

## **Airedale Rescue Annual Report for 2024**

Airedale Rescue is a charity that specialises in helping Airedale Terriers find a suitable home long term as unfortunately their present owner(s) are unable to provide the best care for their dog long term due to many reasons.

Airedale Rescue was started by its founder, Lynda McCarthy, in 2013. It became a charity in 2017. Unfortunately the founder of the charity, Lynda McCarthy died after a short illness in late 2024. At present time it now has 3 trustees carrying on the work after rehoming Airedale Terriers.

Fortunately because the Airedale Terrier breed is relatively small we do not need kennels for the dogs. We have a list of very experienced people who have had the breed in the past and are looking for another Airedale Terrier. Therefore we are able to move the dog from its present home to a new home without the need to have the dog put into kennels.

We have found that in the last 12 months or so the number of Airedale Terriers requiring a new home has again increased. This we believe could still be the result of Covid. In 2024 we rehomed 37 Airedales which was the second highest with 2023 being 41.

As a comparison in 2020 we rehomed 10, in 2021 it was 24 and in 2022 it was 28.


In addition to finding new homes for the Airedale, we support the dog and their new owners not only with their veterinary support such as neutering but also behavioural support. The trustees are all volunteers and give their time speaking to people who are looking for support in managing their Airedale where they are not necessarily looking to give their dog up to be rehomed.

We hope that 2025 will see a reduction in the number of Airedales needing a new home.

Table 1

Income & Expenditure for Airedale											
	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020		2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
<b>Income</b>						<b>Expenditure</b>					
Donations	19,491.09	14,126.02	3,256.65	4,261.18	2,511.36	Vets Fees	9,969.66	4,323.28	2,154.37	6,109.53	3,648.59
Standing Orders	2,706.33	2,086.55	1,920.00	2,016.00	1,507.94	Postage & Stationery	419.07	167.37	181.12	310.54	270.17
Re Homing Donations	6,300.00	7,325.00	5,450.00	5,041.00	2,243.90	Telephones	1,034.67	1,087.91	770.95	666.61	682.47
Commission re Amazon & Just Giving	0	480.46	12.5	161.45	230.43	Adobe Acrobat	302.66	234.84	197.21	151.5	
Bank Interest & Compensation	719.59	43.12	457.16	393.38	217.1	Insurance	433.38	347.63	569.98	489.66	870.08
Gift Aid - HMRC	2,030.39	4,081.31	1,648.77	1,102.66	1,082.50	Pet Carriers & Kennels	1,248.00	821.05	842	465	
Refund from Vodafone	47.08					Trainers	300	275	202.5		
						Gifts to Helpers	240	51.09	174.5	188.71	157.35
						Website Hosting	363.98	223.98			
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>31,294.48</b>	<b>28,142.46</b>	<b>12,745.08</b>	<b>12,975.67</b>	<b>7,793.23</b>	<b>Total Expenditure</b>	<b>14,311.42</b>	<b>7,532.15</b>	<b>5,092.63</b>	<b>8,381.55</b>	<b>5,628.66</b>
Profit for Year Ended 2020			2,164.57								
Profit for Year Ended 2021			4,594.12								
Profit for Year Ended 2022			7,652.45								
Profit for Year Ended 2023			20,610.31								
Profit for Year Ended 2024			16,983.06								

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 Christine Kimberlin  
 8-Feb-25



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees	Airedale Rescue		
On accounts for the year ended	31 December 2024	Charity no	1173196
Set out on pages	1/2 - this report 2/2 - the Income and Expenditure Account		

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31/12/2024.

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

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination 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:  Date: 8 February 2025

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