

COLOURFUL DREAMS FOUNDATION TRUSTEES ANNUAL REPORT

For year ended 31st March 2025

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended March 2023.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Charity number: 1193844

Registered Office

MILLGARTH

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PURPOSE OF THE CHARITY

The objectives of the CIO ARE :-

- 1). The advancement of education for the public benefit in Malawi and the UK by :
 - a) the provision of funding and specialist support designed to assist the development of the Colourful Dreams School in Chisigele village, Malawi, and it's pupils and staff ;
 - b) providing opportunities for young people in the UK to learn about the culture and traditions of Malawi.
- 2). The prevention and relief of poverty and the protection and preservation of good health in Chisigele village, Malawi.
- 3). The promotion of volunteering for the public benefit in Malawi and the UK by providing opportunities to volunteer within, and support the development of, the Colourful Dreams School in Chisigele village, Malawi.

Contributions made by volunteers and supporters.

REVIEW OF CHARITY'S FINANCIAL POSITION AT END OF YEAR 2023-2024.

- We had an opening balance of £1477.89 April 2024
- The foundation received £4390.89 in donations
- We raised £2323.32 through fundraising events

- We raised £4039.59 with GNR Team 2024
- We accrued £43.90 interest
 - We incurred expenses of £7813.50
- At year end 2025 we have a working balance of £2985.65

HOW THE CHARITY IS CONSTITUTED

COLOURFUL DREAMS FOUNDATION became a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) on 17th March 2021. This was done to secure the charity's structure and give protection to the trustees.

NAMES OF TRUSTEES

KATIE PARK-BROWN (Chair)

ALLISON BROWN
REBECCA MOSS

Summary Report

Our big fundraising event of this year was having a team of 5 runners in the Great North Run 2024 and we raised over £4000. This allowed us to support Colourful Dreams School with fencing for their gardening project which is teaching the children about horticulture and the dangers of over-fishing Lake Malawi. It is enabling the school to provide breakfast to all students on a daily basis. We have also had to pay for new workbooks this year in order to deliver the new school curriculum, as well as send funds to cover the cost of staff wages at Colourful Dreams School.

We have paid for 8 entries into The Great North Run 2025.

ALLISON BROWN TRUSTEE

3rd June 2025

Colourful Dreams Foundation (Charity number: 1193844) 2024-2025

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Date	Expenses	Description
31 March 2024		
April 2024	£1292.50	Salaries
April 2024	£40.00	Payout for Grand National Sweepstake
May 2024	£62.00	Ally entry into GNR
May 2024	£88.50	CDS shirt printing
June 2024	£762.50	Fencing
August 2024	£1292.50	Salaries
October 2024	£2012.50	Fencing
November 2024	£808.00	GNR 2025 entries
December 2024	£1292.50	Salaries
January 2025	£162.50	Workbooks
February 2025		
March 2025		
March 2025		
Interest payments		
Totals	£7813.50	
IN		
OUT		
Balance year end March 2025		