

HOMES FOR HOUNDS

England & Wales · Charity number 1182425

Details

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2019-03-12

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

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Activities

Objects: THE OBJECT OF HOMES FOR HOUNDS IS:(A) FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PUBLIC TO RELIEVE THE SUFFERING OF DOGS IN NEED OF CARE AND ATTENTION AND, IN PARTICULAR, TO PROVIDE AND MAINTAIN RESCUE HOMES OR OTHER FACILITIES FOR THE RECEPTION, CARE AND TREATMENT OF SUCH ANIMALS.

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Classification

- **How:** Provides Services, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Animals
- **Who:** Other Defined Groups

Geography

- Throughout England

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-08-31	£32,089	£36,545	-	-
2024-08-31	£35,139	£41,297	-	-
2023-08-31	£39,303	£49,751	-	-
2022-08-31	£42,038	£45,393	-	-
2021-08-31	£37,435	£32,098	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
AMANDA DALE	Chair	2019-03-06
Jacqueline Earl		2024-07-23
Lynsey Elizabeth Corelli		2020-03-29
Susan Roberta Corelli		2020-03-29

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Accounts

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**Reports and Accounts
For the year ended
31st August 2025**

Tove Accountancy Ltd
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Homes for Hounds
Legal and Administrative Information
for the year ended 31st August 2025

Charity number	1182425
Date of registration	12 March 2019
Organisation type	Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO)
Trustees	Amanda Dale (Chair) Susan Corelli Lynsey Corelli Jacqueline Earl
Registered address	24 Butts Hill Crescent Bugbrooke Northants NN7 3QP
Independent Examiners	Tove Accountancy Ltd Office 6 Town Hall 86 Watling Street East Towcester Northants NN12 6BS

**Homes for Hounds
Trustees Report
for the year ended 31st August 2025**

Governance

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The trustees wish to record their heartfelt appreciation for the support and dedication provided by Allen Dale. They agreed that a trophy in memory of Allen should be awarded in a new class open to all dogs at the annual gala, the charity's main event of the year.

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The trustees confirm that the objects of the charity fully comply with this guidance and further information is set out below.

Objectives and Activities

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Trustees Report (continued)
for the year ended 31st August 2025

Summary of the main activities of the charity

During this 12 month period, the charity has built upon the changes that were started in the last reporting period. The charity has continued to pursue its core objectives and activities as set out in the Homes for Hounds constitution.

Despite the current economic situation, we have been able to maintain our current network of foster homes to support our objective of rescuing, re-habilitating and re-homing dogs.

We have held four Trustees meetings - all of which have concentrated on both fund raising and trying to find new foster places for dogs waiting to come to us. The lack of foster places is a major concern as we are unable to take in more dogs without new foster homes being available. Our current foster spaces are all taken up with our older permanent foster dogs who will remain where they are for the rest of their lives. We have also had two long term fosterers move away to different parts of the country and this means they will no longer be able to help in the future.

Our events have been few this year - we can only do events where we have enough volunteers to cover the various tasks and this has been a problem. Our big event of the summer is our picnic and fog walk on a private estate - sadly due to excessive heat in June, this was cancelled as it would have been detrimental to the dogs welfare. As the estate has many other commercial events during the summer months, we were unable to reschedule the walk for another time. We were able to hold an online auction during the spring but this didn't bring in quite as much as we had hoped. We are hoping to hold another in February 2026.

With limited space for dogs coming into us, we have only homed five dogs in the past year - these have been for other welfare groups that we are involved with but we have sourced the homes and carried out our own home checks and follow up visits. We are still raising funds for the other five charities and groups that we are involved with - Sadie's Dog Rescue, Love Underdogs, Greyhounds & Golden Oldies, Northern Greyhound Rescue and Staffordshire Bull Terrier Rescue. As well as donating equipment and food to these groups, we have been able to make donations of approximately £6920 up until the end of this past financial year. Again, a significant drop since last year.

We have also been able to help a few of our owners with food or veterinary costs due to financial hardship. Other than our September dog show, all of our events have shown slightly less profit than in previous years, in spite of our efforts to do better. Our meetings are always led by fund raising concerns and will continue to do so, but definitely an uphill climb at the moment. It hasn't proved possible to recruit any new Trustees - another issue that we constantly address.

Homes for Hounds still needs to generate the funds for any dogs in its care, to support those being fostered and to be there for any of its dogs who, for whatever reason, need to move on from their forever home.

Our board of trustees has continued to focus on fundraising and promotion of the charity.

**Homes for Hounds
Trustees Report (continued)
for the year ended 31st August 2025**

Achievements and Performance

During this period,

- 5 dogs were successfully homed
- 12 dogs are currently in permanent foster placements
- We provided support to people who had rehomed dogs through Homes for Hounds who were experiencing financial hardship due to the cost of living crisis
- A large van of dog food was taken to Greyhounds and Golden Oldies in Stoke on Trent.
- We still make ongoing donations to five other charities and welfare groups that we work closely with:
Sadie's Stray Dog Rescue
Love Underdogs
Northern Greyhound Rescue
Staffordshire Bull Terrier Rescue
Greyhounds and Golden Oldies

A total of £8,220 (2024 £10,440) was raised by us and donated to these charities in the past 12 months.

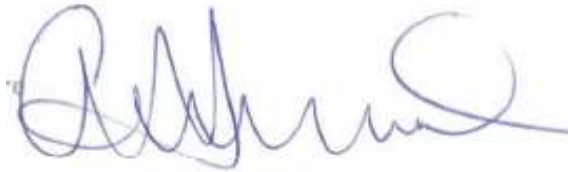
The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Amanda Dale

Chair, Homes for Hounds

25th November 2025



**Homes for Hounds
Independent Examiner's Report
for the year ended 31st August 2025**

I report to the trustees of Homes for Hounds ('the Trust') (charity number 1182425) on the accounts for the year ended 31st August 2025.

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.

Donna Rowan Gold

25th November 2025

Donna Rowan Gold

For and on behalf of: Tove Accountancy Ltd, Office 6, Town Hall, 86 Watling Street East, Towcester, Northants NN12 6BS

Homes for Hounds
Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31st August 2025

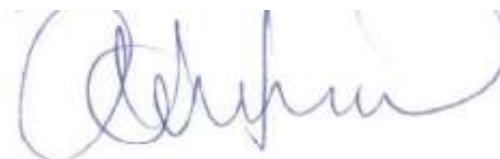
	Notes	Unrestricted £	Restricted £	Endowment £	2025 Total £	2024 Total £
Incoming Resources						
Donations and sponsorships		23,170	0	0	23,170	18,011
Charitable activities		8,920	0	0	8,920	17,128
Other trading activities		0	0	0	0	0
Investments		0	0	0	0	0
Other		0	0	0	0	0
Total incoming resources	3	32,089	0	0	32,089	35,139
Resources Expended						
Costs of Raising Funds		24,264	0	0	24,264	26,320
Charitable Activities		11,368	0	0	11,368	13,588
Other Expenditure		913	0	0	913	1,390
Total resources expended	5	36,545	0	0	36,545	41,298
Net Movement in Resources		(4,455)	0	0	(4,455)	(6,159)
Fund balances brought forward		22,303	0	0	22,303	28,462
Funds carried forward	9	17,848	0	0	17,848	22,303

Homes for Hounds
Balance Sheet
As at 31st August 2025

	Notes	2025		2024	
		£	£	£	£
Fixed Assets					
Tangible assets		0	0	3,148	3,148
Current Assets					
Debtors		0		0	
Cash at bank and in-hand	8	<u>18,445</u>		<u>19,816</u>	
		18,445		19,816	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	7		597		660
Net current assets			17,848		19,156
Total assets less current liabilities			<u>17,848</u>		<u>22,304</u>
Creditors : amounts falling due after one year			0		0
Total net assets			<u>17,848</u>		<u>22,304</u>
Funds of the Charity					
Unrestricted funds	9		17,848		22,304
Restricted funds			0		0
Endowment funds			<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>
Total Charity Funds			<u>17,848</u>		<u>22,304</u>

Signed by A Dale on behalf of all the trustees

A Dale



Signature

Date

25th November 2025

Notes to the accounts
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2025

1 Basis of preparation

1.1 Basis of accounting

These accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to these accounts.

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS102) issued on 16 July 2014 and with the Charities Act 2011.

1.2 Going concern

There are no material uncertainties related to events or conditions which cast significant doubt on the charity's ability to continue as a going concern.

1.3 Change of accounting policy

The accounts present a true and fair view and no changes have been made to the accounting policies adopted.

1.4 Changes to accounting estimates

No changes to accounting estimates have occurred in the reporting period. (3.46 FRS 102 SORP).

1.5 Material prior year errors

No material prior year errors have been identified in the reporting period (3.47 FRS 102 SORP).

2 Accounting policies

2.1 Income

Recognition of income

Income is included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SoFA) when

- the charity becomes entitled to the resources;
- it is more likely than not that the trustees will receive the resources;
- the monetary value can be measured with sufficient reliability

Offsetting

There has been no offsetting of assets and liabilities, or income and expenses, unless required or permitted by the FRS102 SORP or FRS102.

Grants and donations

Grants and donations are only included in the SoFA when the general income recognition criteria are met (5.10 to 5.12 FRS102 SORP).

Government grants

The charity has not received government grants in the reporting period.

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2025

Volunteer help

The value of any voluntary help received is not included in the accounts but is described in the trustees' annual report.

Deferred income

No material item of deferred income has been included in the accounts.

2.2 Expenditure and liabilities

Liability recognition

Liabilities are recognised where it is more likely than not that there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to pay out resources and the amount of the obligation can be measured with reasonable certainty.

Support costs

The charity has incurred expenditure on support costs.

Provisions for liabilities

A liability is measured on recognition at its historical cost and then subsequently measured at the best estimate of the amount required to settle the obligation at the reporting date.

2.3 Assets

Debtors

Debtors (including trade debtors and loans receivable) are measured on initial recognition at settlement amount after any trade discounts or amount advanced by the charity. Subsequently, they are measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be received.

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2025

3 Analysis of income

	2025	2025	2025	2025	2024
	Unrestricted	Restricted	Endowment	Total	Total
	Funds	Funds	Funds	Funds	Funds
	£	£	£	£	£
Donations					
Donations	23,170	0	0	23,170	18,011
Gift aid	0	0	0	0	0
Grants	0	0	0	0	0
Donated goods, facilities and services	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0
Total	23,170	0	0	23,170	18,011
Charitable activities					
Merchandise Sales	0	0	0	0	342
Other Activities	8,920	0	0	8,920	16,785
Total	8,920	0	0	8,920	17,127
Other Incoming resources					
Interest income	0	0	0	0	0
Misc income	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0
Total Income	32,089	0	0	32,089	35,138

Within the income items above, no single items were material.

4 Analysis of fixed assets

	2025	2024
	£	£
<u>Motor Vehicles Cost</u>		
Balance b/f	12,590	12,590
Additions	0	0
Balance c/f	<u>12,590</u>	<u>12,590</u>
<u>Motor Vehicles Depreciation</u>		
Balance b/f	9,441	6,294
Charge	3,149	3,147
Balance c/f	<u>12,590</u>	<u>9,441</u>
NBV	0	3,149

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2025

5 Analysis of expenditure

	2025 Unrestricted Funds £	2025 Restricted Funds £	2025 Endowment Funds £	2025 Total Funds £	2024 Total Funds £
Expenditure on raising funds					
Incurring seeking donations	19,837	0	0	19,837	21,947
Incurring seeking grants	0	0	0	0	0
Staging fundraising events	4,140	0	0	4,140	3,665
Advertising	287	0	0	287	708
Other	0	0	0	0	0
Total	24,264	0	0	24,264	26,320
Charitable activities					
Merchandise Sales	0	0	0	0	0
Other Activities	11,368	0	0	11,368	13,588
Total	11,368	0	0	11,368	13,588
Other	913	0	0	913	1,390
Total expenditure	36,545	0	0	36,545	41,298

6 Fees for examination of the accounts

	2025 £	2024 £
Independent examiner's fees	564	540
Other fees paid to the independent examiner	240	450
	<u>804</u>	<u>990</u>

7 Creditors and accruals

	Within one year 2025 £	Within one year 2024 £	More than one year 2025 £	More than one year 2024 £
Accruals for grants payable	0	0	0	0
Bank loans and overdrafts	0	0	0	0
Trade creditors	0	0	0	0
Accruals	594	660	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0
Total	594	660	0	0

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8 Cash at bank and in hand

	2025	2024
	£	£
Bank	18,367	19,741
Petty cash	78	78
Total	18,445	19,819

9 Movement in funds

	Balance		Balance
	01.09.24	Income	31.08.25
	£	£	£
General fund	22,304	32,089	(36,545) 17,849
Restricted fund	0	0	0 0
Endowment fund	0	0	0 0
Total	22,304	32,089	(36,545) 17,849

10 Trustee remuneration and benefits

None of the trustees have been paid any remuneration or received any other benefits.

11 Trustees' expenses

No trustees were reimbursed for expenses

12 Transactions with related parties

There have been no related party transactions in the reporting period.

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The trustees met regularly to monitor progress and to plan events and fundraising throughout the year.

We have held our programmed Trustees meetings and the two main issues are consistently the lack of new foster places coming up and how we can improve our income - both of which are a concern. We have held fund raisers this year and, with the exception of our main dog show in September, our revenue from these has been below expectation. We held an auction for the first time in many years last Summer and that proved to be a success and we are now hoping to have another in the Spring, if enough items can be found.

Our lack of foster homes is a concern as the fosterers have all taken dogs with medical issues (whereby we cover food, equipment and veterinary costs) or where the dogs in question are not sociable with other dogs and have to go to owners who have behavioural experience. This precludes us putting more than one dog in those particular homes. We have tried to recruit new placements for foster dogs but, with the amount of dogs all over the UK looking for permanent or foster homes, this is proving a problem. We currently have eight dogs in foster permanent situations - our next Trustees meeting is to focus on obtaining stop gap places until that dog can be homed.

We have only homed 7 dogs this year - with a lack of foster homes, this is sadly all we have been able to help. Most of these dogs have been homed by us for other rescue organisations - we have found the homes, done home checks and follow up visits, etc. Our main role at the moment is helping to fund the five organisations that we have been helping for some time now - charities that have the same aims and objectives as our own and who we try to support as much as we can. This is with financial help (we have donated £10,440 this year - usually to help with veterinary costs) or with necessary equipment i.e., collars, leads, coats, food or other necessities.

We are conscious of the fact that more Trustees are needed and are pushing that aspect of help as we go into 2025 - again, not an easy task. We are trying to get more local people involved with our work as a Northamptonshire based charity but this isn't always easy as a lot of the work we do is involved with dogs and other rescue groups out of the area.

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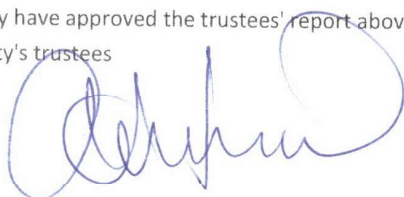
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The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Amanda Dale
Chair, Homes for Hounds
2nd December 2024



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Independent Examiner's Report
for the year ended 31st August 2024**

I report to the trustees of Homes for Hounds ('the Trust') (charity number 1182425) on the accounts for the year ended 31st August 2024.

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Donna Rowan Gold

2nd December 2024

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Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31st August 2024

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Incoming Resources						
Donations and sponsorships		18,011	0	0	18,011	29,996
Charitable activities		17,128	0	0	17,128	9,307
Other trading activities		0	0	0	0	0
Investments		0	0	0	0	0
Other		0	0	0	0	0
Total incoming resources	3	35,139	0	0	35,139	39,303
Resources Expended						
Costs of Raising Funds		26,320	0	0	26,320	30,459
Charitable Activities		13,588	0	0	13,588	17,448
Other Expenditure		1,390	0	0	1,390	1,845
Total resources expended	5	41,297	0	0	41,297	49,752
Net Movement in Resources		(6,158)	0	0	(6,158)	(10,449)
Fund balances brought forward		28,462	0	0	28,462	38,911
Funds carried forward	9	22,304	0	0	22,304	28,462

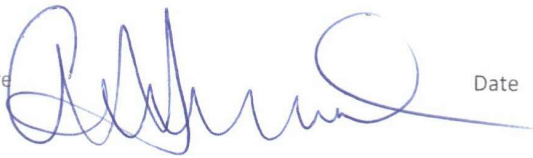
**Homes for Hounds
Balance Sheet
As at 31st August 2024**

		2024		2023	
Notes	£	£	£	£	£
Fixed Assets					
Tangible assets		3,148	3,148	6,295	6,295
Current Assets					
Debtors		0		0	
Cash at bank and in-hand	8	19,816		22,708	
		19,816		22,708	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	7	660		540	
Net current assets			19,156		22,168
Total assets less current liabilities			22,304		28,463
Creditors : amounts falling due after one year		0		0	
Total net assets			22,304		28,463
Funds of the Charity					
Unrestricted funds	9		22,304		28,463
Restricted funds			0		0
Endowment funds			0		0
Total Charity Funds			22,304		28,463

Signed by A Dale on behalf of all the trustees

A Dale

Signature



Date

2nd December 2024

Notes to the accounts
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2024

1 Basis of preparation

1.1 Basis of accounting

These accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to these accounts.

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS102) issued on 16 July 2014 and with the Charities Act 2011.

1.2 Going concern

There are no material uncertainties related to events or conditions which cast significant doubt on the charity's ability to continue as a going concern.

1.3 Change of accounting policy

The accounts present a true and fair view and no changes have been made to the accounting policies adopted.

1.4 Changes to accounting estimates

No changes to accounting estimates have occurred in the reporting period. (3.46 FRS 102 SORP).

1.5 Material prior year errors

No material prior year errors have been identified in the reporting period (3.47 FRS 102 SORP).

2 Accounting policies

2.1 Income

Recognition of income

Income is included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SoFA) when

- the charity becomes entitled to the resources;
- it is more likely than not that the trustees will receive the resources;
- the monetary value can be measured with sufficient reliability

Offsetting

There has been no offsetting of assets and liabilities, or income and expenses, unless required or permitted by the FRS102 SORP or FRS102.

Grants and donations

Grants and donations are only included in the SoFA when the general income recognition criteria are met (5.10 to 5.12 FRS102 SORP).

Government grants

The charity has not received government grants in the reporting period.

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2024

Volunteer help

The value of any voluntary help received is not included in the accounts but is described in the trustees' annual report.

Deferred income

No material item of deferred income has been included in the accounts.

2.2 Expenditure and liabilities

Liability recognition

Liabilities are recognised where it is more likely than not that there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to pay out resources and the amount of the obligation can be measured with reasonable certainty.

Support costs

The charity has incurred expenditure on support costs.

Provisions for liabilities

A liability is measured on recognition at its historical cost and then subsequently measured at the best estimate of the amount required to settle the obligation at the reporting date.

2.3 Assets

Debtors

Debtors (including trade debtors and loans receivable) are measured on initial recognition at settlement amount after any trade discounts or amount advanced by the charity. Subsequently, they are measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be received.

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2024

3 Analysis of income

	2024	2024	2024	2024	2023
	Unrestricted	Restricted	Endowment	Total	Total
	Funds	Funds	Funds	Funds	Funds
	£	£	£	£	£
Donations					
Donations	18,011	0	0	18,011	29,996
Gift aid	0	0	0	0	0
Grants	0	0	0	0	0
Donated goods, facilities and services	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0
Total	18,011	0	0	18,011	29,996
Charitable activities					
Merchandise Sales	342	0	0	342	462
Other Activities	16,785	0	0	16,785	8,845
Total	17,128	0	0	17,128	9,307
Other Incoming resources					
Interest income	0	0	0	0	0
Misc income	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0
Total Income	35,139	0	0	35,139	39,303

Within the income items above, no single items were material.

4 Analysis of fixed assets

	2024	2023
	£	£
<u>Motor Vehicles Cost</u>		
Balance b/f	12,590	12,590
Additions	0	0
Balance c/f	<u>12,590</u>	<u>12,590</u>
<u>Motor Vehicles Depreciation</u>		
Balance b/f	6,294	3,147
Charge	3,147	3,147
Balance c/f	<u>9,441</u>	<u>6,294</u>
NBV	3,149	6,296

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2024

5 Analysis of expenditure

	2024 Unrestricted Funds £	2024 Restricted Funds £	2024 Endowment Funds £	2024 Total Funds £	2023 Total Funds £
Expenditure on raising funds					
Incurring seeking donations	21,947	0	0	21,947	26,680
Incurring seeking grants	0	0	0	0	0
Staging fundraising events	3,665	0	0	3,665	2,132
Advertising	708	0	0	708	1,647
Other	0	0	0	0	0
Total	26,320	0	0	26,320	30,459
Charitable activities					
Merchandise Sales	0	0	0	0	0
Other Activities	13,588	0	0	13,588	17,448
Total	13,588	0	0	13,588	17,448
Other	1,390	0	0	1,390	1,845
Total expenditure	41,297	0	0	41,297	49,752

6 Fees for examination of the accounts

	2024 £	2023 £
Independent examiner's fees	540	540
Other fees paid to the independent examiner	450	420
	<u>990</u>	<u>960</u>

7 Creditors and accruals

	Within one year 2024 £	Within one year 2023 £	More than one year 2024 £	More than one year 2023 £
Accruals for grants payable	0	0	0	0
Bank loans and overdrafts	0	0	0	0
Trade creditors	0	0	0	0
Accruals	660	540	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0
Total	660	540	0	0

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2024

8 Cash at bank and in hand

	2024	2023
	£	£
Bank	19,741	22,632
Petty cash	78	78
Total	19,818	22,710

9 Movement in funds

	Balance 01.09.23	Income	Expenditure	Balance 31.08.24
	£	£	£	£
General fund	28,463	35,139	(41,298)	22,304
Restricted fund	0	0	0	0
Endowment fund	0	0	0	0
Total	28,463	35,139	(41,298)	22,304

10 Trustee remuneration and benefits

None of the trustees have been paid any remuneration or received any other benefits.

11 Trustees' expenses

No trustees were reimbursed for expenses

12 Transactions with related parties

There have been no related party transactions in the reporting period.

HOMES FOR HOUNDS

England & Wales - Charity number 1182425

Accounts

Homes for Hounds

Charity number: 1182425

**Reports and Accounts
For the year ended
31st August 2023**

Tove Accountancy Ltd
Office 6, Town Hall
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Homes for Hounds
Legal and Administrative Information
for the year ended 31st August 2023

Charity number	1182425
Date of registration	12 March 2019
Organisation type	Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO)
Trustees	Amanda Dale (Chair) Linda Fixter Resigned 01.01.23 John Fixter Resigned 01.01.23 Susan Corelli Lynsey Corelli Sarah Sheard (appointed 09/06/22)
Registered address	24 Butts Hill Crescent Bugbrooke Northants NN7 3QP
Independent Examiners	Tove Accountancy Ltd Office 6 Town Hall 86 Watling Street East Towcester Northants NN12 6BS

**Homes for Hounds
Trustees Report
for the year ended 31st August 2023**

Governance

The Board of Trustees ('the Board') comprises four people.

Recruitment to the board takes place periodically as needed, and anyone from the local community may apply for these roles. During this period, the roles have been undertaken by long-term supporters of the charity.

In selecting individuals for appointment as charity trustees, the current trustees have regard to the skills, knowledge and experience needed for the effective administration of Homes for Hounds. We also invite applications for new board members through our networking, events and regular newsletter.

Anybody wishing to be considered for election to the Board is able to approach an officer during the year for a discussion of the roles and responsibilities of a Trustee.

Following this discussion, they may be introduced to the Board and then be formally appointed to the role.

A full briefing is given about the roles and responsibilities when a trustee is first appointed.

Ongoing training is given as and when required.

The trustees are responsible for all operational decisions taken by the charity, including allocation of resources in pursuit of its charitable objectives.

The trustees wish to record their heartfelt appreciation for the support and dedication provided by Allen Dale. They agreed that a trophy in memory of Allen should be awarded in a new class open to all dogs at the annual gala, the charity's main event of the year.

Charities and Public Benefit

The trustees of Homes for Hounds have read the guidance issued by the Charity Commission for England and Wales on 'Charities and Public Benefit'.

The object of Homes for Hounds is:

- For the benefit of the public to relieve the suffering of dogs in need of care and attention and, in particular, to provide and maintain rescue homes or other facilities for the reception, care and treatment of such animals.

The trustees confirm that the objects of the charity fully comply with this guidance and further information is set out below.

Objectives and Activities

Summary of the purposes of the charity

We rescue, rehabilitate and re-home dogs from across the UK and abroad from a life of abuse and neglect or under threat of death. We are committed to ensuring that the rescue and rehoming of sight hounds is a significant part of our work. We have a policy of non-destruction, unless to prevent incurable suffering. Our dogs remain with us for however long it takes to find them the right home.

**Homes for Hounds
Trustees Report (continued)
for the year ended 31st August 2023**

Summary of the main activities of the charity

During this 12 month period, the charity has built upon the changes that were started in the last reporting period. The charity has continued to pursue its core objectives and activities as set out in the Homes for Hounds constitution.

Despite the current economic situation, we have been able to maintain our current network of foster homes to support our objective of rescuing, re-habilitating and re-homing dogs.

The trustees met regularly to monitor progress and to plan events and fundraising throughout the year.

Our Trustees meetings for this year have mostly focussed on the following issues -

Finding more foster placements to enable us to take in a larger number of dogs - we have worked very hard to secure more places but this has been disappointing and is something we will be looking at as we go into 2024. We have taken on veterinary costs for some of the dogs that we have homed, where the owners are struggling to afford large bills for chronic and age related illnesses and where they are no longer covered by veterinary insurance.

We are currently discussing how we can improve on our fund raising next year, as several of our events proceeds were noticeably down on the previous year. In particular, our summer dog show was very poorly attended in spite of extensive advertising and we are thinking of changing this event to something different next year.

Homes for Hounds still needs to generate the funds for any dogs in its care, to support those being fostered and to be there for any of its dogs who, for whatever reason, need to move on from their forever home.

Our board of trustees has continued to focus on fundraising and promotion of the charity.

**Homes for Hounds
Trustees Report (continued)
for the year ended 31st August 2023**

Achievements and Performance

During this period,

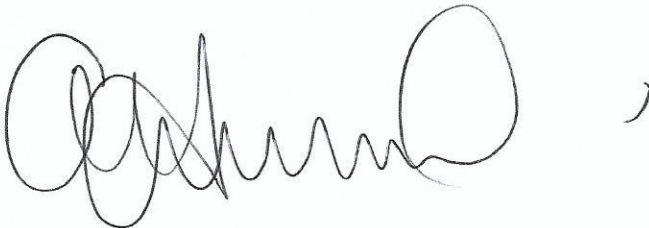
- 8 dogs were successfully homed
- 12 dogs are currently in permanent foster placements
- We provided support to people who had rehomed dogs through Homes for Hounds who were experiencing financial hardship due to the cost of living crisis
- A large van of dog food was taken to Greyhounds and Golden Oldies in Stoke on Trent.
- We still make ongoing donations to five other charities and welfare groups that we work closely with:
Sadie's Stray Dog Rescue
Love Underdogs
Northern Greyhound Rescue
Staffordshire Bull Terrier Rescue
Greyhounds and Golden Oldies

A total of approximately £14,300 was raised by us and donated to these charities in the past 12 months.

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Amanda Dale
Chair, Homes for Hounds
8th May 2024

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Amanda Dale', followed by a comma. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

**Homes for Hounds
Independent Examiner's Report
for the year ended 31st August 2023**

I report to the trustees of Homes for Hounds ('the Trust') (charity number 1182425) on the accounts for the year ended 31st August 2023.

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.

Donna Rowan Gold

8th May 2024

Donna Rowan Gold

For and on behalf of: Tove Accountancy Ltd, Office 6, Town Hall, 86 Watling Street East, Towcester, Northants NN12 6BS

Homes for Hounds
Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31st August 2023

	Notes	Unrestricted £	Restricted £	Endowment £	2023 Total £	2022 Total £
Incoming Resources						
Donations and sponsorships		29,996	0	0	29,996	31,118
Charitable activities		9,307	0	0	9,307	10,920
Other trading activities		0	0	0	0	0
Investments		0	0	0	0	0
Other		0	0	0	0	0
Total incoming resources	3	39,303	0	0	39,303	42,038
Resources Expended						
Costs of Raising Funds		30,459	0	0	30,459	29,738
Charitable Activities		17,448	0	0	17,448	13,998
Other Expenditure		1,845	0	0	1,845	1,657
Total resources expended	5	49,751	0	0	49,751	45,393
Net Movement in Resources		(10,448)	0	0	(10,448)	(3,355)
Fund balances brought forward		38,911	0	0	38,911	42,266
Funds carried forward	9	28,463	0	0	28,463	38,911

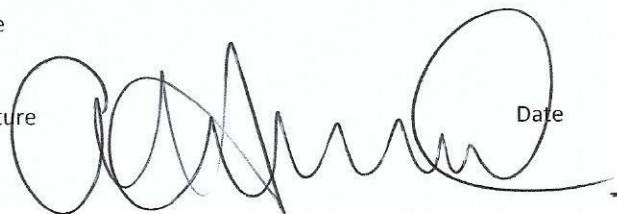
**Homes for Hounds
Balance Sheet
As at 31st August 2023**

		2023		2022	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed Assets					
Tangible assets		6,295	6,295	9,443	9,443
Current Assets					
Debtors		0		0	
Cash at bank and in-hand	8	22,708		30,344	
		22,708		30,344	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	7		540		876
Net current assets			22,168		29,468
Total assets less current liabilities			28,463		38,911
Creditors : amounts falling due after one year			0		0
Total net assets			28,463		38,911
Funds of the Charity					
Unrestricted funds	9		28,463		38,911
Restricted funds			0		0
Endowment funds			0		0
Total Charity Funds			28,463		38,911

Signed by A Dale on behalf of all the trustees

A Dale

Signature



Date

8th May 2024

**Notes to the accounts
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2023**

1 Basis of preparation

1.1 Basis of accounting

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The accounts present a true and fair view and no changes have been made to the accounting policies adopted.

1.4 Changes to accounting estimates

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1.5 Material prior year errors

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2 Accounting policies

2.1 Income

Recognition of income

Income is included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SoFA) when

- the charity becomes entitled to the resources;
- it is more likely than not that the trustees will receive the resources;
- the monetary value can be measured with sufficient reliability

Offsetting

There has been no offsetting of assets and liabilities, or income and expenses, unless required or permitted by the FRS102 SORP or FRS102.

Grants and donations

Grants and donations are only included in the SoFA when the general income recognition criteria are met (5.10 to 5.12 FRS102 SORP).

Government grants

The charity has not received government grants in the reporting period.

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2023

Volunteer help

The value of any voluntary help received is not included in the accounts but is described in the trustees' annual report.

Deferred income

No material item of deferred income has been included in the accounts.

2.2 Expenditure and liabilities

Liability recognition

Liabilities are recognised where it is more likely than not that there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to pay out resources and the amount of the obligation can be measured with reasonable certainty.

Support costs

The charity has incurred expenditure on support costs.

Provisions for liabilities

A liability is measured on recognition at its historical cost and then subsequently measured at the best estimate of the amount required to settle the obligation at the reporting date.

2.3 Assets

Debtors

Debtors (including trade debtors and loans receivable) are measured on initial recognition at settlement amount after any trade discounts or amount advanced by the charity. Subsequently, they are measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be received.

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2023

3 Analysis of income

	2023 Unrestricted Funds £	2023 Restricted Funds £	2023 Endowment Funds £	2023 Total Funds £	2022 Total Funds £
Donations					
Donations	29,996	0	0	29,996	31,118
Gift aid	0	0	0	0	0
Grants	0	0	0	0	0
Donated goods, facilities and services	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0
Total	29,996	0	0	29,996	31,118
Charitable activities					
Merchandise Sales	462	0	0	462	681
Other Activities	8,845	0	0	8,845	10,239
Total	9,307	0	0	9,307	10,920
Other Incoming resources					
Interest income	0	0	0	0	0
Misc income	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0
Total Income	39,303	0	0	39,303	42,038

Within the income items above, no single items were material.

4 Analysis of fixed assets

	2023 £	2022 £
<u>Motor Vehicles Cost</u>		
Balance b/f	12,590	0
Additions	0	12,590
Balance c/f	12,590	12,590
<u>Motor Vehicles Depreciation</u>		
Balance b/f	3,147	0
Charge	3,147	3,147
Balance c/f	6,294	3,147
NBV	6,296	9,443

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2023

5 Analysis of expenditure

	2023 Unrestricted Funds £	2023 Restricted Funds £	2023 Endowment Funds £	2023 Total Funds £	2022 Total Funds £
Expenditure on raising funds					
Incurring seeking donations	26,680	0	0	26,680	25,689
Incurring seeking grants	0	0	0	0	0
Staging fundraising events	2,132	0	0	2,132	3,992
Advertising	1,647	0	0	1,647	57
Other	0	0	0	0	0
Total	30,459	0	0	30,459	29,738
Charitable activities					
Merchandise Sales	0	0	0	0	0
Other Activities	17,448	0	0	17,448	13,998
Total	17,448	0	0	17,448	13,998
Other	1,845	0	0	1,845	1,657
Total expenditure	49,751	0	0	49,751	45,393

6 Fees for examination of the accounts

	2023 £	2022 £
Independent examiner's fees	540	540
Other fees paid to the independent examiner	420	225
	<u>960</u>	<u>765</u>

7 Creditors and accruals

	Within one year 2023 £	Within one year 2022 £	More than one year 2023 £	More than one year 2022 £
Accruals for grants payable	0	0	0	0
Bank loans and overdrafts	0	0	0	0
Trade creditors	0	0	0	0
Accruals	540	876	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0
Total	540	876	0	0

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2023

8 Cash at bank and in hand

	2023	2022
	£	£
Bank	22,632	30,268
Petty cash	78	77
Total	22,709	30,345

9 Movement in funds

	Balance		Balance
	01-Sep-22	Income	31-Aug-23
	£	£	£
General fund	38,911	39,303	(49,751)
Restricted fund	0	0	0
Endowment fund	0	0	0
Total	38,911	39,303	(49,751)

10 Trustee remuneration and benefits

None of the trustees have been paid any remuneration or received any other benefits.

11 Trustees' expenses

No trustees were reimbursed for expenses

12 Transactions with related parties

There have been no related party transactions in the reporting period.

HOMES FOR HOUNDS

England & Wales - Charity number 1182425

Accounts

Homes for Hounds

Charity number: 1182425

**Reports and Accounts
For the year ended
31st August 2022**

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Homes for Hounds
Legal and Administrative Information
for the year ended 31st August 2022

Charity number	1182425
Date of registration	12 March 2019
Organisation type	Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO)
Trustees	Amanda Dale (Chair) Linda Fixter John Fixter Susan Corelli Lynsey Corelli Sarah Sheard (appointed 09/06/22)
Registered address	24 Butts Hill Crescent Bugbrooke Northants NN7 3QP
Independent Examiners	Tove Accountancy Ltd Office 6 Town Hall 86 Watling Street East Towcester Northants NN12 6BS

Homes for Hounds
Trustees Report
for the year ended 31st August 2022

Governance

The Board of Trustees ('the Board') comprises six people.

Recruitment to the board takes place periodically as needed, and anyone from the local community may apply for these roles. During this period, the roles have been undertaken by long-term supporters of the charity.

In selecting individuals for appointment as charity trustees, the current trustees have regard to the skills, knowledge and experience needed for the effective administration of Homes for Hounds. We also invite applications for new board members through our networking, events and regular newsletter. In June 2022, Sarah Sheard joined the Board of Trustees. Anybody wishing to be considered for election to the Board is able to approach an officer during the year for a discussion of the roles and responsibilities of a Trustee. Following this discussion, they may be introduced to the Board and then be formally appointed to the role. A full briefing is given about the roles and responsibilities when a trustee is first appointed. Ongoing training is given as and when required.

The trustees are responsible for all operational decisions taken by the charity, including allocation of resources in pursuit of its charitable objectives.

The trustees wish to record their heartfelt appreciation for the support and dedication provided by Allen Dale. They agreed that a trophy in memory of Allen should be awarded in a new class open to all dogs at the annual gala, the charity's main event of the year.

Charities and Public Benefit

The trustees of Homes for Hounds have read the guidance issued by the Charity Commission for England and Wales on 'Charities and Public Benefit'.

The object of Homes for Hounds is:

- For the benefit of the public to relieve the suffering of dogs in need of care and attention and, in particular, to provide and maintain rescue homes or other facilities for the reception, care and treatment of such animals.

The trustees confirm that the objects of the charity fully comply with this guidance and further information is set out below.

Objectives and Activities

Summary of the purposes of the charity

We rescue, rehabilitate and re-home dogs from across the UK and abroad from a life of abuse and neglect or under threat of death. We are committed to ensuring that the rescue and rehoming of sight hounds is a significant part of our work. We have a policy of non-destruction, unless to prevent incurable suffering. Our dogs remain with us for however long it takes to find them the right home.

**Homes for Hounds
Trustees Report (continued)
for the year ended 31st August 2022**

Summary of the main activities of the charity

During this 12 month period, the charity has built upon the changes that were started in the last reporting period. From August 2021, the charity has continued to pursue its core objectives and activities as set out in the Homes for Hounds constitution.

Despite the current economic situation, we have been able to maintain our current network of foster homes to support our objective of rescuing, re-habilitating and re-homing dogs.

The trustees met regularly to monitor progress and to plan events and fundraising throughout the year.

During this period, we have held the following fundraising activities; The Homes for Hounds annual gala; the annual greyhound fun day and companion dog show at Courteenhall; 2 quiz evenings; the Pets at Home foundation Christmas appeal; the annual Christmas fair; the Christmas raffle; ongoing sponsorship programme; the Homes for Hounds 2022 calendar.

We have continued to produce our quarterly newsletter to keep our supporters informed of our ongoing activities and news.

Homes for Hounds still needs to generate the funds for any dogs in its care, to support those being fostered and to be there for any of its dogs who, for whatever reason, need to move on from their forever home.

Our board of trustees has continued to focus on fundraising and promotion of the charity.

**Homes for Hounds
Trustees Report (continued)
for the year ended 31st August 2022**

Achievements and Performance

During this period,

- 6 dogs were successfully homed
- 9 dogs are currently in permanent foster placements
- We provided support to people who had rehomed dogs through Homes for Hounds who were experiencing financial hardship due to the cost of living crisis
- We also took 2 van loads of dog food to Greyhounds and Golden Oldies
- We donated an additional £13,525 to the following charities:-
 - Sadie's Stray Dog Rescue
 - Love Underdogs
 - Northern Greyhound Rescue
 - Staffordshire Bull Terrier Rescue
 - Greyhounds and Golden Oldies

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Amanda Dale

Chair, Homes for Hounds

6th December 2022

Homes for Hounds
Independent Examiner's Report
for the year ended 31st August 2022

I report to the trustees of Homes for Hounds ('the Trust') (charity number 1182425) on the accounts for the year ended 31st August 2022.

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.

Angela Parry-Stone

Angela Parry-Stone

Tove Accountancy Ltd, Office 6, Town Hall, 86 Watling Street East, Towcester, Northants NN12 6BS

Homes for Hounds
Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31st August 2022

	Notes	Unrestricted £	Restricted £	Endowment £	2022 Total £	2021 Total £
Incoming Resources						
Donations and sponsorships		31,118	0	0	31,118	36,881
Charitable activities		10,920	0	0	10,920	554
Other trading activities		0	0	0	0	0
Investments		0	0	0	0	0
Other		0	0	0	0	0
Total incoming resources	3	42,038	0	0	42,038	37,435
Resources Expended						
Costs of Raising Funds		29,738	0	0	29,738	23,274
Charitable Activities		13,998	0	0	13,998	7,430
Other Expenditure		1,657	0	0	1,657	1,394
Total resources expended	5	45,393	0	0	45,393	32,098
Net Movement in Resources		(3,355)	0	0	(3,355)	5,337
Fund balances brought forward		42,266	0	0	42,266	36,929
Funds carried forward	9	38,911	0	0	38,911	42,266

**Homes for Hounds
Balance Sheet
As at 31st August 2022**

		2022		2021	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed Assets					
Tangible assets		9,443	9,443	0	
Current Assets					
Debtors		0		0	
Cash at bank and in-hand	8	30,344		48,522	
		30,344		48,522	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	7	876		6,256	
Net current assets			29,468		42,266
Total assets less current liabilities			38,911		42,266
Creditors : amounts falling due after one year		0		0	
Total net assets			38,911		42,266
Funds of the Charity					
Unrestricted funds	9		38,911		42,266
Restricted funds			0		0
Endowment funds			0		0
Total Charity Funds			38,911		42,266

Signed by A Dale on behalf of all the trustees

A Dale

Signature

Date 09/02/2023

Notes to the accounts
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2022

1 Basis of preparation

1.1 Basis of accounting

These accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to these accounts.

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS102) issued on 16 July 2014 and with the Charities Act 2011.

1.2 Going concern

There are no material uncertainties related to events or conditions which cast significant doubt on the charity's ability to continue as a going concern.

1.3 Change of accounting policy

The accounts present a true and fair view and no changes have been made to the accounting policies adopted.

1.4 Changes to accounting estimates

No changes to accounting estimates have occurred in the reporting period. (3.46 FRS 102 SORP).

1.5 Material prior year errors

No material prior year errors have been identified in the reporting period (3.47 FRS 102 SORP).

2 Accounting policies

2.1 Income

Recognition of income

Income is included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SoFA) when

- the charity becomes entitled to the resources;
- it is more likely than not that the trustees will receive the resources;
- the monetary value can be measured with sufficient reliability

Offsetting

There has been no offsetting of assets and liabilities, or income and expenses, unless required or permitted by the FRS102 SORP or FRS102.

Grants and donations

Grants and donations are only included in the SoFA when the general income recognition criteria are met (5.10 to 5.12 FRS102 SORP).

Government grants

The charity has not received government grants in the reporting period.

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2022

Volunteer help

The value of any voluntary help received is not included in the accounts but is described in the trustees' annual report.

Deferred income

No material item of deferred income has been included in the accounts.

2.2 Expenditure and liabilities

Liability recognition

Liabilities are recognised where it is more likely than not that there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to pay out resources and the amount of the obligation can be measured with reasonable certainty.

Support costs

The charity has incurred expenditure on support costs.

Provisions for liabilities

A liability is measured on recognition at its historical cost and then subsequently measured at the best estimate of the amount required to settle the obligation at the reporting date.

2.3 Assets

Debtors

Debtors (including trade debtors and loans receivable) are measured on initial recognition at settlement amount after any trade discounts or amount advanced by the charity. Subsequently, they are measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be received.

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2022

3 Analysis of income

	2022 Unrestricted Funds £	2022 Restricted Funds £	2022 Endowment Funds £	2022 Total Funds £	2021 Total Funds £
Donations					
Donations	31,118	0	0	31,118	36,881
Gift aid	0	0	0	0	0
Grants	0	0	0	0	0
Donated goods, facilities and services	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0
Total	31,118	0	0	31,118	36,881
Charitable activities					
Merchandise Sales	681	0	0	681	93
Other Activities	10,239	0	0	10,239	461
Total	10,920	0	0	10,920	554
Other Incoming resources					
Interest income	0	0	0	0	0
Misc income	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0
Total Income	42,038	0	0	42,038	37,435

Within the income items above, no single items were material.

4 Analysis of fixed assets

	2022 £	2021 £
<u>Motor Vehicles Cost</u>		
Balance b/f	0	0
Additions	12,590	0
Balance c/f	12,590	0
<u>Motor Vehicles Depreciation</u>		
Balance b/f	0	0
Charge	3,147	0
Balance c/f	3,147	0
NBV	9,443	0

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2022

5 Analysis of expenditure

	2022	2022	2022	2022	2021
	Unrestricted	Restricted	Endowment	Total	Total
	Funds	Funds	Funds	Funds	Funds
	£	£	£	£	£
Expenditure on raising funds					
Incurring seeking donations	25,689	0	0	25,689	20,948
Incurring seeking grants	0	0	0	0	0
Staging fundraising events	3,992	0	0	3,992	2,297
Advertising	57	0	0	57	29
Other	0	0	0	0	0
Total	29,738	0	0	29,738	23,274
Charitable activities					
Merchandise Sales	0	0	0	0	0
Other Activities	13,998	0	0	13,998	7,430
Total	13,998	0	0	13,998	7,430
Other	1,657	0	0	1,657	1,394
Total expenditure	45,393	0	0	45,393	32,098

6 Fees for examination of the accounts

	2022	2021
	£	£
Independent examiner's fees	540	540
Other fees paid to the independent examiner	225	0
	765	540

7 Creditors and accruals

	Within one	Within one	More than	More than
	year	year	one year	one year
	2022	2021	2022	2021
	£	£	£	£
Accruals for grants payable	0	0	0	0
Bank loans and overdrafts	0	0	0	0
Trade creditors	0	0	0	0
Accruals	876	6,256	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0
Total	876	6,256	0	0

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2022

8 Cash at bank and in hand

	2022	2021
	£	£
Bank	30,268	48,522
Petty cash	77	0
Total	30,344	48,522

9 Movement in funds

	Balance			Balance
	01-Sep-21	Income	Expenditure	31-Aug-22
	£	£	£	£
General fund	42,266	42,038	(45,393)	38,911
Restricted fund	0	0	0	0
Endowment fund	0	0	0	0
Total	42,266	42,038	(45,393)	38,911

10 Trustee remuneration and benefits

None of the trustees have been paid any remuneration or received any other benefits.

11 Trustees' expenses

No trustees were reimbursed for expenses

12 Transactions with related parties

There have been no related party transactions in the reporting period.

HOMES FOR HOUNDS

England & Wales - Charity number 1182425

Accounts

Homes for Hounds

Charity number: 1182425

**Reports and Accounts
For the year ended
31st August 2021**

Tove Accountancy Ltd
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Homes for Hounds
Legal and Administrative Information
for the year ended 31st August 2021

Charity number	1182425
Date of registration	12 March 2019
Organisation type	Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO)
Trustees	Amanda Dale (Chair) Allen Dale (Treasurer) Linda Fixter John Fixter Susan Corelli Lynsey Corelli Philip Rennett (Resigned 14/09/20) Clare Rennett (Resigned 14/09/20)
Registered address	24 Butts Hill Crescent Bugbrooke Northants NN7 3QP
Independent Examiners	Tove Accountancy Ltd Office 6 Town Hall 86 Watling Street East Towcester Northants NN12 6BS

**Homes for Hounds
Trustees Report
for the year ended 31st August 2021**

Governance

The Board of Trustees ('the Board') comprises six people.

Recruitment to the board takes place periodically as needed, and anyone from the local community may apply for these roles. During this period, the roles have been undertaken by long-term supporters of the charity.

In selecting individuals for appointment as charity trustees, the current trustees have regard to the skills, knowledge and experience needed for the effective administration of Homes for Hounds. We also invite applications for new board members through our networking, events and regular newsletter. Anyone wishing to be considered for election to the Board are able to approach a trustee during the year for a discussion of the roles and responsibilities of a trustee. Following this discussion, they may be introduced to the Board and then formally appointed to the role. A full briefing is given about the roles and responsibilities when a trustee is first appointed. Ongoing training is given as and when required.

The trustees are responsible for all operational decisions taken by the charity, including allocation of resources in pursuit of its charitable objectives.

Charities and Public Benefit

The trustees of Homes for Hounds have read the guidance issued by the Charity Commission for England and Wales on 'Charities and Public Benefit'.

The object of Homes for Hounds is:

- For the benefit of the public to relieve the suffering of dogs in need of care and attention and, in particular, to provide and maintain rescue homes or other facilities for the reception, care and treatment of such animals.

The trustees confirm that the objects of the charity fully comply with this guidance and further information is set out below.

Objectives and Activities

Summary of the purposes of the charity

We rescue, rehabilitate and re-home dogs from across the UK and abroad from a life of abuse and neglect or under threat of death. We are committed to ensuring that the rescue and rehoming of sight hounds is a significant part of our work. We have a policy of non-destruction, unless to prevent incurable suffering. Our dogs remain with us for however long it takes to find them the right home.

Homes for Hounds
Trustees Report (continued)
for the period 12th March 2019 to 31st August 2020

Summary of the main activities of the charity

During this 12 month period, the charity has built upon the changes that were started in the last reporting period. From August 2020, the charity reduced the level of its activity following the closure of the kennels, but has continued to pursue its core objectives and activities as set out in the Homes for Hounds constitution.

To achieve this, the charity commenced work to build a network of foster homes to support our objective of rescuing, re-habilitating and re-homing dogs. We have made some progress with this aim, but the covid-19 pandemic impacted our ability to successfully build this network.

The trustees met regularly to monitor progress and to plan events and fundraising throughout the year.

Our usual fundraising activities continued to be seriously curtailed by the restrictions imposed due to the covid-19 pandemic. Fortunately, our loyal supporters and owners have been very generous in their ongoing financial support.

We continued to run and plan our events calendar (aimed at ensuring a range of fundraising activities are held throughout the year to help fund the running of the charity), but covid-19 issues caused several of our key events to be cancelled for the reporting period.

Cancelled events included:-

- The annual outdoor fun dog show
- The annual Courteenhall dog walk and picnic
- Two quiz evenings
- The annual Christmas fair
- Production of the Homes for Hounds 2021 calendar.

However, we were able to progress:

- A Christmas raffle
- Ongoing sponsorship programme
- Our quarterly newsletter

Homes for Hounds still needs to generate the funds for any dogs in its care, to support those being fostered and to be there for any of its dogs who, for whatever reason, need to move on from their forever home.

Our board of trustees has continued to focus on fundraising and promotion of the charity.

**Homes for Hounds
Trustees Report (continued)
for the period 12th March 2019 to 31st August 2020**

Achievements and Performance

During this period,

- 8 dogs were successfully adopted
- 2 dogs were placed into permanent foster placements so that the charity can continue to provide support with ongoing health issues.
- We provided support to people who had rehomed dogs through Homes for Hounds who were experiencing financial hardship due to the covid-19 pandemic.
- We also made financial donations to other charities whose objectives and activities align with those of Homes for Hounds:-

Sadie's Stray Dog Rescue £2,000

F Brown £250

Limerick Animal Welfare £200

Rottweiler Rescue Trust £500

Staffordshire Bull Terrier Rescue £250

Candy Cane Greyhound Rescue £1,000

Rottie Welfare £200

Northern Greyhound Rescue £200

Greyhounds and Golden Oldies £1,200

Love Underdogs £250

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Amanda Dale

Chair, Homes for Hounds

31/03/2022

Homes for Hounds
Independent Examiner's Report
for the year ended 31st August 2021

I report to the trustees of Homes for Hounds ('the Trust') (charity number 1182425) on the accounts for the year ended 31st August 2021.

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

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- 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.

Nadine Pickworth (ACMA) 01/04/2022

Tove Accountancy Ltd, Office 6, Town Hall, 86 Watling Street East, Towcester, Northants NN12 6BS

Homes for Hounds
Statement of Financial Activities
for the year ended 31st August 2021

	Notes	Unrestricted £	Restricted £	Endowment £	2021 Total £	2020 Total £
Incoming Resources						
Donations and sponsorships		36,881	0	0	36,881	103,632
Charitable activities		554	0	0	554	19,897
Other trading activities		0	0	0	0	0
Investments		0	0	0	0	0
Other		0	0	0	0	0
Total incoming resources	3	37,435	0	0	37,435	123,529
Resources Expended						
Costs of Raising Funds		23,274	0	0	23,274	94,746
Charitable Activities		7,430	0	0	7,430	700
Other Expenditure		1,394	0	0	1,394	540
Total resources expended	5	32,098	0	0	32,098	95,986
Net Movement in Resources		5,337	0	0	5,337	27,543
Fund balances brought forward		36,929	0	0	36,929	9,386
Funds carried forward	9	42,266	0	0	42,266	36,929

**Homes for Hounds
Balance Sheet
As at 31st August 2021**

	Notes	2021		2020	
		£	£	£	£
Fixed Assets					
Tangible assets		0		0	
Current Assets					
Debtors		0		0	
Cash at bank and in-hand	8	48,522		38,879	
		<u>48,522</u>		<u>38,879</u>	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	7	6,256		1,950	
Net current assets			42,266		36,929
Total assets less current liabilities			<u>42,266</u>		<u>36,929</u>
Creditors : amounts falling due after one year		0		0	
Total net assets			<u>42,266</u>		<u>36,929</u>
Funds of the Charity					
Unrestricted funds	9		42,266		36,929
Restricted funds			0		0
Endowment funds			0		0
Total Charity Funds			<u>42,266</u>		<u>36,929</u>

Signed by A Dale on behalf of all the trustees

Signature

Date 31/03/2022

Notes to the accounts
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2021

1 Basis of preparation

1.1 Basis of accounting

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1.2 Going concern

There are no material uncertainties related to events or conditions which cast significant doubt on the charity's ability to continue as a going concern.

1.3 Change of accounting policy

The accounts present a true and fair view and no changes have been made to the accounting policies adopted.

1.4 Changes to accounting estimates

No changes to accounting estimates have occurred in the reporting period. (3.46 FRS 102 SORP).

1.5 Material prior year errors

No material prior year errors have been identified in the reporting period (3.47 FRS 102 SORP).

2 Accounting policies

2.1 Income

Recognition of income

Income is included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SoFA) when

- the charity becomes entitled to the resources;
- it is more likely than not that the trustees will receive the resources;
- the monetary value can be measured with sufficient reliability

Offsetting

There has been no offsetting of assets and liabilities, or income and expenses, unless required or permitted by the FRS102 SORP or FRS102.

Grants and donations

Grants and donations are only included in the SoFA when the general income recognition criteria are met (5.10 to 5.12 FRS102 SORP).

Government grants

The charity has received government grants in the reporting period.

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2021

Volunteer help

The value of any voluntary help received is not included in the accounts but is described in the trustees' annual report.

Deferred income

No material item of deferred income has been included in the accounts.

2.2 Expenditure and liabilities

Liability recognition

Liabilities are recognised where it is more likely than not that there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to pay out resources and the amount of the obligation can be measured with reasonable certainty.

Support costs

The charity has incurred expenditure on support costs.

Provisions for liabilities

A liability is measured on recognition at its historical cost and then subsequently measured at the best estimate of the amount required to settle the obligation at the reporting date.

2.3 Assets

Debtors

Debtors (including trade debtors and loans receivable) are measured on initial recognition at settlement amount after any trade discounts or amount advanced by the charity. Subsequently, they are measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be received.

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2021

3 Analysis of income

	2021	2021	2021	2021	2020
	Unrestricted	Restricted	Endowment	Total	Total
	Funds	Funds	Funds	Funds	Funds
	£	£	£	£	£
Donations					
Donations	36,881	0	0	36,881	93,632
Gift aid	0	0	0	0	0
Grants	0	0	0	0	10,000
Donated goods, facilities and services	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0
Total	36,881	0	0	36,881	103,632
Charitable activities					
Merchandise Sales	93	0	0	93	165
Other Activities	461	0	0	461	19,732
Total	554	0	0	554	19,897
Other Incoming resources					
Interest income	0	0	0	0	0
Misc income	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0
Total Income	37,435	0	0	37,435	123,529

Within the income items above, no single items were material.

4 Analysis of receipts of government grants

	2021	2020
	£	£
Gov grant 1 Covid-19 grant	0	10,000

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2021

5 Analysis of expenditure

	2021 Unrestricted Funds £	2021 Restricted Funds £	2021 Endowment Funds £	2021 Total Funds £	2020 Total Funds £
Expenditure on raising funds					
Incurring seeking donations	20,948	0	0	20,948	87,176
Incurring seeking grants	0	0	0	0	0
Staging fundraising events	2,297	0	0	2,297	7,545
Advertising	29	0	0	29	25
Other	0	0	0	0	0
Total	23,274	0	0	23,274	94,746
Charitable activities					
Merchandise Sales	0	0	0	0	0
Other Activities	7,430	0	0	7,430	700
Total	7,430	0	0	7,430	700
Other	1,394	0	0	1,394	540
Total expenditure	32,098	0	0	32,098	95,986

6 Fees for examination of the accounts

	2021 £	2020 £
Independent examiner's fees	540	540
Other fees paid to the independent examiner	0	0
	<u>540</u>	<u>540</u>

7 Creditors and accruals

	Within one year 2021 £	Within one year 2020 £	More than one year 2021 £	More than one year 2020 £
Accruals for grants payable	0	0	0	0
Bank loans and overdrafts	0	0	0	0
Trade creditors	0	0	0	0
Accruals	6,256	1,950	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0
Total	6,256	1,950	0	0

Notes to the accounts (continued)
Homes for Hounds
for the year ended 31st August 2021

8 Cash at bank and in hand

	2020
	£
Bank	48,522
Petty cash	0
Total	<u>48,522</u>

9 Movement in funds

	Balance 01-Sep-20	Income	Expenditure	Balance 31-Aug-21
	£	£	£	£
General fund	36,929	37,435	(32,098)	42,266
Restricted fund	0	0	0	0
Endowment fund	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>36,929</u>	<u>37,435</u>	<u>(32,098)</u>	<u>42,266</u>

10 Trustee remuneration and benefits

None of the trustees have been paid any remuneration or received any other benefits.

11 Trustees' expenses

	2021	2020
	£	£
Travel	0	240
Subsistence	0	0
Accommodation	0	0
Other	0	127
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>367</u>
Number of trustees reimbursed for expenses	0	2

12 Transactions with related parties

There have been no related party transactions in the reporting period.