

Lincs Ark (Animal Welfare)

Charity number 1146290

Accounts for the year ended 31 December 2022

TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT FOR LINCS ARK (ANIMAL WELFARE)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022

Reference and administrative details

Lincs Ark (Animal Welfare) is a charity registered at the Charity Commission under number 1146290. The Trustees during the period of the report were as follows:-

- Julie Brooks
- Robert Holland
- Michele Franks
- Lisa Skinner
- Sue Kaufmann
- Rachael Clare

Objectives and activities

The charity's objectives are for the benefit of the public to relieve the suffering of animals in need of care and attention and, in particular, to provide and maintain rescue homes or other facilities for the reception, care and treatment of such animals. The Trustees confirm that they have referred to the Charity Commission's guidance on public benefit when reviewing the charity's aims and objectives and planning future activities.

Structure, governance and management

The governing document of the Charity was adopted on 4 March 2012, and the charity is an unincorporated association.

The trustees are co opted onto the board and ratified at the forthcoming AGM. All Trustees are volunteers and do not receive any benefits. All out of pocket expenses are repaid accordingly which consists mainly of cat food and cat litter as cats are fostered saving boarding fees. The charity could not operate without the trustees and volunteers and throughout the year we estimate that the cost of the volunteers would have been 8,320 hours at £8.00 = £66,560.

Achievements and performance

The charity has continued to grow throughout the year and has raised more funds to be able to support its charitable objectives, through donations, grants, fundraising and internet sales.

Financial review

The charity's income increased during the period, despite the effects of the coronavirus pandemic, which resulted in a deficit for the year of £4,999. There are retained unrestricted reserves of £30,709.

Funds held as custodian trustee

There are currently no funds held in trust at the year end.

The trustees report was signed by  Julie Brooks on behalf of the board.

Date: 13 July 2023

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Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Lincs Ark

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31 December 2022.

Responsibilities and basis of report

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

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

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in any material respect:

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a "true and fair" view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

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



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13 July 2023

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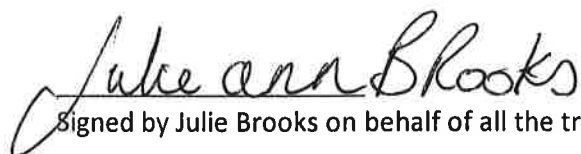
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Statement of financial activities

	<u>Note</u>	<u>Unrestricted</u> <u>Funds</u>	<u>Restricted</u> <u>Funds</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>Funds</u>	<u>2021 Total</u> <u>Funds</u>
<u>Income and endowments from:</u>					
Donations and legacies		23,059	2,135	25,194	22,169
Charitable activities		12,511	-	12,511	7,603
Total	(3)	35,570	2,135	37,705	29,772
<u>Expenditure on:</u>					
Raising funds		1,427	-	1,427	1,512
Charitable activities		41,277	-	41,277	32,058
Total	(4)	42,704	-	42,704	33,570
Net income / (expenditure)		(7,134)	2,135	(4,999)	(3,798)
Transfers between funds		702	(702)	-	-
Net movement in funds		(6,432)	1,433	(4,999)	(3,798)
<u>Reconciliation of funds:</u>					
Total funds brought forward		30,709	-	30,709	34,507
Total funds carried forward		24,277	1,433	25,710	30,709

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Balance sheet as 31 December 2022

	<u>Note</u>	<u>Unrestricted</u> <u>Funds</u>	<u>Restricted</u> <u>Funds</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>Funds</u>	<u>2021 Total</u> <u>Funds</u>
<u>Fixed Assets</u>					
Tangible assets	(5)	3,219	-	3,219	1,559
Total fixed assets		3,219	-	3,219	1,559
<u>Current Assets</u>					
Cash at bank and in hand		24,384	1,433	25,817	29,488
Other debtors		-	-	-	1,886
Total current assets		24,384	1,433	25,817	31,374
<u>Creditors</u> : amounts falling due within one year	(6)	3,326	-	3,326	2,224
Net current assets		21,058	1,433	22,491	29,150
Total assets less current liabilities		24,277	1,433	25,710	30,709
Net assets		24,277	1,433	25,710	30,709
<u>Funds of the charity</u>					
Unrestricted funds		24,277	-	24,277	30,709
Restricted funds		-	1,433	1,433	-
		24,277	1,433	25,710	30,709



Signed by Julie Brooks on behalf of all the trustees on 13 July 2023.

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Notes to the accounts

1. Basis of preparation

1.1 Basis of accounting

These accounts have been prepared on the basis of historic cost in accordance with:

- Accounting and Reporting by Charities - Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP FRS102);
- and with the Charities Act.

1.2 Change in basis of accounting

The accounts have been updated to reflect the change in accounting standards.

1.3 Changes to previous accounts

No changes have been made to accounts for previous years.

2. Accounting policies

INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS

Recognition of income

These are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SoFA) when:

- the charity becomes entitled to the resources
- the trustees are virtually certain they will receive the resources; and
- the monetary value can be measured with sufficient reliability.

Income with related expenditure

Where incoming resources have related expenditure (as with fundraising or contract income) the incoming resources and related expenditure are reported gross in the SoFA.

Grants and donations

Grants and donations are only included in the SoFA when the charity has unconditional entitlement to the resources.

EXPENDITURE AND LIABILITIES

Liability recognition

Liabilities are recognised as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to pay out resources.

Governance costs included in charitable activities

Include costs of preparation and examination of statutory accounts, the costs of trustee meetings and cost of any legal advice to trustees on governance or constitutional matters.

ASSETS

Tangible fixed assets for use by charity

These are capitalised if they can be used for more than one year. They are valued at cost or a reasonable value on receipt. These assets are depreciated over 3 years straight line.

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3. Analysis of Income and endowments

	<u>2022</u>			<u>2021</u>
	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Restricted</u>	<u>Total</u>	
<u>Donations and legacies</u>				
Donations	11,311	2,135	13,446	11,793
Adoption fees	11,748	-	11,748	10,376
	<u>23,059</u>	<u>2,135</u>	<u>25,194</u>	<u>22,169</u>
<u>Charitable activities</u>				
Fundraising	12,511	-	12,511	7,603
Auction and Tombola's	-	-	-	-
	<u>12,511</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>12,511</u>	<u>7,603</u>

4. Analysis of Expenditure

	<u>2022</u>			<u>2021</u>
	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Restricted</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Raising funds</u>				
Fundraising expenses	68	-	68	351
Insurance	969	-	969	948
Stationery, postage and fuel costs	8	-	8	40
Travel expenses	44	-	44	-
Mobile phone	152	-	152	148
Miscellaneous expenses	186	-	186	25
	<u>1,427</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,427</u>	<u>1,512</u>
<u>Charitable activities</u>				
Vet fees - cats	22,793	-	22,793	19,184
Vet fees - rabbits	3,410	-	3,410	4,556
Feed, bedding & miscellaneous animal cost	12,654	-	12,654	6,921
Repairs	575	-	575	65
Depreciation on fixed assets	1,312	-	1,312	828
Profit on sale of fixed assets	-	-	-	(40)
Independent examiner fee	360	-	360	360
Website fees	173	-	173	184
	<u>41,277</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>41,277</u>	<u>32,058</u>

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5. Tangible fixed assets

	<u>Fixtures, fittings and equipment</u>
Cost b/fwd	4,830
Additions	2,972
Disposals	-
Cost c/fwd	<u>7,802</u>
Depreciation b/fwd	3,271
Depreciation charge	1,312
Depreciation on disposals	-
Depreciation c/fwd	<u>4,583</u>
Net book value at 31.12.2022	<u>3,219</u>
Net book value at 31.12.2021	<u>1,559</u>

6. Creditors and accruals

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Trade creditors	2,966	1,864
Accruals and deferred income	360	360
	<u>3,326</u>	<u>2,224</u>