



Trustees' Annual Report

for the period

From (start date) **231123** to (end date) **310824**

Section A

Reference and administration details

Charity name

LONGPARISH LITTLE SCHOOL

Other names the charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any)

1205876

Charity's principal address

LONGPARISH SCHOOL

LONGPARISH

ANDOVER

HAMPSHIRE

Postcode **SP116PB**

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	EMMA FELL	CHAIR		
2	REBEKAH MILTON	TREASURER		
3	GEMMA DOUGHTY-JONES	SECRETARY		
4	REBECCA CORSAN	TRUSTEE		
5	SALLY LAWMAN	TRUSTEE		
6	KRISTY LAMBERT	TRUSTEE		
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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

Section A

Reference and administration details (continued)

Names and addresses of advisers (optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address
CONSULTANT	SALLY GRIDLEY	DINKY ONES EARLY YEARS CONSULTANCY
		WWW.DINKYONES.COM

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

Section B

Structure, governance and management

Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document
(eg trust deed, constitution)

Constitution

How the charity is constituted
(eg trust, association, company)

Committee of Trustees.

Trustee selection methods
(eg appointed by, elected by)

Appointed

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.

We are in the process of converting from a registered charity (Longparish Little School 1001065) to CIO, and the charity number detailed overleaf has been allocated to the CIO.

The CIO is not currently operational as the conversion will not be completed until 4th November 2024.

Section C

Objectives and activities

Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

To advance the education of children below compulsory school age by providing a safe and satisfying environment for group play.

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)

Still operating under charity number 1001065 until CIO conversion is complete.

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.

Section D

Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

None.

The CIO is not operational at present.

Section E**Financial review**

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

All policies from the existing charity will be transferred after conversion on 4th November 2024 including Reserves

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.

All Assets of the existing registered charity 1001065 are scheduled to be transferred to the new CIO on 4th November 2024.
Income for the CIO will be received in the same way as for the existing charity 1001065

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)

E FELL

Full name(s)

EMMA FELL

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

CHAIR

Date

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Longparish Little School

Report for Annual Parish Meeting – 29 April 2024

Little School remains to be a popular preschool used by families from Longparish, Andover and some of the surrounding villages. We have 26 children out of the 35 we currently have leaving for schools this year, but our numbers for September are already looking very good. When potential families are asked how they found out about Little School the majority are through word of mouth which we are so pleased about. The main reason we have a good reputation is the fantastic team of staff who all really go above and beyond to support the children and their families.

In June last year we were awarded the Green Flag for becoming an Eco School which we were very proud of. We feel it is important that children learn a responsibility about looking after our local environment as well as the planet.

The children have continued to enjoy Forest School although we haven't been able to use our normal area much this year due to the flooding. We have been able to continue though by using less wet areas of the school grounds.

We have been on a few visits to the church to celebrate harvest time and to think about people who keep us safe for Remembrance Day.

We have been busy making some changes to the indoor learning environment to make it a more natural and calming place for the children to play and develop. We have much more focus on art and the children have really enjoyed experimenting with different process art techniques. Most of the other changes have been made by adding furniture and resources that are second hand so we can talk to the children about reusing items instead of throwing things away.

The children were very happy to see the Bug Hotel they made with Robins class go to its new home at the park. They also had a fun time playing in the park after the grand opening.

Lastly, we would like to thank the Parish Council and the church for their generous donation last year so that we could purchase some tools. The children have loved being able to engage in their woodwork sessions using saws, hammers, and screwdrivers. It is such a good way for them to develop their physical skills as well as their creativity.

Claire Nash, Manager, Longparish Little School