receivable or payable including any related transaction costs, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where it is recognised at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Current assets and current liabilities are subsequently measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received and not discounted.

**Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by
Guarantee**

Company Registration Number 06368978

Charity Registration Number 1129843

Income and Expenditure account for the year ended 30th September 2023

	Sep-23	Sep-22
Income		
Grant Funding	155,489	131,099
Fee received -Parents	11,989	13,039
Fundraising	606	293
Other income/Ecat	0	2,056
Bank interest rec'd	751	69
Total Income	<u>168,834</u>	<u>146,555</u>
Expenditure		
Wages	128,022	112,306
Tax & Ni & Pensions	15,176	10,241
Rent & Waste From SCC & Premises costs	9,686	11,601
Consumables Inc O2 mobile & Workwear	1,903	1,667
Insurance	764	915
Food & Snacks	233	190
Cleaning & Hygiene	1,609	1,884
Professional and Ofsted: Inc SAGE fee's DBS	1,810	1,279
Accountants Fee	650	650
Fund Raising	134	0
Other	0	0
Equipment	3,594	2,010
First Aid Training Course	750	0
Total Expenditure	<u>164,332</u>	<u>142,743</u>
Net Surplus for the year	<u><u>4,502</u></u>	<u><u>3,813</u></u>

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
Company Registration Number 06368978
Charity Registration Number 1129843

Statement of Financial Position
Year Ended 30 September 2023

	Note	2023		2022
		£	£	£
Current Assets				
Debtors	14	0		
Cash at bank and in hand		174,533		170,032
		<u>174,533</u>		<u>170,032</u>
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	15	0		
Net Current assets			174,533	170,032
Total assets less current liabilities			<u>174,533</u>	<u>170,032</u>
Net assets			<u>174,533</u>	<u>170,032</u>
Funds of the charity				
Unrestricted funds			174,534	170,032
Total Charity funds	17		<u>174,534</u>	<u>170,032</u>

For the year ending 30 September 2023 the charity was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Directors' responsibilities:

* The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476;

* The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

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

These financial statements were approved by the board of trustee's and authorised for issue, and are signed on behalf of the board by:

M Cooper
 Trustee
 Date 29/11/23.

S Clonery
 Trustee
 Date 29/11/23.

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
 Company Registration Number 06368978
 Charity Registration Number 1129843

Statement of Financial Activities
 (Including income and expenditure account)

Year Ended 30 September 2022

		2023		2022
	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total Funds	Total Funds
	Funds	Funds	Total Funds	Total Funds
Note	£	£	£	£
Income and endowments				
Donations and legacies	5	0	0	0
Charitable activities	6	168,228	168,228	144,207
Other Trading income	7	606	606	2,349
Total Income		<u>0</u>	<u>168,834</u>	<u>146,556</u>
Expenditure				
Expenditure on raising funds:				
Cost of other trading activities	8	0	0	0
Expenditure on charitable activities	9,10	164,332	164,332	142,743
Total Expenditure		<u>0</u>	<u>164,332</u>	<u>142,743</u>
Net Income and net movement in funds		<u>0</u>	<u>4,502</u>	<u>3,813</u>
Reconciliation of funds				
Total funds brought forward		<u>0</u>	<u>170,032</u>	<u>166,219</u>
Total of funds carried forward		<u>0</u>	<u>174,534</u>	<u>170,032</u>

The Statement of Financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.
 All income and Expenditure derive from continuing activities.

Guarantee

Company Registration Number 06368978

Charity Registration Number 1129843

Balance sheet of Financial position as at 30th September 2023

	Sep-23	Sep-22
<u>Current Assets</u>		
Cash at Bank - Santander	113,463	109,713
Cash at Bank - Nationwide - Reserves	61,071	60,319
Cash in Hand	0	0
Prepayments	0	0
	<u>174,533</u>	<u>170,032</u>
<u>Current Liabilities</u>		
Creditors: (amounts falling due within one year)	0	0
	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Net Current Assets and Total Assets	<u>174,533</u>	<u>170,032</u>
Financed by Capital Account		
Balance at 1st October 2023	170,032	166,219
Surplus for the year	4,502	3,813
	<u>174,534</u>	<u>170,032</u>

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton)
Company Registration Number 06368978
Charity Registration Number 1129843

NOTES: Independent Examination covering year ending 30th September 2023

Income and expenditure are currently recorded using excel spreadsheets where every transaction is recorded and numbered, this allows for ease of tracking and transparency. The number is written on the document which is then scanned in for future referral and quick retrieval.

The system is very workable to follow and transparent.
Where invoices for expenses are not held in paper format they can be located within the scanned folder held securely.

THERE WERE NO ERRORS OF CONCERN FOUND.

Expenditure

For everyday essential items purchased and paid by the staff these are cleared for reimbursement on production of receipt straight into the staff members bank account. For more costly items these requests are put to the Trustee's for approval before purchasing.

Income

The majority of income received comes from grants from the government.
All transactions are recorded in the spreadsheet.
The preschools preferred method of payment from parents is by Standing Order.

Payroll

Payroll is run monthly and paid at the end of month. Paid online and recorded in the spreadsheet. A breakdown of payroll including pensions is held within the online accessed software (Sage Online and NEST Online) accessed by authorised personnel only.

Income and expenditure spreadsheet

The spreadsheet works really well and is a good basis for keeping the accounts in order.

Petty Cash

The Charity does not hold a petty cash float.

POINTS TO NOTE:

Trustee's

The trustee's officers continued from 2022 to 2023, with 3 additional trustee's joining the charity.

HAPPY BUNNIES PRE-SCHOOL SOUTHAMPTON

England & Wales - Charity number 1129843

Accounts



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 1st October 2021
Period end date

Period start date To 30th September 2022

Charity name: Happy Bunnies Preschool

Charity registration number: 1129843

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	Happy Bunnies purposes are to: - benefit the public by offering high quality care and education for local children aged from 2 – 4 years of age in a safe and stimulating environment from Monday to Friday over 38 weeks of the year. - ensure local children benefit from having a broad range of knowledge and skills that provide the right foundation for good future progress through school.
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	The aims: -to actively promote inclusion, equality of opportunity, the valuing of diversity and British values. -to benefit the families by supporting their individual needs by offering either morning (8.45am-11.45am), afternoon (11.45am-2.45pm), all day (8.45am-2.45pm) sessions or a combination of different sessions. -to benefit the parents by working in partnership with them to help their children learn and develop to their full potential, keeping parents informed of their progress and providing ideas on how they can support their children at home -to benefit the children by providing a wide range of equipment and resources both indoors and outdoors which children can

		access through free flow play to enable them to develop their knowledge in the 7 areas of learning.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	When considering the charity's aims and objectives the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit.

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	

<p>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>	<p>Para 1.20</p>	<p>During the year 52 local children benefitted from attending the setting with a maximum of 32 children per session.</p> <p>Happy Bunnies employed 10 members of staff – Manager (qualified to Level 5), Lead (qualified to Level 3), Deputy (qualified to Level 3), Sendco (qualified to Level 3) and 6 Early Years Practitioners (1 qualified to Level 2 and 5 qualified to Level 3).</p> <p>We introduced parents back to the setting after not having them in due to Covid for 2 years by organising a story/picnic event and a leavers picnic. Our children also took part in an Easter Egg competition run by a local Care Home.</p> <p>We purchased a Sensory Calming Kit and emotion cushions to support children to regulate their emotions as well as large Polydrons and Mosaic Shapes to support children's problem solving and sequencing skills.</p>
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

<p>Achievements against objectives set</p>	<p>Para 1.41</p>	
<p>Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set</p>	<p>Para 1.41</p>	
<p>Investment performance against objectives</p>	<p>Para 1.41</p>	
<p>Other</p>		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	The trustees are satisfied with the financial position of Happy Bunnies Preschool.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Happy Bunnies main income is the Nursery Education funding received from the Local Authority and the trustees are aware this can be subject to change. We have a reserve fund to cover the possible costs in the event of changes to the income flow. We have a separate bank account to hold the charity's reserves of just over £60k. We aim to have money in reserve to cover main costs for at least three months and to meet our redundancy liabilities.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£60000
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	The Preschool has no deficits
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	

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	We fundraised £293.06 by holding a Tombolo and Cake Stall.
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	The number of children on our books was about the same as last year. However, the increase in wages due to the new National Living Wage rate has had an impact on our finances.
Other		

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Memorandum & Articles of Association
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	Limited by Guarantee
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	We appoint trustees at the AGM by nominations & with the highest number of votes from the parents at this meeting

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	Happy Bunnies Preschool
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1129843
Charity's principal address	Happy Bunnies Preschool 6 Viceroy Road Sholing Southampton SO19 8FJ

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	Ms R Cooper	Chair		
2	Ms E Ricketts	Secretary		
3	Ms S Cleverley	Treasurer		
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		
Ms R Cooper		
Ms E Ricketts		
Ms S Cleverley		

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

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)	Rebecca Cooper	
Full name(s)	Rebecca Cooper	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	CHAIR	
Date	23/3/2023	

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
Company Registration Number 06368978
Charity Registration Number 1129843

Trustee's Annual Report (Incorporating the Directors Report)

Year ended 30 September 2022

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Charity registration number	1129843
Company registration number	6368978
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The trustees

Chair	Rebecca Cooper	Appointed as Trustee November 2021
Treasurer	Samantha Cleverley	Appointed as Trustee November 2021
Secretary	Emily Ricketts	Appointed as Trustee November 2021

Independent examiner	Fielders Accounting Payroll & VAT Services Mrs KF Fielder MAAT 7 Tilbrook Road Southampton SO15 4HP
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Year ended 30 September 2022

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Plans for future periods

The Trustees are continuing to plan for the charity to provide satisfactory childcare and pre-school activities.

Small company provisions

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies entitled to the small companies exemption.

The trustees' annual report was approved and signed on behalf of the board of trustees by:

Sign *Rebecca Cooper PP Rebecca Cooper*

Date *7/11/22*

Emily Ricketts
Charity Secretary

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
 Company Registration Number 06368978
 Charity Registration Number 1129843

Statement of Financial Activities
 (Including income and expenditure account)

Year Ended 30 September 2022

		Unrestricted	Restricted	2022	2021
	Note	Funds £	Funds £	Total Funds £	Total Funds £
Income and endowments					
Donations and legacies	5	0	0	0	0
Charitable activities	6	144,207	0	144,207	151,761
Other Trading income	7	2,349	0	2,349	322
Total Income		<u>146,556</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>146,556</u>	<u>152,083</u>
Expenditure					
Expenditure on raising funds:					
Cost of other trading activities	8	0	0	0	0
Expenditure on charitable activities	9,10	142,743	0	142,743	132,968
Total Expenditure		<u>142,743</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>142,743</u>	<u>132,968</u>
Net Income and net movement in funds		<u>3,813</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,813</u>	<u>19,115</u>
Reconciliation of funds					
Total funds brought forward		166,219	0	166,219	147,104
Total of funds carried forward		<u>170,032</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>170,032</u>	<u>166,219</u>

The Statement of Financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.
 All income and Expenditure derive from continuing activities.

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
Company Registration Number 06368978
Charity Registration Number 1129843

Statement of Financial Position
Year Ended 30 September 2022

		2022		2021	
	Note	£	£	£	£
Current Assets					
Debtors	14	0			
Cash at bank and in hand		<u>170,032</u>		<u>166,219</u>	
		170,032		166,219	
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year					
	15	<u>0</u>			
Net Current assets			<u>170,032</u>	<u>166,219</u>	
Total assets less current liabilities			<u>170,032</u>	<u>166,219</u>	
Net assets			<u>170,032</u>	<u>166,219</u>	
Funds of the charity					
Unrestricted funds			<u>170,032</u>	<u>192,091</u>	
Total Charity funds	17		<u>170,032</u>	<u>192,091</u>	

For the year ending 30 September 2022 the charity was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Directors' responsibilities:

* The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476;

* The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

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

These financial statements were approved by the board of trustee's and authorised for issue, and are signed on behalf of the board by:

M. Cooper
 Trustee
 Date 7/11/22.

S. Clennett
 Trustee
 Date 7/11/22

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
Company Registration Number 06368978
Charity Registration Number 1129843

Income and Expenditure account for the year ended 30th September 2022

	Sep-22	Sep-21
Income		
Grant Funding	131,099	138,391
Fee received -Parents	13,039	13,341
Fundraising	293	0
Other income/Ecat	2,056	322
Bank interest rec'd	69	30
Total Income	<u>146,556</u>	<u>152,083</u>
Expenditure		
Wages	112,306	109,670
Tax & Ni & Pensions	10,241	10,979
Rent & Waste From SCC & Premises costs	11,601	2,583
Consumables Inc O2 mobile & Workwear	1,667	2,078
Insurance	915	601
Food & Snacks	190	177
Cleaning & Hygiene	1,884	1,661
Professional and Ofsted: Inc SAGE fee's DBS	1,279	1,108
Accountants Fee	650	650
Fund Raising	0	0
Other	0	159
External repairs - Gardens	0	0
Equipment	2,010	2,703
First Aid Training Course	0	600
Total Expenditure	<u>142,743</u>	<u>132,969</u>
Net Surplus for the year	<u><u>3,813</u></u>	<u><u>19,115</u></u>

**Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by
 Company Registration Number 06368978
 Charity Registration Number 1129843**

Balance sheet of Financial position as at

30th September 2022

	Sep-22	Sep-21
<u>Current Assets</u>		
Cash at Bank - Santander	109,713	105,969
Cash at Bank - Nationwide - Reserves	60,319	60,250
Cash in Hand	0	0
Prepayments	0	0
	<u>170,032</u>	<u>166,219</u>
 <u>Current Liabilities</u>		
Creditors: (amounts falling due within one year)	0	0
	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
 Net Current Assets and Total Assets	 <u>170,032</u>	 <u>166,219</u>
 Financed by Capital Account		
Balance at 1st October 2022	166,219	147,104
Surplus for the year	3,813	19,115
	<u>170,032</u>	<u>166,219</u>

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
Company Registration Number 06368978
Charity Registration Number 1129843

Independent Examiners Report to the trustees of Happy Bunnies Pre -School (Southampton)

Year Ended 30 September 2022

I report to the trustees on my examination of the financial statements of Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) ('the charity') for the year ended 30 September 2022.

Responsibilities and basis of the report

As the trustees of the company (and also its directors for the purposes of the company law) you are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with requirements of the Companies Act 2006 ('the 2006 Act')

Having satisfied myself that the accounts of the company are not required to be audited under Part 16 of the 2006 Act and are eligible for independent examination, I report in respect of my examination of the charity's accounts as carried out under section 145 of the charities Act 2011 ('the 2011 Act'). In carrying out my examination I have followed the directions given by the Charity's Commission under section 145 (5) (b) of the 2011 Act.

Independent examiners statement

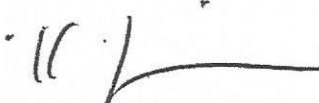
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I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

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7th November 2022



HAPPY BUNNIES PRE-SCHOOL SOUTHAMPTON

England & Wales - Charity number 1129843

Accounts



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 1st October 2020 Period start date To 30th September 2021
Period end date

Charity name: Happy Bunnies Preschool

Charity registration number: 1129843

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	<p>Happy Bunnies purposes are to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- benefit the public by offering high quality care and education for local children aged from 2 – 4 years of age in a safe and stimulating environment from Monday to Friday over 38 weeks of the year.- ensure local children benefit from having a broad range of knowledge and skills that provide the right foundation for good future progress through school.
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	<p>The aims:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">-to actively promote inclusion, equality of opportunity, the valuing of diversity and British values.-to benefit the families by supporting their individual needs by offering either morning (8.45am-11.45am), afternoon (11.45am-2.45pm), all day (8.45am-2.45pm) sessions or a combination of different sessions.-to benefit the parents by working in partnership with them to help their children learn and develop to their full potential, keeping parents informed of their progress and providing ideas on how they can support their children at home-to benefit the children by providing a wide range of equipment and resources both indoors and outdoors which children can access through free flow play to enable them to develop their knowledge in the 7 areas of learning.

Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	When considering the charity's aims and objectives the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit.
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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>During the year 62 local children benefitted from attending the setting with a maximum of 32 children per session.</p> <p>Happy Bunnies employed 10 members of staff – Manager (qualified to Level 5), Lead (qualified to Level 3), Deputy (qualified to Level 3), Sendco (qualified to Level 3) and 6 Early Years Practitioners (2 qualified to Level 2 and 4 qualified to Level 3). No events were organised this year due to Covid-19 restrictions.</p> <p>This year we introduced a large wooden tunnel and wooden steps to our forest area to support children's physical development. We also changed the layout of our indoor area to have more defined zones to support children's personal, social and emotional development.</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	The trustees are satisfied with the financial position of Happy Bunnies Preschool.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Happy Bunnies main income is the Nursery Education funding received from the Local Authority and the trustees are aware this can be subject to change. We have a reserve fund to cover the possible costs in the event of changes to the income flow. We have a separate bank account to hold the charity's reserves of £60k. We aim to have money in reserve to cover main costs for at least three months and to meet our redundancy liabilities.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£60000
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	The Preschool has no deficits
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	

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	The number of children on our books again this year was lower than previous years. The increase in wages due to the new National Living Wage rate also had an impact on our finances.
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 (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Memorandum & Articles of Association
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	Limited by Guarantee
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	We appoint trustees at the AGM by nominations & with the highest number of votes from the parents at this meeting

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	Happy Bunnies Preschool
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1129843
Charity's principal address	Happy Bunnies Preschool 6 Viceroy Road Sholing Southampton SO19 8FJ

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	Ms R Cooper	Chair		
2	Ms H Scarle	Vice Chair		
3	Ms E Ricketts	Secretary		
4	Ms S Cleverley	Treasurer		
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		
Ms R Cooper		
Ms H Scarle		
Ms E Ricketts		
Ms S Cleverley		

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

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



Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
Company Registration Number 06368978
Charity Registration Number 1129843

Trustee's Annual Report (Incorporating the Directors Report)

Year ended 30 September 2021

The trustees, who are also the directors for the purpose of the company law, present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the charity for the year ended 30 September 2021.

Reference and Administrative details

Registered charity name	Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton)
Charity registration number	1129843
Company registration number	6368978
Principal office and registered office	Happy Bunnies Pre-School 6 Viceroy Road Sholing Southampton SO19 8FJ

The trustees

Chair	Rebecca Cooper	Apointed as Trustee November 2021
Vice Chair	Helen Scarle	Apointed as Trustee November 2021
Treasurer	Samantha Cleverley	Apointed as Trustee November 2021
Secretary	Emily Ricketts	Apointed as Trustee November 2021

Independent examiner	Fielders Accounting Payroll & VAT Services Mrs KF Fielder MAAT 7 Tilbrook Road Southampton SO15 4HP
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Structure, governance and management

The company is run by the Trustees who also form the management committee. The day to day operating decisions are taken by the Group Leader, with the assistance of two deputies.

Objectives and activities

The company's continuing objectives and activities are the provision of childcare and pre-school activities under Ofsted guidelines.

Achievement and performance

The Trustees consider this years achievements to be satisfactory.

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
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Trustee's Annual Report (Incorporating the Directors Report) (continued)

Year ended 30 September 2021

Financial review

The trustees are satisfied with the financial position of the company.

The Charity is dependant on local authority grant funding for its income, and the trustees are aware that this source of funding can be subject to change at short notice. Therefore the trustees have designated £60,000 of its unrestricted reserves for possible redundancy costs in the event of changes to the Charity's income stream. The trustees are not aware of any such proposed changes.

Plans for future periods

The Trustees are continuing to plan for the charity to provide satisfactory childcare and pre-school activities.

Small company provisions

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies entitled to the small companies exemption.

The trustees' annual report was approved and signed on behalf of the board of trustees by:

Sign 

Date 1/12/21

Emily Ricketts
Charity Secretary

Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by Guarantee
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Statement of Financial Activities
 (Including income and expenditure account)

Year Ended 30 September 2021

		Unrestricted	Restricted	2021	2020
	Note	Funds £	Funds £	Total Funds £	Total Funds £
Income and endowments					
Donations and legacies	5	0	0	0	0
Charitable activities	6	151,761	0	151,761	138,180
Other Trading income	7	322	0	322	242
Total Income		<u>152,083</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>152,083</u>	<u>138,422</u>
Expenditure					
Expenditure on raising funds:					
Cost of other trading activities	8	0	0	0	0
Expenditure on charitable activities	9,10	132,968	0	132,968	145,179
Total Expenditure		<u>132,968</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>132,968</u>	<u>145,179</u>
Net Income and net movement in funds		<u>19,115</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>19,115</u>	<u>-6,757</u>
Reconciliation of funds					
Total funds brought forward		147,104	0	147,104	153,860
Total of funds carried forward		<u>166,219</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>166,219</u>	<u>147,104</u>

The Statement of Financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.
 All income and Expenditure derive from continuing activities.

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Statement of Financial Position
Year Ended 30 September 2021

		2021		2020
	Note	£	£	£
Current Assets				
Debtors	14	0		
Cash at bank and in hand		166,219		147,104
		<u>166,219</u>		<u>147,104</u>
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year				
	15	<u>0</u>		
Net Current assets			166,219	147,104
Total assets less current liabilities			<u>166,219</u>	<u>147,104</u>
Net assets			<u>166,219</u>	<u>147,104</u>
Funds of the charity				
Unrestricted funds			<u>166,219</u>	<u>147,104</u>
Total Charity funds	17		<u>166,219</u>	<u>147,104</u>

For the year ending 30 September 2020 the charity was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Directors' responsibilities:

* The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476;

* The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

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

These financial statements were approved by the board of trustee's and authorised for issue, and are signed on behalf of the board by:

MCOOPER
 Trustee
 Date 31/12/21.

A. H. H. G.
 Trustee
 Date 29.01.21

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Income and Expenditure account for the year ended 30th September 2021

	Sep-21	Sep-20
Income		
Grant Funding	138,391	128,773
Fee received -Parents	13,341	9,205
Fundraising	0	242
Other income/Ecat	322	0
Bank interest rec'd	30	202
Total Income	<u>152,083</u>	<u>138,422</u>
Expenditure		
Wages	109,670	111,828
Tax & Ni & Pensions	10,979	11,831
Rent & Waste From SCC & Premises costs	2,583	12,263
Consumables Inc O2 mobile & Workwear	2,078	2,244
Insurance	601	528
Food & Snacks	177	127
Cleaning & Hygiene	1,661	1,047
Professional and Ofsted: Inc SAGE fee's DBS	1,108	268
Accountants Fee	650	650
Fund Raising	0	0
Other	159	63
External repairs - Gardens	0	3,853
Equipment	2,703	477
First Aid Training Course	600	0
Total Expenditure	<u>132,968</u>	<u>145,179</u>
Net Surplus for the year	<u>19,115</u>	<u>-6,757</u>

**Happy Bunnies Pre-School (Southampton) Company Limited by
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Balance sheet of Financial position as at

30th September 2021

	Sep-21	Sep-20
<u>Current Assets</u>		
Cash at Bank - Santander	105,969	86,884
Cash at Bank - Nationwide - Reserves	60,250	60,220
Cash in Hand	0	0
Prepayments	0	0
	<u>166,219</u>	<u>147,104</u>
 <u>Current Liabilities</u>		
Creditors: (amounts falling due within one year)	0	0
	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
 Net Current Assets and Total Assets	<u>166,219</u>	<u>147,104</u>
 Financed by Capital Account		
Balance at 1st October 2019	147,104	153,861
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18th November 2021



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