



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From	Period start date			To	Period end date		
	1 st	April	2023		31 st	March	2024

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any)

Charity's principal address

Postcode

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	Peter Holtham	Trustee		Trustees of the charity
2	Louise Newman	Trustee		Trustees of the charity
3	Claire Nurse	Trustee		Trustees of the charity
4	Stephanie David	Trustee		Trustees of the charity
5	Gemma Giles	Trustee		Trustees of the charity
6	Rebecca Meecham	Trustee		Trustees of the charity
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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

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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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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)	Unconstituted
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	Recommendation of Charity founder and with agreement of the current trustees

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.

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Section C Objectives and activities

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

To advance the education of children of primary school age through the means of music, dance and other activities.

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)

Following successful trials – increased use of animal therapy – including dogs, rabbits, mobile farm. Fund raised to make it free of charge to schools and general public events.

Stand at Burtonwood Spark Public Fete. Raising awareness.

Rolled out a grief journal for children who have suffered loss. Fundraised to provide free of charge to anyone in need in the local area. Wrote a Adults guide to the grief Journal.

Increase daily activities in schools with small groups of children.

Fund raised and organised free Panto for 1000 local residents.

Organised a Public Concert with Steve Knightley to raise funds and raise awareness of the Dave Project.

It is confirmed that the trustees have had regard to the issued guidance on public benefit.

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.

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

Adult Grief Journal Guide – written and printed.

Fund raised to provide pantomime for 1000 people free or charge.

Mobile Farm into schools.

Worked with the Monty Project (Charity based in Wigan) to bring dog therapy into schools and events.

Section E Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

There is no policy at present on reserves by the charity

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.

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)

Peter Holtham

Peter Holtham

Full name(s)

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Trustee

Trustee

Date

30.01.24

Fireworks - End of Year 31st March 2024

	Income	Expenditure
C/F 2022 / 2023	£4336.07	
Income	£18679.67	£14943.38
Totals	£23015.74	£14943.38
Closing Balance	£8077.36	

Charity Ref: 1158514