



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From	Period start date			To	Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
	01	06	2023		31	05	2024

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any)

Charity's principal address

Gresley House
Ten Pound Walk
Doncaster
Postcode <input type="text" value="DN4 5HX"/>

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	Carri Nicholson	Chair	From August 2023	
2	Peter Moody		Full year	
3	Michael Howarth		Full year	
4	Gareth Evans		From August 2023	
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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

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Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

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

David Bathgate - CEO

Section B Structure, governance and management

Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)	CIO Foundation Model
How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company)	Trustees provide governance for the charity
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	Elected by agreement of current 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

Military vs Cancer aims to provide relief to persons in need, by reason of ill-health due to the effects of cancer throughout the British Isles, by advancing any lawful charitable purpose at the discretion of the trustees and in particular but not exclusively to make grants to organisations who deliver diagnosis, treatment, care, research, education and emotional support to patients and families during the ongoing stages of their cancer journey and to provide or make available facilities and services for cancer patients, their families and formally appointed carers and any other

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)

<p>projects or initiatives which the trustees may decide.</p> <p>Issued 22 grants to personnel from the Royal Navy, British Army, Royal Air Force, Veterans and immediate families.</p> <p>Helped 22 individuals and their families</p> <p>Provided £44,224.37 of financial support</p> <p>Provided timely information to families in support of their diagnosis</p> <p>Engaged with Senior Military officials in support of providing much needed information to those with a cancer diagnosis.</p>
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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.

<p>Objectives:</p> <p>Support for Cancer Patients and Families: Provide financial assistance, counselling, and support services to military personnel, veterans, and their families affected by cancer. Ensure that those in the military community have access to the best possible care and resources during their battle with cancer.</p> <p>Cancer Awareness and Prevention: Promote awareness of cancer risks, early detection, and prevention strategies within the military community. Educate military personnel on the importance of regular health check-ups and a healthy lifestyle to reduce cancer risks.</p> <p>Building a Supportive Community: Foster a strong network of support among military families, offering a sense of community and shared purpose in the fight against cancer. Engage with other charitable organisations, healthcare providers, and government agencies to amplify the support to the Armed Forces Community.</p> <p>Activities:</p> <p>Annual Events: Host high-profile events such as the Summer Ball, charity dinners, and</p>
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auctions to raise funds and awareness. Organise community-based events like Armed Forces Day Events and challenges that encourage participation and support.

Support Networks:

Work alongside peer support groups for military cancer patients and their families, offering a space to share experiences and advice.

Provide access to mental health resources and counselling to help individuals cope with the emotional challenges of a cancer diagnosis.

Section D

Achievements and performance

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Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

Fundraising Success: Raised **£195,700** through various events and campaigns, directly supporting the Armed Forces Community.

Community Engagement: Strengthened ties with the military community and the wider public, raising awareness of cancer issues and promoting health and wellness.

High-Profile Events: Organised successful events such as the Summer Ball, Armed Forces Day Rugby Event and Peak District Challenge bringing together key figures from the defence industry and beyond to support the cause.

Collaborative Partnerships: Established and maintained valuable partnerships with sponsors, such as ET Payroll, Hydrocert, Repic, Recycling Lives and GAP NE enhancing the impact of the charity's efforts.

Support: Gained the support of high-profile entertainers like Richard Jones, helping to elevate the charity's profile and reach a broader audience.

Expansion of staff: Expanded our knowledge base by having 2 extra trustees and 2 extra patrons join us, offering more resources and assistance to those affected by cancer within the Armed Forces Community.

Section E

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

The Board of Trustees have determined that one of the Key Performance Indicators for the new Chief Executive (commenced duties on 1st July 2024) will be to establish a reserve equivalent to 6 months bare-bones operating costs within 18 months of his appointment.

Details of any funds materially in deficit

None

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.

Our principal source of funds is from fundraising activities such as the Great North Run, Summer Ball, Armed Forces Day Rugby Event and our annual physical challenge.



The key objectives of the charity were and still are to raise our profile whilst supporting the increasing numbers of grant applications we receive. The appointment of staff (paid and unpaid) allows us to maintain the required functions such as administration and event management.

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)

Caroline Anne Nicholson

Dominic Banner

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Chair of the Board of Trustees

Trustee

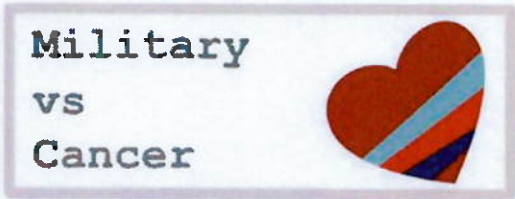
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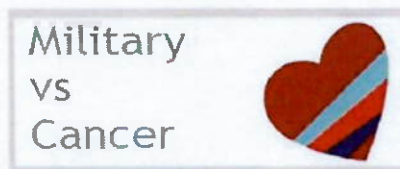
Annual Financial Report

Military vs Cancer (Charity No. 11 9911 5)
For the period ended May 31, 2024



Military vs Cancer
Financial Activities
Charity Number 1199115

01 June 2023 - 31 May, 2024



	Total
Income	
Total Income	195,700
Cost of sales	
Total Cost of activities	76,597
Expenditures	
Total Expenditures	103,125
Net Operating Income	15,978
Net Other Income	0
Net Income/(Expenditure)	15,978

Military vs Cancer
Charity Number 1199115
Balance Sheet
As of May 31, 2024



Total
£

Fixed Asset

Total Fixed Asset	92
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Current Assets

<u>Stock</u>	9,570
Cash at bank and in hand	56,098
Debtors	10,918
Other current assets	18,256
Total Current Assets	94,842

Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

Trade Creditors	0
Other Creditors	0
Total Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	0

Net current assets (liabilities)	94,842
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Total Creditors: amounts falling due after one year	0
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Total net assets (liabilities)	94,934
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Charity funds

Opening Balance	78,956
Surplus/(Deficit)	15,978
Total Charity funds	94,934

Approved By Trustees

Trustee name

Trustee Signature

Date



CHARITY COMMISSION FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/
members of

Charity Name
Military V Cancer

On accounts for the year
ended

31/05/24

Charity no
(if any)

1199115

Set out on pages

3 to 6

(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended **31 / 05 / 2023**.

Responsibilities and
basis of report

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 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:

28/11/2024

Name:

Mark Curry

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

FCCA

Address:

Gap House, Nest Road, Gateshead, Tyne & Wear , NE10 0ES

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 examiner wishes to disclose.

There are no items to disclose.