



# Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From

Period start date

1<sup>st</sup> April 2024

To

Period end date

31<sup>st</sup> March 2025

## Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name

Fireworks

Other names charity is known by

N/A

Registered charity number (if any)

1158514

Charity's principal address

54 Littleworth Road

Hednesford

Staffordshire

Postcode

WS12 1PA

### 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	01.04.24 -05.01.25	Trustees of the charity
4	Stephanie David	Trustee		Trustees of the charity
5	Gemma Giles	Trustee		Trustees of the charity
6	Rebecca Meecham	Trustee	01.04.24 – 18.09.24	Trustees of the charity
7	Annalise Eustace	Trustee	22.04.24 -	Trustees of the charity
8	Dave Westhead	Trustee	07.09.24 –	Trustees of the charity
9	Laura Dunning	Trustee	26.01.24	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

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

Type of adviser	Name	Address

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

## 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.

## 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 general public events.

Wrote and produced Teacher Mindful Packs.

Continue to provide FOC Grief Journals. Published an Adults guide to the grief Journal also to give out FOC.

Maxed out capacity of volunteer capability and agreed to “hire” resource to increase capacity to 4 or 5 schools per 6 week half term in schools.

Fund raised and organised free Panto for 1000 local residents. Found new panto company and new venue.

Operated “marathon in a month” to raise funds and awareness of two charities.

Ongoing sessions in schools, working with schools on a longer term basis.

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

**Full name(s)** Peter Holtham

**Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)** Trustee

**Date** 12.04.25

**Fireworks - End of Year 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025**

	<b>Income</b>	<b>Expenditure</b>
C/F 2023 / 2024	£8073.36	
Income	£16448.29	£18560.87
<b>Totals</b>	<b>£24560.65</b>	<b>£18560.87</b>
<b>Closing Balance</b>	<b>£5999.78</b>	

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