

WEST CUMBRIA SEARCH & RESCUE

England & Wales · Charity number 1204142

Details

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2023-07-28

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

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Activities

Objects: THE PROVISION AND SUPPORT FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT OF SERVICES PROVIDING FOR SEARCH AND RESCUE OPERATIONS IN CUMBRIA (AND NEIGHBOURING REGIONS IF NECESSARY) FOR THE PRESERVATION OF LIFE AND THE RELIEF OF SUFFERING AND DISTRESS OF MISSING PERSONS AND ANIMALS

Activities: We are a search and rescue organisation for people and animals, we are based in West Cumbria but can be asked to help in search and rescue out of the county, we have the use of drones and all our volunteers are trained to a high level for water and remote searching, we also work with Police, mountain rescue, the coastguard, search and rescue trained dogs and other emergency bodies,

Classification

- **How:** Provides Services
- **What:** The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives, Animals
- **Who:** The General Public/mankind

Geography

- Cumbria

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	£12,867	£8,095	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
John Moore		2026-01-18
Marc Humphreys		2026-06-12
William Joseph Lunson James		2023-07-28

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Accounts

West Cumbria Search and Rescue – Period up to December 2024

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2 Trustees, Scott Farmer (Chairman) and William James.

Janet Norman (3rd original trustee) resigned November 24 and post of Treasurer handed over to Mark Humphreys.

7 members and recruiting by word of mouth and attending functions

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We are based in West Cumbria but can be asked to help search and rescue out of the County.

Volunteers are trained weekly to a high level for water and remote searching.

Time Spent

- Establishing ties with outside organisations for joint rescues, Maryport-in-Shore, Lake District Mountain Rescue, Morecambe Bay Rescue, Cumbria Emergency Services, dog handlers and drone operatives.
- Establishing ties with organisers of public events, not only to provide accident cover at events but also raise funds for training members and buying equipment.

Appointments

- Melanie James - Commanding Officer
- John Moore - 2nd in Command Team leader (Land and Water)
- Mark Humphries – 3rd in Command Events Manager – Admin
- Kaiden Meloy – Social Media
- Harley Bowness – Website
- Fund Raising – Tom Agnew and Courtney Martin

Funds raised

- Donations various sources
- Attendance 4 events

Expenditure

- Equipment purchased
- Training
- Motor expenses
- Liability Insurance

William James

(Joint Trustee)

West Cumbria Search and Rescue
PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT
For the period 28 July 2023 to December 2024

TURNOVER

Donations	£10,310.07	
Attendances (fees)	£2,358.00	
Sundry Sales	£199.48	
Gross Profit		£12,867.55

EXPENDITURE

Equipment	£2,720.00	
Training Courses	£1,401.00	
Insurance	£1,327.82	
Motoring Xs	£323.24	
Staff Expenses	£2,323.79	
		£8,095.85

Depreciation	£0.00	
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