



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 1st October 2023 To 30th September 2024

Charity name: Norfolk Beekeepers' Association (NBKA)

Charity registration number: CIO 1199713

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	
	Para 1.38	

Policy on social investment including program related investment		
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	Assist in beekeeping demonstrations, talks and local events promoting beekeeping and the influence made by honey bees in the environment and products produced
Other		

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Norfolk Show</u>: NBKA was able to promote the importance of honey bees to the general public and encourage purchase of bee-friendly plants. Many people signed up for beekeeping courses in 2025. We were delighted to be awarded the Trade Stand Award for the most Effective Conservation or Environmental Exhibit • Beekeeping courses have been held with the practical elements taking place at the Association Apiary. This is a very important service we are able to offer those who want to take up beekeeping as well as those wanting to improve their own skills and knowledge • Demonstrations and talk have taken part throughout 2024 to encourage beekeeping. • Schools and children's club talks are given by beekeepers to promote awareness of the importance of bees in our world. • Swarms have been removed by our local volunteers and found new homes. • Storage at the training apiary enables bulk-buying of essential beekeeping items. This helps and encourages NBKA members to continue beekeeping.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	
Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	Members annual subscriptions including gift aid. Donations. The sale of honey, wax and other products derived from these. Revenue for beekeeping courses run at our association apiary.

Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	
Other		

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed , royal charter)	Para 1.25	
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association , CIO)	Para 1.25	CIO
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Trustees appointed at the AGM

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	

Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Norfolk Beekeepers' Association
Other name the charity uses	NBKA
Registered charity number	CIO 1199713
Charity's principal address	2, Lacey Rd Taverham Norwich NR8 6ND

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	Trevor Nash	Chair		
3	Garry Bowler	Secretary		
4	David Goodwin	Treasurer		
5	David King	Membership Secretary		
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

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Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

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Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

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

Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

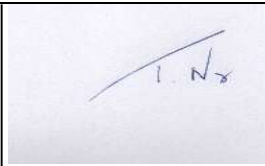
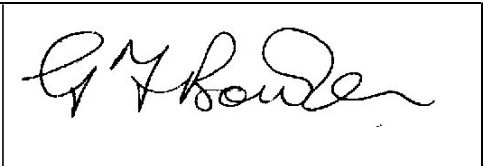
None

Other optional information

Declarations

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Trevor Nash	Garry Bowler
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair	Secretary
Date	04/04/2025	04/04/2025



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/
members of

Charity Name
Norfolk Beekeepers' Association

On accounts for the
period ended

30th September 2024

Charity no
(if any)

1199713

Set out on pages

11 to 12

(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 period ended **30/09/2023**.

Responsibilities and
basis of report

As the charity's trustees, 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 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 (other than that disclosed below *) which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair' view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

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.

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

Signed:

Date:

22/07/2025

Name:

Mr Anthony James Brice

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

FCCA

Address:

10, The Thoroughfare

Harleston, Norfolk

Section B**Disclosure**

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material 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.

Charity Name Norfolk Beekeepers' Association	No (if any) 1199713
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Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	period start 01/10/2023	To	period end 30/09/2024
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted Funds	Restricted Funds	Endowment Funds	Total Funds	Last Year
A1 Receipts					
Funds transferred on incorporation	£0			£0	£23,580
Membership fees etc	£10,915			£10,915	£11,833
Merchandise and publication sales	£9,626			£9,626	£8,819
Donations received	£180			£180	£8,996
Miscellaneous income	£1,710			£1,710	£31
Event income	£4,716			£4,716	£4,946
Workshops and training fees	£3,518			£3,518	£2,917
Apiary income	£1,575			£1,575	£0
Bank interest and gift aid	£1,855			£1,855	£26
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	£34,094	£0	£0	£34,094	£61,148

A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).

Sub total	£0	£0	£0	£0	£0

Total receipts	£34,094	£0	£0	£34,094	£61,148
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A3 Payments

BBKA and BDI capitation	£5,272			£5,272	£6,203
Insurance	£0			£0	£2,132
Purchases, equipment and library	£21,986			£21,986	£6,856
Event costs	£7,339			£7,339	£4,171
Premises costs	£0			£0	£1,003
Travel and subsistence	£3,872			£3,872	£115
Donations paid	£0			£0	£240
Postage, stationery and IT	£868			£868	£415
Apiary costs	£1,263			£1,263	£0
Bank and card fees	£0			£0	£0
Examiners fees	£828			£828	£26
Sub total	£41,428	£0	£0	£41,428	£21,161

A4 Asset and investment purchases. (see table).

Sub total	£0	£0	£0	£0	£0

Total payments	£41,428	£0	£0	£41,428	£21,161
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Net of receipts/payments	(£7,333)	£0	£0	(£7,333)	£39,987
A5 Transfers between funds	(£3,338)	£3,338		£0	
A6 Cash funds last year end	£39,987			£39,987	
Cash funds this year end	£29,317	£3,338	£0	£32,654	£39,987

Section B statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted	Restricted Funds	Endowment
		Funds		Funds
		to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Bank accounts	£31,146		
	Paypal account	£0		
	Cash in hand	£1,509		
	Total cash funds	£32,654	£0	£0


	Details	Unrestricted	Restricted funds	Endowment
		funds		funds
		to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets				

	Details	Fund to which asset	Cost (optional)	Current value
		belongs		(optional)
B3 Investment assets	Beecraft shares	unrestricted		£40

	Details	Fund to which asset	Cost (optional)	Current value
		belongs		(optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Tangible fixed assets	unrestricted		£32,005
	Stock	unrestricted		£6,383
	Cups and trophies	unrestricted		£19,663

	Details	Fund to which asset	amount due	When due
		belongs	(optional)	(optional)
B5 Liabilities				

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

Signature	Print Name	Approval date
	david goodwin	22/07/2025











NBKA TAR and Fin Stats YE 30-09-25

Final Audit Report

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