



## Trustee Annual Report Form 19<sup>th</sup> Belfast Ranger Guides

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

19<sup>th</sup> Belfast Ranger Guides

NI Charity Commission Number

NIC 104394

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, Holywood, North 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

Margaret McLachlan

Sandi Kane

Gill Scott



**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 to 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**

During 2023 our membership rose to 30. We worked on the GGUK Ranger Programme and the DofE Programme. Girls completed Bronze, Silver and Gold Ranger Awards as well as Bronze and Silver DofE awards.

8 girls completed DofE Bronze walking expeditions in the Mourne Mountains.

During the year girls learnt about personal finances and simple DIY. Girls learnt first aid and self defence, camp craft and camp cooking as well as enjoying playing games such as volley ball and captain ball. We also enjoyed several craft sessions and finished the year at Christmas making rice krispie buns.

There was no harm flowing from the activities and purposes of the Rangers Guide Unit and no private benefit was derived from the activities of the Ranger Guide Unit.

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

Margaret McLachlan, Sandi Kane and Gill Scott have a clear understanding and regard for the Charity's Commission Public Benefit requirement.

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

Opening Balance	1 <sup>st</sup> January 2023	£3000
Closing Balance	31 <sup>st</sup> December 2023	£3859
Income for 2023;	£ 4376.53: Main income source was EA grant and members subscriptions	
Expenditure for 2023;	£ 3517.86: Main expenditure was DofE Programme and GGUK census	



**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**

There are no funds materially in deficit for 19<sup>th</sup> Belfast Ranger Guides.

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

Margaret MacMahon 1/6/24