

# Shannon Hughes Foundation

Scotland · Charity number SC047086

## Details

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Status	Active
Legal form	SCIO (Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation)
Registered	2017-01-11
Register	<a href="#">View on the OSCR register</a>

## Contact

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**Address** 43 Badger Meadows  
Broxburn  
West Lothian  
EH52 5TD

## Activities

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

**Purposes:** 'the advancement of health','the relief of those in need by reason of age, ill-health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage'

**What the charity does:** Raise funds so we can donate to other local charities like, sick kids hospital and support to individual families fighting children's cancer.

**Beneficiaries:** 'Children or young people','Other charities or voluntary bodies'

**Objectives:** 4 The charity trustees shall use the income and capital of the organisation for any purpose as are charitable and for the public benefit, with particular emphasis on advancing the standard of healthcare for children suffering from cancer, and providing practical and emotional support to children and their families during a paediatric cancer diagnosis and subsequent care. The charity trustees may instead of themselves paying or applying any of the income or capital, pay or transfer the same to any other trusts, organisations, societies, institutions, corporations, associations and other bodies meeting these purposes. The income or capital paid or transferred may be used either for their general purposes or for any specific charitable purpose as the charity trustees may decide. In exercising their discretion in terms of this clause, the charity trustees shall be entitled to give consideration to the wishes of those persons who gift or lend funds to the organisation, but shall primarily seek to support organisations that supported Shannon Hughes, whom the foundation is named after.

## Geography

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- **Main operating location:** West Lothian
- **Geographical spread:** Scotland and other parts of the UK

## Finances

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Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-01-30	£4,705	£4,976	-	0
2024-01-30	£3,417	£7,123	-	0
2023-01-30	£18,749	£7,163	-	0
2022-01-30	£3,635	£3,575	-	0
2021-01-30	£2,655	£2,691	-	0

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# Accounts

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Receipts and payments accounts							
For the period from	Period start date			to	Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
	30	01	2023		29	01	2024

## Section A Statement of receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Expendable endowment funds	Permanent endowment funds	Total funds current period	Total funds last period
	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
<b>A1 Receipts</b>						
Donations	4,705				4,705	3,417
Legacies					-	-
Grants					-	-
Receipts from fundraising activities					-	-
Gross trading receipts					-	-
Income from investments other than land and buildings					-	-
Rents from land & buildings					-	-
Gross receipts from other charitable activities					-	-
					-	-
<b>A1 Sub total</b>	<b>4,705</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4,705</b>	<b>3,417</b>
<b>A2 Receipts from asset &amp; investment sales</b>						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	-
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	-
<b>A2 Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total receipts</b>	<b>4,705</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4,705</b>	<b>3,417</b>
<b>A3 Payments</b>						
Expenses for fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading payments					-	
Investment management costs					-	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities	443				443	216
Grants and donations	4,532				4,532	6,907
Governance costs:					-	-
Audit / independent examination					-	-
Preparation of annual accounts					-	-
Legal costs					-	-
Other					-	-
					-	-
<b>A3 Sub total</b>	<b>4,976</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4,976</b>	<b>7,123</b>
<b>A4 Payments relating to asset and investment movements</b>						
Purchases of fixed assets					-	
Purchase of investments					-	
<b>A4 Sub total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total payments</b>	<b>4,976</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4,976</b>	<b>7,123</b>
<b>Net receipts / (payments)</b>	<b>(271)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(271)</b>	<b>(3,706)</b>
<b>A5 Transfers to / (from) funds</b>						
					-	
<b>Surplus / (deficit) for year</b>	<b>(271)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(271)</b>	<b>(3,706)</b>

## The Shannon Hughes Foundation SCIO Trustees report 27/01/2025

The trustees present the report and accounts of the Shannon Hughes Foundation for the Year ended 27<sup>th</sup> January 2025.

The accounts comply with the requirements of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) 2005 Act and the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006 and the charity's governing Document.

### Charity Recognition

Shannon Hughes Foundation SCIO is registered with the Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator (OSCR) as a charity and is recorded on the list of Scottish Charities.

### Registered Charity Number

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### Principal Address

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### Trustees

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### Recruitment and Appointment of Trustees

Trustees are recruited, appointed or reappointed at the annual general meeting.

### Governing Document

The foundation is a Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation (SCIO) and its purpose and administration are set out in the constitution.

## **Charitable Purposes - Why did we decide to start the Shannon Hughes Foundation?**

The foundation was started in memory of [REDACTED] beautiful daughter [REDACTED], who passed away on 20th April 2016 after a three year fight against Ewing's Sarcoma which is a rare form of childhood cancer.

[REDACTED] was a very loving girl and always thought about others before herself. She wanted to give back to the charities that supported her throughout her journey, particularly when she was fit and feeling better. The charities that supported us over the last few years have been simply amazing and helped us enormously. They provided financial support, moral support and perhaps, most importantly, gave us opportunities as a family to create beautiful and priceless memories with our precious daughter. As her parents, we have vowed to keep her legacy going. With the advice and support of her amazing followers, we decided the best way to honour our remarkable daughter was to launch a foundation in her name.

Be like [REDACTED], keep smiling!

## **[REDACTED]'s Vision and our Aims**

Through ongoing fundraising events and continued support from [REDACTED]'s followers, our aim is to give something back to all the wonderful charities that supported us. It's important they continue to provide their services to all children and families battling childhood cancer. To do so, they rely on donations and support.

With funding from the Shannon Hughes Foundation, we would like to help families going through childhood cancer by offering much needed financial assistance. A recent survey estimated a family's outgoings increase by £500 per month if their child is attending hospital for the treatment of cancer. Many parents have to take leave from work to be with their child. Financial worries should not be a burden when your child is fighting for their life.

Another vital area we are keen to support are the organisations who specialise in the research and development of cures for childhood cancer. We must continue to help fund these efforts and hope that one day, a cure will be discovered. Our children should continue to receive the best possible treatments and support available.

## Activities and Achievements

### Goals achieved:

Slow year for charity donations and no set fundraisers organised

**£7,705 raised in year 8.**

### Expenditure was £4976 and this was used on:

Donations to other local charities like, sick kids hospital and support to individual families fighting children's cancer.

Funding to support individual families

**Cash at bank ended at £30,831**

## Reserves Policy

The trustees believe that the foundation should maintain a level of reserves sufficient to continue the charitable activities and to meet any other ongoing running costs for at least six months.

## Continuation – Year 9

In year 9 we will continue to maintain the profile of the charity within the local community, continue to fund raise and donate money to families in a similar position that the Hughes family found themselves in during [REDACTED]'s illness.

