

TRUSTEE ANNUAL REPORT

The Purpose of the Charity 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

1st Crumlin Brownies

NI Charity Commission Number

105465

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

BT18 OBP

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

Greer Scott-Dow

Mary Pelan

Melissa Moore

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

1 January 2024 to 31 December 2024

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

Again we have had mixed results with recruitment, we had a few join just as new girls join, older girls are moving up to Guides in Ballinderry or Moira, our numbers apart from a some months overlap remain low. Unfortunately, we still have no Rainbows or Guides in Crumlin to feed girls into the unit or have girls go to after Brownie age. We have girls working on many Brownie, UMA's and skill builders, we have girls who are completing their Bronze and Silver Awards but no Gold as yet. At Thinking Day we found out about Guiding in other countries and our unit played games and sampled foods from other countries, we learnt words from some of the countries. We decorated large pebbles with painted poppies; these we put at the War Memorial on Remembrance Sunday. We made craft items throughout the year, especially at Christmas. The girls love cooking and baking, we have enjoyed making biscuits with hot chocolate. The unit has a number of girls who are on the autistic spectrum which brings challenges to the leaders as we draw up the program to be as inclusive as possible. As usual we had a BBQ on the last day of the summer sessions, burgers, toasted marshmallows and of course smores.

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

All Trustees are aware of this guidance and have adhered to it.

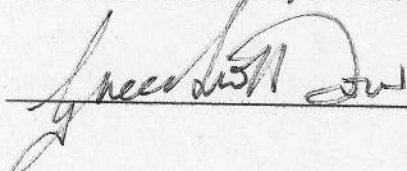
A review of the charity's financial position at end of year

We meet on a Tuesday in a local church hall, we give a donation towards light and heat. Financially speaking we are in the best position we have ever been. We have a leader who is donating £10 per month through her employer and another leader donated £100. Because we were on a tight budget for years, we can now spend more but we are still thrifty. We expect to use some of the money for outings with the girls in 2025.

Details of any fund held by the Charity that was materially in deficit at the . Unit in surplus.

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

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



30.10.25