TRUSTEE ANNUAL REPORT

OBJECTIVES:

Core Objectives

- Advance education within the Spanish-speaking community.
- Promote Spanish language learning for children, young people, and adults.
- Provide recreational and leisure opportunities to improve quality of life.
- Promote Spanish and Spanish-speaking countries' art, culture and heritage.
- Promote equality, diversity, tolerance and human rights.

Supporting Objectives

- Deliver language classes, playgroups and educational activities.
- Organise community events.
- Develop family-focused community projects, like the playgroup.
- Provide or support facilities and spaces for community activities.

Simplified Strategic Objectives

- Promote education and Spanish language development.
- Support the wellbeing of the Spanish-speaking community.
- Foster integration and inclusion in Northern Ireland.
- Celebrate and preserve cultural heritage.
- Provide accessible services and safe community spaces.

Activities May 2024 – May 2025

Activity	**Duration**	**Description**
Spanish playgroup	May-June 2024 September 2024-May 2025	2 hours, every Sunday (except the first of the month). Parents/carers with children aged 0-7 years old. Free play and snack for children, coffee/tea for parents/carers.
Spanish classes	May-June 2024 September 2024-May 2025	1 hour lesson for children aged 4-7 with a Spanish-native speaker tutor (one for preschool and P1 children, one lesson for P2 and P3 children).

End of School Year Celebration	June 2024	Handling out diplomas to children, having a celebration with Spanish traditional food, inflatables and face-painting.
Exploring nature in Cave Hill	June 2024	Outing with children and their families. Walk exploring nature (colours and textures), print-making (leaves/flowers on cloth) and free play in playground.
Reyes Celebration	January 2025	A Spanish Christmas tradition with presents for the children and Spanish traditional food for children and parents.

Trustees from 01/05/2024-30/04/2025

01/05/2024-30/04/2025: Pilar Banon Lopez, Julia Flores, Dáire McGill

December 2023 – December 2024: Pilar Banon Lopez, Julia Flores, Dáire McGill, Patricia Arguello Rojo.

01/05/2024-01/09/2024: Alexandra Moro Diez, Luis García Ruiz.

Declaration

I, Pilar Banon Lopez, declare all the above to be correct and up to date.

09/08/2026