

REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER: 1168793

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES AND
FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024
FOR
BRITISH BOER GOAT SOCIETY

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REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 March 2024.

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Objectives and aims

The objectives of the British Boer Goat Society (hereafter referred to as BBGS) are as follows:-

The promotion of agriculture for the public benefit by the encouragement, promotion and improvement of the British Boer Goat, and encouraging the breeding of British Boer Goats.

The main objective of the BBGS for this period was to continue promoting the breed through education in management, welfare, marketing and showing.

The BBGS has had to address the changes that Brexit has introduced into the livestock and agricultural world in general. The ongoing effect of Brexit is ever changing and the BBGS is monitoring these changes closely with the protection of the breed standard and the membership at its core.

ACHIEVEMENT AND PERFORMANCE

Charitable activities

Show competitions were undertaken at four shows, namely the Royal Welsh Agricultural Spring Festival the Royal Three Counties Show, Staffordshire Agricultural Show and Hanbury and District Countryside Show. All shows were well attended both by exhibitors and the public. The football and interaction with the public regarding the goats was tremendous at all four shows.

One of the world's leading international judges judged the National Breed Competition at Royal Three Counties Show and provided insightful and educational talks to both members and the public.

Members were offered a reduction in entrance fees to the above shows too as part of the educational programme. This will be offered again for the 2024 showing season.

The BBGS website has been updated extensively and is routinely updated with information, competition results and photographs.

Throughout the year there has been an increased effort in developing the BBGS's online presence with both member only and public Facebook pages.

Competition results and photographs are now posted on the day of the competition.

Show videos are posted to Facebook, YouTube and on the website.

The BBGS organised and oversaw two sales of finished meat goats at the Melton Mowbray livestock market and Worcester cattle market. The sale was open to any goat keeper but only BBGS members were eligible for rosettes and cash prizes for the best and reserve carcass on the hoof, judged by the relevant auctioneer's representative.

A range of informative banners to promote the Boer Goat at events have been produced.

A series of informative training videos from the UK's leading goat vet Mr. David Harwood MRCVS have been made available for the membership. In addition the authoritative Goat Health Book by David Howard that complements the training videos have been sent to all members.

Monthly newsletters are sent to all members.

An excellent newly illustrated breed standard booklet has been printed and made available to existing and new members.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Reserves policy

The reserves policy is to keep a minimum of 1 year's overheads in general funds.

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The charity is a charitable incorporated organisation governed by its constitution.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered Charity number

1168793

Principal address

Hornets Farm
Padbury Road
Thornborough
Buckinghamshire
MK18 2EB

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REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Trustees

J Jenkins

J Nicholson (removed 06.04.23)

T Thomas (resigned 14.10.23)

H Pegram

I Johnson (resigned 17.08.23)

Dr Paul Simon Unwin (appointed 1st
October 2023)

Vicky Spice (resigned 16.07.23)

Marie Smith (appointed 1st October 2023)

Independent examiner

Janet D Jenkins Ltd

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Approved by order of the board of trustees on 26th June 2024 and signed on its behalf by:

J Jenkins

J Jenkins - Trustee

British Boer Goat Society
Receipts and Payments Account
For the year ended 31 March 2024

		2024 £	2023 £
Receipts			
	Advert	-	100
	Interest Received	675	120
	Membership	5333	6661
	Other Income	728	24
	Owner Transfers	1298	1982
	Registrations	5966	9362
	Prefix	210	300
	Outstanding payments written off	635	-
	Re-join Fee	-	75
	IBGS Other Income	700	842
	IBGS Owner transfers	-	16
		15545	19482
Payments			
	Accountancy fees	122	300
	Advertising	580	200
	Show ticket refund	63	-
	Bank charges	-	94
	Bad debts written off	700	123
	Banners	72	347
	Books	3270	-
	Breed Standard	-	216
	Grassroots	500	835
	Grassroots – stationery	-	230
	Grassroots Irish Boer Goats Society	-	647
	Grassroots – postage	775	371
	Grassroots Officer expenses	137	-
	Grassroots Officer wages	3055	5099
	IBBGA Breed Standard	-	216
	Insurance	213	246
	Unidentified payment	54	-
	Paypal fees	58	79
	Sundry expenses	18	-
	Postage	208	-
	Printing and stationery	507	386
	Registered office	-	48
	Secretary expenses	76	12
	Secretary wages	3304	2763
	Secretary wages-SARS	-	158
	Shows	2696	600
	Software	-	80
	Subscriptions	-	119
	Training videos	2520	-
	Telephone	-	260
	Website Costs	2755	1500
		21683	14929
	Net receipts/(payments)	(6138)	4553

British Boer Goat Society
Statement of Assets and
Liabilities
As at 31st March 2024

		2024	2023
		£	£
Fixed assets	Computers	1,105	1,105
	Microphone	186	186
	Printer	210	210
		<u>1,501</u>	<u>1,501</u>
Bank	Bank Deposit Account	55,223	54,565
	Cash at bank and in hand	17,533	23,330
	Paypal	251	1250
Total cash funds		<u>73,007</u>	<u>79,145</u>

Signed on behalf of the board: J Jenkins 26th June 2024

J Jenkins

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF BRITISH BOER GOAT SOCIETY

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of British Boer Goat Society

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of British Boer Goat Society (the Trust) for the year ended 31 March 2024.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Trust 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 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 giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Trust as required by section 130 of the Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do 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.

Janet D Jenkins

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Date: 26th June 2024