

CLOUD K9 RESCUE

England & Wales · Charity number 1186980

Details

Status	Registered
Legal form	CIO
Registered	2019-12-17
Register	View on the Charity Commission register

Contact

Address	1 The Sycamores South Kilworth Lutterworth Leicestershire LE17 6EW
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Activities

Objects: FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PUBLIC TO RELIEVE THE SUFFERING OF ANIMALS 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.

Activities: To relieve the suffering of the dogs in Romania by providing appropriate care, protection, treatment, rehoming and security for dogs in desperate need of care by reason of sickness, maltreatment, poor circumstances or ill usage. We also seek to educate the public in matters pertaining to animal welfare in general and the prevention of cruelty and suffering.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Services
- **What:** Animals

Geography

- Throughout England And Wales

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	£16,705	£17,020	-	-
2023-12-31	£23,259	£20,992	-	-
2022-12-31	£29,573	£30,086	-	-
2021-12-31	£47,263	£47,643	-	-
2020-12-31	£34,228	£28,049	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Bridget Helen Younger		2020-01-06
Colleen Stead		2020-01-31
David Younger		2020-01-06
Rebecca Claire Atkin		2020-02-08

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CK9 Trustee Annual Report

1 Jan – 31 Dec 2024



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As you can see from our accounts, we have met all of our objectives. We have cared for dogs in Romania that needed help, which, without our intervention they certainly would have died. Most moved on to other rescues for them to rehome.

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Raise awareness of the status of dogs in Romania by attending dog shows and festivals

Support rescuers in Romania with financial aid

Fundraise and help towards dogs in Romania who need special care

Undertake special projects in both UK and Romania

Trustees Report:

2024 summary

2024 was a steady year for us, due mainly to the lack of Foster Carers. Several appeals were made throughout the year.

Throughout 2024 we reserved, fostered and found new homes for 17 dogs, including one that was relinquished back to the charity due to unfortunate personal circumstances.

January began with us continuing to sell the last few remaining 2024 calendars, having a different format to previous years. They were fantastic and well received by all. We held our first meeting of the year and agreed to continue operating as we did in 2023.

In January we agreed to help a dog called "Three". She was a girl of around 2 years old and living at Pata Rat which is Europe's largest landfill site. She had a congenital disability resulting in a shortened, deformed leg. Our friends at TAC vets rescued her and we agreed with them that there was no benefit in amputation as she coped very well and had no pain. She came to the UK and is now living a very full and active life. Her name is now "Hetty".

Also, in January we were delighted to hear that we had won the Christmas Doggy Lottery and received a donation of £320.

February saw us have a small fundraiser of a Valentine's Day game.

March brought more good news that we had won the Doggy Lottery again which brought in £903.

In April, a branch of Vets 4 Pets contacted Bridget and donated dog beds, leads, collars and dog food which was sent to Romania on the next transport.

In May and June, we held 2 more fundraising games.

June saw us contribute funds to our fourth Spay and Neuter Campaign organised by Transylvanian Animal Care. (TAC). They spayed more than 90 females along with some males and a few cats.

In July we attended a local North East Strawberry Fayre organised by a school. Our event stand outlined our work in Romania and highlighted the need for foster carers and adopters in the UK.

One of our foster carers, Debra, self-funded a trip to visit on of our rescuer friends, Ana. Debra stayed a few days, meeting dogs in Ana's care and helping her with day-to-day tasks.

In September we made an appeal for funds to help a little dog called Margot who needed a leg amputation following a crush injury. Margot was successfully operated on and once fully recovered, travelled to her new home.

October 1st was National Black Dog Day and we received lots of lovely photos of past and present dogs. We also held a photo competition on the theme of Autumn leaves which brought in many entries.

A big event for us in October was one of our adopters, John, running the York Marathon. He ran the 26.2 miles in 3 hours 52 minutes and raised £500.

November saw us 3rd time lucky, once again winning the Doggy Lottery. This time our reward was £800.

In December we had a huge Christmas Lucky Dip raffle, the main prize being a holiday donated by Marisa at Paws n the Paddock. We were also invited to take part in the Doggy Lottery Mega Christmas round, which involved 12 charities. We were up against some huge charities in this round so we were quite amazed and delighted when we came in First Place. Huge thanks to Lisette from Doggy Warriors for continuing to let us take part. It also seems our supporters are very competitive – we love them for that!

We ended the year with another visit to Woodlea School, this time at their Christmas Fair.

A huge thank you to the fosterers from the year - Debra, Emma, Caroline, Bridget, Dave & Beccy.

Looking to 2025, the objectives are to carry on doing what we are doing. We would like to help more dogs, we definitely want to fund another spay and neuter campaign, subject to raising enough funds. We would like to run at least one dog show. It would also be nice to get a new Instagram account up and running.

Thank you to all of the people who have helped us this year. Again, we can't do any of the things we do without moral and financial support provided by supporters, family and friends.

Equally we cannot rehome the dogs we bring over without the wonderful rescuers we deal with in Romania and the fantastic fosterers who have helped us all year.

Finally a thank you to the rest of the CK9 committee (and families) who give up their free time and often their homes to give Romanian dogs a better life. We're excited for 2025 and getting to meet and know more lovely Rommie dogs.

CK9 2024 in numbers:

17 dogs rehomed

Cost of Rehoming Dogs to / in the UK	£7,286.17
Donations to Romanian Shelters	£2,724.92
UK Vets Fees	£1,559.09
Spay & Neuter Campaign	£3,033.48
Food Club Money Sent to Romania	£1,277.31

100 plus animals spayed in the June campaign and some cats too.

Fundraising:

We would firstly like to thank the regular monthly donors, whether that is £1 or £30, this enables us to send money to Mona and other shelters for the strays on the streets.

We pride ourselves on not relying on individual donations, although welcomed, rather supporting ourselves through hard work fundraising. During 2024 we rehomed a small number of dogs, therefore fundraising continued but we supported by funding the spay and neuter campaign and donated to different rescuers who needed it.

We always try and think of new and different initiatives for raising funds, whether that is via social media or external events.

Online fundraisers have been effective for quick turnaround of funds, in the form of Bridget's 'Guess the'. Most winners kindly donate back their winnings, which is much appreciated.

The Doggy Lottery has continued to be a real windfall, which we first got involved in during 2021. During 2024 we participated on two more occasions. We hope this will continue through 2025 as well.

We have had generous support from small businesses and individuals, donating items or vouchers for raffles.

Treasurers Report & Accounts:

This is our fifth full year as a registered charity. Once again, we started the year with a good balance in the bank account and with our fundraising efforts, we have been able to fulfil our commitments we have set out in our Governing Document.

There was a slight reduction in the cash held in our accounts, as we have spent a little more on our causes than we received in donations and fundraising.

We have undertaken a Spay & Neuter campaign, which we firmly believe will have a direct (albeit small) positive impact on the problems with the unwanted dog population in Romania. We also helped several dogs highlighted by the TAC Team, whilst they were undertaking the Spay & Neutering.

Several dogs were highlighted to us by the rescuers in Romania, who needed urgent or specialist medical attention, all of which we were able to provide financial support for. We held special appeal requests for some of the dogs with the difference being provided by our general funds.

In December, the Trustees held the AGM, where the fundraising dynamics of the charity were discussed and we fully agreed to continue in the same current way as we did in 2023.

The 2024 accounts have been approved by the Trustees and are being independently verified.

On a final note, we, the Trustees of Cloud K9 Rescue would like to give our heartfelt thanks to everyone who has helped by adopting a dog, undertaking a fund-raising activity, supporting our fund-raising games and by simply being part of group. We could not achieve our aims without you.

Cloud K9 Rescue

2024 Accounts



	MONEY	IN	OUT	Balance
Opening balance (from 2023)	£	9,824.25		
2024 accounts				
General Donations (Gift Aid)	£	5,980.48		
Adoption Fee (Non Gift Aid)	£	5,370.00		
Fundraising (Non Gift Aid)	£	5,065.29		
Food Club	£	290.00	£ 1,277.31	
Cost of Rehoming Dogs to / in the UK			£ 7,286.17	
Spay & Neuter Campaign			£ 3,033.48	
Donations to Romanian Shelters			£ 2,724.92	
UK vet fees			£ 1,559.09	
General Costs			£ 696.26	
Fundraising gifts			£ 443.10	
	Total	£ 26,530.02	£ 17,020.33	£ 9,509.69
Reserved				
Vets Contingency fees			£ 3,000.00	
PL Insurance			£ 420.00	
Chase Insurance			£ 400.00	
Web Site			£ 100.00	
	Total Reserve		£ 3,920.00	£ 3,920.00
Available funds				
				£ 5,589.69

Signed Dave Younger

David Younger - Trustee & Treasurer

Dated 13 September 2025

Adopted Dogs:

Numbers of adopted dogs were heavily affected by the lack of foster carers, but here are some of the dogs we have rehomed into loving homes





2025 Objectives:

We will continue to responsibly rehome as many dogs as we can during the year. We acknowledge that this will be subject to having foster carers.

We would like to continue to run external fundraisers and we'd like to get more people fundraising for us. We will keep doing what we do well though and running online fundraisers, look for individuals or business to donate items for raffles.

We want to continue to work with TAC in 2025 with at least one spay and neuter campaign – maybe two.

We may look at further increasing our vet contingency fund. We know how expensive veterinary treatment is in the UK, so we would like to be financially stable enough to react if we need to.

We would like to add some more people to our foster team.

We will continue to look for one or maybe two more committee members, providing they complement our existing skills and experience.

Acknowledgements:

Monthly donors – this gives us comfort each month that we can send a regular payment to a chosen rescuer for food.

Fundraising Donors - thank you to everyone who has donated a raffle prize this year. Having prizes donated means that all money raised can go to the charity and ultimately the dogs. Special shout out to The Doggy Lottery

Adopters – to everyone who has adopted one of our dogs and given them a future. This is what we do it for.

Fosterers past and present – by far one of the hardest jobs, taking on unknown quantities, giving them time love and patience and having to wave them off to their new home.

Rescuers – our rescuers on the ground in Romania, by far have the hardest jobs. Being faced with cruelty and abandonment every day, little welfare law and little money. Their commitment is unfailing.

Marisa Spurgeon– Donation of holiday for raffle

TAC – The organisation in Romania who run the spay and neuter campaigns in our name. They organise the location, the vet team, the volunteers, the food and everything else that goes with the event. They have also become good friends.

One off donations – whilst we do not rely on, any one-off donations have been very much appreciated.

Family – Sometimes taking a back seat to the charity and often the first people we speak to with successes or heartache.

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During January we also reserved 2 dogs, Pufu, who was renamed Dougie and was the first foster dog for our trustee, Beccy, along with another dog called Effy. Talloulah, who arrived in December, was offered a new home.

In February, Talloulah went on her home trial and Stella who also arrived in December was reserved. Our friends at TAC had treated a dog called Little Red and we were able to send them £200 towards the vet costs. We were also made aware of a dog called Petra who had been inflicted with a horrific leg injury which resulted in amputation. We donated £200 towards the vet costs. Minnie arrived in the UK, fostered in NW London by Debra and siblings Panda and Maggie were reserved to be rehomed together. Beccy organised a Valentine's Day Raffle, the prize being a Date Night Hamper.

In early March we were informed of 7 dogs living in the grounds of the disused Marila Hospital by our friend Mona. These dogs were not receiving any food and were in danger of ending up in Oravita shelter which was far from ideal. We sent a donation. The good news was Panda and Maggie went on home trial. We had a team video call with the ladies from TAC and discussed ways to help in the future and the upcoming Spay and Neuter campaign. We also talked about a young dog called Firefly who was found at Pata Rat. He was found bleeding horrifically from a leg wound in which his leg was barely there. His other front leg was broken and he was unable to move. After intensive treatment and amputation of the damaged leg it was obvious he could not be returned to Pata Rat. We agreed to reserve him to come to the UK. He travelled later in the month to be fostered by Bridget and Dave along with another dog, Effy, who was fostered by Emma.

We took part in the Doggy Lottery organised by Doggy Warriors and thanks to our wonderful supporters we were awarded 2nd place and received £738.71, a very welcome boost to our funds. Also in March we were unexpectedly offered a week long dog friendly holiday by Marisa Spurgeon at Paddock Lodge. This holiday, used as a raffle prize was valued at £650.

April brought us news of a dog with a terrible eye injury that needed urgent treatment. We immediately donated 75 euros and after sharing the information on our Facebook page we were able to send another 150 euros which was donated by our kind supporters. Our friend Ana, in Romania had made an Easter Appeal to help her make repairs to existing dog shelters and build some new ones. We donated 100 Euro to help towards her costs. Also during April we made plans to attend the North East Dog Festival in the North East of England. This event, in early September is always well attended and helps us make known the plight of dogs in Romania.

Dougie, Panda and Maggie went to new homes and we reserved 2 new dogs in Romania, called Pippa and Fiinja.

We ran an All Things Royal guessing game which raised £75.

The TAC ladies sent us a report and photos of their Spay and Neuter Campaign they just completed.

In May, young Fiinja arrived into foster with Bridget and Dave. We held our first Fun Dog Show of the year at Bradley Burn Farm. This was in conjunction with a Vintage and Collectors Fair and was a huge success. Plans were made for a second show later in the year. We donated money to Nina Ingeborg for a dog called Arabella who was riddled with fleas and ticks. Our donation helped get her the treatment needed to remove the parasites. Later in the month, we appealed for a foster home for a dog called Lola. After several applications young Firefly was offered a new home with a lovely family in Weardale.

June was especially quiet. Ariel was on his way after being rescued from Golesti public shelter and was fostered by Bridget and Dave. We also agreed to reserve a dog we named Scout who was a young boy, under 2, extremely thin and covered in ticks.

The second half of the year saw the second of our fun dogs shows. We held a very successful event in York in July. There were 10 classes all covered by sponsors, a photographer who offered to take photos of our dogs for the 2024 calendar (for free), there was also a fun scurry which generated income. We had a small number of trade stands, all of which paid a small fee for their pitch and then a number of talented bakers made cakes which we sold along side sandwiches and drinks. All very successful and appreciated. This show raised funds specifically for our 2023 spay and neuter campaign and raised £878. This was rounded up to £1,000 by a very kind supporter who wished to remain anonymous.

We ran an appeal in the second half of the year for more foster carers. This has really become an issue for us in terms of how many dogs we can help, but we do it periodically and sometimes a good fosterer comes forward.

July was quite quiet as it is a holiday month, but we rehomed Ariel and he continues to do very well. We also ran one of our small 'Guess The...' fundraisers.

We reserved three dogs in the summer- Scout from Ana, who had had a very difficult time and was found in a terrible condition, Lola – also from Ana, had terrible scarring on her face, possibly from acid or burns, but fortunately it no longer seems to bother her. Finally we agreed to take Maple from Balto Animal Rescue. She was a huge girl, but an existing fosterer offered to take her in a heartbeat. She was being well cared for by a relation of one of the Balto ladies, so we had fairly good history of her.

In August we ran another fun dog show, again at Bradley Burn. It took place alongside a car show, which seemed to work very well and the venue were happy with how it all went. There was also a 'have a go' agility course which added extra interest. Again, the dog show raised a good income and we want to thank everyone who supported the running of the event.

In August the dog called Pippa was reserved and went on her home trial.

In September we had our annual trip to the North East Dog Festival, this is an event where we like to raise the profile of the charity as opposed to raising significant funds, but we usually do a small fundraiser to draw people to the stand. This year we had invested in a very professional and eye-catching new gazebo in the charity colours of slate grey, with our bright green logo on every side. It looked fantastic and was a good investment for future events.

In September we had three new dogs travel over to us – Scout, Lola and Henry. These all proved to be lovely natured dogs that we were delighted to help.

During the second half of the year our Instagram account got hacked. We lost control of it and were unable to get it back and therefore we have lost that platform. Whilst it wasn't our main source of social media, it did have different people following us and therefore this was very upsetting. Even more so a few weeks later the hackers were using our account to spam people about Bitcoin. People who knew us well knew that this was not our 'style' of post, but it did attract some negative comments. To date

we still haven't created a new page. With a small number of trustees and none of us being overly 'au fait' with technology, it is something we've just not achieved.

September brought about our third spay and neuter campaign. See separate report later in this report.

Buoyed by the success of the spay and neuter campaign, we were back on the fundraising mission. With the rugby world cup kicking off, we had a fundraising game, which went well and was a bit of fun. Prizes were donated by Woodland Agility (natural treats) and Snaffle Paws (a voucher)

Moving into October and we successfully rehomed Lola into a lovely home, so it was nice to see her settled. In October we finished putting together the calendar for 2024 and invited people to pre order it, whilst it went to print. We were absolutely delighted with the finished version and a massive thank you to Liz Robinson who designed and put this together for us. We decided this year to try a smaller calendar at a lower price to make them more appealing. This seemed to work and we ended up sending more to print that we originally thought we would. So although it is not a massive income generator, it's nice for supporters to see their dogs in the calendar and to have them on show in peoples homes for the year.

In November we ran another appeal for foster carers, both for Ana who had some lovely dogs but also to see if anyone would take care of Three the three legged dog that we met in September in Romania. We were delighted when a new contact reached out and offered to take care of her, therefore the relevant checks were carried out so that she was ready for when Three was ready to travel.

Durham Animal Feeds advised us that their collection money box was full and when collected and counted up, it was just short of £50, which is excellent for a collection box!

As mentioned above, during November we officially reserved Three and Steph – two special and sweet dogs that we met at the spay and neuter campaign. We were absolutely delighted to be able to do this and so were our supporters as many had followed their stories.

As the year drew towards an end, we tried thinking about other ways of raising funds. Easyfundraising was one option, which we've tried to promote previously, with little success. We did receive a donation from the daughters of owners of an adopted dog called Hugo, who made money from selling home made crafts. We have so little individual fundraising carried out for us that it really touched us that they had been so thoughtful and kind.

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Final good news for the year was that Henry was reserved. Being a responsible charity, we delayed rehoming until the New Year so that the chaotic festive period could come and go and he would get all the time he needed to settle.

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CK9 2023 in numbers:

13 dogs rehomed

14 dogs travelled to us

Cost of Rehoming Dogs to / in the UK	6557.74
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Donations to Romanian Shelters	£4,364.86
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UK Vets Fees	£943.84
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Spay & Neuter Campaign	£3,177.93
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Food Club Money Sent to Romania	£1,293.62
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169 animals spayed in the September campaign.

Special Project – Romania Trip, including TAC spay/neuter campaign

It is an objective of ours each year to be able to financially support at least 1 spay and neuter campaign per year.

In 2023 we helped to support our third campaign. This was different to previous years as it was a much larger scale. We discussed with our 'partners' TAC (in Romania), what the options might be for the money that we had. They asked if we would be happy to share an event with another charity who had donated money for a campaign too. By joining forces, we could support TAC in carrying out a huge 10 day event in Pata Rat. Pata Rat was an area that Colleen and Beccy visited in 2022. It is Europe's largest waste related ghetto situated 6km from the beautiful city of Cluj-Napoca, Romania's fourth largest city.

It is home to over 400 dogs and 1,500 people mostly of Roma ethnicity. The four separate ghettos are primarily made from the rubbish that is taken there, where there is no running water, sewerage or electricity but there is a church and also a shop. During the visit in 2022 we were struck by the living conditions. Animals free roamed, living on the refuse site among the people, surviving as best they can. This includes dogs, cats, goats, donkeys, horses and pigs.

The ten day campaign included four days of surgery, a day each of cleaning and setting the venue up (it was a disused hanger with no windows, full of rubbish and faeces) and then packing everything down again, then the other days were taken up finding dogs and releasing them.

We wanted to be represented, so trustee Beccy self-funded a three day trip to support the activities. The visit was at the end of the campaign, so the hard work was already well underway and two days of surgery had already taken place. Beccy's report is as follows:

"I arrived at Pata on a Saturday morning to find the hanger already full of activity. So many volunteers were already on site, tending to dogs that had already been neutered. There were three operating tables, two in veterinary vans and one under a gazebo. It was lovely to see so many familiar faces from the previous year's visit and I was made to feel very welcome.

I started the day by going with a couple of volunteers and one of the professional dog catchers, to look for dogs on the dump that needed neutering. It is easy to identify which dogs have already been done as they have ear tags. It was encouraging to see the majority of dogs have the ear tags, which means that TAC have already done a fantastic job. What it did mean however, was that the dogs that we needed to catch, tended to be the more feral ones, hence the need for the dog catcher. Now when I pictured a dog catcher, I pictured something from 101 Dalmatians – uncompassionate, uncaring and loud men with catch poles, using brute force and scare tactics. What I came across in reality was a million miles from this. The professional dog catcher was kind, compassionate, gentle and doing the best job in difficult conditions. One of the biggest 'problems' encountered was the local children who were fascinated with what the dog catcher was doing and just wanting to help, but their running around and excitement, sent the nervous dogs running and taking cover in hard to access places. I helped to track dogs that had been darted and move them in crates back to the cars for transport to the 'clinic'.

As well as finding dogs on the dump, we went to the most populated settlement where a couple of hundred people live. Some families 'own' dogs (these dogs typically don't live with the families, they live as strays, but people claim them as their own). In a few cases, the ladies from TAC will speak to the owners and explain the importance of neutering, that it is a free service and that the dogs will be returned to them later the same day or the following morning. Many take up the service, but some are still untrusting of anyone offering support.

The caught dogs were booked in and waited for their turn to be operated on. Whilst operated on, they had their ear tag attached and were given a check over. Whilst they were still unconscious and in the recovery area, they had any necessary grooming done (mainly removing matts), eyes cleaned, ears cleaned, nails trimmed etc.

Once the dogs are recovered and alert they are returned to the area or family that they came from.

It quickly became apparent how the costs for these campaigns quickly mount up. Although the majority of people are there as volunteers, with only the vets and vet nurses being paid, there are costs incurred for the following:

- Hiring the veterinary vans and all the equipment needed to set up a remote clinic
- Hiring the professional dog catchers
- Buying food to help try and catch the dogs
- Purchasing slip leads
- Providing hygiene equipment (wipes and antibacterial hand sanitiser), rubber gloves etc
- Providing food and drink for the volunteers
- Disposing of the waste

Multiply all of this over a 10 day period and it costs a lot of money.

On my second day at the campaign, I was asked if I would be prepared to talk to a TV film crew about why Cloud K9 Rescue were involved charity work in Romania.

Whilst there for my two day period, two dogs pulled at the heartstrings. One was a pup called Steph, she was in a bad way, having being picked up with a terrible head wound, likely caused by being hit with an axe, she had been tidied up, but she was in terrible pain and unless being comforted, she cried, which was heartbreaking. I asked what would happen to her after the campaign and was promised she would be taken care of, at least in the short term, by being taken to a veterinary clinic to continue her rehabilitation, but beyond that, there was no owner for her.



The second dog that I developed a soft spot for was a dog called Three. She was a dog that Sorana from TAC, wanted me to meet. She lived on Pata but had three and a half legs, with the half leg likely to be a congenital reason rather than cruelty or an accident. Three had a sweet nature, but was a little nervous. She kept her distance from other dogs and Sorana was worried for her future, as she was vulnerable to other dogs and people who didn't care for dogs. Over the two days, I made friends with this sweet girl and hoped that my fellow trustees would be willing to help her.



Fortunately once I shared the photos and stories of these girls, we agreed that we wanted to help them.

We were delighted that our contribution along with the other charity, to this campaign helped to spay and neuter a total of 169 dogs. Absolutely wonderful, something to be proud of and something we hope our donors are happy to continue to support.

Fundraising:

We would firstly like to thank the regular monthly donors, whether that is £1 or £30, this enables us to send money to Mona for the strays on the streets of Oravita.

We pride ourselves on not relying on individual donations, although welcomed, rather supporting ourselves through hard work fundraising. During 2023 we rehomed a small number of dogs, therefore fundraising continued but we supported by funding the spay and neuter campaign and donated to different rescuers who needed it.

We always try and think of new and different initiatives for raising funds, whether that is via social media or external events.

2023 was the best year so far for external events. Our summer dog show in York was a big success, as were the dog shows held at Bradley Burn. These are really good income generators for us as well as spreading the charity name. These do not happen without a lot of admin behind the scenes and relying on volunteers to help.

We launched a specific JustGiving campaign at the end of the year to support with vet fees for dogs Steph and Three. This was really successful and made a huge dent in the bills we accumulated for them.

Online fundraisers have been effective for quick turnaround of funds, in the form of Bridget's 'Guess the'. Most winners kindly donate back their winnings, which is much appreciated. We have also held a couple of online raffles and a Rugby World Cup game.

The Doggy Lottery has continued to be a real windfall, which we first got involved in during 2021. During 2023 we participated on two more occasions. We hope this will continue through 2024 as well.

We have had generous support from small businesses and individuals, donating items or vouchers for raffles.

Treasurers Report & Accounts:

This is our fourth full year as a registered charity. Once again we started the year with a good balance in the bank account and with our fundraising efforts, we have been able to fulfil our commitments we have set out in our Governing Document.

There was a slight reduction in the cash held in our accounts, as we have spent a little more on our causes than we received in donations and fundraising.

We have undertaken a Spay & Neuter campaign, which we firmly believe will have a direct (albeit small) positive impact on the problems with the unwanted dog population in Romania. We also helped several dogs highlighted by the TAC Team, whilst they were undertaking the Spay & Neutering.

Several dogs were highlighted to us by the rescuers in Romania, who needed urgent or specialist medical attention, all of which we were able to provide financial support for. We held special appeal requests for some of the dogs with the difference being provided by our general funds.

In December, the Trustees held the AGM, where the fundraising dynamics of the charity were discussed and we fully agreed to continue in the same current way as we did in 2022.

The 2023 accounts have been approved by the Trustees and are being independently verified.

On a final note, we, the Trustees of Cloud K9 Rescue would like to give our heart felt thanks to everyone who has helped by adopting a dog, undertaking a fund raising activity, supporting our fund raising games and by simply being part of group. We could not achieve our aims without you.

Cloud K9 Rescue



2023 Accounts

	MONEY	IN	OUT	Balance
Opening balance (from 2022)	£	7,557.14		
2023 accounts				
General Donations (Gift Aid)		10245.4	£0.00	
Just Giving		3864.91	£0.00	
Gift Aid		£0.00	£0.00	
Adoption Fee		6238.63	£450.00	
Fundraising (Non Gift Aid)		2410.19	£1,384.07	
General costs		0	£2,819.96	
Cost of Rehoming Dogs to / in the UK		500	6557.74	
Donations to Romanian Shelters		0	£4,364.86	
UK Vets Fees		0	£943.84	
Spay & Neuter Campaign		0	£3,177.93	
Food Club Money Sent to Romania		0	£1,293.62	
Fundraising gifts		0	£0.00	
	Total	£ 30,816.27	£ 20,992.02	£ 9,824.25
Reserved				
Vets Contingency fees		£	3,000.00	
PL Insurance		£	420.00	
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Web Site		£	100.00	
	Total Reserve		£ 3,920.00	
Ringfenced				
2023 Spay & Neuter Campaign			£143.00	
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Available funds				£5,761.25

Signed

Dave Younger

David Younger - Trustee & Treasurer

Dated

09 June 2024

Adopted Dogs:

Numbers of adopted dogs were heavily affected by the lack of foster carers, but here are some of the dogs we have rehomed into loving homes





2024 Objectives:

We will continue to responsibly rehome as many dogs as we can during the year. We acknowledge that this will be subject to having foster carers.

We would like to continue to run external fundraisers and we'd like to get more people fundraising for us. We will keep doing what we do well, by run online fundraisers, looking for individuals or business to donate items for raffles.

We want to continue to work with TAC in 2024 with at least one spay and neuter campaign – maybe two.

We may look at further increasing our vet contingency fund. We know how expensive veterinary treatment is in the UK, so we would like to be financially stable enough to react if we need to.

We would like to add some more people to our foster team.

We will continue to look for one or maybe two more committee members, providing they compliment our existing skills and experience.

Acknowledgements:

Monthly donors – this gives us comfort each month that we can send a regular payment to a chosen rescuer for food.

Fundraising Donors - thank you to everyone who has donated a raffle prize this year. Having prizes donated means that all money raised can go to the charity and ultimately the dogs. Special shout out to The Doggy Lottery

Adopters – to everyone who has adopted one of our dogs and given them a future. This is what we do it for.

Fosterers past and present – by far one of the hardest jobs, taking on unknown quantities, giving them time love and patience and having to wave them off to their new home.

Rescuers – our rescuers on the ground in Romania, by far have the hardest jobs. Being faced with cruelty and abandonment every day, little welfare law and little money. Their commitment is unfailing.

Liz Robinson – For designing our 2024 calendar and her business Snaffle Paws for always donating a prize when we need it.

Marisa Spurgeon– Donation of holiday for raffle

Kerri Rose – For helping at our dog shows.

TAC – The organisation in Romania who run the spay and neuter campaigns in our name. They organise the location, the vet team, the volunteers, the food and everything else that goes with the event. They have also become good friends.

Bradley Burn Café – for providing a free venue for us to hold fun dog shows during 2023

One off donations – Each and every one of the one off donations has been very much appreciated and we would like to thank each all of you.

Family – Sometimes taking a back seat to the charity and often the first people we speak to with successes or heartache.

Thank you to all of the people who have helped us this year. Firstly we can't do any of the things we do without the moral and financial support given to us. Equally we cannot rehome the dogs we bring over without the rescuers we deal with in Romania and the fosterers who have helped us all year.

Together – We are making a difference. Thank You.

The Trustees of CK9 Rescue

May 2024

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CK9 Trustee Annual Report

1 Jan – 31 Dec 2022



CHARITY REGISTRATION NUMBER: 1186980

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Admin & Legal:

Administration and Legal Charity Name: Cloud K9 Rescue

Registered Charity number: 1186980

Charity's registered address: 1 The Sycamores, South Kilworth, Lutterworth, Leics, LE17 6EW

The Charity Trustees are:

Colleen Stead: Trustee Appointed 31st Jan 2020

Bridget Younger: Trustee Appointed 5th Jan 2020

Dave Younger: Trustee & Treasurer Appointed 5th Jan 2020

Rebecca Atkin: Trustee Appointed 8th Feb 2020

During 2022 we continued to operate with 4 trustees. We continue to try and identify more potential trustees who we feel would be a good match, with a different skill set that will compliment the existing team. Working with four trustees works well as it makes communication easier, however there are more things we would like to be doing to promote the charity and the dogs, that isn't always possible due to time constraints.

Activities in 2022:

In Romania the stray dog population is enormous due to it's political history, it's lack of animal welfare laws, it's cultural misunderstanding of the benefits of spay and neuter and its common held belief that dogs are vermin and can be discarded on a whim. It is a country of cultural diversity though with dedicated rescuers who devote their lives to rescuing those dogs in desperate need.

Sadly thousands of puppies are born who are then discarded at the side of busy roads, rivers or in forests never to be found.

Pregnant females, elderly and ill are either captured by merciless dog catchers or handed in by their owners and deserted at the horrific and unforgiving public shelters. In these shelters overcrowding, hunger, disease, fights and injury are commonplace.

The saddest are the elderly who have given a lifetime of devotion to an often uncaring owner only to be handed over to the dog catchers when their bark has gone and their health is failing.

The only possible way to escape this hell is to find a suitable rescuer, foster carer or adopter, most likely in a foreign country.

Our dedicated team who aim to visit annually, have been haunted by the plight of Romanian dogs and are committed to doing everything we possibly can for these dogs. We are often asked "why Romanian dogs?" and the answer is simple..... because if we can offer even just one dog a chance to a better life and then why would we not? There is absolutely no comparison to a rescue/rehoming centre here in the UK to the public shelters in Romania, absolutely none. We have seen it for ourselves.

We work with a small number of Romanian rescuers. These are people who we know and trust, supporting them by offering rehoming and monetary donations towards vet fees, dog food or even kennels. Over the last few years we have all fostered, adopted, and raised funds for many Romanian dogs and we will continue to do so until there are no dogs to rescue.

As you can see from our accounts, we have met all of our objectives. We have cared for dogs in Romania that needed help, which, without our intervention they certainly would have died. Most moved on to other rescues for them to rehome.

Provision of Services:

Below are the services we have set out in our governing document to undertake as a charity.

Fundraise in the UK

Foster dogs in the UK

Adopt dogs in the UK

Provide support for our Adopted dogs in the UK

Offer RBU for our adopted dogs in the UK

Raise awareness of the status of dogs in Romania by attending dog shows and festivals

Support rescuers in Romania with financial aid

Fundraise and help towards dogs in Romania who need special care

Undertake special projects in both UK and Romania

Trustees Report:

2022 summary

2022 was a steady year for reasons covered later below.

The numbers of dogs we were able to foster and rehome was hit drastically by a travel ban on dogs from Romania which was put in place by DEFRA from March to the end of November. As our charity only concentrate on rehoming Romanian dogs, this put a halt to one of our main objectives – rehoming dogs.

At the start of the year we had 6 dogs in foster, with more dogs reserved in Romania ready to travel when foster space permitted.

One of the first cases that we financially supported was a small dog rescued by one of our trusted rescuers, Georgiana. He had been hit by a car and dragged some distance, the result was a bad facial injury. We sent £200 towards veterinary treatment, but sadly this small dog didn't make it and passed away as a result of his injuries.

One of our supporters held a fundraising raffle, split between us and another charity. We are very grateful for this as we do not often receive funds raised completely independently of us.

Another of our long term supporters sent a donation to us specifically to buy straw for bedding for the Oravita public shelter. This isn't the obvious kind of thing you'd think to ask for donations for, but as Romanian winters and public shelters are both harsh to dogs, this can make such a difference.

At the end of January our first two dogs of the year arrived. Both were very special. Lucky was a small dog who caught our attention as he'd got a broken leg. This healed fully and he was a very sweet little dog. Secondly was Little Jim, who was found in a terrible condition - matted fur and under that were many scars, probably from attacks from other dogs. He also had an open wound on his testicles.

In February a dog called Eddie was fostered by us. He was found wandering between traffic in a busy town. Another sweet, small dog that deserves a loving home.

During February we set up a JustGiving fundraising page to help with vet fees. We had a foster dog called Skipper who had some mobility issues and had some testing. We also had a foster dog called Peggy. Although it wasn't immediately obvious, Peggy had some issues with her jaw. A closer examination revealed a wound and fracture, which needed surgery. With the help of a wonderful, patient fosterer who was willing to see Peggy through the process and the necessity for a permanent soft muzzle for a few weeks post-op, she made a full recovery and was rehomed later in the year with a lovely couple.

February had additional fund raising activities, with a Valentine Hamper raffle and us being invited to be part of the Doggy Lottery. The Doggy Lottery is something that always generates a good income and we are so grateful to have been invited back more than once.

Far Place Animal Rescue donated food to us and this was sent to Romania on one of the transport vans.

After a busy February, March's activities were concentrating on promoting our dogs for new homes. At the end of the month three new dogs joined us in the UK. They all had come from a public shelter.

March brought the biggest and worst news. DEFRA had introduced a transport ban on Romanian dogs (as well as other European countries). This was terrible news for us, preventing us from what we do as

a charity, but more so of course for the rescuers and dogs in Romania. There was little we could do other than financially support the rescuers and put our efforts into fundraising. We also concentrated on our existing dogs so that when the ban was lifted, we had foster space ready for the dogs that needed it. It was a very difficult time for rescuers, who rely heavily on being able to send dogs to the UK to a better life.

April was a busy month for promotion of the dogs. We also had a very successful fundraiser for a holiday, donated by a regular supporter, which we are really grateful for.

Having had time to digest the news of the travel ban, our efforts in May were put into fundraising, with a Jubilee fundraiser with the prize of a doggy goodie hamper. Even more successful though was a fun dog show that was held at a café venue called Bradley Burn. They offered us a free venue and they benefited from increased business in the café. The arrangement worked really well and they offered us more dates later in the year. Huge thanks to everyone involved in the organisation, running, volunteering and judging involved with these dog shows. They are hugely successful for a small charity like ours, but they take a lot of work.

In mid May we learned the DEFRA ban was being extended for another two months. We were very disappointed with this. As a responsible charity who does extensive testing on their dogs prior to travel it felt like we were being punished instead of the unscrupulous breeders.

Elsewhere, Georgiana published a video of a sweet old dog who had a clean break in a front leg, hobbling. Our supporters were really moved by the video and donated to help her. We also made a donation and in total sent £650 for her vet care. We learned subsequently that she had a successful operation and made a full recovery. She also found a sanctuary space in Hungary, so had a happy ending.

The summer months tend to be quieter for rehoming, but we kept up with promoting our foster dogs and tried to keep on with fundraising.

In June, a lovely lady called Kira, held a raffle for us and raised £370, we were delighted with that!

Back in Romania, Mona highlighted a dog with a sticker tumour. We sent EUR 100 towards chemotherapy for her. She responded well to treatment and should make a full recovery.

July was another good month for fundraising. It was another month for involvement in the Doggy Lottery, but we also had a big event, a fun dog show and photo shoot (for the 2023 calendar) in York. It is a great opportunity for the trustees to all meet up and work together to put on a wonderful event and to catch up with as many of our rehomed dogs and their owners as possible. The weather was kind to us and it was a very successful day. We had a professional photographer taking the photos for the calendar and we looked forward to seeing how they came out. Also a huge thank you to volunteers who ran a Pay As You Go Hoopers ring on the day.

At the end of June we were made aware of a request from Georgiana for financial help for kennels for her shelter. With donations from supporters and from us, we were delighted to send £750 in total.

Early July we heard more disappointing news from DEFRA with another 2 month ban extension. Despite signing and promotion petitions to stop the ban, sadly it didn't help.

We sent a donation to Ana of EUR 225 to pay for the spaying/neutering of 5 dogs. We also sent her a donation of EUR 150 towards food.

The ban didn't stop us looking to help dogs and in July we were made aware of a video of two young pups living by some bins near a busy road. We offered to help rehome them (when we were allowed), got them safe into a foster space and sent foster fees whilst they were being cared for us. These dogs were called Panda and Maggie.

August brought another busy dog show at Bradley Burn, more glorious weather and more wonderful dogs. £620 raised on the day which was put towards the spay and neuter campaign we were funding later in the year.

We rehomed a dog called Minnie in August. She was a dog that had been rehomed in a previous year, but her owner could no longer care for her. As a charity we offer full rescue back up (RBU), which means we will take the dog back and rehome it in the event that the adopter can no longer care for it.

We donated EUR 100 to an organisation who had taken on 9 abandoned puppies from a farm. With a transport ban in place, we could at least still make donations to organisations to help the dogs in Romania.

Another dog that we helped with RBU was Dave. Sadly due to a bereavement, we had been asked to help find him a new home. This was a very sad and sensitive situation, but we found Dave a lovely new home where he is again loved and cherished.

In September we had a stand at the North East Dog Festival. This is a huge dog event and it is a great opportunity to promote our charity and the work that we do. We took the opportunity to do some fundraising, with a bottle pick, which went really well. Thank you to everyone who took a turn in manning the stand over the weekend.

Later in September we offered to support the funding of 10 female spay operations for our friend Mona, who had offered to help an owner with many dogs.

October was mainly about our trip to Romania to see the spaying and neutering taking place for ourselves. See the separate report on the trip.

Buoyed by the success of the spay and neuter campaign, we were back on the fundraising mission. With the football world cup kicking off, we had a fundraising game, which was so successful, we had a second competition too.

November finally brought good news with the travel ban being lifted. Like so many charities like ours, it was then a scramble to book places for new dogs to travel. We had to take extra steps to acquire an approval number but this was done fairly quickly.

When it came to December, having done so much fundraising through the year and with the cost of living being so high, we decided not to run any specific Christmas related fundraising event. Concentrating on selling our calendars and some Christmas cards that we had left. We made one last donation for the year, of EUR 250 to Ana, for her to re-roof some of her kennels. Winters can be harsh and we wanted to do something for the dogs.

Looking to 2023, the objectives are to carry on doing what we are doing. We would like to help more dogs, we definitely want to fund another spay and neuter campaign, subject to raising enough funds. We would like to run at least one dog show, with a photo shoot for a 2024 calendar.

Thank you to all of the people who have helped us this year. Again, we can't do any of the things we do without moral and financial support provided by supporters, family and friends.

Equally we cannot rehome the dogs we bring over without the wonderful rescuers we deal with in Romania and the fantastic fosterers who have helped us all year.

Finally a thank you to the rest of the CK9 committee (and families) who give up their free time and often their homes to give Romanian dogs a better life. We're excited for 2024 and getting to meet and know more lovely Rommie dogs.

CK9 2022 in numbers:

13 dogs rehomed

14 dogs travelled to us

£3,013 donated to Mona over the year as a result of our 'food club'

£3,305 donated to Georgiana

£1,277 donated to Ana

£3,800 donated to the spay/neuter campaign

71 animals spayed in our October campaign. These were mainly dogs, but a few cats too. We were never going to turn away animals for neutering if their owners brought them forward.

Special Project – Romania Trip, including TAC spay/neuter campaign

It is an objective of ours each year to be able to financially support at least 1 spay and neuter campaign.

Our first campaign happened in 2021, but because of Covid, we were unable to attend in person. In 2022 we were determined to attend, so Beccy and Colleen self funded a five day trip to Romania.

We partnered again with TAC, who we are developing a lovely relationship with. They are able to source a good venue, advertise the campaign and find veterinary staff and volunteers. The campaign took place on a weekend and promised to be two very full days.

We met with the ladies from TAC and they transported us to a small town called Blaj. We were based at a small veterinary centre and outside we set up a reception area for incoming dogs and a post recovery area. It is clear that these campaigns are not cheap to run and our money did not cover the whole cost. A Romanian charity called Balto Animal Rescue were also supporting this campaign and it was good to meet a local charity and build some more relationships. Everybody involved was like minded with the animals at the front and centre of everything that was being done.

Dogs started arriving early, some brought in by owners taking advantage of a free service and some were strays brought in by volunteers. It was reassuring to see the owned pets were loved and in good health. Two of the females brought in were pregnant. One brought by her owners, the other a stray who lives on the street. Colleen and Beccy were able to watch the operations of these dogs. Heartbreaking that the pups would not live but the kind of lives they were likely to have would be tough on them and their mother. It is no world to be brought into, but this did not stop a few tears being shed.



Watching the team perform surgery, their compassion and concern for the dogs welfare at all times making the whole experience for them as stress free as possible.

Some cats were brought along for neutering. As much as we are a dog charity, there is no way we would turn down pets who have been brought along by their owners, to prevent unwanted litters.

The first two dogs brought in on the Saturday were strays, brought in by Balto. They were sweet dogs that lived together at a petrol station. Both were sweet natured and we asked Balto to make sure they continued to care for them and we would support financially for donations of food if necessary.



We're delighted that over the weekend, 71 dogs and cats (mainly female dogs) were spayed/neutered this weekend. This is a fabulous result and more animals that won't have to look after litters of pups or kittens.

Everyone involved in the campaign were fantastic and we were delighted to spend a couple of evenings sharing downtime with them. Friendly and supportive and we felt like we left there having made many more friends. TAC do such a professional job and we are very happy to support their activities and learn more about what they do.

On the way back to our base in Cluj, after the weekend, we came across a small dog running between parked cars. As five animal lovers together in the car, there was no way we were going to leave her behind, so we caught her and then went to the TAC clinic to check her over and make her safe. We spent more time at the clinic talking to the ladies from TAC about their activities and aspirations. We can definitely work more with them in future.



On the Monday afternoon, the ladies from TAC took us to an area called Pata Rât, which was one of the most emotional experiences we have been through.

Pata Rât is Europe's largest waste related ghetto situated 6km from the beautiful city of Cluj-Napoca, Romania's fourth largest city.

It is home to over 400 dogs and 1,500 people mostly of Roma ethnicity. The four separate ghettos are primarily made from the rubbish that is taken there, where there is no running water, sewerage or electricity but there is a church and also a shop.

We were there to see the dogs but no one can visit such a place and not be affected by how the people exist there. They mostly want to remain anonymous and not be filmed or photographed but due to the work TAC.social has done, gaining their trust, they are happy for the dogs to be photographed and grateful for the free neutering and basic veterinary care offered.



The dogs clearly live in packs and are territorial but on the whole the ones we saw appeared in good condition. The puppies, excitedly shown to us by the children were very young (eyes just opened) and were tiny, frightened and handled quite roughly which was difficult to witness; we were told many, not surprisingly succumb to parvo. There were two dogs who are continually in my thoughts; one an excited scruffy youngster who was continually chased away by the children, but continued to return to be fussed and a little red female who appears in just about every photo and had a couple of holes in her neck and abdomen after a recent fight - she was the only one who wanted to come with us, but they are very protective over their dogs and don't want them taken away unless a matter of life or death.



In the largest ghetto we heard of a young dog called Firefly, who had lost one front leg, had two other legs broken and damage to his kidneys. Unknown how it happened. The people who found him called

TAC and he is currently being treated and healing well at the vets. (This is a dog we would like to help rehome in future if we are able).



Some of the residents ask for their dogs to be neutered whilst others think neutering is abnormal and denies the dogs of their natural behaviours. TAC face an uphill struggle in a place where human life struggles to survive, let alone thrive.

Pata Rât is not on Trip Advisor or anyone's wishlist to visit but we are grateful to Sorana and Anca for taking us to see their ongoing commitment to the dogs who live there.

Our final event for this trip to Romania was on the Monday evening we were delighted to finally meet in person, Ana Maria Max, one of our trusted rescuers.

We have had a few dogs from Ana over recent years – including Kenzo, Gracie, Betty, Lexi (now Phoebe), Tuppence and Ruby.

We had a look at the dogs she has, there are so many that are so adoptable. She has a nice set up, pretty much done single handedly. Her hospitality was much enjoyed and we spent a lovely evening with her. Ana was good company and clearly adores her dogs. It was a difficult time for the rescuers in Romania with the transport ban and we hope it is lifted soon so that we can have more dogs from Ana in future.

Sadly, some of the animals treated were strays, and they have to be returned to where they were found. A couple of them we are keeping our eye on as they pulled at our heartstrings, but until we get to grips with the new transport rules (and an ongoing shortage of fosterers), there is nothing we can do for these dogs.

Following our return to the UK, having been moved so much by the plight of the dogs at Pata Rât, we set up a JustGiving page, to try and raise £500 to send to TAC. We ended up sending £750 which we and TAC were delighted with.

Fundraising:

We would firstly like to thank the regular monthly donors, whether that is £1 or £30, this enables us to send money to Mona for the strays on the streets of Oravita.

We pride ourselves on not relying on individual donations, although welcomed, rather supporting ourselves through hard work fundraising. 2022 was a year to concentrate on steadily generating income whilst we were unable to bring dogs over from Romania.

We always try and think of new and different initiatives for raising funds, whether that is via social media or external events.

It was good during 2022 to be able to hold some fun dog shows. Because of Covid, these events took a hit in 2020 and 2021. They generate good income and help promote the charity name.

We used JustGiving a couple of times through the year for specific campaigns – vet fees and Pata Rât.

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In March DEFRA introduced a temporary ban on dogs imported from Romania, Ukraine Belarus & Poland. The restrictions remained in place until the end of November. Part of the conditions the ban was lifted was the introduction of Registered Importers. Once our application was approved, we could recommence the transportation of the dogs into the UK.

In December, the Trustees held the AGM, where the fundraising dynamics of the charity were discussed and we fully agreed to continue in the same current way as we did in 2022.

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On a final note, we, the Trustees of Cloud K9 Rescue would like to give our heart felt thanks to everyone who has helped by adopting a dog, undertaking a fund raising activity, supporting our fund raising games and by simply being part of group. We could not achieve our aims without you.

Cloud K9 Rescue

2022 Accounts



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Fundraising (Non Gift Aid)		7022.17	£59.85	
General costs		21.39	£3,295.04	
Cost of Rehoming Dogs to / in the UK		0	£7,441.83	
Donations to Romanian Shelters		0	£5,708.98	
UK Vets Fees		0	£5,286.44	
Spay & Neuter Campaign		0	£3,851.01	
Food Club Money Sent to Romania		0	£3,013.20	
Fundraising gifts		0	£634.97	
	Total	£ 37,643.46	£ 30,086.32	£ 7,557.14
Reserved				
Vets Contingency fees			£ 3,000.00	
PL Insurance			£ 420.00	
Chase Insurance			£ 400.00	
Web Site			£ 100.00	
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Ringfenced				
2023 Spay & Neuter Campaign			£143.00	
			£0.00	
	Total Ringfenced		£4,063.00	-£4,063.00
Available funds				£3,494.14

Signed Dave Younger

David Younger - Trustee & Treasurer

Dated 19 September 2023

Adopted Dogs:

Numbers of adopted dogs were heavily affected by the transport ban, in place for much of the year, but here are some of the dogs we have rehomed to loving homes.





2023 Objectives:

We hope for a smoother year in terms of transporting dogs, so hopefully more dogs will be rehomed, subject to having enough foster places.

We would like to continue to run external fundraisers and we'd like to get more people fundraising for us. We will keep doing what we do well though and running online fundraisers, look for individuals or business to donate items for raffles.

We want to continue to work with TAC in 2023 with a spay and neuter campaign.

We may look at further increasing our vet contingency fund. We know how expensive veterinary treatment is in the UK, so we would like to be financially stable enough to react if we need to.

We would like to add some more people to our foster team.

We would like to identify one or maybe two more committee members.

Following the success of the last two years calendar, we would like to repeat this for 2024.

Acknowledgements:

Monthly donors – this gives us comfort each month that we can send a regular payment to a chosen rescuer for food.

Fundraising Donors - thank you to everyone who has donated a raffle prize this year. Having prizes donated means that all money raised can go to the charity and ultimately the dogs. Special shout out to The Doggy Lottery and the 'Dog Jog' ladies for their spectacular fundraising efforts.

Vale Pet Food – Huge thanks to Luke and his team for the donations for our adoption packs and for promoting our charity with a discount code.

Adopters – to everyone who has adopted one of our dogs and given them a future. This is what we do it for.

Fosterers past and present – by far one of the hardest jobs, taking on unknown quantities, giving them time love and patience and having to wave them off to their new home.

Rescuers – our rescuers on the ground in Romania, by far have the hardest jobs. Being faced with cruelty and abandonment every day, little welfare law and little money. Their commitment is unfailing.

Liz Robinson – For stepping in at short notice at the end of the year to design our 2023 calendar.

Marisa Spurgeon – Donation of holiday for raffle

Caroline Thomson – fundraising raffle

Kerri SURNAME? – For helping at our dog shows.

Oldies.org.uk – for advertising and promoting our dogs aged 7+ and asking nothing in return.

TAC – The organisation in Romania who ran the spay and neuter campaign in CK9's name. They kept in communication with us throughout the campaign, provided photos, used the CK9 name and logo wherever they could and also during television interviews on the local news.

One off donations – whilst we do not rely on, any one off donations have been very much appreciated.

Family – Sometimes taking a back seat to the charity and often the first people we speak to with successes or heartache.

Thank you to all of the people who have helped us this year. Firstly we can't do any of the things we do without the moral and financial support given to us. Equally we cannot rehome the dogs we bring over without the rescuers we deal with in Romania and the fosterers who have helped us all year.

Bradley Burn Café – for providing a free venue for us to hold fun dog shows during 2022

Together – We are making a difference. Thank You.

The Trustees of CK9 Rescue

October 2023

Cloud K9 Rescue



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Dated

19 September 2023

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Leicestershire
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Independent examiner's report to the trustees of CLOUD K9 RESCUE

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the CLOUD K9 RESCUE (the Charity) for the year ended 31st December 2022.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Charity 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 giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Trust as required by section 130 of the Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records.

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.

Signed:



Name: Michael Wildman FCCA

Date: 20-10-2023

Accounts

CK9 Trustee Annual Report

1 Jan – 31 Dec 2021



CHARITY REGISTRATION NUMBER: 1186980

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Admin & Legal:

Administration and Legal Charity Name: Cloud K9 Rescue

Registered Charity number: 1186980

Charity's registered address: 1 The Sycamores, South Kilworth, Lutterworth, Leics, LE17 6EW

The Charity Trustees are:

Colleen Stead: Trustee Appointed 31st Jan 2020

Bridget Younger: Trustee Appointed 5th Jan 2020

Dave Younger: Trustee & Treasurer Appointed 5th Jan 2020

Rebecca Atkin: Trustee Appointed 8th Feb 2020

During 2021 we continued to operate with 4 trustees. We continue to try and identify more potential trustees who we feel would be a good match, with a different skill set that will compliment the existing team. Working with four trustees works well as it makes communication easier, however there are more things we would like to be doing to promote the charity and the dogs, that isn't always possible due to time constraints.

Activities in 2021:

In Romania the stray dog population is enormous due to it's political history, it's lack of animal welfare laws, it's cultural misunderstanding of the benefits of spay and neuter and its common held belief that dogs are vermin and can be discarded on a whim. It is a country of cultural diversity though with dedicated rescuers who devote their lives to rescuing those dogs in desperate need.

Sadly thousands of puppies are born who are then discarded at the side of busy roads, rivers or in forests never to be found.

Pregnant females, elderly and ill are either captured by merciless dog catchers or handed in by their owners and deserted at the horrific and unforgiving public shelters. In these shelters overcrowding, hunger, disease, fights and injury are commonplace.

The saddest are the elderly who have given a lifetime of devotion to an often uncaring owner only to be handed over to the dog catchers when their bark has gone and their health is failing.

The only possible way to escape this hell is to find a suitable rescuer, foster carer or adopter, most likely in a foreign country.

Our dedicated team who aim to visit annually, have been haunted by the plight of Romanian dogs and are committed to doing everything we possibly can for these dogs. We are often asked "why Romanian dogs?" and the answer is simple..... because if we can offer even just one dog a chance to a better life and then why would we not? There is absolutely no comparison to a rescue/rehoming centre here in the UK to the public shelters in Romania, absolutely none. We have seen it for ourselves.

We work with a small number of Romanian rescuers. These are people who we know and trust, supporting them by offering rehoming and monetary donations towards vet fees, dog food or even kennels. Over the last few years we have all fostered, adopted, and raised funds for many Romanian dogs and we will continue to do so until there are no dogs to rescue.

As you can see from our accounts, we have met all of our objectives. We have cared for dogs in Romania that needed help, which, without our intervention they certainly would have died. Most moved on to other rescues for them to rehome.

Provision of Services:

Below are the services we have set out in our governing document to undertake as a charity.

Fundraise in the UK

Foster dogs in the UK

Adopt dogs in the UK

Provide support for our Adopted dogs in the UK

Offer RBU for our adopted dogs in the UK

Raise awareness of the status of dogs in Romania by attending dog shows and festivals

Support rescuers in Romania with financial aid

Fundraise and help towards dogs in Romania who need special care

Undertake special projects in both UK and Romania

Trustees Report:

2021 summary

2021 started with another National lockdown in the UK. We had 5 dogs in foster at the start of the year.

We experienced delays with transporting dogs early in the year due to Brexit and the new rules regarding transporting. Onerous, confusing, more expensive for charities. This was a cost that would ultimately have to be passed on to adopters and so our adoption fees increased during 2021.

The month started sadly with us being told that an old dog that we had reserved, Rupert, had passed away, it is suspected as a result of being frightened by New Year fireworks. We were devastated that he didn't get his happy ever after.

Two very special dogs travelled in February. Claudius who was skin and bone travelled to a new foster carer and was adopted by them. Gracie who was a sweet, gentle girl, found in a pool of blood by the side of the road by rescuer Ana, also travelled and was adopted by people known well to us. We were delighted to help both of these dogs.

We became aware of a dog called Beau who was an older gent who needed a special home that was prepared to understand and follow his medicine regime for heartworm. This is something we knew about and was fully committed to supporting on an ongoing basis. We are delighted to have found him a permanent foster home with CK9 funding this heartworm meds.

We made a significant contribution to Ana, towards weatherproofing the kennels at her new shelter.

Early fundraiser during February was a Valentine Hamper which raised a very healthy £430.

Always on the look out for new and different fundraising ideas, during April we ran an Easter photo competition with a 'chocoholic' prize.

A very special arrival was Jaffa, who Colleen had spotted at the Oravita shelter a year earlier and made a promise to help him there and then.

We ran an appeal for one of our rescuers, Georgiana who was exhausted and demoralised with EUR12k of vet debt. We were able to make a donation along with some very kind supporters, totalling £970.

More dogs arrived, as we became more savvy of the new paperwork requirements. Among the new arrivals was Kathy whose story was a sad one. She was found living on a chain, with her dead sisters laying just a few feet from her.

We received a very generous financial donation from Farplace Animal Rescue who had been keeping an eye on what we do and wanted to support us.

In a bid to help promote our dogs, we used the services of professional photographer Julia Healey. We thought some more professional photos might help them get attention. We were delighted with the results.

We undertook our most ambitious fundraiser to date with a very special volunteer group of ladies who walked, jogged and ran their way through 5km, 10km and half marathons. An amazing £3,250 was raised which is the biggest single fundraiser we have had to date.

No sooner had we raised some money, than we found a worthy cause to spend some of it on. 'DJ' was found at the side of the road, with a horrendous injury to a rear leg plus a fractured vertebrae. Because of the 'Dog Jog' ladies efforts we were able to fund his surgery.

At the end of the month we had more fundraisers, courtesy of Woodland Agility Group and also Tropic skincare.

June saw the arrival of 6 dogs arrive in one transport. The biggest since Covid.

During June, we started a collaboration with Vale Pet Foods. They very generously donated lots of goodies to include in our adoption packs, plus we now have a live link to their website where supporters can benefit from a discount with a donation also coming to CK9 too.

Another mistreated dog came to us in July, when little Jake who was found living on the end of a big, heavy chain. He was only 8kg himself. He was found with thorns in his eye which hadn't been treated and a foot infection. We took very little convincing to reserve him and get him treated.

We had the sad news through that little old Fay who we were financially supporting since December 2020 in Romania as she was too frail to travel to the UK, had taken a turn for the worse and was sadly put to sleep. She spent the last few months of her life adored and spoiled by Monica and living the life she had been missing. That is all we could hope to have done for such an old dog.

Fundraising never stands still and we were given the opportunity to be one of the recipients of The Doggy Lottery, which ran for four weeks. Supporters buy a ticket and vote for their favourite charity and the one with the most votes at the end of the four weeks won a bigger share of the pot. Our supporters were fabulous and we won the round, which benefitted us to the sum of £863.

We made a donation of EUR100 to Georgiana, who had found a 17 year old dog stuck in a hole. He was dehydrated, hungry and weak. He was given food, a soft bed, warmth and love. Sadly he passed away some time later, but he was warm, had a full belly and was not alone.

The end of July was a mammoth transport – the biggest we have ever had, with a group of 7 pups and 4 adults travelling. We also welcomed several new foster carers to help us out.

We saw an old dog called Isy in a shelter in Romania. She was an older lady who had been in the shelter for years, having been rescued from a kill shelter. She'd had a sticker tumour, which was successfully removed. She just needed an offer of a retirement home and so we decided we needed to find out!

One of most ambitious 'projects' happened in August, with a reunion /calendar photo shoot. We didn't know what to expect in terms of attendance. It was really successful with more than 20 dogs in attendance. It was great to catch up with the dogs and the owners and get some professional photos for the calendar, Julia Healey did an incredible job with getting so many wonderful photos and we managed to do a little fundraising on the day which covered our costs.

September was a significant milestone as we had the opportunity to get back into external fundraising, with a stand at the North East Dog Festival, something we hadn't had the opportunity to do since 2019. We were able to raise awareness of what we do and some fundraising with a bottle tombola.

Our lovely supporters and fosterers Jill and Jon hosted a coffee morning at their home in support of CK9. This was a huge success and we are very grateful.

At the start of the month saw the second Cloud K9 spay and neuter campaign go full steam ahead with the support of TAC. We couldn't have put this on without a couple of very generous individual donations.

As a result, 59 dogs were spayed and neutered over the weekend and that has certainly stopped hundreds of unwanted babies.

The CK9 calendar was finalised and printed. We also have to give thanks to Wendy Corbett design and Motion Print in Leicester, who both gave their services for free and meant we could financially maximise from the sales. The calendar was hugely successful and we sold over 100.

In November we had the arrival of some small dogs, all lovely natured and quickly reserved. It is a shame that the larger dogs we have can sometimes take longer to rehome.

At the end of November, Liz from Snaffle Paws donated a fabulous hand made doggy advent calendar for us to raffle – £100 was raised.

The final fundraiser for the year was our Gift Card Lucky Dip Tombola, with over £300 in prizes donated by individuals and companies. We raised over £350 which we were delighted with.

We sent a donation to Georgiana to help with essential van repairs so that she can keep rescuing dogs.

Finally for 2021, trustee Colleen made a road trip to Romania with Stephen (fosterer/ Defra registered transporter), to catch up with some of the rescuers and also bring back 5 more CK9 dogs

Turning to 2022, the objectives are to carry on doing what we are doing. We have more dogs we want to rescue, we would love to run 2 spay and neuter campaigns this year if funds will stretch to it, a lot will depend on how well fundraising goes. We would like to run at least one dog show, with a photo shoot for a 2023 calendar.

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Thank you to [Oldies.org](https://oldies.org) and Dogs Blog for promoting our dogs free of charge to try and find homes.

Finally a thank you to the rest of the CK9 committee (and families) who give up their free time and often their homes to give Romanian dogs a better life. We're excited for 2022 and getting to meet and know more lovely Rommie dogs.

CK9 2021 in numbers:

52 dogs rehomed

55 dogs travelled to us

£1,660 donated to Mona over the year as a result of our 'food club', see what we can achieve when we all donate a small amount.

59 dogs spayed in our October campaign

Special Project – TAC spay/neuter campaign:

It is an objective of ours each year to be able to financially support at least 1 spay and neuter campaign.

In an ideal world we would travel out and support hands on. However due to the ongoing Covid pandemic, flights were restricted for much of the year and we decided on reflection, it was safer to not travel to Romania in 2021.

We therefore contacted our partner organisation in Romania, who we have used in previous spay/neuter campaigns, TAC, and asked whether they could assist for us once again. They are delighted with the way we work, compared to other UK charities, as we are very easy to deal with. We sent through some CK9 t-shirts so that they were 'branded' for the campaign.



We planned to carry out 2 campaigns during 2021, however some unexpected vet bills and continued restrictions on fundraising meant that we decided to concentrate on 1 campaign only. This was funded by two donors. One being the first legacy that we have ever received and the second being a one off donation.



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The winter weather proved to be quite bad in Romania. Storms damaged some of the shelters and we were pleased to be able to provide financial help to rectify the damage caused.

The Covid pandemic has caused our public events to be severely curtailed. Although rehoming of dogs is still taking place, face to face meetings were not allowed. The restrictions also impacted on cross border transportation of the dogs into the UK.

In February, we applied for Gift Aid. This is currently being assessed by HMRC and we hope to have a positive update in the next annual review.

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Cost of rehoming dogs in the UK			£	29,269.00
Donations to Romanian Shelters			£	9,024.00
Food Club sent to Romania			£	1,828.00
Spay & Neuter Campaign			£	2,007.00
Romanian Vet Fees			£	1,943.00
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2021 Spay & Neuter Campaign			£1,067.00	
Dog funds in Bank Account			£768.00	
Total Ringfenced			£4,471.00	-£4,471.00
Available funds				£3,599.00

Signed **Dave Younger**

David Younger - Trustee & Treasurer

Dated Sep-22

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Sept 2022



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FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Charity Name
Cloud K9 Rescue

No (if any)
1186980

Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	Period start date 1/1/2021	To	Period end date 12/31/2021
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £
A1 Receipts				
General Donations & Fund Raising	27,968	-	-	27,968
Adoption Fees	18,152	-	-	18,152
Food Club	1,143	-	-	1,143
Spay & Neuter Campaign	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	47,263	-	-	47,263
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	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	47,263	-	-	47,263
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Donations to Romanian Shelters	9,024	-	-	9,024
Food Club sent to Romania	1,828	-	-	1,828
Spay & Neuter Campaign	2,007	-	-	2,007
Romanian Vet Fees	1,943	-	-	1,943
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
Sub total	47,643	-	-	47,643
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)				
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-
Total payments	47,643	-	-	47,643
Net of receipts/(payments)	- 381	-	-	- 381
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	8,451	-	-	8,451
Cash funds this year end	8,070	-	-	8,070

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	Funds Available	3,599	-
	Reserves & Ringfenced	4,471	-
		-	-
	Total cash funds	8,070	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK
B2 Other monetary assets	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
B3 Investment assets	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)
			-
			-
			-
			-
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)
			-
			-
			-
			-
			-
			-
			-
			-
B5 Liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)
			-
			-
			-
			-
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees		Signature	Print Name
			David Younger
			Rebecca Atkin

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Last year

to the nearest £

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**Endowment
funds**

to nearest £

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**Endowment
funds**

to nearest £

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**Current value
(optional)**

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**Current value
(optional)**

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**When due
(optional)**

Date of
approval

10/8/2022
10/9/2022

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Dunton Bassett
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LE17 5JN

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of CLOUD K9 RESCUE

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the CLOUD K9 RESCUE (the Charity) for the year ended 31st December 2021.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Charity 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 giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Trust as required by section 130 of the Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records.

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.

Signed:



Name: Michael Wildman FCCA

Date: 13th October 2022

Accounts

CK9 Trustee Annual Report

1 Jan – 31 Dec 2020



CHARITY REGISTRATION NUMBER: 1186980

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Admin & Legal:

Administration and Legal Charity Name: Cloud K9 Rescue

Registered Charity number: 1186980

Charity's registered address: 1 The Sycamores, South Kilworth, Lutterworth, Leics, LE17 6EW

The Charity Trustees are:

Colleen Stead: Trustee Appointed 31st Jan 2020

Bridget Younger: Trustee Appointed 5th Jan 2020

Dave Younger: Trustee & Treasurer Appointed 5th Jan 2020

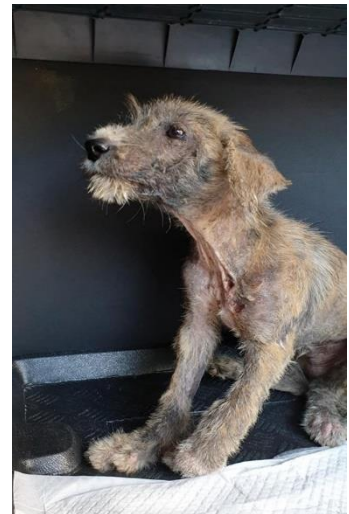
Rebecca Atkin: Trustee Appointed 8th Feb 2020

Our trustee numbers have reduced from 7 to 4 during the year. It is important that we recruit trustees with experience and with a similar ethic. We don't want to invite trustees simply to bolster numbers, so we will identify suitable candidates in due course. Having four trustees works well as it makes communication easier, however the downside is the pressure on everyone to still ensure that we are covering all areas of running a charity.

Activities in 2020:

In Romania the stray dog population is enormous due to it's political history, it's lack of animal welfare laws, it's cultural misunderstanding of the benefits of spay and neuter and its common held belief that dogs are vermin and can be discarded on a whim. It is a country of cultural diversity though with dedicated rescuers who devote their lives to rescuing those dogs in desperate need.

Sadly thousands of puppies are born who are then discarded at the side of busy roads, rivers or in forests never to be found.



Pregnant females, elderly and ill are either captured by merciless dog catchers or handed in by their owners and deserted at the horrific and unforgiving public shelters. In these shelters overcrowding, hunger, disease, fights and injury are commonplace.



The saddest are the elderly who have given a lifetime of devotion to an often uncaring owner only to be handed over to the dog catchers when their bark has gone and their health is failing.

The only possible way to escape this hell is to find a suitable rescuer, foster carer or adopter, most likely in a foreign country.

Our dedicated team who aim to visit annually, have been haunted by the plight of Romanian dogs and are committed to doing everything we possibly can for these dogs. We are often asked “why Romanian dogs?” and the answer is simple..... because if we can offer even just one dog a chance to a better life and then why would we not? There is absolutely no comparison to a rescue/rehoming centre here in the UK to the public shelters in Romania, absolutely none. We have seen it for ourselves.

We work with Romanian rescuers who we know and trust, supporting them through rehoming and donations. Over the last few years we have all fostered, adopted, and raised funds for many Romanian dogs and we will continue to do so until there are no dogs to rescue.

As you can see from our accounts, we have met all of our objectives. We have cared for dogs in Romania that needed help, which, without our intervention they certainly would have died. Most moved on to other rescues for them to rehome.

Provision of Services:

Below are the services we have set out in our governing document to undertake as a charity.

Fundraise in the UK

Foster dogs in the UK

Adopt dogs in the UK

Provide support for our Adopted dogs in the UK

Raise awareness of the status of dogs in Romania by attending dog shows

Support rescuers in Romania with financial aid

Fundraise and help towards dogs in Romania who need special care

Undertake special projects in both UK and Romania

Trustees Report:

As for almost all charities, this was challenging in ways we never anticipated.

We started the year having been granted charity status. This is something we are all so proud of and it set us up nicely for all that we want to achieve as detailed in Provision of Services section.



In February, three of our trustees headed to Romania to visit a couple of the public shelters and spent time with the ladies that manage them. What is pertinent to point out is that these ladies are volunteers and they get no financial support from the authorities.

We raffled a Valentine Hamper during February, made up of donations and contributions so it didn't cost the charity anything and raised a good amount of money.

We started Spring, having agreed which dogs we wanted to help following the visit to Romania. So many lovely dogs, but with limited foster space and funds we would have to prioritise. We also agreed that we wanted to fund at least one spay and neuter campaign this year

As the month progressed, it became clear that there were going to be lockdowns enforced on the UK and it was hard to gauge at this point, what implications this was going to have on rehoming and transport.

As a result of the above, during April we didn't have any dogs travelling or rehomed, it was also clear that a number of fundraisers would be postponed or cancelled, so this meant we needed to get more creative with fundraising and do as much as we could online.

It was from April onwards that we really started to develop our relationship with Romana in Romania, who acts as our temporary foster carer. Dogs we reserve from the Oravita shelter go to Romana for a temporary stay while they are prepped for travel. It also gives them the opportunity to decompress from the chaos and noise of shelter life.

We reserved an old black lab during April, the oldest dog we had helped to date, which made us proud but also a little anxious as to whether he would be adoptable. He had an horrendous skin condition and stiff joints from sleeping on concrete. We reserved him and appealed to our supporters for support with him foster fees. We were staggered with the donations that came in for him and it meant that we were able to fund all his veterinary treatment. Since then, whenever we have reserved dogs to foster in Romania, we have asked our supporters for donations towards foster fees and they have always stepped forward. Being able to see what/who their money is being spent on really helps.

During May we started to be able to transport some dogs, being mindful of COVID rules and restrictions. Rehoming started, but to homes as close to the foster home as possible, subject to it being the best possible home.

We also found out that we had been successful in being one of East Ruston Cottages charity beneficiaries for the next quarter and we benefited from £500 raised by them. Huge thanks to Sue for all she does. This was really satisfying as we rallied our CK9 supporters to vote for us and they absolutely smashed it.

Every month we sent a donation of around EUR100 to the Furry Friends Food Club. This happens at Mirela's shelter on the outskirts of Calarasi, and means that the shelter dogs got a feast of fresh chicken.

Finally in June, we made a donation of £150 to a lady called Denisa, who rescues dogs in Romania, who we've worked with, but her kennels were all flooded out and ruined during some atrocious weather. She held an online fundraiser towards the cost of replacement kennels and we were only too happy to support her.

Having been pleasantly surprised with the number of applications for old Tom (the black lab), we started rehoming more elderly dogs as there is clearly a demand for them. We reserved and rehomed more senior dogs and continued to do so through 2020 and will continue during 2021. We must give a special mention to the Oldies.org charity, who promote our dogs for free and we have begun to develop a good relationship with them.

We ran a fundraiser, with two doggy hampers donated by Vicki Wolf at The Barking Lot pet shop in Wetherby. All monies put in the spay/neuter clinic fund.

Finally, we sent a gift to Ramona (our foster carer in Romania) of a set of clippers. Grooming is a luxury in Romanian shelters and as longer coated dogs are common, their coats get matted and knotted to the point that the only answer is to clip them. This was a relatively simple thing to provide but will make so much difference to Ramona and the dogs.

During August we ran another raffle, for a short break holiday, donated by a Marisa at the Paddock Lodge in Escomb, County Durham.

Our spay/neuter campaign also took place during the month. See Special Projects. Finally for August we ran an appeal for funds for a little dog called Iris. She was a little dog who had puppies (all living as strays) who ended up with a broken leg because of human abuse. Our supporters again stepped up and secured her future and treatment.

Iris had her leg operated on in September and from then on it was rest and recovery for her. We are delighted that Iris was rehomed just before Christmas. Her new owner continued with hydrotherapy treatment, funded by us.

Another appeal to our followers was really well supported. We shared videos of a dog now named Claudius, being saved from the side of a road, he was literally skin and bone. Rescued by Georgiana we didn't know if he'd survive. He did but was also suffering from other health problems, which he was treated for. Another case of skin and bone was Isa, who was close to death, but with care from Georgiana, she rallied, travelled to us and was rehomed. Our rescuers do an amazing job with very little support. With the funds donated by supporters, we were able to send donations to 4 of the rescuers who we work with. This is something we'd love to be able to do on a more regular basis.

Our fundraiser in November had hampers as prizes and raised some much needed funds.

During December we became aware of a tiny oldie who we named Fay. She had a mammary tumour and had spent her life (13 years) at the end of a chain. The owner did not want to treat her and said she would remain on the end of chain, so our rescuers (with the owner's permission), took her away for treatment and a better life. She is stronger now, but unlikely to ever travel to the UK, we fund her care with her Romanian foster carer and she lives the life of a queen.

We funded a van load of straw bales for the Oravita shelter, which helped keep the dogs warm for the winter. This is something relatively cheap to do but makes such a difference.

One of our closest supporters, Stephen, drove to Romania with a van load of goodies (food and bedding) and then brought 5 dogs back on his return journey.

Final fundraiser for the year was our Photo Competition, with 10 categories to choose from. It was well supported and a good way to round the year off.

2021 is currently an unknown entity in the world of Rescue, but with the fantastic help both our current supporters and new supporters – which are growing in numbers, we are sure we are *"Making a Difference"* and will continue to do so.

Special Project – TAC spay/neuter campaign:



It was always an objective for the year to be able to support a spay and neuter campaign. We ideally wanted to be able to do this financially and be able to go and be hands on supporting, in whatever capacity we would be allowed. Any travel costs would be personally born by the trustees.

We put money aside through the year and also held specific fundraisers for the campaign which was ringfenced for it.

One of our proudest CK9 moments came from being able to financially support the spay and neuter campaign in Belis, Romania. This was one of the main objectives for the year and despite COVID restrictions resulting in the cancellation of fundraising event, we managed it. Working with a Romanian organization TAC, they set it up and ran it and even had a feature on national and regional news about what they were doing. They referred to CK9 on several occasions and spread awareness of their services and the importance of spay/neuter. We are delighted that 59 dogs were treated and we are planning to fundraise for at least 2 more clinics during 2021. Spaying and neutering is the only way forward to address the stray dog population. Not only were these animals sterilized, but they were de-wormed, tagged, eyes, ears and nails taken care of. This is treatment that they would never otherwise get.



Fundraising:

Regular supporters – Fay & foster fees

We pride ourselves on not relying on individual donations, although welcomed, rather supporting ourselves through hard work fundraising. This has been hit hard during 2020 due to external fundraisers being cancelled, therefore we have had to rely on online fundraising and asking for support with fostering and appeals for specific dogs.

One of the most successful donation schemes we have run this year is appealing to supporters to fund foster costs for dogs in Romania waiting to travel. This has been so successful and will be something we continue as long as we can. We always have the finances in the background to cover costs if nobody steps forward, but this money can then be spent on the dog's prep costs for travel. It is clear that our supporters enjoy engaging with us when they are funding a particular dog and they can follow it's story.

We have a small number of regular donors who send us a standing order each month. This is a great way of knowing what income we have coming in and means we can commit to a regular donation to our choice of rescuer in Romania so the dogs get food.

Online fundraisers have been effective for quick turnaround of funds, in the form of Bridget's 'Guess the'. Most winners kindly donate back their winnings, which is much appreciated.

We have had generous support from businesses and individuals, donating items or vouchers for raffles. We carried out raffles for Valentines Day and Christmas as well as a pet shop donating two hampers to be raffled. These all raised good funds for us without a cost to the charity.

As mentioned in the summary of the year, our supporters were instrumental in us benefitting from East Ruston Cottages charity donation scheme, whereby an amount from every booking is set aside to charity for a three month period and then split between three nominated charities. We earned £500 through this. In return, we have added East Ruston Cottages to our 'Friends of' section of our website.

At Christmas, as well as the raffle, we held a photo competition, administered by Hannah Winship with grateful thanks. We had various judges for the categories with our patron Meesh Masters, choosing Best in Show. Again, this was a great fundraiser.

We have researched the possibility of applying for Grants and support such as the Pets at Home charitable trust, but these and many others will not consider applications from charities that rehome dogs from overseas, which is a shame but we have to respect that. We will continue to look at these options during the next 12 months. Covid has had an impact on some of the Grant schemes, for example Lush had put a hold on theirs as their stores had to close and this obviously affected their income.

We have looked at fundraising platforms such as Amazon Smile and Easyfundraising, which both donate a small % of purchases to the charity of choice, but these have had little take up. These are things we can push again though.

We will continue to look at other fundraising opportunities throughout 2021, such as lotteries and trying to get supporters to carry out fundraising events for us so that we are finding new donors and not the same people all the time.

Treasurers Report & Accounts:

2020 started off with a brilliant start when we gained Charity Status. This will not only demonstrate our aim to operate a responsible charity, but also help to claim Gift Aid on our donations.

During the latter part of 2020 we received donations for work we intend to carry out in '21 and for specific dogs. These donations we have ringfenced for that specific use.

We started 2020 with a total of £2,271 including any reserves needed and finished the year £3195 as working funds. So all in all a fantastic year for us as a charity in what was a very peculiar year for the world.

Cloud K9 Rescue

2020 Accounts



	MONEY	IN	OUT	Balance
Opening balance (from 2019)		£2,335.91		
2020 accounts				
General		£15,121.95	£5,553.26	
Rehoming dogs in UK		£16,921.71	£17,295.68	
Donations to Romania		£2,119.00	£5,199.55	
Total		£36,498.57	£28,048.49	£8,450.08
Reserved				
Vets Contingency fees			£2,000.00	
PL Insurance			£400.00	
Chase Insurance			£150.00	
Web Site			£86.00	
Total Reserve			£2,636.00	
Ringfenced				
2021 Spay & Neuter Campaign				
Dog Funds (Inc in Bank Account)				
CLOUD			£117.26	
FAY			£557.50	
GRACIE			£92.79	
Total Ringfenced			£3,403.55	-£3,403.55
Available funds				£5,046.53

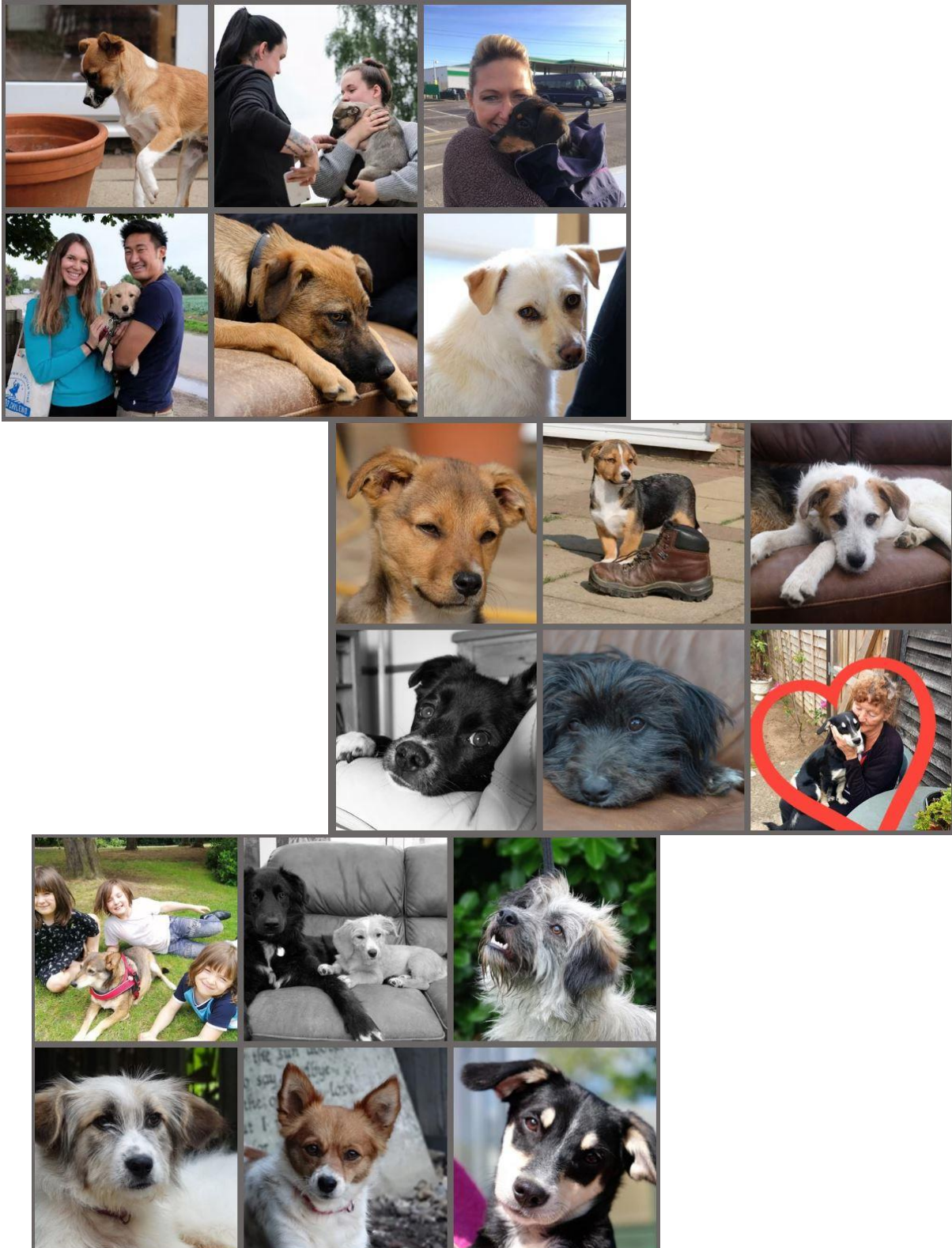
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The Trustees of CK9 Rescue

July 2021



CHARITY COMMISSION
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Charity Name
Cloud K9 Rescue

No (if any)
1186980

Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period
from

Period start date
01/01/2020

To

Period end date
31/12/2020

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 £
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	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	34,228	-	-	34,228	-
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	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	34,228	-	-	34,228	-
A3 Payments					
General costs	5,553	-	-	5,553	-
Cost of Rehoming Dogs in the UK	17,296	-	-	17,296	-
Food Club Money Sent to Romania	1,014	-	-	1,014	-
Spay & Neuter Campaign	1,500	-	-	1,500	-
Donations to Romanian Shelters	2,686	-	-	2,686	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	28,049	-	-	28,049	-
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	28,049	-	-	28,049	-
Net of receipts/(payments)	6,179	-	-	6,179	-
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	2,271	-	-	2,271	-
Cash funds this year end	8,450	-	-	8,450	-

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	Funds Available	5,047	-	-
	Reserves & Ringfenced	3,403	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	8,450	-	-
	(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	Details	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
B3 Investment assets	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B5 Liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name	Date of approval	
		David Younger		
		Rebecca Atkin		

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Independent examiner's report to the trustees of CLOUD K9 RESCUE

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the CLOUD K9 RESCUE (the Charity) for the year ended 31st December 2020.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Charity 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 giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Trust as required by section 130 of the Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records.

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.

Signed:



Name: Michael Wildman FCCA

Date: 14th September 2021