



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From	Period start date			To	Period end date		
	01	April	2022		01	April	2023

Section A

Reference and administration details

Charity name	Pendle Dogs In Need
Other names charity is known by	Pendle Dogs
Registered charity number (if any)	1155298
Charity's principal address	The Dogs Den Greenfield Road Colne Postcode Bb8 9PE

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	Sharon Ashley	Treasurer		
2	Paula Knowles	Chair		
3	Adam Draper			
4	Hayley Cutler			
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Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address
Financial	Peter Wright	

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

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Section B Structure, governance and management

Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)	Constitution
How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company)	Trust
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	Appointed by members

Additional governance issues (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
- the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;
- relationship with any related parties;
- trustees' consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.

Over the last year the charity has struggled to engage current volunteers and recruit new volunteers. We feel this is one of the after effects of lockdown.

Section C Objectives and activities

Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

To rescue, rehabilitate and rehome local animals

Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)

Dogs that need rehoming for a variety of reason come to our notice and are offered a safe space with the rescue.

In the main part these dogs are placed in foster homes for assessment which is our preference. We have continued to have to rely on kennel spaces due to a shortage of foster homes which has significant financial implications.

All dogs that come into our care continue to receive vet care - as a minimum a vet check, vaccinations, flea, worm and neuter. All dogs are chipped to the rescues details. If a dog requires further medical intervention such as treatment for infection, irritation, dental work or anything else then they will receive it. We have continued to take in high numbers of dogs with significant health issues in the last year due to a range of reasons including owners struggling financially and also indiscriminate breeding practises.

Once assessed in foster care our dogs are placed in suitable homes. The homecheck process has been a challenge due to poor uptake from volunteers however we are currently undergoing a recruitment drive and attempting to build a new, stronger team.

We continue to work in our local community offering support including –
 Training
 Dog food
 Food banks
 Clothing (from our shop)
 Therapy sessions
 School talks and visits
 EOL fosters or supported adoptions for elderly owners

Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include further statements, where relevant, about:

- policy on grantmaking;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.

Our finances started the year strong but the increases in vets bills and kennels bills have made an impact and we have had to really work hard at fund raising, grant applications etc.

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

In this year we have successfully rescued and rehomed 130 dogs

We have carried out 8 school visits and 8 visits to local care homes.

Our training school has continued to do well.

For our own dogs we are providing training input for dogs before placing them in homes and afterwards

We have continued to help those struggling to feed their dogs with food donations and supplied dog food for all local food banks.

Our elderly dog programme has seen us placing several more dogs in this programme this year.

We continue to offer full back up for all the dogs we rehome.

Our new website has made things much more manageable and streamlined for us and the public.

Section E Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

Our reserves (due to a large inheritance) have reduced due to increases in all our outgoings.

Details of any funds materially in deficit

Further financial review details (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant about:

- the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);
- how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;
- investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

Adoption Fees

Donations

Fundraising activities

Grant Funding

Profits from our Dog Daycare Centre and Training School

Charity Shop

Section F Other optional information

Section G Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s) S. Ashley

Full name(s) Sharon Ashley

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc) Treasurer

Date
29/02/2024

PENDLE DOGS			
April 1 st 2022 – 31 st April 2023			
Starting Balance		£5670.89	
Donations	9312,91	Vets	40709.16
Fundraising (incl auction, 100 club, collection boxes etc)	12832.00	Kennels	25458.00
Adoption Fee	13257.00	Dog Items	4355.76
Local Giving/Facebook	10067.14	Medication	332.66
Shop	12721.41	Staff	37633.03
Dogs Den	8967.32	Training	200.00
Lights	3218.58	Rent	17482.40
Building	100.00	Utilities	492.20
Grants	500.00	IT/Phone	2692.99
Business donations	8919.55	Insurance	863.64
Refunds	2130.37	Building costs	373.24
Food Bank donation	600.00	New Van	3495.00
Inheritance	82068.75	Fuel/transport	3543.07
Van sale	3500.00	Vehicle costs	3219.35
Reserves Transfer	53200.00	Accountant	655.20
		Post	130.04
		Fundraising	3391.75
		Togs/Den	1852.19
		Consumables	169.23
		Donation	550.00
		Bank Charges	1096.77
		Clothing	87.63
		Reserves Transfer	75000.00
TOTAL	221395.03	TOTAL	220888.06
Balance for the year			
Starting Balance		5670.89	
Balance Now (Bank)		6177.86	
PAYPAL			
In		Out	

Fundraising	2339.32	Dog Items	3275.51
Donations	2766.50	Den/Togs/Lights	2485.69
Online Sales	105.00	Facebook	358.72
Adoption Fees	534.00	Training	119.40
Training	12.00	100 Club	3190.00
100 club	3355.00	Services	410.37
Den	468.00	Transport	628.00
Pp Giving	723.41	Webs	203.83
Refund	6.95	Fees	64.53
Total	10310.18	Meds	79.96
Starting Balance	1179.48	Total	10816.11

Final Balance	673.55
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RESERVES

In		Out	
Grant	0	Transfer to main account	53200.00
Donations	0		
Transfer from main account	75000.00		
Total		Total	53200.00

Final Balance	21800.00
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Bank Balance	6177.86
Paypal Balance	673.55
Reserves	21800.00
Total Rescue Assetts 31/3/23	28651.41

Audited by P.Wright (Independent auditor)
Date 23/06/23



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/
members of

Charity Name
Pendle Dogs In Need

On accounts for the year

March 2023

Charity no

1155298

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I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31/03/2023

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 the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent examiner's statement

[The charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 and I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a qualified member of [insert name of applicable listed body]]. *Delete [] if not applicable.*

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination (other than that disclosed below *) 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.

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

Signed:	P. Wright	Date:	23/06/23
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Name:	Mr Peter Wright
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Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):	
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Address:	1 Sandhills Close
	Salterforth
	BB18 5UF

Section B Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.

N/A