

1st Keady & District Scouts

Northern Ireland · Charity number 104102

Details

Status Received

Registered 2015-10-16

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

Contact

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Activities

Purposes: Promoting 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.

What the charity does: The advancement of education, The advancement of citizenship or community development

How the charity works: Cross-border/cross-community, Cultural, Sport/recreation, Youth development

Who the charity helps: Children (5-13 year olds), Youth (14-25 year olds)

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£4,423	£3,829	£0	0

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Derek Robinson		
Helene Hill		
Leanne Armstrong		
Linda Nesbitt		
Melanie Geary		
Norma Hawthorne		
Rebecca Gillespie		
Robert Hawthorne		
Sandra Mccarten		

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FINANCIAL YEAR APRIL 2023 - MARCH 2024

INCOME				EXPENDITURES			
DATE	LDG NO	DETAILS	AMT	DATE	DC/CHQ NO	DETAILS	AMT
			£6,443.29	26/04/23	CH200391	Christmas Gifts, Easter Eggs, Scout Badges	£130.60
30/06/23	Direct Credit	Interest	£1.54	27/04/23	CH200390	Christmas Gifts, Beaver Badges	£116.35
11/08/23	Direct Credit	Education Authority	£1,000.00	28/04/23	Direct Debit	Bank Fees	£2.50
29/09/23	Direct Credit	Interest	£1.56	31/05/23	Direct Debit	Bank Fees	£3.32
29/12/23	Direct Credit	Interest	£1.58	02/06/23	CH200393	Ewarts Jewellers - Shield Engraving	£42.00
03/01/24	BGC610288	Registration Fees 23/24	£1,050.00	05/06/23	CH200406	Translink NI - Bus to Clip 'n' Climb	£260.00
15/03/24	Direct Credit	Education Authority	£491.00	23/06/23	CH200392	Cub Badges	£38.00
29/03/24	Direct Credit	Interest	£1.70	30/06/23	Direct Debit	Bank Fees	£2.50
				20/07/23	CH200394	Education Authority - Summer Jam Camp Repayment	£267.43
				31/07/23	Direct Debit	Bank Fees	£3.73
				31/08/23	Direct Debit	Bank Fees	£2.91
				29/09/23	Direct Debit	Bank Fees	£2.55
				31/10/23	Direct Debit	Bank Fees	£2.50
				09/11/23	CH200395	Portadown Pantomime Trip - January 2024	£550.00
				30/11/23	Direct Debit	Bank Fees	£2.50
				29/12/23	Direct Debit	Bank Fees	£2.91
				03/01/24	CH200398	Christmas Sweets	£36.00
				03/01/24	CH200399	End of Year Gifts - Blankets to be embroidered	£135.96
				31/01/24	Direct Debit	Bank Fees	£2.50
				27/02/24	CH200396	RBL - Remembrance Day Wreath	£27.50
				27/02/24	CH200397	MSHC - Rent to June 23	£350.00
				29/02/24	Direct Debit	Bank Fees	£5.41
				28/03/24	Direct Debit	Bank Fees	£3.32
			<hr/> £2,547.38				<hr/> £1,990.49
STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES 2023 - 2024				OUTSTANDING CHEQUES AT 31/03/24			
1ST KEADY & DISTRICT SCOUTS 104102				22/03/24	CH200400	County Armagh Scout Council - Census Fees	£1,140.00
There are no liabilities for the above group. The only asset for the above is the current bank account balance.				22/03/24	CH200407	Meteor Coach Hire - Transport for Group Scout Trip	£270.00
				30/03/24	CH200412	Airtastic Craigavon - Group Scout Trip	£597.00
				30/03/24	CH200413	MSHC - Rent from Sept 23 - April 24	£350.00
						CLOSING BALANCE	£7,000.18
						TOTAL	£8,990.67
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Trustee Report 2023 – 2024

The 2023 year finished with a camp at Newcastle which went well canoeing with the Armagh group and camping close to the river for the weekend 5 – 7 May 2023. Nine members in total attended from 1st Keady with Scouts and Explorer Scouts taking part. Meetings continued on Wednesday evenings in the new scout year commencing with a trip to a goat farm in October for Squirrels, Beavers and Cubs as well as any parents who wished to attend. Scouts and Explorer Scouts visited the farm later in November 2023. At another scout meeting, these older groups learned first aid skills during a visit from St John's Ambulance. The Alan Stevenson Challenge in Gosford Forest Park was successful for 1st Keady and District Scouts when we gained second place. Cubs and Scouts joined the Remembrance parade and service and laid a wreath at the cenotaph in Armagh.

The new year commenced with a visit to the pantomime, Cinderella, in Portadown Town Hall on 13 January 2024 which was enjoyed by all. Cubs, Scouts and Explorer Scouts learned some car mechanical skills at a local garage. Following a night of games in April, there was a presentation of badges with parents in attendance. The year was rounded off with a bus trip to Airtastic on 26 April with trampolines, bowling and food. Everyone enjoyed this outing and agreed that it was a great experience.

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Basis of independent examiner's report

I have examined your charity accounts as required under section 65 of the Charities Act and my examination was carried out in accordance with the general Directions given by the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act.

My examination included a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also included consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as charity trustees concerning any such matters.

My role is to state whether any material matters have come to my attention giving me cause to believe:

1. That accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 63 of the Charities Act
2. That the accounts do not accord with those accounting records
3. That the accounts do not comply with the accounting requirements of the Charities Act
4. That there is further information needed for a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Independent examiner's statement

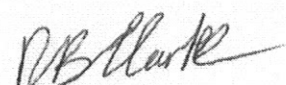
I have completed my examination and have no concerns in respect of the matters (1) to (4) listed above and, in connection with following the Directions of the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland, I have found no matters that require to be drawn to your attention.

Name: ROBERT BRIAN CLARKE

Relevant professional qualification or body: MANAGING DIRECTOR

Address: 93 CROSSKEYS ROAD, KEADY, CO. ARMAGH, BT60 3JL

Date: 16.08.2024



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The groups met on Wednesdays throughout the year and commenced with the younger members attending a crafts evening in the library where they learned how to make pictures using stones.

The whole scout troop attended the remembrance parade in Armagh and laid a wreath at the cenotaph. Each group then made wooden decorations for a Christmas tree from 1st Keady & District Scouts to be displayed at the Christmas Tree festival at St Matthews, Keady held on 9 – 11 December 2022 and contributed to the fundraising effort by the church.

Cubs, Beavers and Squirrels enjoyed a presentation by a Jet2 pilot where they learned about flying and the role of a pilot followed by making polystyrene aeroplanes of their own. The whole scout troop visited the panto in Portadown to see one of the young leaders star as the handmaid So-Shy in a performance of Aladdin. The Chinese New Year was celebrated in the scout hall with various food sampling for the younger groups. Throughout the year, Cubs achieved a range of badges including Personal Safety, Chef, Physical Recreation, Athletics, Air Activities and Emergency Aid.

The year concluded with a sports evening with the presentation of awards and badges and finally a trip to Clip n Climb at High Rise in Lisburn which was enjoyed by all members.

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Name: **ROBERT BRIAN CLARKE**

Relevant professional qualification or body: **MANAGING DIRECTOR**

Address: **93 CROSSKEYS ROAD**

Date: **04-09-2023**

Signature: **RB Clarke**