

TAKE A KNIFE, SAVE A LIFE (TAKSAL)

England & Wales · Charity number 1190357

Details

Other names	TAKE A KNIFE, SAVE A LIFE, TAKSAL
Status	Registered
Legal form	CIO
Registered	2020-07-10
Register	View on the Charity Commission register

Contact

Address	23 Danes Rd rm7 0ah
Phone	07565853752
Email	taksalcharity@gmail.com
Website	www.taksalcharity.org

Activities

Objects: THE OBJECTS OF THE CIO ARE 1. TO PROMOTE THE PREVENTION OF CRIME AND THE SAVING OF LIVES, IN PARTICULAR BUT NOT EXCLUSIVELY BY ADVANCING THE EDUCATION AND RAISING AWARENESS OF YOUNG PEOPLE AND OTHERS IN THE COMMUNITY CONCERNING ISSUES OF KNIFE CRIME AND THE NEGATIVE IMPACT ON THOSE AFFECTED BY IT; 2. TO HELP YOUNG PEOPLE, ESPECIALLY BUT NOT EXCLUSIVELY THROUGH LEISURE TIME ACTIVITIES, SO AS TO DEVELOP THEIR CAPABILITIES THAT THEY MAY GROW TO FULL MATURITY AS INDIVIDUALS AND MEMBERS OF SOCIETY.

Activities: Anti Knife Crime Organisation

Classification

- **How:** Makes Grants To Individuals, Makes Grants To Organisations, Provides Services
- **What:** General Charitable Purposes, Education/training, The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives, Economic/community Development/employment, Other Charitable Purposes
- **Who:** Children/young People

Geography

- Throughout England

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-04-01		£0	£0	-
2024-04-01		£0	£0	-
2023-04-01	£1,000	£982		-
2022-04-01	£33,548	£32,338		-
2021-04-01	£2,219	£1,960		-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Stephen Gower S.G	Chair	2020-01-08
Keef Mcleod		2022-11-03
William Jones		2023-12-02

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Accounts

Take a knife save a life has made made no financial transactions this year.

Stephen Gowers.

A handwritten signature in white ink on a black background. The signature is written in a cursive style and appears to read "S. Gowers". The first letter 'S' is large and loops back. The name "Gowers" is written in a fluid, connected script.

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Financial period

Financial period start date

Financial period end date

Income and spending

Income £

Spending £

Number of contracts from government

How many contracts (other than grant agreements) did your charity receive from central government or a local authority during the financial period for this return?

0

Number of grants from government

How many grants did your charity receive from central government or a local authority during the financial period for this return?

0

Income breakdown

Donations and legacies (excluding Endowments Received)

£834

Charitable activities

£166

Other trading activities

£0

Investments

£0

Other

£0

Grantmaking

Is grant making the main way your charity carries out its purposes?

No

Recipients of grants

Please round all figures to the nearest pound (do not enter decimal points or commas).Individuals

£0

Other charities

£0

Other organisations that are not charities

£0

Trustee payments

Excluding out of pocket expenses, for what were any of the trustees paid during the financial period for this return?

e. None of the trustees have been paid

Did any of the trustees resign and take up employment with your charity in the financial period of this return?

No

Income from outside the UK

Did your charity receive income from outside of the United Kingdom in the financial period of this return?

No

Delivering activities outside the United Kingdom

Did your charity deliver charitable activities outside of the United Kingdom in the financial period of this return?

No

Spending outside England & Wales

Did your charity spend funds outside of the United Kingdom in the financial period of this return?

No

Trading subsidiaries

Does the charity have any trading subsidiaries?

No

Charity contact details correct

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Yes

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Is this the same address that you use as your charity's administrative headquarters?

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Membership type

Is the charity part of a wider group structure with a parent body and subsidiary bodies?

yes, the charity is a parent body

Members entitle to vote

Other than trustees, does your charity have members who are entitled to vote under the charity's governing documents?

No

Employment contract types

People were permanently employed by your charity

0

People were on fixed-terms contracts with your charity

0

Self-employed people were working for your charity

0

Governance policies

Internal charity financial controls policy and procedures

Yes

Safeguarding policy and procedures

Yes

Financial reserves policy and procedures

Yes

Complaints policy and procedures

Yes

Serious incident reporting policy and procedures

Yes

Internal risk management policy and procedures

Yes

Trustee expenses policy and procedures

Yes

Trustee conflicts of interest policy and procedures

Yes

Investing charity funds policy and procedures

Yes

Campaigns and political activity policy and procedures

Yes

Bullying and harassment policy and procedures

Yes

Social media policy and procedures

Yes

Engaging external speakers at charity events policy and procedures

Yes

Safeguarding

Has your charity provided services to children and/or adults at risk in the financial period of the return?

Yes

a. All required standard DBS checks have been obtained

Yes

b. All required enhanced DBS checks have been obtained

Yes

c. All required enhanced with Barred List(s) DBS checks have been obtained

Yes

d. DBS checks are not required other than Basic DBS checks

No

External risk and impact

Donations,

Positive

Other income - grants

Positive

Other income - contracts

Positive

Other income - investment

Positive

Expenditure on charitable activities

Positive

Expenditure on overheads

Positive

Number of volunteers

Positive

Number of employees

Positive

Number of trustees

Positive

Fundraising activities

Positive

Capacity to deliver services

Positive

Total service demand

Positive

Volunteers

Excluding trustees, provide an estimate of the number of volunteers who carried out charitable activities on behalf of your charity in the United Kingdom during the financial period of this return?

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- we are legally obliged to disclose them; or
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ANNUAL RETURN 2022 - 2023

Period	Van Insurance	Van Tax	Vehicle Expenses	Charity Insurance	ACCOUNTANCY FEES
01/04/2021 - 30/04/2021				£165.32	
01/05/2021 - 31/05/2021				£165.32	
01/06/2021 - 30/06/2021		£86.63		£165.32	
01/07/2021 - 31/07/2021				£165.32	
01/08/2021 - 31/08/2021				£165.32	
01/09/2021 - 30/09/2021				£165.32	
01/10/2021 - 31/10/2021				£165.32	
01/11/2021 - 30/11/2021				£165.32	
01/12/2021 - 31/12/2021					
01/01/2022 - 31/01/2022					
01/02/2022 - 28/02/2022				£164.91	£270.90
01/03/2022 - 31/03/2022				£164.92	
01/04/2022 - 30/04/2022				£164.91	
01/05/2022 - 31/05/2022				£164.91	
01/06/2022 - 30/06/2022		£86.63		£165.32	
01/07/2022 - 31/07/2022				£164.91	
01/08/2022 - 31/08/2022				£164.91	
01/09/2022 - 30/09/2022				£164.91	
01/10/2022 - 31/10/2022				£164.91	
TOTAL	£0.00	£173.26	£0.00	£2,807.17	

Other	Funding	Donations	Fundraisers	Funding	Subtotal Out	Subtotal In
£100.00		£124.11			£265.32	£124.11
		£643.68			£165.32	£643.68
		£115.36			£251.95	£115.36
£55.00		£37.63			£220.32	£37.63
		£62.21			£165.32	£62.21
					£165.32	£0.00
£71.18					£236.50	£0.00
		£2,942.98			£165.32	£2,942.98
	£3,390.00				£3,390.00	£0.00
		£150.00			£0.00	£150.00
		£342.18			£435.81	£342.18
	£24,385.00	£27,643.26			£24,549.92	£27,643.26
	£2,261.88	£500.00			£2,426.79	£500.00
	£294.00				£458.91	£0.00
		£115.36			£251.95	£115.36
		£188.45			£164.91	£188.45
		£444.88	£43.20		£164.91	£488.08
					£164.91	£0.00
					£164.91	£0.00
					£0.00	£0.00
					£0.00	£0.00
					£0.00	£0.00
					£0.00	£0.00
£226.18	£30,330.88	£33,310.10	£43.20		£33,808.39	£33,353.30

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ANNUAL RETURN 2020 – 2021

Period	Van Insurance	Van Tax	Vehicle Expenses	Charity Insurance	Other	Funding	Donations	Fundraisers	Subtotal Out	Subtotal In
06/04/2020 - 30/04/2020	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
01/05/2020 - 31/05/2020	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
01/06/2020 - 30/06/2020	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£33.01	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£33.01	£0.00
01/07/2020 - 31/07/2020	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
01/08/2020 - 31/08/2020	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
01/09/2020 - 30/09/2020	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£100.00	£1,706.00	£0.00	£1,806.00
01/10/2020 - 31/10/2020	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
01/11/2020 - 30/11/2020	£634.74	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£199.00	£0.00	£634.74	£199.00
01/12/2020 - 31/12/2020	£634.74	£86.83	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£721.57	£0.00
01/01/2021 - 31/01/2021	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
01/02/2021 - 29/02/2021	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£165.32	£0.00	£0.00	£176.00	£0.00	£165.32	£176.00
01/03/2021 - 31/03/2021	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£165.32	£75.00	£0.00	£37.63	£0.00	£240.32	£37.63
01/04/2021 - 05/04/2021	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£165.32	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£165.32	£0.00
Total	£1,269.48	£86.83	£0.00	£495.96	£108.01	£0.00	£512.63	£1,706.00	£1,960.28	£2,218.63

Authorised Signatory

Mr Stephen Gowers
Chairman/ Trustee

Charity Name: Take A Knife Save a Life (TAKSAL)

Charity Number: 1190357

Charity Registered Date: 10th July 2020

TAKE A KNIFE SAVE A LIFE (TAKSAL)



Trustee Report

On the 10th July 2020 we had our Charity registration number confirmed for, Take a Knife Save a Life. (1190357)

Leading up to this period we were all facing unprecedented times due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

The pandemic affected our charitable work at Take a Knife Save a Life and for a period we were unable to continue with usual community assistance due to ongoing pandemic restrictions. However, our team at Take a Knife Save a Life adapted by helping many in the community with shopping, aid and support due to self-isolation or pandemic lockdown restrictions.

During this term our Charity's income was spent explicitly with expenses needed to run services. These expenses included Public Liability and Employer's Liability insurance for the Charity, also insurance and tax for the Charity vehicle.

The management committee members and all volunteers personally fund the day to day running of the Charity including all activities, events & equipment used including PPE essentials.

We also personally fund all fuel costs which enable us to offer our services to the community.

We are thankful for a high level of assistance in the form of public and private donations including fundraising, which have enabled our Charity and our work to continue in the Community for all residents and most importantly our youth.

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Mr Stephen Gowers
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