

1ST WING SCOUT GROUP

England & Wales - Charity number 522350

Details

Other names 1ST WING BOY SCOUT GROUP

Status Registered

Legal form Other

Registered 1964-02-12

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

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Activities

Objects: TO PROMOTE THE DEVELOPMENT OF YOUNG PEOPLE IN ACHIEVING THEIR FULL PHYSICAL, INTELLECTUAL SOCIAL AND SPIRITUAL POTENTIALS, AS INDIVIDUALS, AS RESPONSIBLE CITIZENS AND AS MEMBERS OF THEIR LOCAL, NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITIES.

Activities: Operation of Scout group

Classification

- **How:** Other Charitable Activities
- **What:** Education/training
- **Who:** Children/young People

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** WING.
- Buckinghamshire

Finances

| Period end | Income | Expenditure | Assets | Employees |
|------------|---------|-------------|--------|-----------|
| 2025-03-31 | £25,897 | £88,284 | - | - |
| 2024-03-31 | £81,798 | £55,656 | - | - |
| 2023-03-31 | £22,250 | £21,823 | - | - |
| 2022-03-31 | £14,500 | £12,500 | - | - |
| 2021-03-31 | £21,922 | £19,204 | - | - |

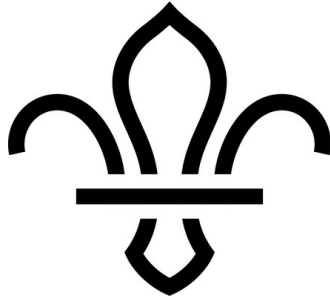
Trustees

| Name | Role | Appointed |
|-----------------------|-------|------------|
| Susan Hogg | Chair | 2013-05-08 |
| Mark Johnathan Watson | | 2016-06-19 |
| Matt Brentnall | | 2017-09-07 |
| Robert Bridgen | | 2016-06-19 |

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Charity Number: 522380

Report of AGM Sunday 7th September 2025

Wing Scout Hut - The Lands, Wing, Bucks, LU7 0TF

Present: Chair - Sue Hogg,

Treasurer - Megan Conroy

Apologies GLV - Mark Watson

Trustees: Robert Bridgen, Matt Brentnall, Pete Wiggins,

Parents and Supporters of the young people in the movement.

Welcome note from Chair, thanking everyone for their continued support throughout the year.

RISK & INTERNAL CONTROL

Over the past 12 months The Trustee Board identified the past and current risks to the group as being identified to be:

- unsecured storage for equipment
- reduction or loss of leaders
- security of the premises and land

There were sufficient funds in place to install and secure outdoor equipment, which has now been completed.

There is a noticeable focus on volunteering throughout all social youth run groups, and within a village environment the number of volunteers is decreasing, meaning the reduction of uptake of leaders.

The Group purchased the minibus and trailer; there are funds available to commence work on the security of the premises and land.

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All sections are actively engaged with Scouting values, and thrive taking part in challenges, activities and creativity. All young people are invited and encouraged to take part in the programme, especially where this may challenge themselves to develop outside of their own comforts.

Many outdoor events are run each year and there is a cross section of ages where they can all embrace the scouting values together.

Achievements and Performance

The Scout Group has reached 100 years, and embraced the year taking parts in many different events. As well as traditional camping there has also been trips to London and the Lake District. Community events were also created and well attended.

Finance Review

The Group Trustee Board regularly monitors the levels of bank balances, and the interest rates received to ensure the group obtains maximum value and income from its banking arrangements.

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YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

| RECEIPTS | £ | PAYMENTS | £ |
|---|------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS | | SECTION EXPENSES | |
| Subscriptions received | 14,956.00 | Beavers | 1,289.91 |
| | | Cubs | 1,184.92 |
| | | Scouts | 486.50 |
| | | Explorers | 874.24 |
| Less Capitation | - 5,612.00 | Activities | 927.70 |
| | <u>9,344.00</u> | Badges | 2,027.18 |
| | | | <u>6,790.45</u> |
| DONATIONS/GRANTS | | PREMISES | |
| Donations | 2,258.27 | Light and Heat | 1,212.08 |
| | | Water rates | 181.00 |
| | | Insurance | 1,893.64 |
| | | Hut maintenance | <u>17,179.34</u> Note 1 |
| | <u>2,258.27</u> | | 20,466.06 |
| | | DONATIONS/GRANTS | |
| ACTIVITIES | | ACTIVITIES | |
| Camps | 10,274.43 | Camps | 16,432.69 |
| Other | <u>2,499.00</u> | | |
| | <u>12,773.43</u> | | <u>16,432.69</u> |
| FUND RAISING | | | |
| Fund Raising Direct, Xmas Post, Bag Packing | 1,179.59 | | |
| OTHER INCOME | | PURCHASE OF STOCK FOR RESALE | <u>1,085.50</u> |
| Sales | 342.00 | | |
| Tax Refund for Gift Aid | - | ADMIN EXPENSES | |
| Minibus hire | - | Establishment expenses | 20.00 |
| Other | - | Leader uniforms and training | 150.00 |
| | | Minibus expenses | 40,669.30 Note 2 |
| | | Telephone and broadband | 845.74 |
| | | Go Cardless fees | 450.93 |
| | | Sundries and AGM | - |
| | | | <u>42,135.97</u> |
| | | EQUIPMENT | 1,373.21 |
| TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR | <u>25,897.29</u> | TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR THE YEAR | <u>88,283.88</u> |
| | | Income less expenses | - 62,386.59 |

Note 1

Significant hut upgrades undertaken using remaining donation received in 23/24 financial year

Note 2

Minibus purchased using donation received in 23/24 financial year

Note 3

The Group has committed to purchase the freehold of the scout hut, the purchase had not been completed by 31 March 2025

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Scrutineer's Report to the Trustees

I report on the accounts of the Group for the year ended 31 March 2017

Respective responsibilities of Trustees and Scrutineer

As the Group's trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. It is my responsibility to scrutinise the accounts and report to you.

Basis of Scrutineer's Statement

In accordance with the directions given in the Group's constitution, I have scrutinised the records and the accounts attached.

Scrutineer's Statement

In my opinion the accounts are in accordance with the records produced to me and comply with the constitution.

Name Mrs Emma Grimm

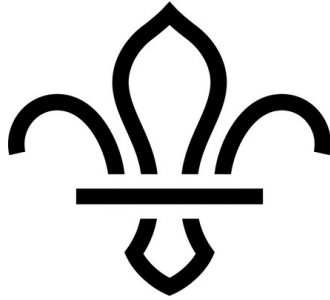
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There is a noticeable focus on volunteering throughout all social youth run groups, and within a village environment the number of volunteers is decreasing, meaning the reduction of uptake of leaders.

Funds are placed to offset any maintenance required for all transport owned by the group. The minibus is low risk due to its age, however both trailers are required to receive maintenance this year coming.

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| | | Cubs | 2,333.28 |
| | | Scouts | 2,570.86 |
| | | Explorers | 706.52 |
| Less Capitation | - 4,802.50 | Activities | 2,571.20 |
| | <u>8,712.50</u> | Badges | 777.22 |
| | | | <u>10,379.22</u> |
| DONATIONS/GRANTS | | PREMISES | |
| Donations | 51,650.00 Note 1 | Light and Heat | 1,388.69 |
| | | Water rates | 271.00 |
| | | Insurance | 2,669.65 Note 3 |
| | | Cleaning and Maintenance | 2,030.18 |
| | <u>51,650.00</u> | | <u>6,359.52</u> |
| | | DONATIONS/GRANTS | |
| ACTIVITIES | | ACTIVITIES | |
| Camps | 6,851.00 | Camps | 5,158.19 |
| Other | 3,181.50 | Other | Mainly Zoom, Kahoot etc |
| | <u>10,032.50</u> | | <u>5,158.19</u> |
| FUND RAISING | | | |
| Fund Raising Direct, Xmas Post, Bag Packing | 1,606.02 | | |
| OTHER INCOME | | PURCHASE OF STOCK FOR RESALE | 879.80 |
| Sales | 572.00 | | |
| Tax Refund for Gift Aid | 7,995.23 Note 2 | ADMIN EXPENSES | |
| Minibus hire | - | Establishment expenses | - 21.06 |
| Other | 1,230.05 | Leader uniforms and training | 59.99 |
| | | Minibus expenses | 1,149.51 |
| | | Telephone and broadband | 429.80 |
| | | Sundries and AGM | 907.02 |
| | | | <u>2,525.26</u> |
| | | EQUIPMENT | 840.00 |
| TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR | <u>81,798.30</u> | MINIBUS PURCHASE | |
| | | TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR THE YEAR | <u>26,141.99</u> |
| | | Income less expenses | 55,656.31 |

Note 1

Includes monies received for old minibus and anonymous donation for minibus purchase and hall improvements (seen in 24/25 accounts)

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Gift aid received for 20/21, 21/22 and 22/23

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Includes overpayment of insurance for 23/24, awaiting refund

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Date 12/31/2024