

Fraserburgh Unit (No 419) of the Sea Cadet Corps

Scotland · Charity number SC027652

Details

Known as	TS Gowanlea
Status	Not Submitted
Legal form	Unincorporated association
Registered	1998-04-01
Register	View on the OSCR register

Contact

Address	Grampian House 86-88 Commerce Street Fraserburgh Aberdeenshire AB43 9LP
Website	www.sea-cadets.org/Fraserburgh

Activities

Activities: 'It carries out activities or services itself'

Purposes: 'the advancement of education', 'the advancement of citizenship or community development'

What the charity does: The charity is a sea cadet unit dedicated to the development of young individuals, aged 8 to 18, through structured discipline, training, and community engagement. The unit is affiliated to the Marine Society and Sea Cadets (MSSC) so we are guided by their practices, ethos and principles to provide education and training on a nautical theme. We provide the cadets with training, education and leisure activities to assist with their physical, intellectual and social development to help them develop into responsible citizens. We provide a platform for cadets to acquire various skills that are beneficial throughout life. These skills include seamanship, navigation, first aid, survival techniques, cooking, marine engineering, music and piping. We also provide equipment and training for many physical activities including drill, sailing, paddle sports, rowing, windsurfing, mountain biking, swimming and football. We have close links with the local community.

Beneficiaries: 'Children or young people'

Objectives: 2.1 The charitable purpose of the Unit (the Purpose) is to promote the development of young people in achieving their physical, intellectual and social potential as individuals and as responsible citizens by the provision of education and leisure time activities using a nautical theme and in accordance with the

principles, ethos and practices of the Marine Society & Sea Cadets (MSSC). In furtherance of the Purpose, the Unit may: a. offer young people a structured environment in which to develop. b. provide access to education and training including (but not restricted to): sailing (inshore and offshore), paddle sports, power boating, seamanship, navigation, marine engineering, cooking, music, first aid, drill, piping, and public service. c. provide opportunities for young people to obtain a range of qualifications. and d. provide opportunities for community involvement.

Geography

- **Main operating location:** Aberdeenshire
- **Geographical spread:** UK and overseas

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£0	£0	-	0
2024-03-31	£33,387	£23,325	-	0
2023-03-31	£45,032	£46,446	-	0
2022-03-31	£51,313	£69,326	-	0
2021-03-31	£53,651	£29,253	-	0

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Accounts

THE SEA CADETS

**ANNUAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT* FOR THE UNIT
RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS ACCOUNT for year ended 31 March 2024**

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SCC A3 (R&P)
Jan-20

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Unit Name: Fraserburgh (419) **Charity No:** Your Charity Number

Fund-name/purpose (if not held for the Unit's <u>general</u> purposes):-	Notes	THIS YEAR	LAST YEAR
		£	£

REVENUE RECEIPTS –

ANNUAL FUND/DIRECT GRANT - (restricted)		£10,217.30	£18,501.79
OTHER GRANTS - (unrestricted)		£2,500.00	£2,375.00
SCAVA (Sea Cadet Victualling Allowance)		£0.00	£0.00
CADET CONTRIBUTIONS		£8,756.22	£9,321.33
OTHER DONATIONS / LEGACIES		£1,270.00	£2,826.25
FUNDRAISING & SPECIAL EVENTS PROCEEDS		£9,662.65	£11,657.16

OTHER CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES:

COMPETITION RECEIPTS		£0.00	£0.00
COURSE FEES		£0.00	£0.00
SUNDRY SALES RECEIPTS		£652.00	£0.00
BANK DEPOSIT INTEREST		£0.00	£0.00
PROPERTY RENTS (includes any occasional)		£329.00	£351.00
OTHER REVENUE RECEIPTS		£0.00	£0.00

TOTAL REVENUE RECEIPTS **A** **£33,387.17** **£45,032.53**

NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS –

PROCEEDS FROM SALES OF OTHER FIXED ASSETS **£0.00** **£0.00**

TOTAL NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS **B** **£0.00** **£0.00**

(*Attach that Fund's similar Account of Receipts as page AC1A, and so on)

TOTAL RECEIPTS = A + B **C** **£33,387.17** **£45,032.53**

Reconciliation:-

NET CHANGE FOR YEAR IN CASH/BANK BALANCE:-

- REVENUE ITEMS (= A – D from page AC2)	G	£10,803.47	£45,032.53
- NON-REVENUE ITEMS (= B – E from page AC2)	H	-£742.00	£0.00
- COMBINED (=G+H)		£10,061.47	£45,032.53
CASH/BANK BALANCE FROM LAST YEAR-END		£18,481.00	£19,128.09
CASH/BANK BALANCE AT THIS YEAR-END 2024		£28,542.47	£18,481.00

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REVENUE PAYMENTS –

DIRECT CHARITABLE ACTIVITY COSTS:

FUNDRAISING & SPECIAL EVENTS COSTS		£2,887.51	£0.00
COMPETITION COSTS		£0.00	£0.00
FUEL & TRAVEL COSTS		£1,521.98	£0.00
CATERING COSTS		£0.00	£0.00
TRAINING DELIVERY COSTS		£0.00	£0.00
ARTICLES PURCHASED FOR RESALE		£276.23	£0.00

OVERHEAD COSTS FOR:

RENT / COUNCIL TAX		£0.00	£0.00
HEAT, LIGHT & WATER		£3,251.22	£0.00
TELEPHONE & BROADBAND		£472.33	£0.00
RUNNING COST Inc POSTAGE, PRINTING & OTHER		£0.00	£0.00

MAINTENANCE COSTS FOR:

BUILDINGS & ESTATE		£9,873.00	£0.00
BOATS		£879.32	£0.00
VEHICLES		£1,043.65	£0.00
OTHER MISC EQUIPMENT		£615.46	£0.00
INSURANCE COSTS		£1,763.00	£0.00
BANK INTEREST & CHARGES		£0.00	£0.00

CHARITY GOVERNANCE COSTS:

FOR ACCOUNTS/AUDIT OR INDEPENDENT EXAMINATION		£0.00	£0.00
FOR OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES		£0.00	£0.00
FOR LEGAL ADVICE (for constitution or trustees)		£0.00	£0.00
OTHER REVENUE COSTS		£0.00	£0.00

TOTAL REVENUE PAYMENTS

D

£22,583.70 £0.00

NON-REVENUE PAYMENTS –

ASSETS		£742.00	£0.00
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**TOTAL NON-REVENUE
TOTAL PAYMENTS (=D+E)**

**E
F**

**£742.00 £0.00
£23,325.70 £0.00**

(*Attach that Fund's similar Account of Payments as page AC2A, and so on)

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In E&W: STATEMENT OF ASSETS & LIABILITIES

ASSETS:

Name of Fund if restricted	THIS YEAR £	LAST YEAR £
CASH/BANK BALANCE(S) AT YEAR-END (from page AC1)	£28,542.47	£18,481.00
BANK DEPOSITS (if any) not included above		
LOANS RECOVERABLE		
OTHER DEBTS (total recoverable – exclude any "accruals")		
*STOCKS OF ITEMS FOR RESALE (total cost)		
INVESTMENTS (present value of securities &c)		
INVESTMENTS (ditto – belonging to a Restricted Fund, if		

***OTHER FIXED ASSETS:**

- LAND & BUILDINGS		
- BOATS		
- VEHICLES		
- COMPUTERS & OTHER EQUIPMENT		
*For all these items (including any gifts at estimated value when given) state their total present value here if lower than as above	[]	[]

LIABILITIES

LOANS REPAYABLE		
OTHER CREDITORS (total payable – exclude any "accruals")		
CONTINGENT LIABILITIES (estimated total amount)		

[Scottish] ACCOUNTS NOTES* (if not within Annual Report)

For any separate Receipts & Payments Account included in this Statement of Account: the nature and purpose of each Fund accounted for and the legal restrictions on its

Total number and amount of any grants paid to (i) individuals and (ii) institutions, analysed by type of activity

Amount of trustee remuneration (inc. to connected persons) paid and the legal authority for it

Amount of any trustee expenses reimbursed and for how many trustees

Amount and nature of any other trustee-transactions (including with connected persons, stating the together with any amount owing at the year-end (say if

Any further information that 'may reasonably assist' a reader's understanding

	[Amounts]	Particulars
Give page no(s). - or say if none		
(or say if none)	[]	
(or say if none)	[]	Authority:
(or say if none)	[]	For how many:
	[]	Nature:
	[]	
Give page no(s).		- or say if none

(*Show details on an extra attached

Signed as authorised by the Unit's Management Committee - Date:

30/01/2025



Unit Treasurer

Unit Chairman

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Unit address (or address for correspondence):-

House name:	Grampian House
Street and No:	88 Commerce Street
Area or Estate:	
Town/City:	Fraserburgh
County:	Aberdeenshire
Post Code:	AB43 9EB

Unit Management Committee members (the 'charity trustees') at date of signing Report:-

[Redacted]	
[Redacted]	
[Redacted]	

Names of any other persons who were charity trustees of the Unit at any time in the financial year:-

[Redacted]	
[Redacted]	
[Redacted]	

Name of any person who is now (or was, in the financial year) a 'trustee for the charity' - i.e., holding or in possession of any assets belonging to the Unit (includes custodians, nominees &c) [*not*: Scotland]:-

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Nature and date of the Unit's constitution (governing document): Governed by Sea Cadet Standard Constitution

The method(s) adopted for recruiting new trustees, and how trustees are elected or otherwise appointed (and by whom) in accordance with the Unit's constitution, are as follows:-

Unit Management Team (UMT) members are elected annually at the Annual General Meeting (AGM). UMT members are elected from the membership of the Sea Cadet Unit which is drawn loosely as being those with an interest in the unit. In the event of a vacancy arising during the year (known as a casual vacancy), The UMT have the power to appoint a new UMT member. The UMT member appointed will serve until the date of the next AGM, after which the post will be filled by election.

The Unit's charitable purpose(s) as set out in its constitution is:-

To promote the development of young people in achieving their physical, intellectual and social potential as individuals and as responsible citizens by the provision of education and leisure time activities using a nautical theme and in accordance with the principles, ethos and practices of the Marine Society & Sea Cadets (MSSC).

The Unit's main activities and achievements in the financial year were:-

[Redacted]

Public Benefit

The UMT continue to give due regard to the public benefit provided by the Unit in relation to the charitable purpose of the Sea Cadet movement as set out in the activities and achievements as outlined above. The aim is to promote the development of young people in achieving their physical, intellectual and social potential as individuals and responsible citizens in a safe environment. In order to achieve this the Unit takes young people from all backgrounds, including where possible those with disabilities and develops their skills and abilities by:

- Regular and structured activities with a nautical theme.
- Allowing young people to take part in activities connected with the wider Sea Cadet movement such as waterborne activities, events and competitions at district, area and national levels.
- Availability of formal educational achievements whilst taking courses to earn badges and promotions

Contributions are kept low in order to ensure all those who wish to take part in the activities of the Unit may do so.

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Reserves Policy

The charity trustees' policy aims to maintain unrestricted reserves at a level equating to Twelve months revenue payments in order to safeguard the Unit's ongoing activities from any unexpected fluctuations in income. Year-end reserves amounted to £3,600.00 12 months' on that basis.

[Delete this section if not applicable]

The Unit NA in designated funds representing fixed assets needed for future activities holds NA and NA for future projects to be carried out in NA as currently planned/expected

[Delete this section unless the Unit has a Restricted Fund in deficit]

A restricted fund held for the purpose of NA was in deficit to the extent of NA and the steps being taken to rectify it are:-

During the financial year the Unit received the following donated facilities/services [not: English, Welsh or NI Units]:- NA

The Unit and/or its trustees held the following assets for the charity/ies named below, whose charitable purposes are as set out hereunder. Special arrangements for the safe custody of those assets and their segregation from the Unit's own assets are as set out below [English, Welsh & NI Units: Delete this section if not applicable; Units in Scotland: This disclosure is not mandatory]:- NA

Date signed as authorised by the Unit's Management Committee: 30 January 2025

[Redacted Signature] Unit Treasurer

[Redacted Signature] Unit Chairman

[Redacted Signature] Independent Examiner

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Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Section A Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/ members of

On accounts for the year ended Charity no

Set out on pages

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144 of the Charities Act 2011 (the Charities Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the Charities Act,
- to follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Charity Commission (under section 145(5)(b) of the Charities Act, and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of independent examiner's statement

My examination was carried out in accordance with general Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from the trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair' view and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

Independent examiner's statement

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention (other than that disclosed below *)

1. which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in, any material respect, the requirements:

- to keep accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; and
- to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with the accounting requirements of the Charities Act

have not been met; or

2. to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

* Please state the matter in the brackets if they do not apply.

Signed: Date:

Name:

Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):

Address: