

Paws for Autism

Scotland · Charity number SC048695

Details

Status	Active
Legal form	SCIO (Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation)
Registered	2018-09-11
Register	View on the OSCR register

Contact

Address	Unit 8 RFL House Anderson Street Dunblane Stirling FK15 9AJ
Website	www.pawsforautism.org.uk

Activities

Activities: 'It carries out activities or services itself'

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

What the charity does: The organisation's purposes are: 4.1 To provide supported dog training and education to a child or adult with a diagnosis of autism. 4.2 To improve their lives with the assistance of expertly trained dogs. 4.3 To provide access to a specialist expert service. 4.4 To provide access to a safe environment where they can explore the relationship with dogs that can and will enhance their quality of life.

Beneficiaries: 'Children or young people', 'People with disabilities or health problems'

Objectives: The organisation's purposes are: 4.1 To provide supported dog training and education to a child or adult with a diagnosis of autism. 4.2 To improve their lives with the assistance of expertly trained dogs. 4.3 To provide access to a specialist expert service. 4.4 To provide access to a safe environment where they can explore the relationship with dogs that can and will enhance their quality of life.

Geography

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

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£96,125	£92,168	-	0
2024-03-31	£0	£0	-	0
2023-03-31	£5	£0	-	0
2022-03-31	£0	£0	-	0
2021-03-31	£0	£0	-	0

Accounts

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Annual Report 2024/2025

This year there has been a donation of £75,000 received to carry out works to a new building on a neighboring plot that was secured in July 2024, this was then followed up with a Grant from National Lottery for £20,000 to assist with the groundwork needed, at the point of this return the work is nearing completion and we should be ready to start the outreach classes in early 2026.

The outreach program has worked with Children with behavioral difficulties and socio-economic challenges, facilitating them to develop their potentials and gain relevant work experiences and chances to gain achievement certificates through contact with local high schools.

Assistance has been made for safe secure places for primary school age autistic children to develop and learn social skills with their care workers.

Support & guidance has been made for a few young adults with Autism to gain work placements through the Department of Work & Pensions.

Financial Report

Submitted separately

Future Fundraising

It is the intention of the trustees to initiate grant applications for a permanent structure to enable the children to attend the Behavioral Centre in bad weather.

Report by Financial Secretary/Treasurer



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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
	01	04	2024		31	03	2025

Section A Statement of receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total funds current period to nearest £	Total funds last period to nearest £
A1 Receipts						
Donations	75,000				75,000	-
Legacies					-	
Grants		21,125			21,125	
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					-	
					-	
A1 Sub total	75,000	21,125	-	-	96,125	-
A2 Receipts from asset & investment sales						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	
A2 Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	75,000	21,125	-	-	96,125	-
A3 Payments						
Expenses for fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading payments	58,145	21,125			79,270	
Investment management costs					-	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities					-	
Grants and donations					-	
Governance costs:					-	
Audit / independent examination	1,250				1,250	
Preparation of annual accounts	5,000				5,000	
Legal costs					-	
Other					-	
					-	
A3 Sub total	64,395	21,125	-	-	85,520	-
A4 Payments relating to asset and investment movements						
Purchases of fixed assets	6,648				6,648	
Purchase of investments					-	
A4 Sub total	6,648	-	-	-	6,648	-
Total payments	71,043	21,125	-	-	92,168	-
Net receipts / (payments)	3,957	-	-	-	3,957	-
A5 Transfers to / (from) funds						
					-	
Surplus / (deficit) for year	3,957	-	-	-	3,957	-

Section B Statement of balances

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Cash and bank balances at start of year	75,000	21,125			96,125	
	Surplus / (deficit) shown on receipts and payments account	(64,973)	(21,125)			(86,098)	
						-	
						-	
	Cash and bank balances at end of year	10,027	-	-	-	10,027	-
	(Agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	- 68,930	- 21,125	-	-	- 90,055	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Market valuation to nearest £	Last year to nearest £
B2 Investments				
		Total	-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (if available) to nearest £	Current value (if available) to nearest £	Last year to nearest £
B3 Other assets					
		Total	-	-	-

	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due to nearest £	Last year to nearest £
B4 Liabilities				
		Total	-	-

	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (estimate) to nearest £	Last year to nearest £
B5 Contingent liabilities				
		Total	-	-

Signed by one or two trustees
on behalf of all the trustees

Signature

Print Name

Date of approval

02 December 2025

Section C Notes to the Accounts

C1 Nature and purpose of funds *(may be stated on analysis of funds worksheets)*

Stirling Dog Behavioural Centre is a training facility for Dogs and is 50% owned and run by Paws for Autism, a recent building as aquired to enable the facility to be expanded to cover all charity work, this involved a donation of £75,000 to Paws for Autism to enable the necessary building work to be carried out at the new building

	Type of activity or project supported	Individual / institution	Number of grants made	£
C2 Grants	Stirling Dog Behavioural Centre	Company	1	75,000
			Total	75,000

C3a Trustee remuneration	If no remuneration was paid during the period to any charity trustee or person connected to a trustee cross this box (otherwise complete section 3b)	X
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	Authority under which paid	£
C3b Trustee remuneration - details		

C4a Trustee expenses	If no expenses were paid to any charity trustee during the period then cross this box (otherwise complete section 4b)	X
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		Number of trustees	£
C4b Trustee expenses - details			

	Nature of relationship	Nature of transaction	Transaction amount (£)	Balance outstanding at period end (£)
C5 Transactions with trustees and connected persons				

C6 Other information	
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Additional analysis (1)

Analysis of receipts and payments

1 Donations

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
Stirling Dog Behavioral Centre	75,000				75,000	
					-	
					-	
					-	
Total	75,000	-	-	-	75,000	-

2 Grants

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
National Lottery		20,000	20,000	
Groundwork/Tesco		1,125	1,125	
			-	
			-	
Total	-	21,125	21,125	-

3 Gross receipts from other charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-

4 Payments relating directly to charitable activities

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Expendable endowment funds	Permanent endowment funds	Total current period	Total last period
	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
Total	-	-	-	-	-	

Additional analysis (2)

5 Breakdown of unrestricted funds

	Unrestricted fund 1 - enter name of fund below Stirling Dog Behavioral Centre	Unrestricted fund 2 - enter name of fund below	Unrestricted fund 3 - enter name of fund below	Unrestricted fund 4 - enter name of fund below	Total unrestricted funds	Total unrestricted funds last period
Receipts						
Donations	75,000				75,000	
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					-	
Sub total	75,000	-	-	-	75,000	-
Receipts from asset & investment sales						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	75,000	-	-	-	75,000	-
Payments						
Expenses for fundraising activities					-	
Gross trading payments	58,145				58,145	
Investment management costs					-	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities					-	
Grants and donations					-	
Governance costs:					-	
Audit / independent examination	1,250				1,250	
Preparation of annual accounts	5,000				5,000	
Legal costs					-	
					-	
					-	
Sub total	64,395	-	-	-	64,395	-
Payments relating to asset and investment movements						
Purchases of fixed assets	6,648				6,648	
Purchase of investments					-	
Sub total	6,648	-	-	-	6,648	-
Total payments	71,043	-	-	-	71,043	-
Net receipts / (payments)	3,957	-	-	-	3,957	-
Transfers to / (from) funds					-	
Surplus / (deficit) for year	3,957	-	-	-	3,957	-

Nature and purpose of funds

APPENDIX 3



		Independent examiner's report on the accounts						v2
Report to the trustees/members of	Registered charity number	Charity name PAWS FOR AUTISM						
On the accounts of the charity for the period		SC048695						
		Period start date				Period end date		
		Day	Month	Year	to	Day	Month	Year
		01	04	2024		31	03	2025
Set out on pages								(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)
Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner	The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the terms of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) 2005 Act and the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006 (as amended). The charity trustees consider that the audit requirement of Regulation 10(1) (d) of the Accounts Regulations does not apply. It is my responsibility to examine the accounts as required under section 44(1) (c) of the Act and to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.							
Basis of independent examiner's statement	My examination is carried out in accordance with Regulation 11 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations. 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 seeks 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, I do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.							
Independent examiner's statement	In the course of my examination, no matter has come to my attention [other than that disclosed on the attached page*] - which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements: - to keep accounting records in accordance with section 44(1) (a) of the 2005 Act and Regulation 4 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations, and - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with Regulation 9 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations have not been met, or - to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.							
Signed**:								
Name:								
Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):								
Address:								

*Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply. If the words do apply, set out those matters which have come to your attention on the following page.

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APPENDIX 3

Disclosure section

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material problems.

**Give here brief details of
any items that the
examiner wishes to
disclose**