

YARMOUTH GREYHOUND HOMEFINDERS

England & Wales · Charity number 1172132

Details

Status Registered

Legal form Trust

Registered 2017-03-17

Register [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

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Activities

Objects: TO RELIEVE THE SUFFERING OF GREYHOUNDS, MAINLY IN THE AREAS OF NORFOLK AND SUFFOLK, IN NEED OF CARE AND ATTENTION AND PROTECT SUCH DOGS FROM CRUELTY, BY PROVIDING TEMPORARY SHELTER FOR THE RECEPTION, CARE AND TREATMENT OF SUCH DOGS AND PLACING GREYHOUNDS IN SUITABLE PERMANENT HOMES FOR THOSE GREYHOUNDS.

Activities: To find retirement homes for racing greyhounds attached to Yarmouth Stadium.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space, Provides Services, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Animals
- **Who:** Elderly/old People, People With Disabilities, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- Throughout England

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	£194,776	£212,591	-	-
2023-12-31	£247,140	£191,369	-	-
2022-12-31	£111,789	£140,206	-	-
2021-12-31	£130,829	£152,661	-	-
2020-12-31	£108,237	£94,804	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
IAN WOODROW	Chair	2017-02-01
Jo Guise		2024-04-17
Justin Franklin		2024-08-28

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TRUSTEES REPORT

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

This is the eighth Trustee Report for the Yarmouth Greyhound Homefinder.

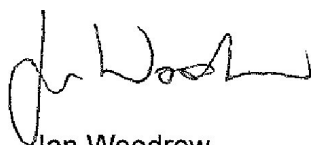
During this year, we have received further legacies to enable the Charity to continue to remain in a comfortable financial position at this time.

Our continued belief in our Veterinary Assistance Scheme has meant that again significant vets bills have needed to be met in order to ensure help for all greyhounds requiring our assistance. We have continued to work with our sponsor company towards the plan to reduce these costs as far as possible, and believe that we have done so and this should help with the future financial security of the Charity.

We have now commenced on a significant project to improve our kennels for the benefit of all our greyhounds and create an improved environment for our staff and volunteers to work in.

In keeping with the trend of most Animal Rehoming Centres, it has, again been a very difficult year in terms of the numbers of greyhounds that we have homed. The demand for rehomed dogs of all breeds continues to be much lower than pre and immediately post lockdown levels with the prevailing economic climate also causing issues. There has been a slight improvement in the homing rate since the year end and we are hopeful that this can now be maintained.

The trustees are confident that the future of the Charity will be favourable.

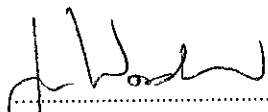


Ian Woodrow
Ian Woodrow
Trustee

Date 27/10/25

**YARMOUTH GREYHOUND HOMEFINDERS
ACCOUNTS
YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024**

	2024	2023
INCOME		
Profits from fundraising		
Donations/friends sponsorship	29,360.42	29,703.79
Collections	3,897.27	10,079.03
Tombolas/Raffles	7,425.00	26,372.00
Sale of goods	6,025.60	5,248.20
	<u>46,708.29</u>	<u>71,403.02</u>
Homing income	48,427.09	52,861.92
Awareness	7,776.56	9,897.67
Other income	3,070.89	-
	<u>105,982.83</u>	<u>134,162.61</u>
EXPENDITURE		
Kennels costs	109,307.21	98,002.90
Vets fees	89,361.36	83,365.87
Cost of goods sold	4,490.48	3,262.36
Expenses	9,432.14	6,737.31
	<u>212,591.19</u>	<u>191,368.44</u>
	<u>- 106,608.36</u>	<u>- 57,205.83</u>
EXCEPTIONAL ITEM		
Legacy received	88,792.93	112,977.82
EXCESS/(DEFICIT) OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE	<u>- 17,815.43</u>	<u>55,771.99</u>
Fund B/fwd @ 1 January 2024	191,142.68	135,370.69
Fund C/fwd @ 31 December 2024	<u><u>173,327.25</u></u>	<u><u>191,142.68</u></u>



 Ian Woodrow
 Trustee

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF YARMOUTH GREYHOUND HOMEFINDERS

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the charity for the year ended 31 December 2024.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity's 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 the 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.


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TRUSTEES REPORT

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

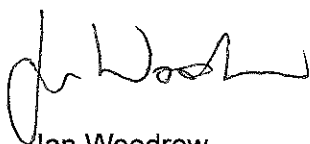
This is the seventh Trustee Report for the Yarmouth Greyhound Homefinders.

During this year, we have received further legacies in addition to, as well as further funds from the legacy that was part received last year. This has enabled the Charity to continue to remain in a comfortable financial position at this time.

Our continued belief in our Veterinary Assistance Scheme has meant that again significant vets bills have needed to be met in order to ensure help for all greyhounds requiring our assistance. We have continued to work with our sponsor company towards the plan to reduce these costs as far as possible, and believe that we have done so and this should help with the future financial security of the Charity

In keeping with the trend of most Animal Rehoming Centres, it has, again been a very difficult year in terms of the numbers of greyhounds that we have homed. The demand for rehomed dogs of all breeds continues to be much lower than pre and immediately post lockdown levels with the prevailing economic climate also causing issues. There has been a slight improvement in the homing rate since the year end and we are hopeful that this can now be maintained.

The trustees are confident that the future of the Charity will be favourable.




Ian Woodrow
Trustee

Date 21/10/24

**YARMOUTH GREYHOUND HOMEFINDERS
ACCOUNTS
YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023**

	2023	2022
INCOME		
Profits from fundraising		
Donations/friends sponsorship	29,703.79	23,742.51
Collections	10,079.03	-
Tombolas/Raffles	26,372.00	18,434.00
Sale of goods	5,248.20	5,513.50
	<u>71,403.02</u>	<u>47,690.01</u>
Homing income	52,861.92	52,379.42
Awareness	9,897.67	11,719.23
Other income	-	-
	<u>134,162.61</u>	<u>111,788.66</u>
EXPENDITURE		
Kennels costs	98,002.90	67,874.64
Vets fees	83,365.87	59,785.03
Cost of goods sold	3,262.36	3,765.16
Expenses	6,737.31	8,780.70
	<u>191,368.44</u>	<u>140,205.53</u>
	<u>- 57,205.83</u>	<u>- 28,416.87</u>
EXCEPTIONAL ITEM		
Legacy received	112,977.82	200,000.00
EXCESS/(DEFICIT) OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE	<u>55,771.99</u>	<u>171,583.13</u>
Fund B/fwd @ 1 January 2023	135,370.69	- 36,212.44
Fund C/fwd @ 31 December 2023	<u>191,142.68</u>	<u>135,370.69</u>


 Ian Woodrow
 Trustee

INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF YARMOUTH GREYHOUND HOMEFINDERS

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Yarmouth Greyhound Homefinders

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of Yarmouth Greyhound Homefinders (the Trust) for the year ended 31 December 2023.

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').

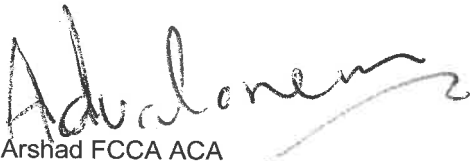
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CHARITY NUMBER 1172132

TRUSTEES REPORT

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022


This is the sixth Trustee Report for the Yarmouth Greyhound Homefinders.

During this year, we have received a substantial legacy which has enabled the Charity to return to a solvent position and repay the loan from our sponsor company, Yarmouth Stadium, which had built up over the preceding couple of financial years. The charity remains in a comfortable financial position at this time.

Our continued belief in our Veterinary Assistance Scheme has meant that again significant vets bills have needed to be met in order to ensure help for all greyhounds requiring our assistance. We have worked with our sponsor company to form a plan to reduce these costs as far as possible, and believe that we have a successful blueprint for the future financial security of the Charity

In keeping with the trend of most Animal Rehoming Centers, it has been a very difficult year in terms of the numbers of greyhounds that we have homed. There has been a considerable kick back after lockdown and the prevailing economic climate has meant there are fewer available homes. However, there has been a slight improvement in the homing rate since the year end and we are hopeful that this can now be maintained.

The trustees are confident that the future of the Charity will be favourable.



Ian Woodrow
Trustee



Phil Pearce
Trustee

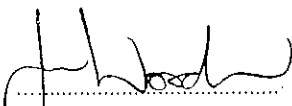
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ACCOUNTS
YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022**

	2022	2021
INCOME		
Profits from fundraising		
Donations/friends sponsorship	23,742.51	22,838.99
Collections	-	9,547.14
Tombolas/Raffles	18,434.00	18,366.00
Sale of goods	5,513.50	7,668.10
	<u>47,690.01</u>	<u>58,420.23</u>
Homing income	52,379.42	59,404.17
Awareness	11,719.23	13,004.72
Other income	-	-
	<u>111,788.66</u>	<u>130,829.12</u>
EXPENDITURE		
Kennels costs	67,874.64	49,565.66
Vets fees	59,785.03	91,639.52
Cost of goods sold	3,765.16	4,467.07
Expenses	8,780.70	6,988.65
	<u>140,205.53</u>	<u>152,660.90</u>
	<u>- 28,416.87</u>	<u>- 21,831.78</u>
EXCEPTIONAL ITEM		
Legacy received	200,000.00	-
EXCESS/(DEFICIT) OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE	<u>171,583.13</u>	<u>- 21,831.78</u>
Fund B/fwd @ 1 January 2022	- 36,212.44	- 14,380.66
Fund C/fwd @ 31 December 2022	<u><u>135,370.69</u></u>	<u><u>- 36,212.44</u></u>


 Ian Woodrow
 Trustee

**YARMOUTH GREYHOUND HOMEFINDERS
BALANCE SHEET
31 DECEMBER 2022**

	2022	2021
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash at Bank	137,019.69	14,366.91
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Lottery proceeds received in advance	1,649.00	1,563.00
NET CURRENT ASSETS	<u>135,370.69</u>	<u>12,803.91</u>
CREDITORS DUE AFTER ONE YEAR		
Loan from Stadium	-	49,016.35
	<u>135,370.69</u>	<u>-36,212.44</u>
FUND CARRIED FORWARD	<u>135,370.69</u>	<u>-36,212.44</u>

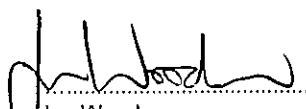
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ACCOUNTS
YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021**

	2021	2020
INCOME		
Profits from fundraising		
Donations/friends sponsorship	22,838.99	44,958.31
Collections	9,647.14	2,385.99
Tombolas/Raffles	18,366.00	11,358.00
Sale of goods	7,868.10	7,814.49
	<u>58,420.23</u>	<u>66,516.79</u>
Homing income	59,404.17	35,054.41
Awareness	13,004.72	6,666.30
Other income	-	-
	<u>130,829.12</u>	<u>108,237.50</u>
EXPENDITURE		
Kennels costs	49,565.66	32,369.99
Vets fees	91,639.52	52,901.60
Cost of goods sold	4,467.07	4,162.80
Expenses	6,988.65	5,369.89
	<u>152,660.90</u>	<u>94,804.28</u>
EXCESS/(DEFICIT) OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE	- 21,831.78	13,433.22
Fund B/fwd @ 1 January 2021	- 14,380.66	- 27,813.88
Fund C/fwd @ 31 December 2021	<u>- 36,212.44</u>	<u>- 14,380.66</u>


 Ian Woodrow
 Trustee

YARMOUTH GREYHOUND HOMEFINDERS

CHARITY NUMBER 1172132

TRUSTEES REPORT

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

This is the fifth Trustee Report for the Yarmouth Greyhound Homefinders.

This report coincides with the period of time in which the World changed as a result of Coronavirus. We have been extremely fortunate to receive the continued support of all our donators both large and small, and therefore the financial impact of Coronavirus has been limited

Our continued belief in our Veterinary Assistance Scheme has meant that again significant vets bills have needed to be met in order to ensure help for all greyhounds requiring our assistance. Our sponsor company, Yarmouth Stadium continues to provide the financial support we require to enable us to continue this scheme.

Since the year end, we have received a substantial legacy, which has enabled us to return the fund to a solvent state. We have developed a plan to solve the problems that caused our original financial issue

The trustees are confident that the plan will be successful and the future of all our prospective greyhounds will be happy.

Ian Woodrow
Trustee

Phil Pearce
Trustee

Date 31/10/22

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YARMOUTH GREYHOUND HOMEFINDERS

CHARITY NUMBER 1172132

TRUSTEES REPORT

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020


This is the fourth Trustee Report for the Yarmouth Greyhound Homefinders.

This report coincides with the period of time in which the World changed as a result of Coronavirus. We have been extremely fortunate to receive the continued support of all our donators both large and small, and therefore the financial impact of Coronavirus has been limited

Our continued belief in our Veterinary Assistance Scheme has meant that again significant vets bills have needed to be met in order to ensure help for all greyhounds requiring our assistance. Our sponsor company, Yarmouth Stadium continues to provide the financial support we require to enable us to continue this scheme.

Our financial position remains sustainable in the short term because of their support. For the future, we have a formulated plan to ensure that the money owed is repaid and we can continue to provide support in the way we have been able to in the past.

The trustees are confident that the plan will continue to be successful and the future of all our prospective greyhounds will be happy.

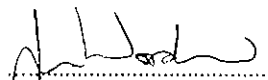

Ian Woodrow
Trustee


Phil Pearce
Trustee

Date 27/10/21

**YARMOUTH GREYHOUND HOMEFINDERS
ACCOUNTS
YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020**

	2020	2019
INCOME		
Profits from fundraising		
Donations/friends sponsorship	44,958.31	20,595.94
Collections	2,385.99	5,030.74
Tombolas/Raffles	11,358.00	22,398.00
Sale of goods	7,814.49	7,196.11
	<u>66,516.79</u>	<u>55,220.79</u>
Homing income	35,054.41	29,721.88
Awareness	6,666.30	12,963.03
Other income	-	0.45
	<u>108,237.50</u>	<u>97,906.15</u>
EXPENDITURE		
Kennels costs	32,369.99	54,062.43
Vets fees	52,901.60	62,832.31
Cost of goods sold	4,162.80	5,519.77
Expenses	5,369.89	8,055.12
	<u>94,804.28</u>	<u>130,469.63</u>
EXCESS/(DEFICIT) OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE	<u>13,433.22</u>	<u>- 32,563.48</u>
Fund B/fwd @ 1 January 2020	- 27,813.88	4,749.60
Fund C/fwd @ 31 December 2020	<u>- 14,380.66</u>	<u>- 27,813.88</u>


 Ian Woodrow
 Trustee