

**97<sup>th</sup> Belfast Rainbows Unit**  
**TRUSTEES ANNUAL REPORT**

The Trustees present their Annual Report and Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2020 including a Statement of Assets and Liabilities as at that date.

**REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS**

97<sup>th</sup> Belfast Rainbows Unit  
The Guide Association  
30 Station Road  
Holywood  
County Down  
BT18 0BP

Registered Charity in Northern Ireland (NIC104401)

**CHARITY TRUSTEES**

The Charity Trustees who served during the year or who were trustees at the date of this report were

Beth Blight  
Lynsey Kinning

**PRINCIPAL OFFICE BEARERS**

Chairperson	Beth Blight
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**INDEPENDENT EXAMINER**

Ken Brown  
6 Everton Drive  
Belfast, BT6 0LJ

**BANKERS**

Ulster Bank  
Connswater Branch  
Arches Retail Park, Belfast  
BT5 4AF

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**STRUCTURE AND MANAGEMENT**

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

**DESCRIPTION AND PURPOSE**

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.

**ACTIVITIES AND OBJECTIVES**

Throughout the year, we do various activities with the girls including crafts, games and baking. All of our activities aim to encourage the girls to think of others.

**ACHIEVEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE**

In the early part of 2020, we were successful in bringing together the girls to create an environment of friendship. However, our achievements in this year were limited, as we were unable to meet face to face and carry out our usual activities from April 2020 until after the year end due to the government lockdown imposed because of the coronavirus pandemic.

**PUBLIC BENEFIT STATEMENT**

97<sup>th</sup> Belfast Rainbows Unit meets the public benefit requirement by providing a cross community, safe environment for all girls in the local area to meet and have fun together.

The trustees of 97<sup>th</sup> Belfast Rainbows Unit have had regard to the Charity Commission Public benefit requirement statutory guidance

**FINANCIAL REVIEW**

The charity's overall financial position has decreased from £1723.20 at the start of the year to £1078.95 at the end of the year.

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**STATEMENT OF TRUSTEE RESPONSIBILITIES**

The Trustees are responsible for preparing the annual report and the financial statements of the charity in accordance with applicable law and generally accepted accounting practice.

As the charity's total income does not exceed £250,000, the Trustees have elected under Section 64(3) of the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 208 to prepare a receipts and payment account and a statement of assets and liabilities.

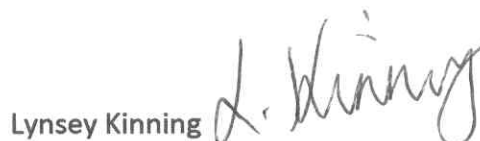
The Trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the unit's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time its financial position. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Approved by the trustees at a meeting on 21<sup>st</sup> August 2021 and signed on its behalf by



Beth Blight

21<sup>st</sup> August 2021



Lynsey Kinning

21<sup>st</sup> August 2021