



Trustee Annual Report Form – Template

This template is to provide guidance to units who are completing a Trustee Annual Report for the NI Charity Commission. If you do not wish to use this form please ensure that the headings in this guidance are followed when completing a Trustee Annual Report.

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

22nd Belfast rainbows

NI Charity Commission Number

104431-0

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 BT18oBP

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

Victoria Selfridge
Natasha Hunter
Shelley Woodrow
Amanda Johnston
Claire Louise James



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

1 January 2016 to 30 December 2016

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

Please insert how many girls took part in the unit, what events and activities took place, what achievements e.g. badges etc that were gained. Also state that there was no harm flowing from the Charities purposes and that there was no private benefit.

In 2016 rainbows had 21 girls attending weekly. With many of the girls moving to brownies in 2015 We will not be losing anyone this year to brownies. Other than game nights there have been many different events and activities that took place this year. In January the girls made calendars, enjoyed playing games and arts and craft to help them remember and understand their rainbow promise and with the help of the brownies made loom bands which were then sent to Romania. Then rainbows celebrated Chinese New Year with some Chinese themed games and craft. In February the girls decorated wooden hearts to celebrate Valentine's Day and enjoyed a trip to funtastic. During March the girls used their skills to make crispy buns and top hats, they revisited their promise activities with 7 of them making their promise and gaining their promise badge. They also undertook spring craft and enjoyed an Easter egg hunt. We then took a 3 month summer holiday break. In September the rainbows picked which badge they would like to work towards, which was the roundabout healthy living, and so games nights were then structured to fit around this, they also enjoyed a yoga night, planted bulbs and decorated pots and completed a science experiment involving skittles. In October to coincide with the brownies badge the rainbows enjoyed a animal visit night, with the brownies help also made bead bracelets and had a Halloween dress up party. In November the rainbows had a milk tasting night which linked with there talk about strong bones, they also undertook Remembrance Day craft which was displayed in the church during the remembrance service, rainbows also created time capsules pictures, had a visit from Pudsey a guide dog and finished their badge with the rainbow story. They concluded their year with Christmas craft and a Christmas party.

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

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

Charity Trustees are legally obliged to have regard to this guidance. Please confirm in this box that all Trustees are aware of this. Please see section 4 of the Trustees' Annual Report and Public Benefit reporting document this can be downloaded from the Girlguiding Ulster website.

All trustees are aware of the public benefit requirement statutory guidance.



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

State in this box the overall financial position, if relevant include details of any debts or any reserves policy. Include current and previous financial figures for income and expenditure, these should be taken from the receipts and payments accounts.

We are delighted to report that the 22nd Belfast rainbows are in a secure financial position at the end of 2016. This is due to the fundraising of the girls, from smartie tube 20p collection, thinkingday service and the dues collected weekly.

2016 receipts: £746.50 / Payments: £538.26


2016 Surplus: £208.24

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

Funds that are 'materially in deficit' are in shortfall and for e.g. the shortfall in a particular fund may be considered material where it is a substantial amount of total overspend or a substantial amount of overspend relative to the total amount received or likely to have a significant impact on the deliverables of that particular activity.

N/A

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


29-10-17