

1st Randalstown Brownies

Northern Ireland · Charity number 105406

Details

Status Received

Registered 2016-05-26

Register [View on the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland register](#)

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Activities

Purposes: Educating 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.

What the charity does: The advancement of education, The advancement of citizenship or community development

How the charity works: Education/training, Gender, Sport/recreation, Volunteer development, Youth development

Who the charity helps: Children (5-13 year olds), Volunteers, Women, Youth (14-25 year olds)

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	£2,747	£3,151	£0	0

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Miss Linzi Compton		
Miss Rachel Clarke		
Mrs Donna Lennon		
Victoria Walker		

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Accounts

Randalstown Brownies

01 January 2024 to 31 December 2024

	This year	Last year
	£	£
Income in		
Subs - Gift Aid	0.00	0.00
Subs - Non Gift Aid	1,312.00	1,985.00
Materials	45.58	6.00
Events	0.00	0.00
Fundraising	0.00	0.00
EA Grant	1,389.00	1,200.00
Other Grants	0.00	0.00
Details 8	0.00	0.00
Details 9	0.00	0.00
Details 10	0.00	0.00
Details 11	0.00	0.00
Details 12	0.00	0.00
Details 13	0.00	0.00
Details 14	0.00	0.00
Details 15	0.00	0.00
2nd bank account (manual)	0.00	0.00
Totals	2,746.58	3,191.00
Expenditure out	£	£
Rent	127.50	322.50
Materials	593.99	731.78
Camps	0.00	0.00
Events	558.10	90.00
Badges	110.45	269.60
Subs	912.00	1,604.00
Seasonal	369.16	118.29
Books	0.00	0.00
Fundraising	0.00	0.00
Crafts	479.39	0.00
Details 11	0.00	0.00
Details 12	0.00	0.00
Details 13	0.00	0.00
Details 14	0.00	0.00
Details 15	0.00	0.00
2nd bank account (manual)	0.00	0.00
Totals	3,150.59	3,136.17
Surplus or (deficit) for the year	-404.01	54.83
Balances brought forward		
Bank 1	4,233.54	4,142.76
Bank 2	0.00	0.00
Cash	6.00	41.95
	4,239.54	4,184.71
Balances in hand at year end		
Bank 1	3,807.53	4,233.54
Bank 2	0.00	0.00
Cash	28.00	6.00
	3,835.53	4,239.54

Assets and liabilities: In addition to the above cash balances the unit has equipment to the value of 0.00 and there are no other assets or liabilities.

Prepared by: VICTORIA WALKER Signature and date: *Walker* 05/02/2025
(PRINT NAME)

Reviewer's Certificate: The above statements agree with the records and vouchers of
Randalstown Brownies for the financial year ended **31 December 2024**

Reviewed by: SHANNON CAMERON Signature and date: *S. Cameron* 05/03/2025
(PRINT NAME)

Notes:

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01 January 2023 to 31 December 2023

	This year £	Last year £
Income in		
Subs - Gift Aid	0.00	0.00
Subs - Non Gift Aid	1,985.00	1,850.00
Materials	6.00	75.24
Events	0.00	0.00
Fundraising	0.00	0.00
EA Grant	1,200.00	1,400.00
Other Grants	0.00	1,200.00
Details 8	0.00	0.00
Details 9	0.00	0.00
Details 10	0.00	0.00
Details 11	0.00	0.00
Details 12	0.00	0.00
Details 13	0.00	0.00
Details 14	0.00	0.00
Details 15	0.00	0.00
2nd bank account (manual)	0.00	0.00
Totals	3,191.00	4,525.24
Expenditure out		
Rent	322.50	82.50
Materials	731.78	169.80
Camps	0.00	0.00
Events	90.00	954.50
Badges	269.60	81.78
Subs	1,604.00	797.40
Seasonal	118.29	236.26
Books	0.00	0.00
Fundraising	0.00	0.00
Crafts	0.00	242.67
0	0.00	0.00
0	0.00	0.00
0	0.00	0.00
0	0.00	0.00
0	0.00	0.00
2nd bank account (manual)	0.00	0.00
Totals	3,136.17	2,564.91
Surplus or (deficit) for the year	54.83	1,960.33
Balances brought forward		
Bank 1	4,142.76	2,162.84
Bank 2	0.00	0.00
Cash	41.95	63.53
	4,184.71	2,226.37
Balances in hand at year end		
Bank 1	4,233.54	4,142.76
Bank 2	0.00	0.00
Cash	6.00	41.95
	4,239.54	4,184.71

Assets and liabilities: In addition to the above cash balances the unit has equipment to the value of 0.00 and there are no other assets or liabilities.

Prepared by: VICTORIA WALKER Signature and date: Walker 16/01/23
(PRINT NAME)

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Reviewed by: SHANNON CAMERON Signature and date: S. Cameron 16/01/23
(PRINT NAME)

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Annual report



Trustee Annual Report Form – Randalstown Brownies

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Name of Charity as it appears on the Register and any other names it may be known by

1st Randalstown Brownies

NI Charity Commission Number

105406

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

172a Largy Road,
Ahoghill,
BT42 2RQ

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 Victoria Walker
Miss Rachel Clarke
Mrs Linzi Compton
Miss Sarah Sloan
Miss Lauren Hurrell
Miss Grace McGahon



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

1st January 2023 – 31st 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

Our unit had 16 consistent Brownies during the period of 1st January 2023 to 31st December 2023. During the year, Brownies took part in several activities to gain badges such as Chinese New Year, Be Well Theme Award and Skills for My Future Theme Awards, Dance, Inventing & Promise badges.

These badges enhanced the girls' teamwork and communication skills alongside developing their creativity and self-confidence. Brownies took part in Easter crafts, Mother's Day crafts, Halloween crafts and Christmas crafts during our Tuesday evenings.

In January, girls continued with a new award "Be Well" where they had to complete 3 hours of Unit Meeting Activities and 4 skills builders. Girls completed their Stage 2 Feel Good Skills Builder badge and were able to find ways to help them concentrate, get active while working as a team, investigate routines and understand fairness in games while building their confidence. We had CMC Dance visit the Brownies for 3 weeks to allow them to complete their Dance badge as part of their "Be Well" theme award.

Girls took part in a series of activities outside in the summer months while the weather was good which consisted of outdoor play, rounders, outdoor cooking, and other outdoor fun.

Our final event before the summer concluded with a joint BBQ between Rainbows, Brownies, Guides and Senior Section across the units where we had bouncy castles before breaking up for the holidays.

In September, girls continued with a new award "Skills for My Future" where they had to complete 3 hours 30 minutes of Unit Meeting Activities and 4 skills builders. Girls completed their Stage 2 Lead Skills Builder badge and got the chance to use their skills to lead a group, discover chemical reactions, solve problems while communicating clearly and listening to others, give instructions and practice logistical skills. Brownies got to make slime, make air canons and completed their Inventing interest badge to allow them to gain their theme award where they had to create an invention and try to build them.

Brownies took part in several Christmas crafts and concluded for Christmas with making cards and sweet trees then held a party with Rainbows and Brownies.

There was no private benefit flowing from the purpose and there is no harm flowing from the purpose of Girlguiding Ulster.



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

All Trustees of this charity 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

Income - £3,5191

Expenditure £3,136.17

Balance at end of year £4,239.54

There are no debts and the unit is in a healthy financial position.

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 is no deficit.

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

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Annual return

Independent examiner's report to the charity trustees of 1st Randalstown Brownies

I report on the accounts of the Trust for the year ended 31 Dec 2023

Respective responsibilities of charity trustees and examiner

As the charity's trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008.

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 65 of the Charities Act
- follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Commission under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act
- state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of independent examiner's report

I have examined your charity accounts as required under section 65 of the Charities Act and my examination was carried out in accordance with the general Directions given by the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act.

My examination included a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also included consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as charity trustees concerning any such matters.

My role is to state whether any material matters have come to my attention giving me cause to believe:

1. That accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 63 of the Charities Act
2. That the accounts do not accord with those accounting records
3. That the accounts do not comply with the accounting requirements of the Charities Act
4. That there is further information needed for a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination and have no concerns in respect of the matters (1) to (4) listed above and, in connection with following the Directions of the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland, I have found no matters that require drawing to your attention.

Name: **Shannon Cameron**

Relevant professional qualification or body: **Ward Clerk**

Address: **10 Old Manse Grove, Grange, Ballymena, BT41 3GY**

Date: **17/01/24**

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Accounts

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1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022

	This Year	Last Year
Receipts [In]		
Subs under Gift Aid	£0.00	£250.00
Subs - non Gift Aid	£1,850.00	£0.00
Gift Aid received	£0.00	£0.00
Camps / Outings / Events	£0.00	£0.00
Fundraising	£0.00	£0.00
Materials	£75.24	£0.00
Grants	£2,600.00	£0.00
Details 8	£0.00	£0.00
Details 9	£0.00	£0.00
Details 10	£0.00	£0.00
2nd Bank account (Manual)	£0.00	£0.00
Totals	£4,525.24	£250.00
Payments [Out]		
Rent	£82.50	£0.00
Materials	£169.80	£0.00
Fund Raising	£0.00	£0.00
Camps / Outings / Events	£954.50	£0.00
Badges	£81.78	£0.00
Crafts	£242.67	£0.00
Events	£0.00	£335.30
Subs uniform	£797.40	£371.70
Seasonal	£236.26	£59.10
Books	£0.00	£0.00
Details 12	£0.00	£0.00
2nd Bank account (Manual)	£0.00	£0.00
Totals	£2,564.91	£766.10
Surplus or (deficit) for the year	£1,960.33	-£516.10
Balances brought forward	Bank - 1 £2,162.84	£2,678.94
	Bank - 2 £0.00	£0.00
	Cash £63.53	£63.53
	£2,226.37	£2,742.47
Balances in hand at year-end	Bank - 1 £4,142.76	£2,162.84
	Bank - 2 £0.00	£0.00
	Cash £41.95	£63.53
	£4,184.71	£2,226.37

Assets and Liabilities: In addition to the above cash balances the unit has equipment to the value of £0.00 and there are no other assets or liabilities.

Prepared by: Victoria Walker Signature & Date: Walker 05/01/2023

Reviewer's Certificate: The above statements agree with the records and vouchers of **Randalstown Brownies** for the financial year ended **31 December 2022**

Reviewed by: Shannon Cameron Signature & Date: S. Cameron 07/01/2023

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Name: **Shannon Cameron**

Relevant professional qualification or body: **Ward Clerk**

Address: **10 Old Manse Grove, Grange, Ballymena, BT41 3GY**

Date: **10/04/23**