



# Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From	Period start date			To	Period end date		
	Day 01	Month 01	Year 2024		Day 31	Month 12	Year 2024

## Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any)

Charity's principal address

Postcode

### Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Teresa Prime	Chair		
2	Kevin Pritchard			
3	Darren Farrand			
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### Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

## Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

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

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## Section B Structure, governance and management

### Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)	CIO
How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company)	CIO
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	Appointed by a resolution of the trustees

### Additional governance issues (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
- the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;
- relationship with any related parties;
- trustees' consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.

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## Section C Objectives and activities

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

Second Chance Akita Rescue is dedicated to alleviating the suffering of Akitas through rescue, rehabilitation, and rehoming, regardless of the dog's age, health status, or sex. In accordance with our governing document, we ensure that every Akita in our care is treated with respect and dignity.

Our mission extends beyond rescue operations to include the provision of advice, support, and education to Akita owners and the wider public. We actively collaborate with like-minded organisations to promote the welfare and positive attributes of the Akita breed. Additionally, we advocate for responsible pet ownership, including the benefits of neutering and spaying, to help prevent unwanted litters.

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

SCAR operates across the United Kingdom, with our core activities including:

- Rehoming Akitas from private individuals.
- Assisting in the rehoming of Akitas from other UK-based rescue organisations, including local authority council pounds, dog wardens, police, social services, and Battersea Dogs & Cats Home.
- Conducting home assessments and temperament evaluations.
- Providing education and guidance to both current and prospective Akita owners.
- Offering lifetime support and full rescue backup for all dogs adopted through SCAR.

Our presence on social media continues to grow, enabling us to reach and engage with a broader audience. This expansion has facilitated increased public interaction, allowing us to offer advice and support through both our social media platforms and website.

Where feasible, we provide assistance to help owners retain their pets, which may include support with food and veterinary care. We remain committed to helping Akitas regardless of age, health, or behavioural challenges, and are proud to be among the few rescues that uphold this inclusive approach.

#### **Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)**

You **may choose** to include further statements, where relevant, about:

- policy on grantmaking;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.

**Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year**

In 2024, Second Chance Akita Rescue successfully rehomed 51 Akitas across the United Kingdom. We remain committed to supporting every Akita in need, regardless of age, health condition, or behavioural challenges. This inclusive approach continues to distinguish SCAR as one of the few rescue organisations that does not discriminate based on these factors.

Our digital presence has grown significantly, enhancing our ability to engage with and support a wider audience. Our private Facebook group now exceeds 5,000 members, while our public page has grown to over 10,000 followers. This increased reach has enabled us to provide timely advice, resources, and support to both current and prospective Akita owners.

We continue to offer comprehensive post-adoption support, including behavioural guidance and ongoing assistance to adopters. This proactive approach contributes to our low return rates and ensures long-term success for both the dogs and their new families.



## Section E

## Financial review

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

Second Chance Akita Rescue maintains its financial reserves at a level that ensures we can continue to provide for the needs of the dogs in our care. This includes being prepared to cover any unforeseen expenses that may arise, thereby safeguarding the continuity and quality of our rescue operations.

### Details of any funds materially in deficit

### Further financial review details (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant about:

- the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);
- how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;
- investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

Second Chance Akita Rescue raises funds primarily through online initiatives, including raffles and public donations.

All funds received are reinvested directly into the charity to support the fulfilment of our objectives and the welfare of the Akitas in our care.

Our organisation is entirely volunteer-led. All Trustees and volunteers generously contribute their time and expertise without financial compensation, ensuring that every donation goes toward supporting our mission.

## Section F

## Other optional information

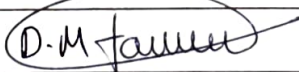
## Section G

## Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)



Full name(s)

DARREN FARDANI.

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

SECRETARY.

Date

30/10/25.



CHARITY COMMISSION  
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Charity Name  
**Second Chance Akita rescue**

No (if any)  
**1187521**

## Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period from	Period start date 01/01/2025	To	Period end date 31/01/2025
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### Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>					
Income (donations & fundraising)	59,345	-	-	59,345	56,740
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total (Gross income for AR)</b>	<b>59,345</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>59,345</b>	<b>56,740</b>
<b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>59,345</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>59,345</b>	<b>56,740</b>
<b>A3 Payments</b>					
Kennel Fees	32,880	-	-	32,880	39,532
Dog Food	1,649	-	-	1,649	1,904
Adoption Refunds	-	-	-	-	930
Vet fees	26,686	-	-	26,686	12,806
Fundraising costs	1,644	-	-	1,644	2,096
Bank Fees	1	-	-	1	44
Admin	386	-	-	386	580
Travel	163	-	-	163	238
Other	1,043	-	-	1,043	1,285
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>64,452</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>64,452</b>	<b>59,415</b>
<b>A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)</b>					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total payments</b>	<b>64,452</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>64,452</b>	<b>59,415</b>
<b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>	<b>- 5,107</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>- 5,107</b>	<b>- 2,675</b>
<b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Cash funds this year end</b>	<b>- 5,107</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>- 5,107</b>	<b>- 2,675</b>

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

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
<b>B1 Cash funds</b>	Bank Account	17,275	-	-
	PayPal Account	860	-	-
		-	-	-
	<b>Total cash funds</b>	<b>18,135</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	Agreement Error	OK	OK

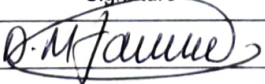
	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
<b>B2 Other monetary assets</b>		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
<b>B3 Investment assets</b>			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
<b>B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use</b>			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
<b>B5 Liabilities</b>			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

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

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	Darren Farrand	29/10/2025





CHARITY COMMISSION  
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Independent examiner's report  
on the accounts

Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/  
members of

Charity Name

Second Chance Akita Rescue UK

On accounts for the year  
ended

Charity no  
(if any)

1187521

Set out on pages

(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

Responsibilities and basis  
of report

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 30/11/2024.

As the charity trustees of the Trust, 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 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 (other than that disclosed below \*) in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Act or
- the accounts do not accord with the accounting records

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

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

Signed:

Date: 28/10/2025

Name:

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

Address: 149 Goulou St

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Section B

Disclosure

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

Give here brief details of  
any items that the