

Family2Family

England & Wales · Charity number 1185207

Details

Other names BABY2BABY, BABY2BABY &BEYOND;

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2019-09-06

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

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Activities

Objects: THE PREVENTION OR RELIEF OF POVERTY AND ASSOCIATED ADVERSITY IN EAST SUSSEX AND SURROUNDING AREAS THROUGH PROVISION OF CLOTHING AND ESSENTIAL ITEMS FOR BABIES AND CHILDREN TO FAMILIES IN NEED.

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Classification

- **How:** Provides Services
- **What:** General Charitable Purposes, Disability, The Prevention Or Relief Of Poverty
- **Who:** Children/young People, Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- Throughout England

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-05-15	£90,895	£82,595	-	-
2024-05-15	£92,357	£55,795	-	-
2023-05-15	£31,633	£15,843	-	-
2022-05-15	£21,333	£21,667	-	-
2021-05-15	£29,391	£27,807	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Hannah Oversby-Powell	Chair	2019-09-06
Leila Parker		2019-09-06
Peter Morris		2019-09-06
Victoria Lewis		2023-11-13

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Accounts



**CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES**

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 16/05/2024

To 15/05/2025

Charity name: Family2Family

Charity registration number: 1185207

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	THE PREVENTION OR RELIEF OF POVERTY AND ASSOCIATED ADVERSITY IN EAST SUSSEX AND SURROUNDING AREAS THROUGH PROVISION OF CLOTHING AND ESSENTIAL ITEMS FOR BABIES AND CHILDREN TO FAMILIES IN NEED.
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	<p>Family2Family collects donations of baby and children's clothing and essential items and redistributes them to families in need in East Sussex and surrounding areas.</p> <p>Donations of clothing and essential items for children aged 0 - 16 years are made to Family2Family. Volunteers then sort and safety check donations ready to be gifted to families. For certain items we are unable to use donations, for health or safety reasons, therefore we use funds raised, donations and wishlists to purchase new items to meet the relevant needs.</p> <p>Referrals are made by professionals on behalf of families in need of support. The items requested are then put together into a carefully prepared bundle, specific to the needs of the child(ren) and family. The professional is advised when the bundle is ready for collection, and they deliver it to the family.</p> <p>There is no cost to this service for professionals who refer or the families we support.</p>
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance	Para 1.18	We have had regard to the commission's public benefit guidance. We are aware of the guidance, have taken it into account when

issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit		making a decision to which the guidance is relevant and have not departed from the guidance.
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	
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	In our seventh year we supported 699 families through our core service. Within these families 1399 babies and children were gifted essential items. The essential items redistributed, valued as if purchased secondhand would be worth more than £300,000. Items distributed included: The gift of pride: Clothing bundles including numerous outfits, pyjamas and coats were gifted to 986 children The gift of sleep: Cots, toddler beds, cribs and moses baskets, sheets, duvets, duvet sets: 2,921 items (not including Beds4Kids figures) The gift of play: Toy bundles, book bundles, playmats and bouncy chairs: 1,197 The gift of adventure: Prams, buggies, buggy boards, reins and slings: 198 The gift of nourishment: Highchairs, bottles, and other feeding equipment: 2,389 items The gift of comfort and the gift of dignity: 2,581 toiletry bundles, nappy packs, wipes, and mum-to-be bundles The gift of safety: 35 home safety items items including stairgates, monitors, and cupboard clips

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	Our financial position improved through the year through grants, fundraising efforts and donations. Cash reserves grew by over £8,300 in the year and enabled us to support more families. We now have cash cover for rent and staffing for the next year and grants/restricted funding to use for purchases for bundles. This has allowed us to add a second site for additional storage and campaigns and provide funding for a driver for our van.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Any reserves are held as cash if they are to be used, or foreseeably will be used, in the next 48 months. For any excess reserves that are not within the above category the trustees will give further consideration about how they will be utilised, deposited, invested or used to support others.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£75,433.24
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	N/a
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	N/a
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	None

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	
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	
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	Apart from the first charity trustees, every trustee must be appointed indefinitely by a resolution passed at a properly convened meeting of the charity trustees.

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	Family2Family
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1185207
Charity's principal address	Crowborough Childrens Centre Green Lane CROWBOROUGH East Sussex TN6 2XB

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	Hannah Oversby-Powell	Chairperson		
2	Leila Parker	Secretary		
3	Peter Morris	Treasurer		
4	Vicky Lewis	Fundraising and events		
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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	N/a
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	N/a
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	N/a

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

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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)		
Full name(s)	Hannah Oversby-Powell	PETER MORRIS
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair	TRUSTEE

Date 27.02.26



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Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	5/16/2024	To	5/15/2025
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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 £
A1 Receipts				
Local Giving	£8,854.03			
Wellesley				
Crowdfunder				
Charities Trust				
Grants	£1,950.00			
Cash Deposit Gala 2023				
Sponsors	£7,756.00			
Gala Income 2023	£814.72			
Refunds	£328.76			
Gala Income 2024	£32,977.40			
Other Donations	£38,214.93			
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	£90,895.84	£0.00	£0.00	£90,895.84
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).				
N/a	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Sub total	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Total receipts	£90,895.84	£0.00	£0.00	£90,895.84
A3 Payments				
Rent				
100 Club winners				
Subscriptions (Localgiving) (moved to other)				
Bundle Purchases	£24,693.91	£11,133.46		
Racking				
Trustee/Volunteer Expenses/Costs	£632.50			
Expo				
Vodafone				
Legal Costs				
Gala Costs	£15,383.05			
Staffing	£20,102.52			
Site Costs	£6,712.26			
Other/Marketing	£2,048.36			
Van Costs	£1,889.71			
Sub total	£71,462.31	£11,133.46	£0.00	£82,595.77
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)				
Racking	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Sub total	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Total payments	£71,462.31	£11,133.46	£0.00	£82,595.77
Net of receipts/(payments)	£19,433.53	-£11,133.46	£0.00	£8,300.07
A5 Transfers between funds	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
A6 Cash funds last year end				£67,133.17
Cash funds this year end	£19,433.53	-£11,133.46	£0.00	£75,433.24
* Other donations includes, Local Giving, personal donations				

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

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Bank Balance at end of period	£73,397.37	£2,036.03
		£0.00	£0.00
		£0.00	£0.00
	Total cash funds (agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	£73,397.37	£2,036.03
	Agreement Error	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets	N/a	£0.00	£0.00
		£0.00	£0.00
		£0.00	£0.00
		£0.00	£0.00
		£0.00	£0.00
		£0.00	£0.00

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)
B3 Investment assets	N/a		£0.00
			£0.00
			£0.00
			£0.00
			£0.00

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Racking	unrestricted	£1,200.00
	Kettle and seating	unrestricted	£30.00
			£0.00
			£0.00
			£0.00
			£0.00
			£0.00
			£0.00
			£0.00

Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)
B5 Liabilities	None		
			£0.00

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

Signature	Print Name

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Last year

to the nearest £

£10,411.34
£10,000.00
£14,173.24
£1,000.00
£1,842.32
£14,643.85
£38.02
£7,400.00
£32,849.00
£92,357.77

£0.00
£0.00

£92,357.77

£9,610.85
£220.00
£180.00
£20,277.08
£444.95
£964.10
£178.80
£61.58
£1,200.00
£10,795.00
£11,862.90
£55,795.26

£0.00

£55,795.26

£36,562.51
£0.00
£67,133.17



**Endowment funds
to nearest £**

£0.00
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**Endowment funds
to nearest £**

£0.00
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**Current value
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**When due
(optional)**

Date of approval

Local Giving	
Amount	Date
£236.38	16-May
£150.19	22-May
£439.05	30-May
£268.17	5-Jun
£415.90	12-Jun
£146.55	19-Jun
£274.73	4-Jul
£90.03	17-Jul
£246.16	31-Jul
£65.23	14-Aug
£9.80	29-Aug
£102.35	6-Sep
£48.85	11-Sep
£65.23	25-Sep
£34.86	2-Oct
£81.67	16-Oct
£11.56	30-Oct
£96.84	6-Nov
£55.43	13-Nov
£183.17	20-Nov
£492.84	27-Nov
£213.80	4-Dec
£204.05	11-Dec
£1,458.93	18-Dec
£251.77	24-Dec
£107.30	6-Jan
£48.65	8-Jan
£55.43	15-Jan
£74.28	22-Jan
£101.58	29-Jan
£55.43	12-Feb
£347.96	28-Feb
£9.80	5-Mar
£300.48	12-Mar
£9.80	2-Apr
£55.43	17-Apr
£1,871.60	30-Apr
£55.43	14-May
£117.32	10-Jul
£8,854.03	

Sponsorship	
Amount	Date
£250.00	28-May
£500.00	3-Jun
£250.00	28-Jun
£500.00	3-Jul
£500.00	5-Aug
£250.00	28-Aug
£500.00	3-Sep
£250.00	30-Sep
£500.00	3-Oct
£250.00	28-Oct
£500.00	4-Nov
£250.00	28-Nov
£501.00	3-Dec
£501.00	3-Jan
£501.00	3-Feb
£501.00	3-Mar
£501.00	3-Apr
£501.00	6-May
£250.00	29-Jul
£7,756.00	

Grants	
Amount	Date
£1,200.00	24-Jun
£750.00	31-Jul
£1,950.00	

Refunds	
Amount	Date
£5.00	24-Jun
£69.99	1-Jul
£1.60	31-Jan
£1.60	31-Jan
£1.60	31-Jan
£28.97	3-Mar
£175.00	31-Mar
£45.00	2-May
£328.76	

Gala	
Amount	Date
£500.00	15-Jul
£177.10	17-Jul
£354.20	19-Jul
£500.00	19-Jul
£706.64	22-Jul
£1,577.40	22-Jul
£529.34	23-Jul
£708.80	25-Jul
£177.10	8-Aug
£354.20	13-Aug
£535.10	14-Aug
£27.93	15-Aug
£1,949.70	19-Aug
£11.59	20-Aug
£19.48	21-Aug
£886.30	22-Aug
£354.40	2-Sep
£31.12	9-Sep
£49.01	11-Sep
£177.10	12-Sep
£177.10	13-Sep
£11.61	16-Sep
£177.10	23-Sep
£49.10	24-Sep
£177.10	27-Sep
£275.99	3-Oct
£87.71	4-Oct
£50.57	7-Oct
£68.16	9-Oct
£146.49	10-Oct
£31.07	11-Oct
£11.61	14-Oct
£180.00	15-Oct
£62.15	16-Oct
£223.36	17-Oct
£81.55	18-Oct
£150.55	21-Oct
£640.52	21-Oct
£146.09	22-Oct
£371.96	23-Oct
£13,612.82	24-Oct
£520.28	25-Oct
£2,390.00	28-Oct
£235.02	30-Oct
£2,000.00	31-Oct
£75.43	11-Nov
£1.00	31-Mar
£1,200.00	9-Jul
£196.55	26-Sep
£32,977.40	

Donations	
Amount	Date
£3,057.44	22-Jul
£85.00	30-Jul
£5,000.00	31-Jul
£40.00	10-Sep
£26,958.23	3-Oct
£500.00	7-Oct
£38.00	15-Oct
£250.00	18-Oct
£32.00	12-Nov
£32.00	3-Dec
£40.00	14-Jan
£32.00	11-Feb
£31.00	11-Mar
£40.00	8-Apr
£100.00	10-Apr
£197.76	25-Apr
£33.50	13-May
£1,748.00	18-Oct
£38,214.93	

£814.72 | 15-Jul Stripe Payments (2024)

Bundle Purchases	
Amount	Date
£178.95	23-May Argos
£188.94	28-May Amazon
£1,593.96	28-May Westborn
£159.95	30-May Amazon
£79.98	7-Jun Amazon
£189.00	14-Jun Argos
£2,112.48	14-Jun Eggs in bulk
£59.99	25-Jun Kiddies-Kingdom
£155.94	25-Jun Amazon
£157.94	25-Jun Amazon
£308.35	25-Jun Amazon
£315.88	25-Jun Amazon
£191.95	3-Jul Argos
£921.00	3-Jul Argos
£293.94	4-Jul Amazon
£384.93	4-Jul Amazon
£1,440.00	9-Jul Vision Support
£157.44	15-Jul Amazon
£140.57	19-Jul Amazon
£69.99	22-Jul Amazon
£450.07	22-Jul Amazon
£487.43	22-Jul Amazon
£627.97	22-Jul Amazon
£953.00	22-Jul The Works
£534.48	23-Jul Amazon
£91.25	29-Jul Amazon
£89.32	2-Aug Staples
£157.16	16-Aug Amazon
£160.95	16-Aug Amazon
£153.91	16-Aug Amazon
£315.14	16-Aug Amazon
£305.61	21-Aug Amazon
£338.37	22-Aug Amazon
£318.21	28-Aug Amazon
£1,033.95	28-Aug Argos
£530.43	12-Sep Amazon
£161.45	13-Sep Amazon
£125.99	19-Sep Amazon
£147.90	19-Sep Amazon
£156.25	19-Sep Amazon
£243.96	19-Sep Amazon
£129.97	3-Oct Amazon
£168.64	3-Oct Amazon
£383.05	3-Oct Amazon
£528.95	18-Oct Argos
£639.92	18-Oct Amazon
£398.95	21-Oct Amazon
£477.50	5-Nov Inkindirect
£315.00	12-Nov Argos
£1,289.95	12-Nov Argos
£223.97	13-Nov Amazon
£155.76	13-Nov Amazon
£156.67	13-Nov Amazon
£7.58	29-Nov WHSmith
£399.00	5-Dec Argos
£1,359.64	5-Dec Westborn
£269.97	6-Dec Amazon
£353.36	6-Dec Amazon
£481.51	9-Dec Amazon
£1,261.71	9-Dec Amazon
£116.85	11-Dec Tesco
£1,519.60	12-Dec Amazon
£776.19	16-Dec Amazon
£134.43	14-Jan Amazon
£152.01	14-Jan Amazon
£81.43	16-Jan Amazon
£145.95	17-Jan Amazon
£108.10	27-Jan Amazon
£112.71	27-Jan Amazon
£119.35	27-Jan Amazon
£183.95	27-Jan Amazon
£409.96	27-Jan Amazon
£81.00	12-Feb Amazon
£110.24	13-Feb Amazon
£119.35	27-Feb Amazon
£164.95	27-Feb Argos
£181.95	27-Feb Argos
£266.13	28-Feb Amazon
£502.11	28-Feb Amazon
£1,440.00	4-Mar Vision Support
£308.55	14-Mar Amazon
£422.50	14-Mar Amazon
£118.98	27-Mar Amazon
£142.10	27-Mar Amazon
£174.96	27-Mar Amazon
£175.00	28-Mar Argos
£671.30	28-Mar Amazon
£64.95	3-Mar Argos
£130.00	17-Apr Amazon
£549.95	17-Apr Amazon
£387.95	28-Apr Amazon
£476.90	28-Apr SP Baby Centre
£93.89	16-Dec L. Parker
£35,827.12	

Site Costs	
Amount	Date
£21.58	22-May Vodafone
£21.58	21-Jun Vodafone
£21.58	23-Jul Vodafone
£1,961.00	15-Aug ESCC
£21.58	21-Aug Vodafone
£21.58	23-Sep Vodafone
£21.58	23-Oct Vodafone
£1,961.00	12-Nov ESCC
£21.58	21-Nov Vodafone
£21.58	23-Dec Vodafone
£21.58	22-Jan Vodafone
£375.00	23-Jan Gary Holman
£450.00	3-Feb Gary Holman
£21.58	21-Jan Vodafone
£450.00	28-Feb M Vickers
£21.58	21-Mar Vodafone
£450.00	4-Apr M Vickers
£22.96	24-Apr Vodafone
£450.00	1-May M Vickers
£554.92	15-May SP Racking
£6,712.29	

Gala Costs	
Amount	Date
£4,965.00	22-Jul Ashdown Park
£2,979.00	6-Sep Ashdown Park
£3,847.55	14-Oct Ashdown Park
£324.50	23-Sep Ashdown Park
£200.00	21-Oct Cash Float
£889.00	21-Oct Fusion Events
£210.00	23-Oct Infusion Flowers
£1,888.00	19-Mar Ashdown Park
£80.00	14-Oct Printed.Com (part)
£15,383.05	

Volunteer Costs/Expenses	
Amount	Date
£560.00	3-Jun Suxted Park
£8.25	11-Dec BP
£64.25	27-Jan White Hart
£632.50	

Staffing	
Amount	Date
£648.00	3-Jun Sarah Tame
£842.40	3-Jun Hannah O-P
£576.00	1-Jul Sarah Tame
£734.40	1-Jul Hannah O-P
£648.00	1-Aug Sarah Tame
£950.40	1-Aug Hannah O-P
£648.00	2-Sep Sarah Tame
£642.40	2-Sep Hannah O-P
£2,260.17	11-Sep MRC
£612.00	1-Oct Sarah Tame
£1,203.10	1-Oct Hannah O-P
£648.00	1-Nov Sarah Tame
£729.00	4-Nov Hannah O-P
£497.96	2-Dec Hannah O-P
£968.73	2-Dec Sarah Tame
£586.87	2-Jan Hannah O-P
£1,014.86	2-Jan Sarah Tame
£284.55	3-Feb Hannah O-P
£1,060.99	3-Feb Sarah Tame
£462.96	3-Mar Hannah O-P
£922.60	3-Mar Sarah Tame
£968.73	1-Apr Sarah Tame
£640.22	1-Apr Hannah O-P
£337.90	1-May Hannah O-P
£1,014.86	1-May Sarah Tame
£20,102.52	

Other	
Amount	Date
£177.95	30-Aug Uoforn
£180.00	19-Sep Local Giving Subs
£45.00	22-Jul Food Rocks Ltd (marketing)
£350.00	11-Oct Tom Stanley (videos)
£178.80	11-Dec P Morris (Card Machine)
£297.36	21-Oct MarkeUK (Ins)
£156.43	2-May Printed.Com
£129.60	7-Oct Wix.com
£129.60	18-Feb Wix.com
£91.63	11-Jul Printed.Com
£178.29	28-Jun Printed.Com
£133.70	14-Oct Printed.Com (Part)
£2,048.36	

Van Costs	
Amount	Date
£1,889.11	27-Jan Howden Insurance
£1,889.71	

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Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

**Report to the trustees/
members of**

Charity Name
Family2Family

**On accounts for the year
ended**

15/5/25

**Charity no
(if any)**

1185207

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(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

**Respective
responsibilities of
trustees and examiner**

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 (the Charities Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the Charities Act,
- to follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Charity Commission (under section 145(5)(b) of the Charities Act, and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

**Basis of independent
examiner's statement**

My examination was carried out in accordance with general Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from the trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair' view and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

**Independent
examiner's statement**

In connection with my examination, no material matters have come to my attention (other than that disclosed below *) 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 have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

* Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.

Signed:

Date: 26/6/25

Name: Jolyon Head

Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any): Chartered Accountant (ICAS Member number M21986)

Address: 1 Argyle Road
Tunbridge Wells
TN4 0SU

Section B Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.

Family2Family

England & Wales - Charity number 1185207

Accounts



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 16/05/2023

To:15/05/2024

Charity name: Family2Family

Charity registration number: 1185207

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	THE PREVENTION OR RELIEF OF POVERTY AND ASSOCIATED ADVERSITY IN EAST SUSSEX AND SURROUNDING AREAS THROUGH PROVISION OF CLOTHING AND ESSENTIAL ITEMS FOR BABIES AND CHILDREN TO FAMILIES IN NEED.
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	<p>Family2Family collects donations of baby and children's clothing and essential items and redistributes them to families in need in East Sussex and surrounding areas.</p> <p>Donations of clothing and essential items for children aged 0 - 16 years are made to Family2Family. Volunteers then sort and safety check donations ready to be gifted to families. For certain items we are unable to use donations, for health or safety reasons, therefore we use funds raised, donations and wishlists to purchase new items to meet the relevant needs.</p> <p>Referrals are made by professionals on behalf of families in need of support. The items requested are then put together into a carefully prepared bundle, specific to the needs of the child(ren) and family. The professional is advised when the bundle is ready for collection, and they deliver it to the family.</p> <p>There is no cost to this service for professionals who refer or the families we support.</p>

Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	We have had regard to the commission's public benefit guidance. We are aware of the guidance, have taken it into account when making a decision to which the guidance is relevant and have not departed from the guidance.
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	
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>In it's sixth year, the charity supported 897 children with essential items (increased from 717 year prior).</p> <p>Our campaign Bags4School ran throughout August 2023 and supported 407 children through provision of brand new backpacks and school stationery essentials.</p> <p>December 202 saw the Christmas campaign provide brand new gifts to 705 local children who otherwise were likely to go without.</p> <p>We introduced an additional campaign, Beds4Kids to help the bed poverty crisis through provision of beds, mattresses and bedding, for</p>

		<p>children up to 16 years of age. Between August 2023 and May 2024, beds were gifted to 66 children.</p> <p>The charity continued to build relationships in the local business community, securing the ongoing support of sponsors, fundraisers and corporate volunteering sessions.</p> <p>Our Gala raised vital funds to help the charity to be financially self-sustainable.</p> <p>An additional Trustee was recruited to the board, with a focus on events and fundraising.</p> <p>The families who received support from the charity benefit from relief of financial hardship; an immediate improvement in their circumstances that can impact other areas of their life including improved mental health, relationships and capacity to engage in education.</p>
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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	Para 1.21	Our financial position improved through the year through grants,
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of the period		fundraising efforts and donations. Cash reserves grew by over £36,500 in the year and enabled us to support more families. We now have cash cover for rent and staffing for the next year and grants/restricted funding to use for purchases for bundles.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Any reserves are held as cash if they are to be used, or foreseeably will be used, in the next 48 months. For any excess reserves that are not within the above category the trustees will give further consideration about how they will be utilised, deposited, invested or used to support others.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£67,133
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	N/a
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	None
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	None

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	
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	
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	Apart from the first charity trustees, every trustee must be appointed indefinitely by a resolution passed at a properly convened meeting of the charity trustees.

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	Family2Family
Other name the charity uses	Baby2Baby
Registered charity number	1185207
Charity's principal address	Crowborough Childrens Centre Green Lane CROWBOROUGH East Sussex TN6 2XB

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 Hannah Oversby-Powell	Chairperson		

2	Leila Parker	Secretary		
3	Peter Morris	Treasurer		
4	Vicky Lewis	Fundraising and events		
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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	N/a
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	N/a

Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	N/a
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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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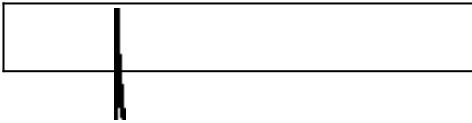

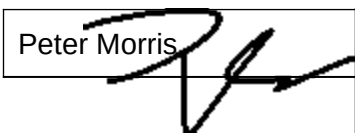
Other optional information

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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)		
Full name(s)	Peter Morris 	Hannah Oversby-Powell

**Position (eg Secretary,
Chair, etc)**

Treasurer

Chair

Date

10/02/2025



Receipts and payments accounts

CC16a

For the period
from

16/05/2023

To

15/05/2024

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					
Local Giving	£10,411.34				£3,729.00
Wellesley		£10,000.00			
Crowdfunder		£14,173.24			
Charities Trust	£1,000.00				
Sussex Community Foundation					£9,500.00
Cash Deposit Gala 2023	£1,842.32				
Spectris					£1,500.00
Gala Income 2023	£14,643.85				£6,600.00
Refunds	£38.02				£138.00
Gala Income 2024	£7,400.00				
Other Donations	£31,849.00	£1,000.00			£10,166.00
Fundraising proceeds				£0.00	
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	£67,184.53	£25,173.24	£0.00	£92,357.77	£31,633.00
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
N/a	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	£67,184.53	£25,173.24	£0.00	£92,357.77	£31,633.00
A3 Payments					
Rent	£9,610.85				£12.00
100 Club winners	£220.00				
Subscriptions (Localgiving)	£180.00				£96.00
Bundle Purchases		£20,277.08			£8,395.00
Jotform					£201.00
Racking	£444.95				
Trustee/Volunteer Expenses	£964.10				£51.00
Expo	£178.80				
Vodafone	£61.58				
Legal Costs	£1,200.00				
Gala Costs	£10,795.00				£1,100.00
Salaries	£11,862.90				£5,360.00
Storagemart					£12.00
HMRC					£616.00
Sub total	£35,518.18	£20,277.08	£0.00	£55,795.26	£15,843.00
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
Racking					200
Sub total	-	-	-	-	200
Total payments	35,518	20,277	-	55,795	16,043
Net of receipts/(payments)	31,666	4,896	-	36,563	15,590
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end					
Cash funds this year end	31,666	4,896	-	36,563	30,571
* Other donations includes, Local Giving, personal donations					

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 Balance at end of period	67,133		
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		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	67,133	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	Agreement Error	Agreement Error	OK

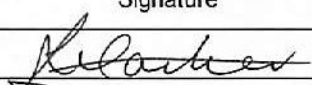
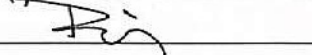
Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets	N/a	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets	N/a		-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Racking	restricted	750	-
	Kettle and seating	restricted	60	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities	None			
			-	

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

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	LEILA PARKER	14.01.25
	PETER MORRIS	14.01.25



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

**Report to the trustees/
members of**

Charity Name
Family2Family

**On accounts for the year
ended**

15/5/24

**Charity no
(if any)**

1185207

Set out on pages

(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

**Respective
responsibilities of
trustees and examiner**

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**Basis of independent
examiner's statement**

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**Independent
examiner's statement**

In connection with my examination, no material matters have come to my attention (other than that disclosed below *) which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect,:

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I have have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

* Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.

Signed:

Date:

11/7/24

Name: Jolyon Head

Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any): Chartered Accountant (ICAS Member number M21986)

Address: 1 Argyle Road
Tunbridge Wells
TN4 0SU

Section B

Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.

Family2Family

England & Wales - Charity number 1185207

Accounts



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 16/05/2022

To:15/05/2023

Charity name: Family2Family

Charity registration number: 1185207

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	THE PREVENTION OR RELIEF OF POVERTY AND ASSOCIATED ADVERSITY IN EAST SUSSEX AND SURROUNDING AREAS THROUGH PROVISION OF CLOTHING AND ESSENTIAL ITEMS FOR BABIES AND CHILDREN TO FAMILIES IN NEED.
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	<p>Formerly Baby2Baby. Family2Family collects donations of baby and children's clothing and essential items and redistributes them to families in need in East Sussex and surrounding areas.</p> <p>Donations of clothing and essential items for children aged 0 - 16 years are made to Family2Family. Volunteers then sort and safety check donations ready to be gifted to families. For certain items we are unable to use donations, for health or safety reasons, therefore we use funds raised, donations and wishlists to purchase new items to meet the relevant needs.</p> <p>Referrals are made by professionals on behalf of families in need of support. The items requested are then put together into a carefully prepared bundle, specific to the needs of the child(ren) and family. The professional is advised when the bundle is ready for collection, and they deliver it to the family.</p> <p>There is no cost to this service for professionals who refer or the families we support.</p>

Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	We have had regard to the commission's public benefit guidance. We are aware of the guidance, have taken it into account when making a decision to which the guidance is relevant and have not departed from the guidance.
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	
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>In it's fifth year, the charity supported 717 children with essential items.</p> <p>Our campaign Bags4School ran throughout August 2022 and supported 336 children through provision of brand new backpacks and school stationery essentials.</p> <p>December 2022 saw the Christmas campaign provide brand new gifts to 400 local children who otherwise were likely to go without.</p> <p>The charity continued to build relationships in the local business community, securing the ongoing support of sponsors, fundraisers and</p>

		<p>corporate volunteering sessions.</p> <p>We also welcomed an ambassador to help promote the work of the charity in local networks.</p> <p>The families who received support from the charity benefit from relief of financial hardship; an immediate improvement in their circumstances that can impact other areas of their life including improved mental health, relationships and capacity to engage in education.</p>
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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	Our financial position improved through the year through grants, fundraising efforts and the use of premises with free rent for the first year. Cash reserves grew by over £16,000 in the year and enabled us to support more families. We now have cash cover for rent and staffing for the next year and grants/restricted funding to use for purchases for bundles.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Any reserves are held as cash if they are to be used, or foreseeably will be used, in the next 48 months. For any

		excess reserves that are not within the above category the trustees will give further consideration about how they will be utilised, deposited, invested or used to support others.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£30,599
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	N/a
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	None
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	None

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	
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	
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	Apart from the first charity trustees, every trustee must be appointed indefinitely by a resolution passed at a properly convened meeting of the charity trustees.

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	Family2Family
Other name the charity uses	Baby2Baby
Registered charity number	1185207
Charity's principal address	Crowborough Childrens Centre Green Lane CROWBOROUGH East Sussex TN6 2XB

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	Hannah Oversby-Powell	Chairperson		
2	Leila Parker	Secretary		
3	Peter Morris	Treasurer		
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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	N/a
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	N/a
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	N/a

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



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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)

	
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Full name(s)

Peter Morris	Hannah Oversby-Powell
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Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Treasurer	Chair
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Date

12/3/24



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Baby 2 Baby

1185207

Receipts and payments accounts

CC16a

For the period
from

16/05/2022

To

15/05/2023

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					
Local Giving	3,729			3,729	5,111
Crowborough Church				-	1,000
RTW Roundtable				-	1,000
Chalk Cliff				-	5,000
Sussex Community Foundation		9,500		9,500	1,000
Tesco (Groundwork)				-	1,000
Spectris		1,500		1,500	
Gala Income	6,600			6,600	
Refunds	138			138	102
Other Donations *	10,166			10,166	7,120
Fundraising proceeds				-	
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	20,633	11,000	-	31,633	21,333
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
N/a	-	-	-	-	N/a
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	20,633	11,000	-	31,633	21,333
A3 Payments					
Rent	12			12	5,014
Insurance				-	332
Subscriptions (Localgiving)	96			96	96
Bundle Purchases	6,895	1,500		8,395	7,502
Jotform	201			201	
Trustee/Volunteer Expenses	51			51	
Fundraising Costs				-	
Moving Costs				-	150
Legal Costs				-	625
Gala Costs	1,100			1,100	
Salaries	5,360			5,360	7,050
Storagemart	12			12	
HMRC	616			616	898
Sub total	14,343	1,500	-	15,843	21,667
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
Racking					200
Sub total	-	-	-	-	200
Total payments	14,343	1,500	-	15,843	21,867
Net of receipts/(payments)	6,290	9,500	-	15,790	534
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end				14,769	14,769
Cash funds this year end	6,290	9,500	-	30,559	14,235
* Other donations includes, Local Giving, personal donations					

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 Balance at end of period	21,559	9,000	
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	21,559	9,000	-
	<small>(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))</small>			

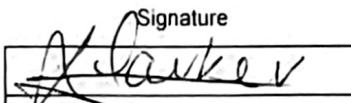

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets	N/a	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets	N/a		-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Racking	restricted	453	-
	Kettle and seating	restricted	60	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities	None			
			-	

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

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	LEILA PARKER	20/09/23
	FERD MORRIS	20/09/23



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

**Report to the trustees/
members of**

Charity Name
Baby 2 Baby

**On accounts for the year
ended**

15/05/23

**Charity no
(if any)**

1185207

Set out on pages

(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

**Respective
responsibilities of
trustees and examiner**

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 (the Charities Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the Charities Act,
- to follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Charity Commission (under section 145(5)(b) of the Charities Act, and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

**Basis of independent
examiner's statement**

My examination was carried out in accordance with general Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from the trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair' view and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

**Independent
examiner's statement**

In connection with my examination, no material matters have come to my attention 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 have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

** Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.*

Signed:

Date: 27/06/2023

Name:

Jolyon Head

Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):

Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland (ICAS)
Membership number: M21986

Address:

1 Argyle Road

Tunbridge Wells

TN4 0SU

Section B

Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.

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CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 16th May 2021 To 15th May 2022

Charity name: Baby2Baby

Charity registration number:1185207

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	THE PREVENTION OR RELIEF OF POVERTY AND ASSOCIATED ADVERSITY IN EAST SUSSEX AND SURROUNDING AREAS THROUGH PROVISION OF CLOTHING AND ESSENTIAL ITEMS FOR BABIES AND CHILDREN TO FAMILIES IN NEED.
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	<p>Baby2Baby collects donations of baby and children's clothing and essential items and redistributes them to families in need in East Sussex and surrounding areas. Donations of clothing and essential items for children aged 0 - 11 years are made to Baby2Baby. Volunteers then sort and safety check donations ready to be gifted to families. For certain items we are unable to use donations, for health or safety reasons, therefore we use funds raised, donations and wishlists to purchase new items to meet the relevant needs.</p> <p>Referrals are made by professionals on behalf of families in need of support. The items requested are then put together into a carefully prepared bundle, specific to the needs of the child(ren) and family. The professional is advised when the bundle is ready for collection, and they deliver it to the family. There is no cost to this service for professionals who refer or the families we support</p>
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	We are aware of the guidance, have taken it into account when making any decision to which the guidance is relevant and have not departed from the guidance during the year in question.

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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>Baby2Baby has provided an essential key service to families in need throughout the later stages of the COVID-19 pandemic. In this referral year we have increased our response, and further POPUPS across the county to further enable people to donate.</p> <p>We continued our Bags4School campaign which saw school bags and equipment gifted to 336 local children. 1359 Christmas gifts were gifted to 453 children who may otherwise go without through our SantaBaby Christmas Campaign Our service saw £199,946 worth (approximate secondhand value) of essential items redistributed. Items were gifted to 718 children in 420 families.</p>

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	The charity's income has fallen in the period in question. This is mainly due to not being able to hold similar fund raising efforts to last year due to covid. Our income was marginally lower than our expenditure but our reserves cover the next year's planned rent, salary and expenditure even if no funds were raised.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Any reserves are held as cash if they are to be used, or foreseeably will be used, in the next 48 months. For any excess reserves that are not within the above category the trustees will give further consideration about how they will be utilised, deposited, invested or used to support others
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£14,769
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	N/a
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	N/a
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	N/a

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Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Constitution
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	Apart from the first charity trustees, every trustee must be appointed indefinitely by a resolution passed at a properly convened meeting of the charity trustees.

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Baby2Baby
Other name the charity uses	Baby2Baby and Beyond
Registered charity number	1185207
Charity's principal address	Crowborough Childrens Centre Green Lane CROWBOROUGH East Sussex TN6 2XB

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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	Hannah Oversby-Powell	Chairperson		
2	Leila Parker	Secretary		
3	Peter Morris	Treasurer		
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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

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Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

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

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)

Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

Other optional information

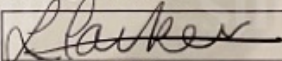
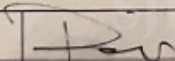
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Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Leila Parker	Peter Morris
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Secretary	Treasurer
Date	13/03/2023	



Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period from	16/05/2021	To	15/05/2022
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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					
Local Giving	5,111				
Crowborough Church		1,000			1,000
RTW Roundtable		1,000			
Chalk Cliff		5,000			5,000
Sussex Community Foundation		1,000			15,000
Tesco (Groundwork)		1,000			
Waitrose					2,000
St. James's Place					840
Refunds	102				54
Float deposited					
Other Donations *	7,120				5,497
Fundraising proceeds					
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	12,333	9,000	-	21,333	29,391
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
N/a	-	-	-	-	N/a
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	12,333	9,000	-	21,333	29,391
A3 Payments					
Rent	5,014				6,000
Insurance	332				332
Subscriptions (Localgiving)	96				96
Bundle Purchases		7,502			12,724
Flooring					14
Trustee/Volunteer Expenses					
Fundraising Costs					
Moving Costs	150				
Legal Costs	625				
Sundries					296
Salaries		7,050			7,128
Storagemart					14
HMRC N.I.	898				1,202
Sub total	7,115	14,552	-	21,667	27,806
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
Racking					200
Sub total	-	-	-	-	200
Total payments	7,115	14,552	-	21,667	28,006
Net of receipts/(payments)	5,217	- 5,552	-	- 334	1,385
A5 Transfers between funds					
A6 Cash funds last year end				15,103	15,103
Cash funds this year end	5,217	- 5,552	-	14,769	16,488

* Other donations includes, Local Giving, personal donations

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 Balance at end of period			
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	-	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	Agreement Error	Agreement Error	OK



	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets	N/a	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets	N/a		-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Racking	restricted	453	-
	Kettle and seating	restricted	60	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities				
			-	

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

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
		<p>13/03/2023</p>

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Trustees' Annual Report for the period

Period start date: 16 May 2020 To Period end date: 15 May 2021

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name: Baby2Baby

Other names charity is known by: Baby2Baby and Beyond

Registered charity number (if any): 1185207

Charity's principal address: UNIT 1 MOUNT PLEASANT FARM, ROYAL OAK LANE, HIGH HURSTWOOD, Postcode: TN22 4AN

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 Hannah Oversby-Powell	Chairperson		
2 Leila Parker	Secretary		
3 Peter Morris	Treasurer		
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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)

Section B Structure, governance and management

Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document <small>(eg. trustees constitution)</small>	Constitution
How the charity is constituted <small>(eg. trust, association, company)</small>	Charitable Incorporated Organisation
Trustee selection methods <small>(eg. appointed by, elected by)</small>	Apart from the first charity trustees, every trustee must be appointed indefinitely by a resolution passed at a properly convened meeting of the charity trustees.

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.

Section C Objectives and activities

Summary of the objectives of the charity set out in its governing document

THE PREVENTION OR RELIEF OF POVERTY AND ASSOCIATED ADVERSITY IN EAST SUSSEX AND SURROUNDING AREAS THROUGH PROVISION OF CLOTHING AND ESSENTIAL ITEMS FOR BABIES AND CHILDREN TO FAMILIES IN NEED.

Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objectives (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)

Baby2Baby collects donations of baby and children's clothing and essential items and redistributes them to families in need in East Sussex and surrounding areas.

Donations of clothing and essential items for children aged 0 - 11 years are made to Baby2Baby. Volunteers then sort and safety check donations ready to be gifted to families. For certain items we are unable to use donations, for health or safety reasons, therefore we use funds raised, donations and wishlists to purchase new items to meet the relevant needs.

Referrals are made by professionals on behalf of families in need of support. The items requested are then put together into a carefully prepared bundle, specific to the needs of the child(ren) and family. The professional is advised when the bundle is ready for collection, and they deliver it to the family.

There is no cost to this service for professionals who refer or the families we support.

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.

Section D Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

Baby2Baby has provided an essential key service to families in need throughout the COVID-19 pandemic.

In this referral year we have increased our response, and initiated POP-UPS across the county to further enable people to donate.

We have gained a celebrity Ambassador.

We had our first Bags4School campaign which saw school bags and equipment gifted to 148 local children.

621 Christmas gifts were gifted to 207 children who may otherwise go without through our SantaBaby Christmas Campaign

Our service saw £137,300 worth (approximate secondhand value) of essential items redistributed (up on £61,044 previous year)

Items were gifted to 645 children in 391 families. An increase from 225 families in the previous referral year.

Section E Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

Any reserves are held as cash if they are to be used, or foreseeably will be used, in the next 48 months. For any excess reserves that are not within the above category the trustees will give further consideration about how they will be utilised, deposited, invested or used to support others.

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.

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)		
Full name(s)	Hannah Oversby-Powell	Peter Morris
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair	TREASURER
Date	8/11/21	



Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period
from

16/05/2020

To

15/05/2021

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 £
A1 Receipts					
Charities Trust (YBS)					1,000
Crowborough Church	1,000				1,000
Holmewood House					1,250
Chalk Cliff	5,000				
Sussex Community Foundation	15,000				5,000
Tesco (Groundwork)					500
Waitrose		2,000			
St. James's Place	840				
Refunds	54				29
Float deposited					300
Other Donations *	5,497				4,834
Fundraising proceeds					8,173
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	27,391	2,000	-	29,391	22,086
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
N/a	-	-	-	-	N/a
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	27,391	2,000	-	29,391	22,086
A3 Payments					
Rent	6,000				5,875
Insurance	332				
Subscriptions (Localgiving)	96				96
Bundle Purchases	10,724	2,000			4,014
Flooring					260
Trustee/Volunteer Expenses	14				159
Fundraising Costs					2,401
Heating + Electric					559
Float for fundraiser					300
Sundries	296				
Salaries	7,128				
Storagemart	14				
HMRC N.I.	1,202				
Sub total	25,807	2,000	-	27,807	13,664
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
Racking					238
Sub total	-	-	-	-	238
Total payments	25,807	2,000	-	27,807	13,902
Net of receipts/(payments)	1,585	-	-	1,585	8,184
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end				13,518	5,334
Cash funds this year end	1,585	-	-	15,103	13,518

* Other donations includes, Local Giving, personal donations

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 Balance at end of period	15,103		-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	15,103	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))			

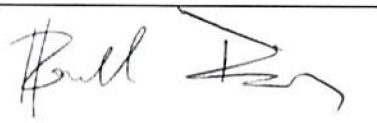
Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets	N/a	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets	N/a		-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Racking	restricted	453	-
	Kettle and seating	restricted	60	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities	Rent to May 21	Unrestricted	6,000	£500 1st monthly
	Storagemart	Unrestricted	14	£1.20 1st Monthly
			-	
			-	
			-	

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

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> <p style="font-family: cursive;">Hannah Powell</p> <p>Hannah Powell</p> </div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> <p>12/10/21</p> <p>12/10/21</p> <p>12/10/2021</p> </div>

Peter Morris

From: Katie Parsons <katie@alwaysaccounting.co.uk>
Sent: 14 September 2021 15:43
To: Peter Morris
Subject: RE: Baby2Baby

Hi Peter,

Thanks for your email, I'm doing okay thanks back at work today!

Assuming the bank balance is correct per the R&P accounts then all looks fine. Slight rounding issue on the payments side but I am guessing you can tweak that if you want to.

With best wishes,

*Katie Parsons FMAAT AATQB
Always Accounting Limited
01435 898180*

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