

Trustee Annual Report Form

All Girlguiding Ulster Charities are governed by the Royal Charter and Bye-laws.

The Purpose of each of these Charities is to educate girls and young women to help them develop emotionally, mentally, physically and spiritually so that they can make a positive contribution to their Community and the wider world.

Name of Charity as it appears on the Register and any other names it may be known by

1st Dromore Guide Company

NI Charity Commission Number

104095

The principal address of the Charity- this should be the address that was used at the time of registration with the Charity Commission

Girlguiding Ulster, Lorne House, 30 Station Road, Craigavad, Holywood, BT18 0BP

The names of all Charity Trustees on the date the report was approved and all individuals who served as Charity Trustees during the year

Diane Heanen

Rachel Wright

The financial year the report relates to – for example, 1st April 2016 to 31st March 2017

1st July 2024 to 30th June 2025

A summary of the Charity's main activities to further its purposes for the public benefit and the main achievements in the year

54 Guides and Rangers are in the Unit (Girls aged between 10 and 18), and they took part in a varied range of activities over the year. These included, cooking, games, crafts, bracelet making, campfire cooking, mountain walking, completing badges (both individually and as a unit), alongside church services and parties for special events.

A group of girls attended the homecoming celebration for our local Olympians at the SSE Arena Belfast.

The Guides had a sleepover at W5, which they thoroughly enjoyed, although not much sleep was had.

There was a cinema trip, alongside the Brownies and Rainbows.

We had a visit from Jurassic ark animal encounters, who brought along many exotic lizards, camelions and snakes which the girls got to hold, as well as learn all about them.

30 members enjoyed a weekend camping, staying at Lorne Estate, near Holywood. The girls thoroughly enjoyed their time away under canvas, some of whom were camping for the first time. They had lots of fun and activities around the campsite, as well as walks to the nearby beach, but they also enjoyed a day in Bangor, via train, to go swimming, shopping, and to the Pickie fun park.

There was no harm flowing from the Charities purposes and there was no private benefit.

A statement that the Trustees have had regard to the Commission's Public Benefit requirement statutory guidance

The overall position is healthy. There are no debts or reserves to record. The opening balance as at 1st July 2024 was £332.28 and the closing balance as at 31st June 2025 was £1408.78.

A review of the Charity's financial position at the end of the year

Details of any fund held by the Charity that was materially in deficit at the end of the year and steps taken by the Charity Trustees to eliminate the deficit

1st Dromore Guide Company have no material deficit.

One or more of the Charity Trustees must sign and date the box below.

D. Heanen

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