

Friends of the River Tyne

Scotland · Charity number SC046978

Details

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| Status | Active |
| Legal form | Unincorporated association |
| Registered | 2016-11-15 |
| Register | View on the OSCR register |

Contact

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East Lothian
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Activities

Activities: 'It makes grants, donations or gifts to organisations', 'It carries out activities or services itself'

Purposes: 'the provision of recreational facilities, or the organisation of recreational activities, with the object of improving the conditions of life for the persons for whom the facilities or activities are primarily intended', 'the advancement of environmental protection or improvement'

What the charity does: Friends of the River Tyne is a community lead group dedicated to celebrating, protecting and improving the river Tyne and its surroundings. Wholly run by volunteers we work to monitor water quality, restore habitats, reduce litter and raise awareness of the rivers rich natural heritage. Through clean up events, educational projects, water testing, invertebrate monitoring, tree planting and partnerships with local organisations we aim to nurture a connection between the people of Haddington and the river that runs through the town. As well as events and activities, open meetings, which are minuted, are held every two months. Regular committee meetings coordinate activities.

Beneficiaries: 'No specific group, or for the benefit of the community', 'Other charities or voluntary bodies'

Objectives: The association's objectives are: To provide recreational facilities, or the organisation of recreational facilities, with the object of improving the conditions of life for the persons for whom the facilities or activities are primarily intended by: - Our work in support of the maintenance of the river environment, banks and public footpaths along the river helps to ensure the river remains a valued asset for the enjoyment of local people and for tourists visiting the town. We also work with The Angling Association and Blooming Haddington to this end. To advance environmental protection or improvement by: - Working with East Lothian Council and SEPA in the development of a flood protection plan and the implementation of flood protection measures. - Organising regular litter picking along the banks of the river - Removal and control of invasive species e.g. Canada Balsam, Japanese Knotweed, Giant Hogweed - Working with the Angling Association to ensure the river environment is maintained as a good environment for freshwater fish. - Liaison with local primary schools to educate pupils in the importance of wildlife and maintaining the river to support it.

Geography

- **Main operating location:** East Lothian
- **Geographical spread:** More than one local authority area in Scotland

Finances

| Period end | Income | Expenditure | Assets | Employees |
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| 2025-03-31 | £2,293 | £4,835 | - | 0 |
| 2024-03-31 | £4,162 | £2,745 | - | 0 |
| 2023-03-31 | £4,124 | £630 | - | 0 |
| 2022-03-31 | £338 | £504 | - | 0 |
| 2021-03-31 | £220 | £345 | - | 0 |