

CWMTAWE ACTION TO COMBAT HARDSHIP

England & Wales · Charity number 1196127

Details

Other names CATCH

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2021-10-12

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

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Activities

Objects: THE OBJECTS OF THE CIO, WHICH ARE FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT AND TO BE CARRIED OUT IN THE UPPER SWANSEA VALLEY (CWMTAWE) AND THE SURROUNDING AREA, ARE: 1) THE PREVENTION OR RELIEF POVERTY THROUGH THE OPERATION OF A FOODBANK OFFERING FOOD, BABY ITEMS, PET FOOD AND ESSENTIAL ITEMS TOGETHER WITH LINKED SUPPORT, SERVICES AND ADVICE TO INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES IN FINANCIAL NEED.2) TO PROVIDE OR ASSIST IN THE PROVISION OF FACILITIES IN THE INTERESTS OF SOCIAL WELFARE FOR RECREATION OR OTHER LEISURE TIME OCCUPATION OF INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE NEED OF SUCH FACILITIES BY REASON OF THEIR YOUTH, AGE, INFIRMITY OR DISABILITY, FINANCIAL HARDSHIP OR SOCIAL CIRCUMSTANCES WITH THE OBJECT OF IMPROVING THEIR CONDITIONS OF LIFE.

Activities: We operate a foodbank offering food, baby items, pet food and essential items together with linked support, services and advice to individuals and families in financial need. We also offer our premises for use by local groups as a community space.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space, Provides Services, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Disability, The Prevention Or Relief Of Poverty
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People, People With Disabilities

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** LOCAL
- Carmarthenshire
- Neath Port Talbot
- Powys

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-10-31	£6,256	£18,727	-	-
2023-10-31	£28,437	£18,077	-	-
2022-10-31	£26,922	£24,054	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
CATHRYN JAMES		2021-05-17
Catherine Hastie		2021-11-05
Ieuan Lloyd James		2023-10-02
JACQUELINE HANKINS		2021-05-17
Jean Liles		2023-02-08
Rachael Beverley Stokes		2023-10-02

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CATCH Ystalyfera Foodbank

Gurnos Chapel Gurnos Road, Ystalyfera SA9 2JA

Trustees report 2023-24

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Charity objectives

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- 1) The prevention or relief poverty through the operation of a foodbank offering food, baby items, pet food and essential items together with linked support, services and advice to individuals and families in financial need.
- 2) To provide or assist in the provision of facilities in the interests of social welfare for recreation or other leisure time occupation of individuals who have need of such facilities by reason of their youth, age, infirmity or disability, financial hardship or social circumstances with the object of improving their conditions of life.

Activities, achievements and performance

CATCH's main activity is the operation of a Foodbank from Gurnos Chapel, Ystalyfera (open Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings) and Ystradgynlais Community Centre (open Tuesday and Thursday mornings).

During the 2023-24 year the Foodbank has issued 959 parcels to 193 separate households, helping 509 individuals – 322 adults and 187 children. Many of these have been helped on more than one occasion (the table below counts an individual each time they are helped). The average food parcel contains 28 items of food. 88 of the households came to us for help for the first time this year.

During the year 654 parcels were issued from our Ystalyfera base and 305 from Ystradgynlais.

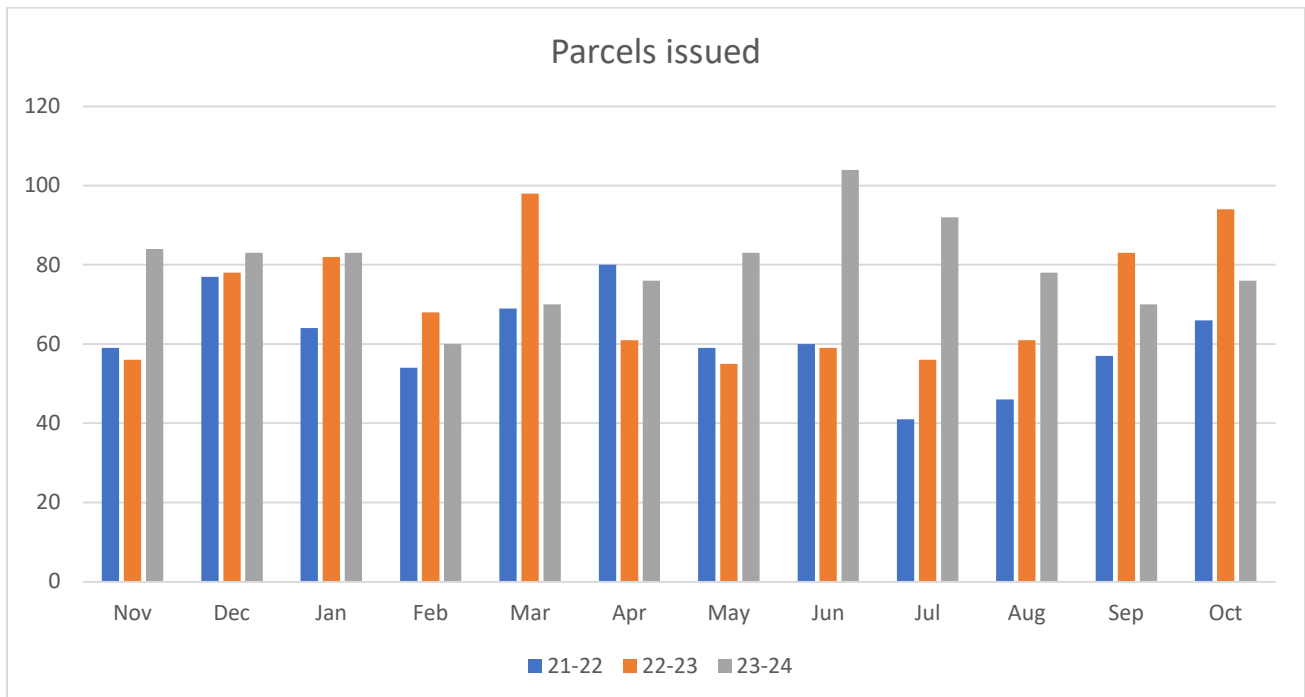
The number of parcels issued and people helped is an increase of 13% on the 22-23 year.

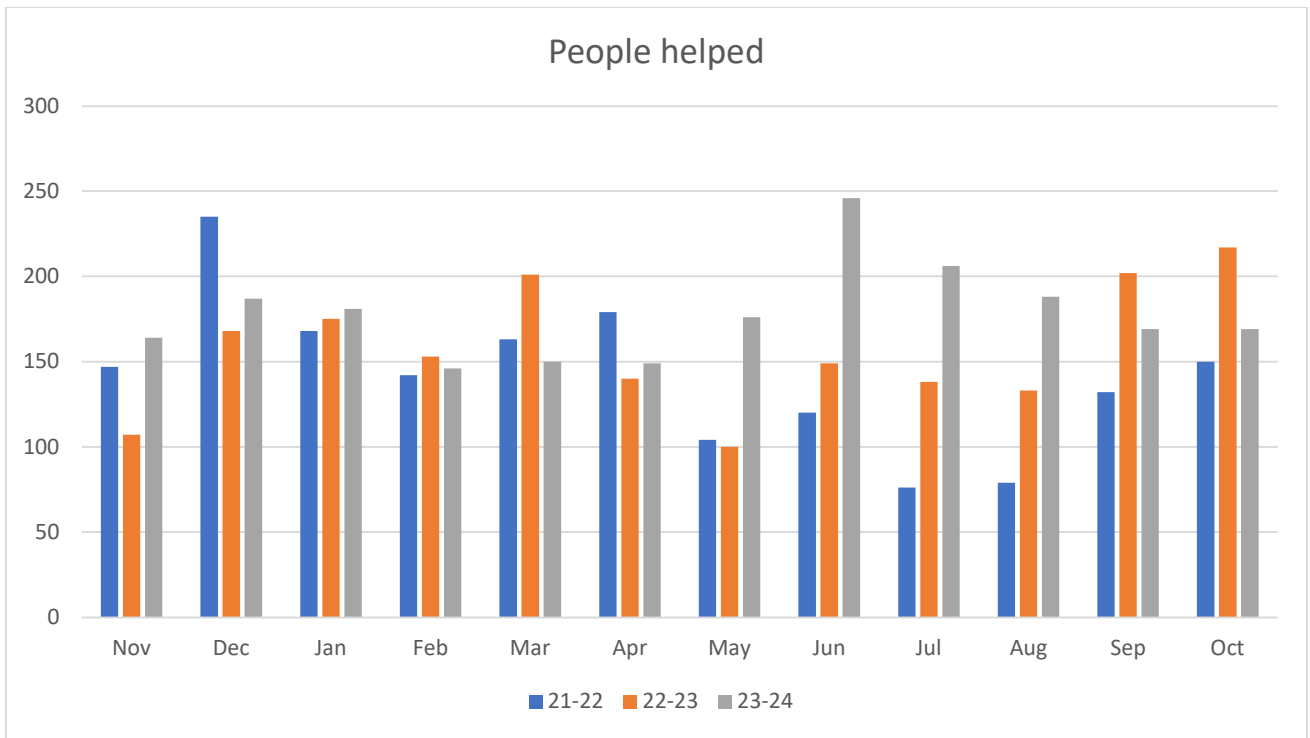
Summary by month

	Nov 23	Dec 23	Jan 24	Feb 24	Mar 24	Apr 24	May 24	June 24	July 24	Aug 24	Sep 24	Oct 24	Total
Total people	164	187	181	146	150	149	176	246	206	188	169	169	2131
Adults	119	127	127	101	109	110	131	173	153	128	121	122	1521
Children	45	60	54	45	41	39	45	73	53	60	48	47	610
Total parcels	84	83	83	60	70	76	83	104	92	78	70	76	959
Total items	2300	1647	2533	2113	2209	2248	2576	2949	2571	2307	1838	1988	27279

During the week before Christmas we also distributed 50 Christmas dinner and treat hampers to the multi-person households we helped during October-December. These are not included in the December or annual totals.

June was our busiest month for parcels issued (104) and people helped (246).





Reason for crisis

Where a reason for their current financial crisis is given, in 47% of cases general low income and the cost of living are cited. A further 12% of cases are caused by benefit sanctions, and 11% by benefit delays. Other reasons include low income due to ill health or disability (9%), homelessness (5%), debt (1%), sudden expenditure (7%), and job loss / cut in hours (5%).

Analysis by household

Household make-up

Of the households helped, 47% have children and 59% have pets. The average number of individuals in the household is 2.6. The household composition is detailed below:

Single adult	32%
Two adults only	18%
Three or more adults only	4%
One adult with children	15%
Two adults with children	26%
Three or more adults with children	6%

Location

33% of the households helped are within Neath Port Talbot (25% in the Ystalyfera / Godre'rgraig ward). A further 61% are in Powys and 6% in other neighbouring counties.

Frequency of help

42% of the households helped have only received one parcel. 26% have received 2 or 3 parcels, 13% have had 4-6 parcels, 7% have had 7-10 parcels, and 11% have been helped 11 times or more.

Analysis of parcels

Household make-up

33% of the parcels issued have gone to households with children.

Single adult	45%
Two adults only	18%
Three or more adults only	4%
One adult with children	7%
Two adults with children	22%
Three or more adults with children	4%

Location

40% of the parcels have gone to households within Neath Port Talbot (33% in the Ystalyfera / Godre'rgraig ward). A further 54% went to Powys and 6% to other neighbouring counties.

Frequency of help

8% of parcels went to households who were only helped once. 13% went to households who needed help 2 or 3 times, 13% to those needing help 4-6 times, 12% to those needing help 7-10 times and 54% to those who needed assistance 11 times or more.

Financial review

During the year we have received grants, funding and donations from a range of organisations, including Neath Port Talbot CBC, Powys County Council, Tesco, Asda and Home Bargains. Local businesses and other charities and groups have also been very generous with their support, as have the many individuals in our community who have donated items, money and their time. Without their help none of our work would be possible.

Total income for the year was **£6,256.34**. The main income sources were:

Donations: £3000

Powys CC Food Poverty Grant: £3142

Total expenditure for the year was **£18,726.79** The main elements of expenditure were:

Purchase of food & other essential items for foodbank: £13,958.14

Utilities and waste disposal: £4160.24

The total deficit for the year was **£12,472.33**. However, in July 2023 we received a grant from the National Lottery Community Fund to cover the period to July 2024, so a significant amount of that funding was carried forward into our 2023-2024 financial year.

It is worth noting that the food & essential items purchase costs showed an increase of 62% on the 2022-23 financial year. This is due partly to increased demand and a fall in food donations, but is mainly accounted for by inflation in food prices.

Structure, governance and management

CATCH, also known as Cwmtawe Action to Combat Hardship, is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation, governed by a constitution dated October 12th 2021.

Appointment of charity trustees

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(2) In selecting individuals for appointment as charity trustees, the charity trustees must have regard to the skills, knowledge and experience needed for the effective administration of the CIO.

The following were trustees of CATCH for some or all of the 2023/24 reporting year:

Jackie Hankins

Cathie Hastie

Cathy James

Ieuan James

Jean Liles

Beverley Stokes

7th January 2025

2023/2024 CATCH Financial Statement - draft**01.11.23 to 31.10.24**

The closing balances as at 31.10.23 brought forward for the 2023/24 financial year were:

Lloyds Bank	£21,440.41
Monmouthshire Building Society	£15,717.41
Cash in hand	£906.00

Total opening balance	£38,063.82
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Income

Donations	£3,000.00
Grants	£3,142.00
Food refund	£14.34
Investment income	£100.00

Total income	£6,256.34
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Expenditure

Food	£13,958.14
Insurance	£566.48
Utilities & waste	£4,160.24
Misc expenses	£41.93

Total expenditure	£18,726.79
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Surplus for 2023/24	-£12,470.45	<i>Note: We received National Lottery funding for the year to August 2024 so carried forward a significant portion of that from the 22/23 financial year</i>
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Closing balance for the 2023/24 financial year:

Lloyds Bank Treasurer's account	£9,775.96
Lloyds Bank savings account	£100.00
Monmouthshire Building Society	£15,717.41 <i>Note: Up to date balance to be confirmed</i>

Total closing balance	£25,593.37
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CATCH Ystalyfera Foodbank

Gurnos Chapel Gurnos Road, Ystalyfera SA9 2JA

Trustees' Report 2022/23

In October 2021 CATCH was awarded registered charity status. This report covers the second year of operation ending October 31st 2023. CATCH is registered as a Charitable Incorporated Organisation, registration number 1196127.

Charity objectives

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Activities, achievements and performance

CATCH's main activity is the operation of a Foodbank, open three mornings a week. For part of the year a charity shop was run on the premises, selling only donated items, which provides income for the Foodbank and funds necessary refurbishments to the Chapel from which we operate

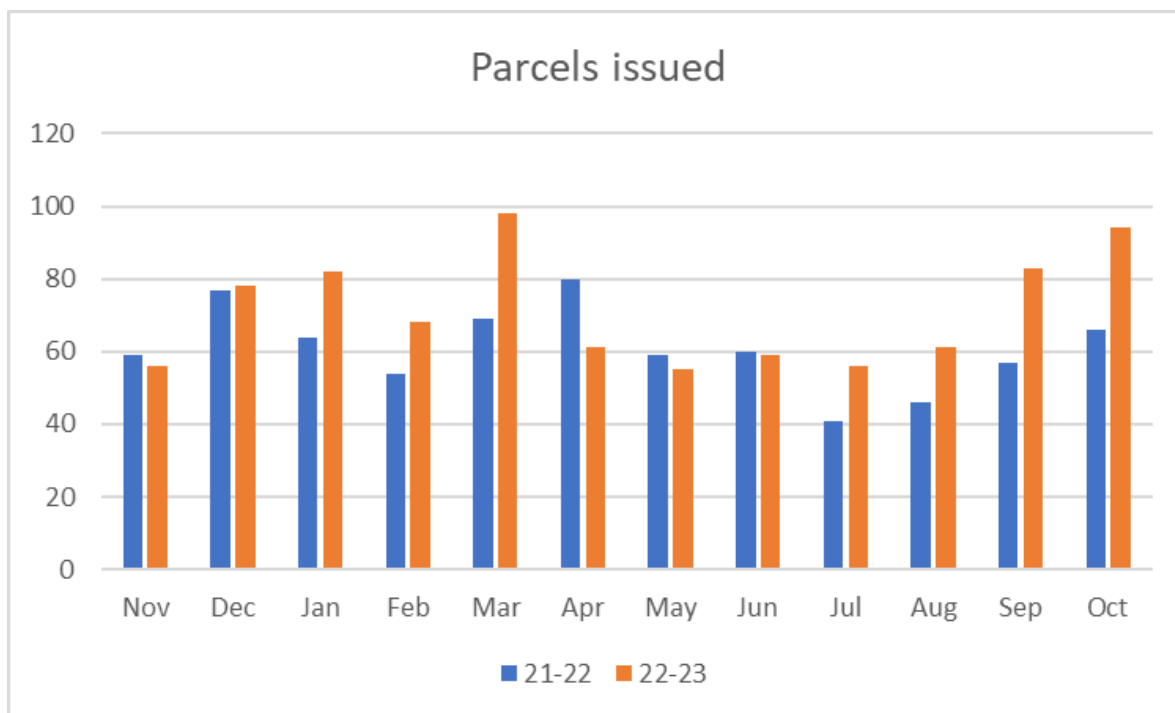
This report covers the year of operation from November 1st 2022 - October 31st 2023. During that time the Foodbank has issued 851 parcels to 205 separate households, helping 537 individuals – 347 adults and 190 children. Many of these have been helped on more than one occasion (the table below counts an individual each time they are helped). The average food parcel contains 30 items of food. 105 of the households came to us for help for the first time this year.

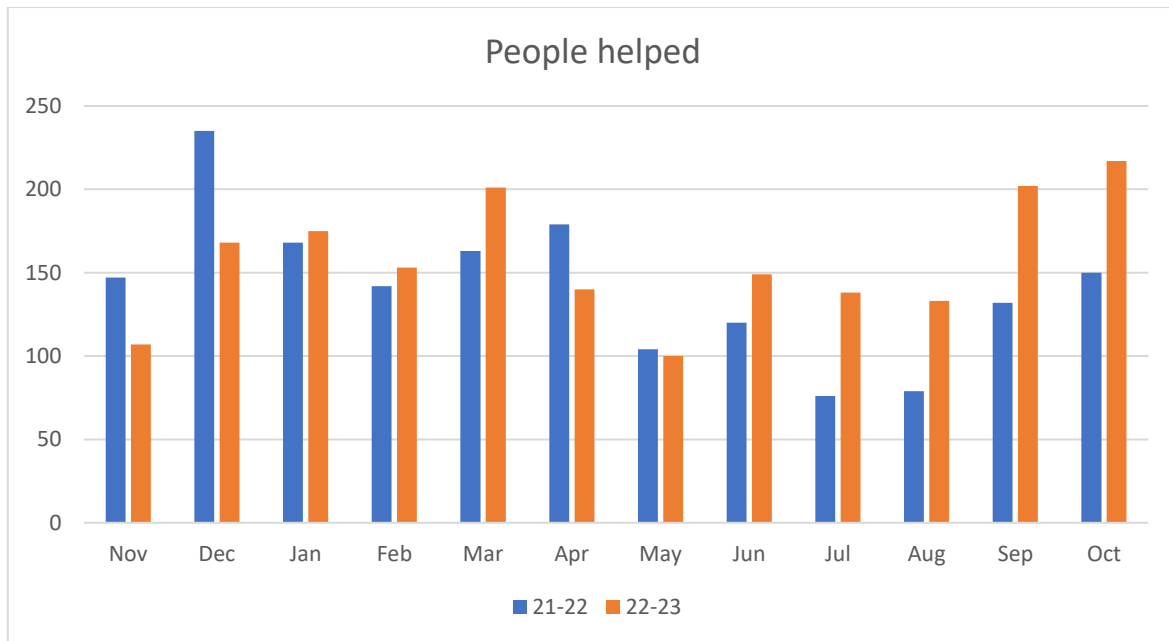
Summary by month

	Nov 22	Dec 22	Jan 23	Feb 23	Mar 23	Apr 23	May 23	June 23	July 23	Aug 23	Sep 23	Oct 23	Total
Total people	107	168	175	153	201	140	100	149	138	133	202	217	1883
Adults	87	124	126	109	155	95	81	99	91	94	133	153	1347
Children	20	44	49	44	46	45	19	50	47	39	69	64	536
Total parcels	56	78	82	68	98	61	55	59	56	61	83	94	851
Total items	1624	2256	2386	2012	2868	1913	1414	1938	1675	1910	2596	2685	25277

During the week before Christmas we also distributed 60 Christmas dinner and treat hampers to the multi-person households we helped during October-December. These are not included in the December or annual totals.

March was our busiest month for parcels, with 98 issued, while we helped the most people in December, with 217.





Of the households we help, 16% have been referred by an agency (e.g. Pobl, Jobcentre) and the remainder self-referred. This is consistent with 21-22.

Reason for crisis

Where a reason for their current financial crisis is given, in 55% of cases general low income and the cost of living are cited. A further 17% of cases are caused by low income due to ill health or disability, and 11% by benefit delays. Other reasons include homelessness (4%), debt (2%), benefit sanctions (5%), sudden expenditure (3%), and job loss / cut in hours (2%).

Analysis by household

Household make-up

Of the households helped, 43% have children and 56% have pets. The average number of individuals in the household is 2.6. The household composition is detailed below:

Single adult	33%
Two adults only	18%
Three or more adults only	6%
One adult with children	13%
Two adults with children	26%
Three or more adults with children	5%

Location

55% of the households helped are within Neath Port Talbot (48% in the Ystalyfera / Godre'rgraig ward). A further 43% are in Powys and 2% in other neighbouring counties.

Frequency of help

42% of the households helped have only received one parcel. 30% have received 2 or 3 parcels, 10% have had 4-6 parcels, 9% have had 7-10 parcels, and 9% have been helped 11 times or more.

Analysis of parcels

Household make-up

30% of the parcels issued have gone to households with children.

Single adult	46%
Two adults only	19%
Three or more adults only	6%
One adult with children	8%
Two adults with children	18%
Three or more adults with children	4%

Location

62% of the parcels have gone to households within Neath Port Talbot (51% in the Ystalyfera / Godre'rgraig ward). A further 36% went to Powys and 2% to other neighbouring counties.

Frequency of help

10% of parcels went to households who were only helped once. 17% went to households who needed help 2 or 3 times, 12% to those needing help 4-6 times, 18% to those needing help 7-10 times and 43% to those who needed assistance 11 times or more.

Financial review

During the year we have received funding and donations (both cash and supplies) from a range of organisations, including the National Lottery Community Fund, Powys County Council, Tesco, Asda and Home Bargains. Local businesses and other charities and groups have also been very generous with their support, as have the many individuals in our community who have donated items, money and their time. Without their help none of our work would be possible.

Total income for the year was **£28,437.07**. The main income sources were:

National Lottery Community Fund: £9990

Charity shop sales: £4411.67

Powys CC Food Poverty Grant: £7813.35

Total expenditure for the year was **£18,076.84** The main elements of expenditure were:

Purchase of food & other essential items for foodbank: £8596.11

Chapel maintenance and refurbishment: £4254.26

Utilities and waste disposal: £3690.55

The total surplus for the year was **£10,360.23**. Much of this is due to the National Lottery grant, which was awarded in July 2023 to fund operations up to July 2024.

Closing bank balances as at 31.10.23:

Lloyds Bank (current account): £21,440.41

Monmouthshire Building Society (reserves): £15,717.41

Structure, governance and management

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Jackie Hankins

Brian Hastie

Cathie Hastie

Louise Hastie

John Howie

Cathy James

Ieuan James

Jean Liles

Beverley Stokes

29th January 2024

2022/2023 CATCH Financial Statement
01.11.22 to 31.10.23

The closing balances as at 31.10.22 brought forward for the 2022/23 financial year were:

Lloyds Bank	£12,145.96
Monmouthshire Building Society	£15,559.52

Total opening balance	£27,705.48
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Income

Donations	£3,551.97
Grants	£20,808.35
Food refund	£14.16
Charity shop sales	£3,904.70
Interest on MBS account	£157.89

Total income	£28,437.07
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Expenditure

Food	£8,596.11
Insurance	£275.94
Utilities	£2,452.55
Waste	£1,238.00
IT	£328.44
Building maintenance	£4,254.26
Misc expenses	£931.54

Total expenditure	£18,076.84
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Surplus for 2022/23	£10,360.23
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Closing balance for the 2022/23 financial year:

Lloyds Bank	£21,440.41
Monmouthshire Building Society	£15,717.41
Cash in hand	£907.89

Total closing balance	£38,065.71
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Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Cwmtawe Action to Combat Hardship (CATCH)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of Cwmtawe Action to Combat Hardship (CATCH) for the year ended 31st October 2023.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of CATCH 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 CATCH'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: Sarah Amber Thomas

Relevant professional qualification or membership of professional bodies (if any):

Acting Clerk – Gwaun Cae Gurwen Community Council

Treasurer – Co-operative Party (South Wales Branch)

Address: 45 Llwyn Road, Cwmgors, Ammanford, SA18 1RE

Date: 27/08/2024

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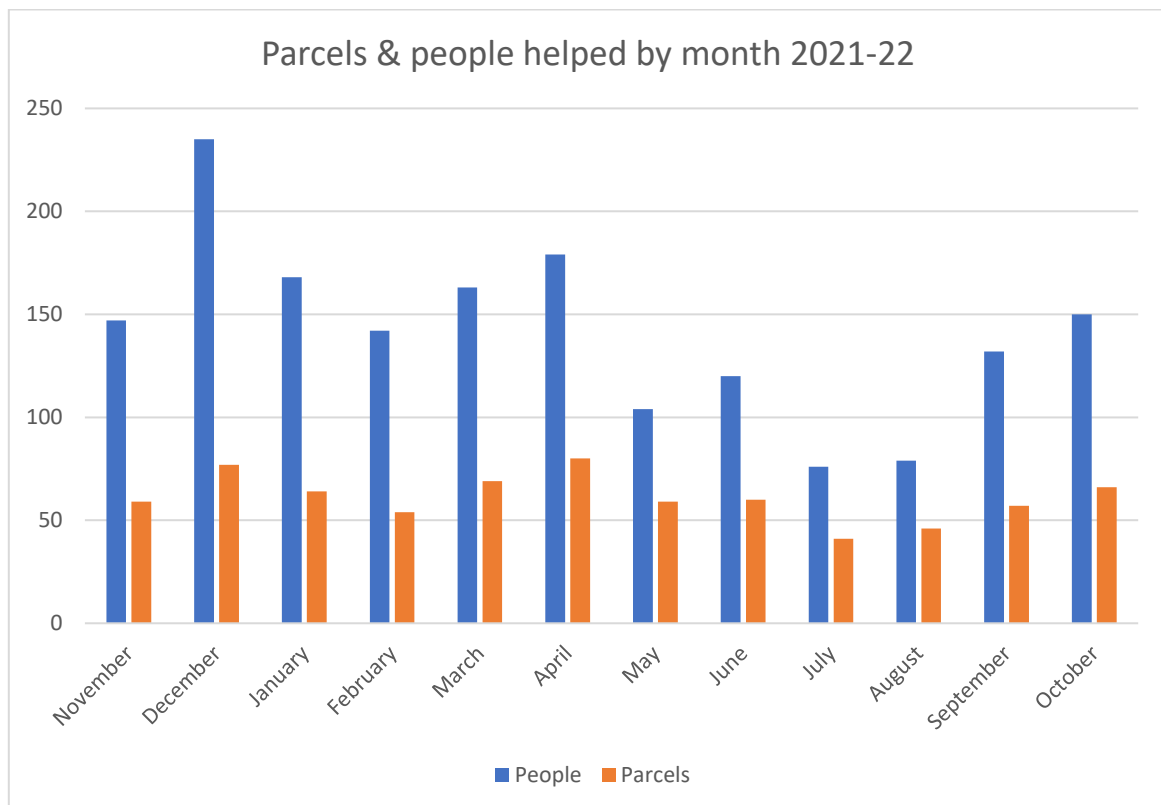
During the 2021/22 year the Foodbank has issued 732 parcels to 188 separate households, helping 489 individuals – 311 adults and 178 children. Many of these have been helped on more than one occasion (the table below counts an individual each time they are helped). The average food parcel contains 33 items of food.

Summary by month

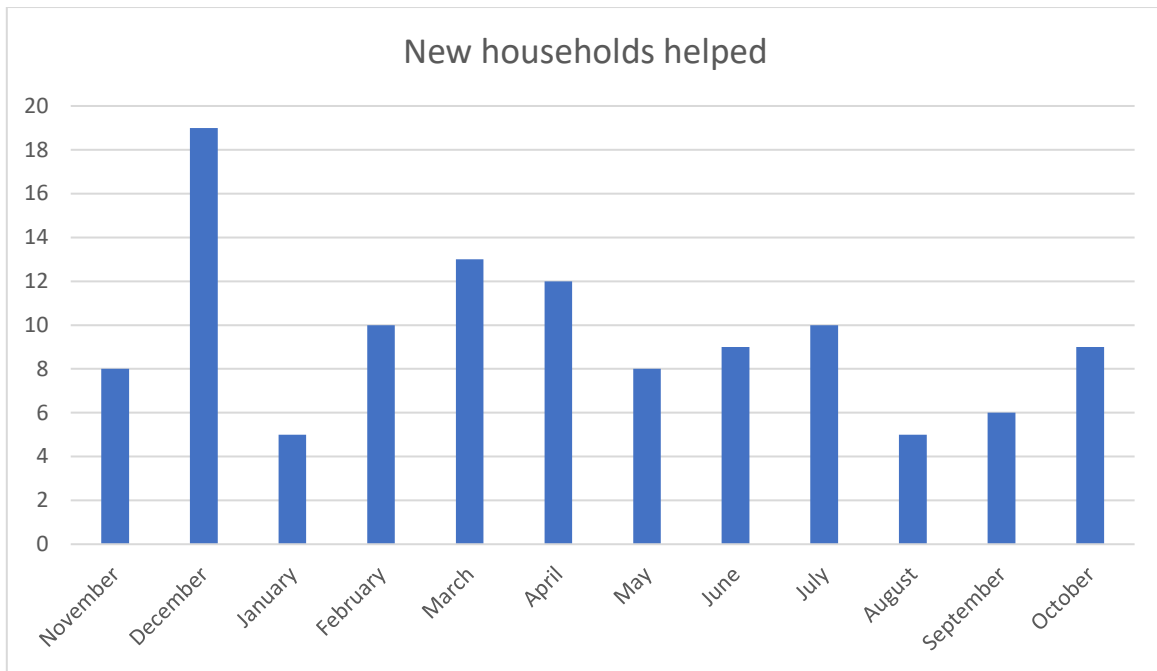
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Adults	107	153	111	95	115	130	81	90	56	62	90	108	1198
Children	40	82	57	47	48	49	23	30	20	17	42	42	497
Total parcels	59	77	64	54	69	80	59	60	41	46	57	66	732
Total items	1899	3151	2304	1943	2245	2551	1711	1771	1268	1247	1864	2139	24093

During the week before Christmas we also distributed 60 Christmas dinner and treat hampers to the multi-person households we helped during October-December. These are not included in the December or annual totals.

April was our busiest month for parcels, with 80 issued, while we helped the most people in December, with 235.



New households continue to come to us each month.



Of the households we help, 16% have been referred by an agency (e.g. Pobl, Jobcentre) and the remainder self-referred.

Analysis by household

Household make-up

Of the households helped, 47% have children and 50% have pets. The average number of individuals in the household is 2.6. The household composition is detailed below:

Single adult	35%
Two adults only	13%
Three or more adults only	5%
One adult with children	16%
Two adults with children	25%
Three or more adults with children	9%

Location

52% of the households helped are within Neath Port Talbot (39% in the Ystalyfera / Godre'rgraig ward). A further 42% are in Powys and 6% in other neighbouring counties.

Frequency of help

47% of the households helped have only received one parcel. 25% have received 2 or 3 parcels, 11% have had 4-6 parcels, 9% have had 7-10 parcels, and 9% have been helped 10 times or more.

Analysis of parcels

Household make-up

34% of the parcels issued have gone to households with children.

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Two adults only	15%
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Two adults with children	17%
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Location

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Financial review

During the year we have received funding and donations (both cash and supplies) from a range of organisations, including Ystalyfera Community Council, Neath Port Talbot CBC, Powys County Council, Tesco, Asda and Home Bargains. Local businesses and other charities and groups have also been very generous with their support, as have the many individuals in our community who have donated items, money and their time. Without their help none of our work would be possible.

During the course of the year ownership of Gurnos Chapel, from which we operate, was transferred to CATCH. No purchase price was paid but we had to cover the legal costs.

Total income for the year was **£26,922.48**. The main income sources were:

Neath Port Talbot CBC Food Poverty Grant: £8819.98

Charity shop sales: £8702.85

Powys CC Food Poverty Grant: £4580.80

Tesco "Blue Token" award: £1825.00

Total expenditure for the year was **£24,054.06**. The main elements of expenditure were:

Purchase of food & other essential items for foodbank: £5631.39

Chapel maintenance and refurbishment: £5755.19

Utilities, waste disposal and running costs: £4488.26

Equipment (IT, food storage, heaters): £3735.03

The total surplus for the year was **£2868.42**.

Closing bank balances as at 31.10.22:

Lloyds Bank (current account): £12,145.96

Monmouthshire Building Society (reserves): £15,559.52

Structure, governance and management

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Colin Roberts

28th March 2023

2021 to 2022 CATCH Accounts
New Financial Year as a Charitable Status Organisation
01/11/21 to 31/10/22

Date	Details	In	Out	Catch Bal	Shop etc.	Bank Bal
31/10	Balance at close of last financial year					9277.54
01/11	FPI = Webb foodbank donation	5.00		9282.54		9282.54
05/11	DEP – cheque donations	126.00		9408.54		9408.54
08/11	DEB – Cheaperwaste		32.06	9376.48		9376.48
08/11	DEB – B &Q – heaters for vestry		334.05	9042.43		9042.43
08/11	CPT – Cash withdrawal for handyman payment		250.00	8792.43		8792.43
15/11	DEB – J A Daly – Electric sockets for new vestry heaters		21.34	8771.09		8771.09
17/11	FPI – Donation	30.00		8801.09		8801.09
22/11	DEB – Amazon – ID badges on lanyards		3.49	8797.60		8797.60
22/11	DD – Cheaperwaste		32.06	8765.54		8765.54
22/11	FPI – Donation	50.00		8815.54		8815.54
25/11	DD – Keegan & Pennykid insurance		20.53	8795.01		8795.01
26/11	FPI – On-going donation to CATCH account	25.00		8820.01		8820.01
29/11	DEB – Argos Ltd for purchase of new replacement computer		419.99	8400.02		8400.02
29/11	DEB – Total Asda Nov. food purchases, (11 th ,16 th ,29 th)		248.67	8151.35		8151.35
30/11	DEB – Total Tesco Nov. food purchases, (1 st ,2 nd ,4 th ,9 th ,22 nd ,25 th ,30 th)		349.01	7802.34		7802.34
30/11	DEB – Total Home bargain Nov. food purchases, (1 st & 30 th)		55.86	7746.48		7746.48
01/12	FPI – Webb foodbank donation	5.00		7751.48		7751.48
02/12	DEP	250.00		8001.48		8001.48
06/12	BGC – 1 st of 3 Tesco store ‘blue token’ awards	1125.00		9126.48		9126.48
06/12	DEB – Currys Swansea – purchase of printer		284.99	8841.49		8841.49
06/12	CPT – Cash withdrawal for handyman payment		250.00	8591.49		8591.49
20/12	BGC – 2 nd of 3 Tesco stores ‘blue token awards	700.00		9291.49		9291.49
21/12	BGC – NPT CBC (via WG) payment for food poverty	4419.98		13711.47		13711.47

21/12	DD – Cheaperwaste		147.26	13564.21		13564.21
21/12	FPI – Facebook donation	25.00		13589.21		13589.21
29/12	DEB – Tot. Dec. food purch. (01,06,07,13,14,16,20,21,22,29 inc. <21.35>20		429.38	13159.83		13159.83
29/12	DD – Keegan & Pennykid insurance		20.53	13139.30		13139.30
29/12	FPI - On-going donation toCATCH account	25.00		13164.30		13164.30
04/01	FPI – Webb foodbank donation	5.00		13169.30		13169.30
06/01	BGC – PAVO	49.80		13219.10		13219.10
06/01	BGC – PAVO donation	97.61		13316.71		13316.71
07/01	CPT – Cash withdrawal for handyman expenses		250.00	13066.71		13066.71
24/01	DD – Waste Managed Ltd. (formerly Cheaperwaste) – waste uplift		48.00	13018.71		13018.71
25/01	DD – Keegan & Pennykid insurance		20.53	12998.18		12998.18
26/01	FPI – Ongoing donation to CATCH account	25.00		13023.18		13023.18
31/01	BGC – Donation via CAF	50.00		13073.18		13073.18
31/01	CPT – Cash withdrawal for volunteer expenses		50.00	13023.18		13023.18
31/01	DEB – Tot. Jan Tesco food purchases, (10,17,18,25,27,31)		373.29	12649.89		12649.89
31/01	DEB – Tot Jan Asda food purchases		40.37	12609.52		12609.52
31/01	DEB – Tot Jan Home Bargains food purchases, (19,28 & 31 st)		79.44	12530.08		12530.08
31/01	FPO – (from 25/01) SSE for electricity		225.51	12304.57		12304.57
01/02	FPI – Webb foodbank donation	5.00		12309.57		12309.57
04/02	CPT – Cash withdrawal for handyman expenses		250.00	12059.57		12059.57
15/02	FPO – Welsh Water		64.14	11995.43		11995.43
21/02	DEB – purchase of blinds from Argos		54.00	11941.43		11941.43
21/02	BGC – Powys CC grant for purchase of capital expenditure items	1526.90		13468.33		13468.33
21/02	DD – Waste Managed LTD. For waste uplift		48.00	13420.33		13420.33
21/02	FPI – Cheaperwaste refund re now trading as Waste Managed Ltd.	11.63		13431.96		13431.96
25/02	DD – Keegan & Pennykid for insurance		20.53	13411.43		13411.43
28/02	FPI – Donation to CATCH account	50.00		13461.43		13461.43
28/02	FPI – On-going donation to CATCH account	25.00		13486.43		13486.43

28.02	CPT – Cash withdrawal for payment of handyman expenses		250.00	13236.43		13236.43
28/02	CPT – Cash withdrawal for volunteer expenses		50.00	13186.43		13186.43
28/02	DEB – Total Feb Tesco food purchases, (01,03,07,08,15,21 & 22)		392.44	12793.99		12793.99
28/02	DEB – Total Feb Home Bargain food purchases, (03,04,15 & 22)		59.11	12734.88		12734.88
01/03	FPI – Webb foodbank donation	5.00		12739.88		12739.88
07/03	DEB – Microsoft Store for 'Office' software		59.99	12679.89		12679.89
14/03	FPI – Donation to CATCH account	50.00		12729.89		12729.89
14/03	DEB – Peter Lynn & Part. – Dep. Legal fees for G. C. transfer of ownership		300.00	12429.89		12429.89
21/03	DD – Waste Managed Ltd. – Removal of waste		48.00	12381.89		12381.89
22/03	DEB – eBay purchase of printer ink.		17.33	12364.56		12364.56
25/03	DD – Keegan & Pennykid for insurance		20.53	12344.03		12344.03
25/03	CPT – Cash withdrawal for volunteer expenses		50.00	12294.03		12294.03
28/03	FPI – On-going donation to CATCH account	25.00		12319.03		12319.03
30.03	CHQ 249 – Cash withdrawal to reimburse JH for 6 x £18 NOW TV p'ments		108.00	12211.03		12211.03
31/03	DEB – Total Mar Tesco food purchases, (07,08,15,21,22,29 & 31)		392.88	11818.15		11818.15
31./03	DEB – Total Mar Asda food purchases, (07 & 31)		59.63	11758.52		11758.52
31/03	DEB – Tot. Mar Home Bargain food purchases, (07,15,21 & 28)		58.53	11699.99		11699.99
01/04	FPI – Webb foodbank donation	5.00		11704.99		11704.99
01/04	CPT – Cash withdrawal for payment of handyman expenses		250.00	11454.99		11454.99
05/04	DEB – LBS Builders Merchants for purchase of timber		424.19	11030.80		11030.80
06/04	DEB – eBay printer ink refund	17.33		11048.13		11048.13
07/04	DEP – night safe deposit of donated cheques	85.00		11133.13		11133.13
08/04	DEB – LBS Builders Merchants for purchase of timber		28.79	11104.34		11104.34
11/04	DEB – eBay printer ink purchase		16.46	11087.88		11087.88
12/04	DEB – LBS Builders Merchants for purchase of timber		30.24	11057.64		11057.64
19/04	CPT – Cash withdrawal for volunteer expenses		50.00	11007.64		11007.64
21/04	DD – Waste Managed Ltd. For waste removal		48.00	10959.64		10959.64

22/04	FPO – South Wales Electricity		366.57	10593.07		10593.07
26/04	FPI – On-going donation to CATCH account	25.00		10618.07		10618.07
26/04	DD – Keegan & Pennykid for insurance		20.53	10597.54		10597.54
27/04	DEB – Now TV – Mar & Apr payments for Wi-Fi router		36.00	10561.54		10561.54
30/04	DEB – Total Apr Tesco food purchases, (04,12,13,14,19,25,26 & 28)		673.15	9888.39		9888.39
30/04	DEB – Total Apr Home Bargain food purchases, (04,05,12,19 & 26)		100.38	9788.01		9788.01
30/04	DEB – Asda food purchase, (11 th)		58.78	9729.23		9729.23
30/04	Charity shop sales, Dec to Apr inc. £4484.18 less non foodbank expenditure of £3203.29p. See separate Charity Shop A/cs for details.				1280.89	
03/05	FPI – Webb foodbank donation	5.00		9734.23		9734.23
04/05	DEP – Cash deposit via PO from Charity Shop A/c	1020.00		10754.23	260.89	10754.23
05/05	DEB – Peter Lynn & Partners – Solicitor balance of fee re GC ownership		763.00	9991.23		9991.23
06/05	CPT – Cash withdrawal for volunteer expenses		50.00	9941.23		9941.23
11/05	DEB – Now TV router payment		18.00	9923.23		9923.23
16/05	DEB – LBS Builders Merchants GC flooring		783.73	9139.50		9139.50
17/05	DEB – LBS Builders Merchants refund GC flooring	66.72		9206.22		9206.22
17/05	DEB – LBS Builders Merchants GC flooring		12.20	9194.02		9194.02
20/05	DEB – LBS Builders Merchants GC flooring		100.85	9093.17		9093.17
23/05	“ “ “ “ GC flooring		507.10	8586.07		8586.07
23/05	DD – Waste Management Ltd. – Refuse uplift		48.00	8538.07		8538.07
24/05	DEB – LBS GC flooring		20.71	8517.36		8517.36
26/05	FPI – On-going donation to CATCH account	25.00		8542.36		8542.36
26/05	DD – Keegan & Pennykid for insurance		22.19	8520.17		8520.17
26/05	DEB – Total May Tesco food purchases, (3,5,9,10,16,23 x2 & 24 th)		433.05	8087.12		8087.12
26/05	DEB – Total May Home Bargain food purchases, (3 rd , 9 th & 24 th)		49.04	8038.08		8038.08
01/06	FPI – H & H Webb food bank donation	5.00		8043.08		8043.08
09/06	DEB – Now TV router payment		18.00	8025.08		8025.08
14/06	DEB – B & Q		131.76	7893.32		7893.32

16/06	FPI – Awel Ltd. – community dividend	100.00		7993.32		7993.32
20/06	DEB – B & Q		136.00	7857.32		7857.32
20/06	DEB – DWR Cymru – water charge		47.03	7810.29		7810.29
21/06	DD – Waste Managed – refuse uplift		48.00	7762.29		7762.29
23/06	FPO – Cathy James – reimbursement for insurance payment		259.64	7502.65		7502.65
27/06	DD – Keegan & Pennykid for insurance		22.17	7480.48		7480.48
27/06	FPI – ongoing donation to CATCH account	25.00		7505.48		7505.48
28/06	DEB – Total June Tesco food purchases, (30 &31/05, 20 &21/06)		321.10	7184.38		7184.38
28/06	DEB - “ “ Asda “ “ (09, 13, 14 & 28/06)		288.54	6895.84		6895.84
28/06	DEB – Home Bargains purchase on 31/05		19.93	6875.91		6875.91
01/07	FPI – H & H Webb – food bank donation	5.00		6880.91		6880.91
01/07	FPO – South Wales Electricity		185.78	6695.13		6695.13
04/07	DEB – LBS		10.80	6684.33		6684.33
04/07	FPI – Rev. & Mrs Butler donation	20.00		6704.33		6704.33
11/07	CPT – Tesco Ystradgynlais		200.00	6504.33		6504.33
11/07	CPT - “ “		80.00	6424.33		6424.33
11/07	DEB – NOW TV – router payment		18.00	6406.33		6406.33
13/07	DEB – LBS		35.57	6370.76		6370.76
21/07	DD – Waste Management – refuse uplift		48.00	6322.76		6322.76
22/07	DEP – Cash donation paid in via PO Ystalyfera	240.00		6562.76		6562.76
25/07	DEP – cheque donation paid in via night safe	100.00		6662.76		6662.76
26/07	FPI – ongoing donation to CATCH account	25.00		6687.76		6687.76
26/07	DD – Keegan & Pennykid for insurance		22.17	6665.59		6665.59
26/07	DEB – Tot. Jul food, (Tes & HB, £37.77 on 4/7), Asda £121.31 on 5 & 21)		159.08	6506.51		6506.51
01/08	FPI – H&H Webb foodbank donation	5.00		6511.51		6511.51
03/08	FPO – Welsh Water		112.66	6398.85		6398.85
03/08	FPO – South Wales Electricity		504.01	5894.84		5894.84
04/08	FPI – Rev. & Mrs Butler donation	20.00		5914.84		5914.84
10/08	DEB – Now TV – router payment		18.00	5896.84		5896.84

16/08	FPI – Dr. D & S Morgan	50.00		5946.84		5946.84
22/08	DD – Waste Management – refuse uplift		48.00	5898.84		5898.84
25/08	DD – Keegan & Pennykid _ insurance		22.17	5876.67		5876.67
26/08	FPI – Ongoing donation to CATCH account	25.00		5901.67		5901.67
30/08	DEB – Tot. August Asda food purchases, (16 th & 30 th)		115.58	5786.09		5786.09
30/08	DEB - “ “ Tesco “ “ (23 rd)		60.13	5725.96		5725.96
01/09	FPI – H & H Webb foodbank donation	5.00		5730.96		5730.96
05/09	FPI – Rev. & Mrs Butler donation	20.00		5750.96		5750.96
07/09	BGC – Powys CC – foodbank grant	3053.90		8804.96		8804.96
07/09	FPO – Welsh Water		112.66	8692.20		8692.20
09/09	DEB – Now TV – router payment		18.00	8674.20		8674.20
20/09	DEB – Argos – printing ink		52.94	8621.26		8621.26
21/09	DD – Waste Management – refuse uplift		48.00	8573.26		8573.26
22/09	FPI – Dr. D & S Morgan	50.00		8623.26		8623.26
26/09	FPI – Ongoing donation to CATCH account	25.00		8648.26		8648.26
27/09	DD – Keegan & Pennykid for insurance		22.17	8626.09		8626.09
27/09	DEB – Tot. Sep. Tesco food purchases, (3, 10, 20, 24 th x 2)		274.44	8351.65		8351.65
27/09	DEB - “ “ Home Bargains (15 th)		34.28	8317.37		8317.37
03/10	FPI – H & H Webb foodbank donation	5.00		8322.37		8322.37
04/10	FPI – Rev. & Mrs Butler	20.00		8342.37		8342.37
11/10	DEB – Now TV – router payment		18.00	8324.37		8324.37
13/10	DEB – St. John Ambulance – First Aid materials		57.54	8266.83		8266.83
19/10	Dep – Night Safe - donation	30.00		8296.83		8296.83
21/10	DD – Waste Management – refuse uplift		48.00	8248.83		8248.83
25/10	BGC – NPT CBC – foodbank grant	4400.00		12648.83		12648.83
25/10	DD – Keegan & Pennykid for insurance		22.17	12626.66		12626.66
26/10	FPI – Ongoing donation to CATCH account	25.00		12651.66		12651.66
26/10	DEB – Tot. Oct. Tesco food purchases, (33, 10. 20 & 24 th x2)		488.12	12163.54		12163.54
26/10	DEB – Tot. Home Bargains “ (24 th)		17.58	12145.96		12145.96

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Cwmtawe Action to Combat Hardship (CATCH)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of Cwmtawe Action to Combat Hardship (CATCH) for the year ended 31st October 2022.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of CATCH 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 CATCH'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: Beverley Stephens-Mainwaring

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Date: 11 August 2023