



## Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From	Period start date			To	Period end date		
	01	04	2022		31	03	2023

### Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name

Willderland Farm

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any) 1182071

Charity's principal address

4 Ramsey Road

Ely

Postcode

CB7 4RL

#### 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	Michelle Griffiths-Reeve	Secretary		
2	Lewis Crowder			
3	Rebecca Taylor			
4	Johnathan Griffiths-Reeve			
5	Sam Hurst			
6	Peter Lennard			
7	Andrew Dunlop			
8	Megan Parry			
9	Will Birkin	Chair		
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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
N/A	

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

Type of adviser	Name	Address

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

N/A
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## Section B Structure, governance and management

**Description of the charity's trusts**

Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)	Charitable Incorporated Organisation Constitution
How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company)	Charitable Incorporated Organisation
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	Proposed by existing trustees and appointed at trustee meetings

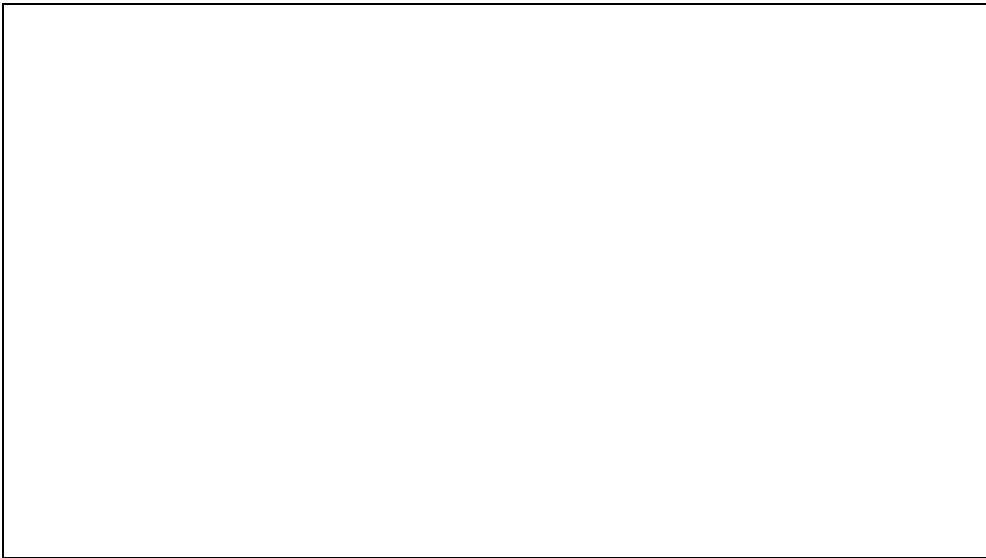
**Additional governance issues (Optional information)**

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

We are an accredited Care Farm with Social Farms and Gardens <https://www.farmgarden.org.uk/>. Our Codes of Practice have been reviewed and are available from our website [www.willderland.com](http://www.willderland.com). All trustees and volunteers leading activities with children will have had a full a DBS check.

and procedures to manage them.



## Section C Objectives and activities

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

### **Relief of those in need**

We will be relieving the needs of people with learning disabilities, autism, or mental health problems, by providing access to calm, natural setting, within which they can participate in farming activities.

### **Education**

To advance the education of the public in the subject of horticulture, animal husbandry, and the natural environment.

### **Advancement of Environmental Protection or Improvement**

To promote for the benefit of the public the conservation, protection, and improvement of the physical and natural environment by promoting biological diversity and providing opportunities to participate in the enhancement of habitats and species surveys.

All trustees have read the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit.

We have developed Codes of Practice to ensure we operate to the Social Farms and Gardens accredited standard.

**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**

We had our grand opening in May 2022, for which the site was enhanced with new raised bed and wildlife signs created by children's book illustrator, Alison Limentani, as well as the required Health and Safety signs. Approximately 50 people attended, predominantly children with learning difficulties and their families, who enjoyed meeting the Shetland Sheep and Boer Goats, eating homemade cakes, as well as pond dipping and experiencing the scents and textures of the plants in our newly created sensory raised beds.

Through the rest of the year, we conducted regular therapeutic visits with a number of adults and children with leaning disabilities, as well as groups such as Red Balloon, Haddenham Beavers and Rainbow Unit. We expanded our volunteer base and formalised inductions, with volunteer packs and contracts, and have become formally accredited as a care farm by Social Farms & Gardens.

To support our wildlife, we constructed a 3-pond system to provide additional habitat for our great crested newts with funding from Natural England. Support from RSPB Operation Turtle Dove continued, with seed and advice, as well as analysis of photographs from our trail cam, which showed that our doves bred three young this summer. We also enhanced the orchard with 6 additional fruit trees.

## Section E

## Financial review

### Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

Willlderland Farm CIO trustees ensure that grant funding is applied in accordance with the terms of the grant funding agreement. The trustees also obtain donations and loans to cover on-going expenses.

### Details of any funds materially in deficit

N/A

### 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.

We are funded through donations and grants, and will continue to be.

All expenditure is made to help us achieve our charitable objectives.

## 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)

Will Birkin

Michelle Griffiths-Reeve

Full name(s)

Will Birkin

Michelle Griffiths-Reeve

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Chair

Date

29/01/2024



CHARITY COMMISSION  
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Willderland Farm CIO

1182071

## Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period  
from

4/1/2022

To

3/31/2023

### Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Last year
	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Donations	4,074	-	-	4,074	4,074
Insurance claim	1,424	-	-	1,424	1,424
Grants	-	-	-	-	1,170
Loans	-	-	-	-	1,100
Gift Aid	-	-	-	-	1,717
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b> (Gross income for AR)	5,498	-	-	5,498	9,485
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total receipts</b>	5,498	-	-	5,498	9,485
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Sundries and consumables	780	-	-	780	607
Insurance	1,401	-	-	1,401	1,228
Equipment	1,374	-	-	1,374	249
Goat shelter	1,200	-	-	1,200	700
Security system	168	-	-	168	834
Pond dipping platform	-	455	-	455	215
Livestock expenses	230	-	-	230	905
Loans	100	-	-	100	4,100
Repairs and Maintenance	-	-	-	-	1,385
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	5,253	455	-	5,708	10,223
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total payments</b>	5,253	455	-	5,708	10,223
<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	245	- 455	-	- 210	- 738
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	- 85	455	-	370	2,230
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	160	-	-	160	1,492

## 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 £
<b>B1 Cash funds</b>	Bank account	160		-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	<b>Total cash funds</b>	160	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK
<b>B2 Other monetary assets</b>	Details	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
<b>B3 Investment assets</b>	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
<b>B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use</b>	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
<b>B5 Liabilities</b>	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
	Loans	Unrestricted	2,900	<1yr
			-	
			-	
			-	
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name	Date of approval	
	Michelle Griffiths-Reeve	Michelle Griffiths-Reeve	1/29/2024	
	Will Birkin	Will Birkin	1/29/2024	