

KENT COUNTY RAYNET

England & Wales - Charity number 1177899

Details

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2018-04-11

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

Contact

Address 26 Albany Hill
Tunbridge Wells
Kent
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Activities

Objects: TO PROTECT HUMAN LIFE AND PROPERTY BY ASSISTING THE WORK OF EMERGENCY RESPONSE GROUPS TO HELP TO PROTECT COMMUNITIES IN KENT FROM THE EFFECTS OF NATIONAL AND LOCAL DISASTERS AND EMERGENCIES HOWEVER CAUSED BY:(1)PROVIDING ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS SUPPORT TO: THE EMERGENCY SERVICES, NATIONAL AND LOCAL AND GOVERNMENT, VOLUNTARY EMERGENCY RESPONSE GROUPS, ORGANISATIONS PROVIDING VITAL SERVICES TO THE COMMUNITY, COMMUNITY ORGANISATIONS, AND COMMUNITY EVENTS;(2)PROMOTING THE RECRUITMENT OF LICENSED RADIO AMATEURS AND OTHERS TO VOLUNTARY EMERGENCY RESPONSE GROUPS AND COMMUNITY ORGANISATIONS; AND FURTHERING THEIR EDUCATION IN ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS SKILLS, AND OTHER SKILLS RELEVANT TO PROTECTING THE PUBLIC.

Activities: We work with Raynet amateur radio groups in Kent and Medway, who provide emergency support to humanitarian organisations; and to Category 1 and Category 2 organisations specified in the Civil Contingencies Act 2004, ie the emergency services, central and local government, and essential utilities. We help provide communication services, equipment, and training.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Services, Provides Advocacy/advice/information, Acts As An Umbrella Or Resource Body
- **What:** Education/training, The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives, Economic/community Development/employment, Armed Forces/emergency Service Efficiency, Recreation
- **Who:** Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies, Other Defined Groups, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- Kent
- Medway

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-08-31	£865	£958	-	-
2023-08-31	£1,255	£3,338	-	-
2022-08-31	£9,564	£0	-	-
2021-08-31	£280	£122	-	-
2020-08-31	£486	£436	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
COLIN JOHN BOWMAN		2017-12-01
Robert Harry Wiles		2019-10-01
Robert John Argent		2024-11-11
Taylor Galloway		2018-05-10

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Trustees' Annual Report for the period

	Period start date				Period end date		
	1	9	2023		31	8	2024
From				To			

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name Other

Kent County Raynet

names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any)

1177899

Charity's principal address

26 Albany Hill
Tunbridge Wells
TN2 3RX

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 Colin Bowman	(acting Chair)		
3 Taylor Galloway			South Kent Raynet
4 Rob Wiles			
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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)

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Section B Structure, governance and management

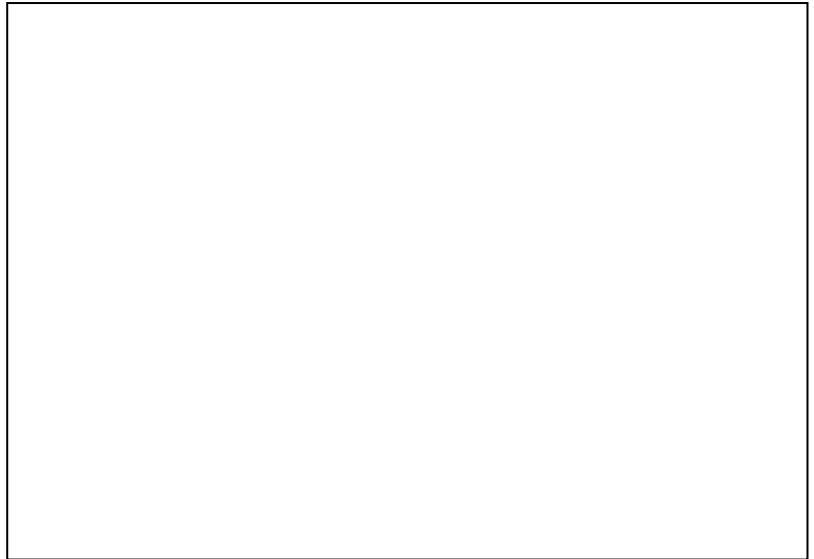
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Additional governance issues (Optional information)

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

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)

We continue to offer technical advice to emergency planners and support local Raynet Groups. Community events are the opportunity to practice and hone our pre-arranged plans and ensure that we are prepared to respond to emergencies by (a) providing communication support to relevant key public authorities, vital infrastructure providers and voluntary groups and (b) encouraging licensed radio amateurs and others to join voluntary emergency groups and community organisations, and to improve their relevant skills. There has been a user services exercise with our involvement and pre-training was needed, along with a full debrief. All this keeps the knowledge level high within the membership. Along with integration with other volunteer response groups within the county and trainings alongside Cat 1 and Cat 2 responders there has been the opportunity for a few individuals to participate in training towards our emergency response goals.

All this has been done with regard by the Trustees to the guidance provided by the Charity Commission regarding public benefit.

Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

Acquisition by donation of a vehicle suitable as a mobile control point, this is gradually being fitted out.

We continue to keep available and maintain systems and equipment recorded in section C of this annual return.

Section E Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

The trustees have resolved at this juncture to sustain reserves of £1000. This will be reviewed annually.

You **may choose** to include further statements, where relevant, about:

Details of any funds materially in deficit policy on grantmaking; activity programme related investment;

None

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


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Section G Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)

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Full name(s)

Colin John Bowman	Taylor John Galloway
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Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Trustee	Trustee
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Date

25/05/2025

Section A Receipts and payments

A1 Receipts

Donations

Interest on deposit account

Sub total(Gross income for AR)

A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).

Sub total

Total receipts

A3 Payments

Telephone & internet

Sub total

A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)

Sub total

Total payments

Net of receipts/(payments)

A5 Transfers between funds

A6 Cash funds last year end

Cash funds this year end

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories

B1 Cash funds

B2 Other monetary assets

B3 Investment assets

B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use

B5 Liabilities

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Charity Name
Kent County Raynet
Receipts and payments accounts
For the period from

Period start date
01/09/23

Unrestricted funds
to the nearest £

Restricted funds
to the nearest £

	862	-
	4	-
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	865	-
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	865	-
	958	-
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Details

Bank account 1

Bank account 2

Bank deposit account

Total cash funds

(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))

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Various equipment

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Signature

C J Bowman

No (if any)
1177899

To Period end date
31/08/2024

Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £
-	862
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Fund to which asset belongs		Cost (optional)	
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Fund to which liability relates		Amount due (optional)	
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Print Name			
Colin Bowman			

Endowment funds
to nearest £

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Endowment funds
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When due (optional)

Date of approval
03/04/25

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Section A Reference and administration details

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Type of adviser	Name	Address

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Section B Structure, governance and management

Description of the charity's trusts

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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.

We have not been successful in recruiting replacements for Chairman and Secretary during this year but this has been rectified at the time of reporting.

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Section C Objectives and activities

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

We continue to offer technical advice to emergency planners and support local Raynet Groups by making equipment available for loan.

The focus of the work is to provide support for emergency services and emergencies that includes providing telephony for short notice call centres and temporary internet equipment. Volunteers skills for this are maintained. Key public authorities, vital infrastructure providers, and voluntary groups and (b) encouraging licensed radio amateurs and others to join voluntary emergency groups and community organisations, and to improve their relevant skills. All this has been done with regard by the Trustees to the guidance provided by the Charity Commission regarding public benefit.

Section D Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

Event are building up again to levels experienced pre-pandemic and some make higher demands on technical support required along with higher personal requirements. Organisers of events are recognising the role we play in the execution of a safe event.

Contact with statutory responders has increased and an exercise was organised aimed at technical support for emergencies to the statutory responders. This is likely to be an annual event in conjunction with at least one emergency service. There are specific plans in place for different responses to emergencies and one of these involves our members carrying out technical surveys at highlighted premises. We continue to keep available and maintain systems and equipment recorded in section C of this annual return.

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- policy on grantmaking;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.



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Tunbridge Wells

TN2 3RX

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1 Michael Granatt	Chair	Resigned 31/5/22	
2 Colin Bowman			West Kent Raynet
3 Taylor Galloway			South Kent Raynet
4 Mark Kent			
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Additional governance issues (Optional information)

Unfortunately the Chairman had to step down during this period for medical reasons.

The Secretary also had to stand aside for ill health. We are seeking replacements.

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
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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)

We continue to offer technical advice to emergency planners and support local Raynet Groups by making equipment available for loan. We keep ready equipment to deploy for emergencies that includes VOIP telephony for short-notice call centres and temporary internet equipment. Volunteers skills for this are maintained.

All this has been done with regard by the Trustees to the guidance provided by the Charity Commission regarding 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

The COVID pandemic is affecting availability of volunteers and has minimised our activities, although it looks like there is a slow recovery.

Contact with statutory responders has not returned to pre-covid levels. And events that we use for self-training are still not running at pre-covid levels either. The amount of events has decreased dramatically and the number of participants in the events has also decreased. We continue to keep available and maintain systems and equipment recorded in section C of this annual return.



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Charity Name
Kent County Raynet

No (if any)
1177899

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Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	Period start date 01-09-21	To	Period end date 31-08-22
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Donations	9,564	-	-	9,564	-
Interest on deposit account	0	-	-	0	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	9,564	-	-	9,564	-
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	9,564	-	-	9,564	-
A3 Payments					
Telephone, internet & postage	-	-	-	-	-
Donations	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
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	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	-	-	-	-	-
Net of receipts/(payments)	9,564	-	-	9,564	-
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	2,518	-	-	2,518	-
Cash funds this year end	12,082	-	-	12,082	-

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Bank account 1	11,801	-	-
	Bank account 2	-	-	-
	Bank deposit account	281	-	-
	Total cash funds	12,082	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
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Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets			-	-
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Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use			-	-
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Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities			-	
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Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval

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Section E Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

The trustees have resolved at this juncture to sustain reserves of £1000. The trustees will review the policy annually, being mindful of changing technologies, and the consequent changing requirements of the charity's user services. (Our user services are those organisations mentioned as beneficiaries in our objectives.)

Details of any funds materially in deficit

None

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;
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Section F Other optional information

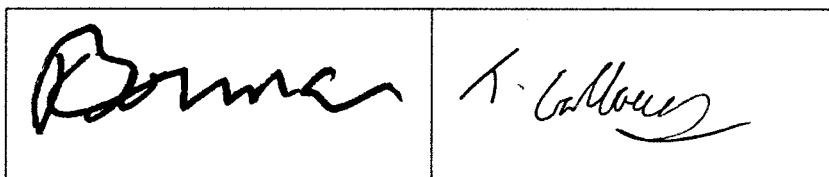
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Section G Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)



Full name(s)

Colin John Bowman

Taylor John Galloway

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Trustee

Trustee

Date

28/06/2022



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

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From				To			

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name

Kent County Raynet

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any)

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Charity's principal address

16 Culverden Avenue
Tunbridge Wells
TN4 9RF

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1 Michael Granatt	Chair		
2 Colin Bowman			West Kent Raynet
3 Taylor Galloway			South Kent Raynet
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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)

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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)

Our main activities have been to support local Raynet Groups by co-ordinating the deployment on loan of equipment; the maintenance and deployment of equipment to provide internet coverage via satellite; and the deployment of equipment and volunteers to provide a VoIP pop up telephone call centre and technical advice to local emergency planning teams. All this has been done with regard by the Trustees to the guidance provided by the Charity Commission regarding 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

Lockdown through COVID minimised our activities this year although we continue to keep available and maintain systems and equipment recorded in section C of this annual return.

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Bank account 1	2,237	-	-
	Bank account 2	-	-	-
	Bank deposit account	281	-	-
	Total cash funds	2,518	-	-

(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))



	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
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	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets			-	-
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B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use			-	-
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	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities			-	
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Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	TAYLOR GALLOWAY	27.6.2022
	COLIN BOWMAN	27.6.2022



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Charity Name Kent County Raynet	No (if any) 1177899
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Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	Period start date 01/09/2020	To	Period end date 31/08/2021
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Donations	280	-	-	280	-
Interest on deposit account	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	280	-	-	280	-
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	280	-	-	280	-
A3 Payments					
Telephone, internet & postage	122	-	-	122	-
Donations	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	122	-	-	122	-
A4 Asset and investment purchases. (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	122	-	-	122	-
Net of receipts/(payments)	158	-	-	158	-
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	2,360	-	-	2,360	-
Cash funds this year end	2,518	-	-	2,518	-

KENT COUNTY RAYNET

England & Wales - Charity number 1177899

Accounts



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

	Period start date			Period end date		
	1	9	2019	31	8	2020
From				To		

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name

Kent County Raynet

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any)

1177899

Charity's principal address

16 Culverden Avenue

Tunbridge Wells

TN4 9RF

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 Michael Granatt	Chair		
2 Colin Bowman			West Kent Raynet
3 Taylor Galloway			South Kent Raynet
4 Mark Kent			
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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)

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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)	Charitable incorporated organisation
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	New trustees are elected by existing trustees, unless they are ex-officio trustees through being elected local Raynet group controllers in Kent and Medway. (Ex-officio appointees may express unwillingness to serve in that capacity. One has done so.)

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 help with the protection of life and property in Kent from disasters and emergencies by (a) providing communication support to relevant key public authorities, vital infrastructure providers, and voluntary groups and (b) encouraging licensed radio amateurs and others to join voluntary emergency groups and community organisations, and to improve their relevant skills.

Our main activities have been to support local Raynet Groups by co-ordinating the deployment on loan of equipment; the maintenance and deployment of equipment to provide internet coverage via satellite; and the deployment of equipment and volunteers to provide a VoIP pop up telephone call centre.

All this has been done with regard by the Trustees to the guidance provided by the Charity Commission regarding public benefit.

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)

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

Our main achievements during the year have been the deployments and maintenance of systems and equipment recorded in section C of this annual return.

Section E

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

The trustees have resolved at this juncture to sustain reserves of £1000. The trustees will review the policy annually, being mindful of changing technologies, and the consequent changing requirements of the charity's user services. (Our user services are those organisations mentioned as beneficiaries in our objectives.)

Details of any funds materially in deficit

None

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

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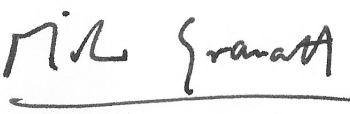

Section G

Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)

	
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Full name(s)

Michael Stephen Dreese
Granatt

Colin John Bowman

Position (eg Secretary,
Chair, etc)

Chair

Trustee

Date

03/07/2021



Charity Name Kent County Raynet		No. (if any) 1177999	
Receipts and payments accounts			
For the period from	1/9/19	To	31/8/20

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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Donations	486	0	0	486	0
Interest on deposit account	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
Sub total(Gross income for AR)	486	0	0	486	0
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
Sub total	0	0	0	0	0
Total receipts	486	0	0	486	0
A3 Payments					
Telephone, internet & postage	236	0	0	236	0
Donations	200	0	0	200	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
Sub total	436	0	0	436	0
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
Sub total	0	0	0	0	0
Total payments	436	0	0	436	0
Net of receipts/(payments)	50	0	0	50	0
A5 Transfers between funds	0	0	0	0	0
A6 Cash funds last year end	0	0	0	0	0
Cash funds this year end	50	0	0	50	0

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Bank account 1	2,079	0	0
	Bank account 2	0	0	0
	Bank deposit account	281	0	0

Total cash funds

(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))

2,360	0	0
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Unrestricted funds
to nearest £

Restricted funds
to nearest £

Endowment funds
to nearest £

B2 Other monetary assets

Details

Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
	0	0	0
	0	0	0
	0	0	0
	0	0	0
	0	0	0
	0	0	0

B3 Investment assets

Details

Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
		0	0
		0	0
		0	0
		0	0
		0	0

B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use

Details

Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
		0	0
		0	0
		0	0
		0	0
		0	0
		0	0
		0	0
		0	0
		0	0

B5 Liabilities

Details

Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
		0	
		0	
		0	
		0	
		0	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature

[Handwritten Signature]

Print Name

C. J. BOWMAN

Date of approval

2/7/2021

[Handwritten Signature]

MSD GRANATT

3/7/2021