



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From: 1st Aug, 2024 To 31st July, 2025

Charity name: NDS Community Services

Charity registration number: 1184927

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	The relief of those in need by reason of youth, age, ill-health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage in the UK and India.
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Emergency Food Bank• Special Dietary Food Bank• Distribution Food Bank• Support for individuals and families in temporary accommodation with Food. Toiletries Clothes and household items.• Employability Skills
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	We confirm we have had regard to public benefit guidance issued by the Charity Commission.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	Not Applicable
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	Not Applicable
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	Contribution has been made by the Trustees, volunteers and supporters by contributing their time and labour without charge.

Other		

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	<p>Since its launch in 2019, our charity has made a significant difference to the lives of vulnerable individuals and families in Wolverhampton. We have provided thousands of food parcels, essential toiletries, and culturally appropriate items to those experiencing financial hardship, homelessness, or crisis. Our support has improved wellbeing, reduced food insecurity, and helped families maintain dignity during challenging times.</p> <p>Through partnerships with local agencies, schools, faith groups, and the NHS, we have reached diverse communities, including ethnic minority and hard-to-reach groups, helping to reduce inequality. Our seminars, workshops, and community activities have empowered women, young people, and disadvantaged families, enhancing skills, confidence, and employability. Beyond immediate support, our work strengthens community cohesion, fosters resilience, and contributes to a safer, healthier, and more inclusive society.</p>

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	

Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	
Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	The organisation falls below the turnover boundary for detailed financial accounting being a requirement.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Reserves are held to enable unforeseen payments, cover overheads and to allow periodic investment in equipment, facilities and staff training.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£12970
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	Cashflow is adequate at present.
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	Decline in availability of grants and donations.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	Primary funding is sourced from community grants.
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	Not Applicable
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	Fluctuations in accessibility to public funds and community grants.
Other		

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed , royal charter)	Para 1.25	Trust Deed
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association , CIO)	Para 1.25	CIO
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Existing trustees elect volunteers after interview.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	NDS Community Services
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1184927
Charity's principal address	Saturn Centre Spring Road Wolverhampton WV4 6JX

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	Seema Rayat	Chair		
2	Sonia Uppal	Trustee		
3	Serju Patel	Trustee		
4	Bimla Devi	Trustee		
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

Additional information (optional)

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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Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

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Other optional information

There are no serious incidents to be reported.

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Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)	<i>S. Rayat</i>	
Full name(s)	Seema Rayat	
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair	
Date	30/01/2026	



Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period
from

1st Aug 2024

To

31st July 2025

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					
Grant Received - National Lottery	-	15,355	-	15,355	4,600
Grant Received - Heart Of England	-	5,708	-	5,708	9,890
Small Grants - West Bromwich Building Society	350	-	-	350	-
Donations Received	3,007	-	-	3,007	-
Gift Aid Received	375	-	-	375	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	3,732	21,063	-	24,795	14,490
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	3,732	21,063	-	24,795	14,490
A3 Payments					
Administration Costs	-	-	-	-	1,200
Advertising & Marketing	152	-	-	152	160
Computer Equipment	-	619	-	619	-
Education & Training	-	-	-	-	135
Food Items & Toiletries-Food Parcels	424	3,866	-	4,290	4,191
Fuel & Oil	65	727	-	791	1,456
General Expenses	95	-	-	95	527
Insurance	55	76	-	131	131
Motor Vehicle Expenses	735	4,845	-	5,580	4,352
Office Equipment	315	-	-	315	-
Postage, Freight & Courier	-	-	-	-	17
Printing & Stationary	28	386	-	414	181
Rent	1,932	1,380	-	3,312	3,588
Repair & Maintenance-Buildings	92	-	-	92	333
Software	-	333	-	333	361
Subscriptions	-	10	-	10	9
Volunteer Costs	957	160	-	1,117	420
Sub total	4,849	12,401	-	17,250	17,061
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	4,849	12,401	-	17,250	17,061
Net of receipts/(payments)	- 1,117	8,662	-	7,545	- 2,571
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	3,738	3,826	-	7,564	-
Cash funds this year end	4,855	4,836	-	19	2,571

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	Donor Contributions & Gift Aid	- 4,855		-
	Grants	-	4,836	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	- 4,855	4,836	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK
		Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
B3 Investment assets			Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use		Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
	HP Desktop PC	Restricted	619	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
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			-	-
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			-	-
			-	-
B5 Liabilities		Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
			-	
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Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name	Date of approval	
	<i>S. Rayat</i>	Seema Rayat	30/01/2026	