



## Trustee Annual Report 2023

**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**

119th Belfast Guide Unit

**NI Charity Commission Number**

NIC104360

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

The Guide Association, 30 Station Road, Holywood, County Down, 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**

Robyn Scott, Lorraine Guiney, Lesa Tufts, Gillian McMurray

**The financial year the report relates to – for example, 1<sup>st</sup> April 2016 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2017**

1<sup>st</sup> January 2023 – 31<sup>st</sup> December 2023



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

8 girls took part in unit activities. During the year they completed various Girlguiding UK badges including: Craftivism and Healthy Living. They also took part in many physical activities, such as, playing captainball and dodgeball, practising yoga, and going on walks. They made different crafts throughout the year, including making hand puppets, poppies for Remembrance Sunday and Christmas gong decorations. They also decorated tote bags and made a display as part of their Craftivism badge. In addition, they increased their skills in the kitchen as they made smoothies, mini pizzas and pancakes, and also cooked sausages on a campfire. The girls also took part in Earth Hour, learnt about World Thinking Day and celebrated the King's coronation. Outings for the year included a going to see a Belfast Giants ice hockey match, taking part in a treasure hunt at Belfast Castle, going to play mini golf, a trip to the pantomime and going carol singing. They also went on a weekend away to Dunluce Guide House. The weekend was Wild West themed and they took part in many themed activities. There was no harm flowing from the Charity's purposes and there was no private benefit.

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

Charity Trustees have had regard to the Commission's Public Benefit requirement statutory guidance.

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

We began the year with £769.91 The total income for the year was £1,758.39, while the total expenditure was £2,011.15. Thus, we ended the year with £517.15.

**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**

No fund held by the Charity was materially in deficit at the end of the year.

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

*Rolynskott*

07/10/24