



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

The number of Brownies attending increased from 16 to 24 in September 2024.

Continuing with the new Brownie Programme, various activities took place including many different Arts and Crafts such as making Mother's Day cards, and Easter decorations, Scratch Art pictures, Promise Fortune Tellers, made Dreamcatchers and Weather watchers, made Harvest Gratitude paper chains, Ghostly tealight jam jars for Hallowe'en and Hallowe'en themed baking. Christmas crafts and baking were also included. When doing any cooking or baking, the girls are aware that some girls have dietary needs which are related to either allergies or religious beliefs. In line with the Brownies Have Adventures theme we prepared for Snore and S'mores Camp by learning how to pitch a tent and pack for camp. Outdoor Survival skills included learning about basic first aid and safety around a campfire. We learned some new Campfire songs and performed them in front of Parents for our enrolment and badge presentation evening. Interest Badges completed included Aviation where the girls had to think of about 40 different things that can fly!! They also made paper planes using different designs and tested them out. They also made robocopters and learned all about what it takes to make a plane fly. Another interest badge was the Collector's badge where we talked about famous collections, collections we have visited and then looked at some of our own collections.

Six girls attended Snore and S'mores camp at Lorne with Brownies from all around Northern Ireland. Girls all slept in tents and participated in a variety of adventurous activities including climbing wall, archery and a high ropes course.

For our Christmas outing, the entire Brownie Unit went to a local church to take part in a "Follow the Star" interactive presentation of the Nativity Story.

All activities completed during Unit meeting time counted towards a number of interest badges & Skills Builders. Some tasks were sent home to be completed.

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

All Trustees are aware of the Commission's Public Benefit requirement statutory guidance

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

Opening Balance 01/01/2024 =£1373.53

Closing Balance 31/12/2024 = £1423.45

Surplus (Deficit) for Year = £49.92



Trustee Annual Report Form – 89th Belfast Brownies

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

89th Belfast Brownies

NI Charity Commission Number

104530

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

Mrs Gillian Hinds
Mrs Nikki Croft

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

1st January 2024 to 31st December 2024



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

Not applicable

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

Gillian P. Hinds

28/10/2025