

Trustee Annual Report Form – Template

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7th BANGOR GUIDE UNIT

NI Charity Commission Number

105953

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The financial year the report relates to – for

31 December 2023-31 December 2024

example, 1st April 2016 to 31st March 2017

A summary of the Charity's main activities to further its purposes for the public

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.

7th Bangor Guides is a group of girls aged from 10 to 14 years of age who meet on Friday evenings, 7.45 pm to 9.30 pm, 36 weeks of the year. During the year there were 22 girls in regular attendance.

During our weekly meetings, the Guides took part in the usual unit activities – games, badgework, craft, singing. We also attended a Pantomime, enjoyed an indoor residential weekend in January, organised and attended a Thinking Day Service in our church, took part in our County Weekend Camp in June, during which the annual outdoor challenge was held and one of our patrols won. In August we held a 3-night camp. We held a Harvest Party, took part in the Remembrance Sunday Parade in Bangor. Two girls gained the Guide Gold Award.

benefit and the main achievements in the year

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 Commission's 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.

The unit started 2024 with a bank balance of £4848.94, enabling the unit to open. At the end of the year there was a surplus of £1288.54, thus showing a bank balance of £6137.48. The Unit has assets of 1 canvas bell tent, 3 Vango Beta 450XL tents, a laminator and an outdoor folding table.

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.

There are no funds that are materially in deficit.

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

June E Crozier