2ND CHANCE DOGS UK

FOR THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY 2025 TO 31 DECEMBER 2025

REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER 1183073

TRUSTEES' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT

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CHARITY INFORMATION

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Trustees	Marios Papadimas	Chairperson
	Rowan Chattock	
	Emma Louise Horwood	
	Pandora Karayianni (aka Doris)	
	Sally Anne Taylor	
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Charity Number	1183073	
Registered Address	13 Woodcote Road CARTERTON Oxfordshire OX18 3FZ	
Bank	Barclays Bank plc, Nottingham High Street Branch	
	Paypal UK	

2ND CHANCE DOGS UK — TRUSTEES' REPORT
For the period 1 January 2025 to 31 December 2025
Charity Number: 1183073

Summary of the objects of the Charity

To promote humane behaviour towards dogs by assisting in the provision of appropriate care, protection, treatment and security for dogs which are in need of care and attention by reason of sickness, maltreatment, poor circumstances or ill usage and to educate the public in matters pertaining to dog welfare in general and the prevention of cruelty and suffering among dogs.

Summary of the main activities of the Charity

The Charity supports the care, treatment, rehabilitation and rehoming of sick, injured, neglected and abandoned dogs, particularly through its support for the work of 2nd Chance Dogs in Cyprus.

In the United Kingdom, our work includes supporting adopters who have welcomed rescue dogs from Cyprus into their homes. We provide ongoing advice and assistance, including support where behavioural difficulties, veterinary needs or changes in an adopter's circumstances arise. Our commitment to **"Lifetime Support"** remains central to our work.

Fundraising undertaken by the UK Charity helps provide grants supporting rescue and rehabilitation in Cyprus, while also enabling emergency veterinary assistance and rescue backup in the United Kingdom. We also promote responsible dog ownership, adoption and public understanding of dog welfare.

Summary of achievements during the period

This report covers the sixth full calendar year since 2ND CHANCE DOGS UK became a registered charity in April 2019.

During 2025, the Charity continued to provide practical and financial support for dogs needing homes and for dogs and adopters requiring behavioural or veterinary assistance.

Our work recognises that successful adoption involves more than finding a home. Dogs recovering from abandonment, neglect or distress may require time, patience and specialist support. Helping adopters understand these needs and providing ongoing assistance remain important parts of our commitment.

The year also brought significant developments in our online presence, designed to clarify the UK Charity's role, improve access to information and create further opportunities for fundraising.

Development of our websites and clearer UK fundraising

During 2025, we developed three separate websites: one dedicated to the United Kingdom, one serving Europe and one specifically for Cyprus. This allows information to be tailored to each audience and provides a clearer distinction between the UK Charity's activities and those undertaken elsewhere.

The dedicated UK website provides a central point for UK fundraising, adoption information and ongoing adopter support. All donation and fundraising amounts displayed on the UK website are now

shown exclusively in **pounds sterling (GBP)**, reducing confusion over currencies and making it easier for supporters to understand and contribute to the UK Charity's appeals.

This development strengthens the UK Charity's identity while maintaining its close connection with the rescue and rehabilitation work in Cyprus.

Development of our online fundraising shop

We also completed our dedicated fundraising website, **2ndchancedogs.shop**, creating an additional platform to support our fundraising activities.

We plan to use the website to increase merchandise sales and support activities such as auctions and raffles. Its auction functionality will allow supporters to upload items for auction, providing another practical way to contribute to our work and raise funds for dogs in need.

The shop will complement our other websites, broaden opportunities for supporters to get involved and help develop additional sources of fundraising income.

Lifetime support for dogs and adopters

Our promise of "Lifetime Support" continued to guide our work throughout the year. Adopters were able to seek advice on helping their dogs settle into family life and obtain support when difficulties arose.

Where necessary, this included assistance with behavioural concerns, veterinary needs and rescue backup. Our aim is to help dogs remain safely and successfully in their adoptive homes and to provide support when circumstances change.

We remain grateful to the volunteers, foster carers, behaviourists and veterinary professionals whose time and expertise help us honour this commitment.

Fundraising and financial support

The Charity's Barclays bank account and PayPal account continued to provide channels for receiving donations, paying expenses and transferring approved financial support.

Individual donations, regular contributions, personal fundraising appeals and online fundraising remained important to our work. We are particularly grateful to supporters who chose to mark birthdays, special occasions and the lives of loved ones by raising funds for the Charity.

Our dedicated UK website gives these fundraising activities a clearer UK focus, with amounts displayed in GBP. The completion of our online shop also provides a foundation for further fundraising initiatives.

Funds raised help support the care and rehabilitation of dogs in Cyprus, alongside the UK Charity's commitment to adopter support, emergency veterinary assistance and rescue backup.

Volunteer-led fundraising calendar

A group of wonderful volunteers also put together a fundraising calendar featuring all the dogs adopted into the United Kingdom. As well as generously giving their time and effort to create the calendar, they covered most of the production costs, helping more of the proceeds go towards our charitable work.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to everyone involved. The calendar celebrates the dogs who have found loving homes and shows how every contribution—whether time, skills or financial support—can make a meaningful difference to the dogs still waiting for their second chance.

Supporting the work in Cyprus

The UK Charity supports the mission of 2nd Chance Dogs in Cyprus, where rescue work combines safe accommodation and daily care with veterinary treatment, rehabilitation and preparation for adoption.

The Cyprus organisation operates as a separate registered not-for-profit entity. Its work benefits from local volunteers, donors, businesses and community organisations, alongside assistance from the UK Charity.

Remembering Hannah Godfrey (1966–2024)

We continue to honour the memory of Hannah Godfrey, a much-loved adopter, friend and supporter of our organisation, who passed away in 2024.

Hannah, her husband Ian and their daughter Issy welcomed our rescue dog Ward, affectionately known as Woody, into their family. Hannah became a devoted advocate for our work, sharing our appeals, offering encouragement and giving Woody a loving home.

As reported previously, the tribute fund established in Hannah's memory raised **£10,047.06**, which was generously donated to 2nd Chance Dogs. This gift is intended to help create the **Hannah Godfrey Puppy Section** at the planned new rescue centre in Cyprus.

The proposed section includes four whelping kennels, providing a safe and supportive environment for pregnant dogs and vulnerable puppies. Although the wider project has experienced delays, this dedicated area remains an important part of our plans and will provide a lasting tribute to Hannah's kindness.

We remain deeply grateful to Ian, Issy and everyone who contributed in Hannah's memory. We look forward to welcoming the family to the centre when it is completed and showing them the difference their generosity will make.

New rescue centre in Cyprus — plans and progress update

The proposed new rescue centre represents an important long-term ambition for 2nd Chance Dogs in Cyprus: to improve facilities for rescue and rehabilitation while creating a welcoming environment for adopters, volunteers and the wider community.

The planned development occupies a site of approximately **33,000 m²**. The proposed facilities include dedicated accommodation for dogs, a puppy section, an intake area, a training barn, outdoor exercise areas and quiet spaces where prospective adopters can meet dogs. Wider plans include veterinary facilities and dog parks, bringing together animal care, education and community participation.

Progress has been slower than anticipated because of the complexity of the planning approval process and the administrative requirements involved. The proposed centre introduces an approach that is relatively new to Cyprus, and navigating these requirements has unfortunately delayed the project.

At the time of preparing this report, our revised aim is to begin development of the site in **early 2027**, subject to securing the necessary approvals and funding.

In the meantime, we have used this period to research construction materials and refine the plans, paying particular attention to animal welfare, durability, ease of maintenance and suitability for the Cyprus climate.

As part of this preparation, we visited **Battersea and Dogs Trust rescue centres in the United Kingdom** to learn from their experience. These visits provided valuable insights into the design and day-to-day operation of rescue facilities, helping us understand which approaches could be adapted for the dogs in Cyprus.

We extend our sincere thanks to the teams at Battersea and Dogs Trust for their hospitality, openness and willingness to share their knowledge. Seeing their facilities and learning what works well in the UK has been invaluable in shaping our plans.

Although the delays are disappointing, our commitment remains unchanged: to create the best possible rescue centre for the dogs in our care, providing a safe, comfortable environment that supports their rehabilitation and prepares them for life in a loving home.

Looking ahead

The UK Charity's priorities remain to strengthen fundraising, support rescue and rehabilitation in Cyprus, and provide dependable lifetime support for dogs adopted through us and their families in the United Kingdom.

Our dedicated UK website will help us communicate these priorities more clearly, keep supporters informed and make it easier to contribute to our work. Our online shop will provide further opportunities to engage supporters through sales, auctions and other fundraising activities.

Alongside these developments, we will continue supporting the long-term ambition for improved rescue facilities in Cyprus while maintaining our commitment to dogs and adopters who need assistance today.

Acknowledgements and heartfelt thanks

On behalf of everyone at 2nd Chance Dogs and the trustees of 2ND CHANCE DOGS UK, we extend our heartfelt gratitude to our fellow trustees, volunteers, supporters, foster carers and everyone who has adopted a dog through our organisation.

We sincerely thank everyone who has made a donation, organised a fundraiser, contributed goods or services, shared our appeals or offered their time and expertise. Every contribution, large or small, helps us continue our work.

To our adopters, thank you for opening your hearts and homes and giving our dogs the love, patience and security they deserve.

To our donors and supporters, thank you for making their care and rehabilitation possible and for standing beside us as we work towards a better future.

To our trustees and volunteers, thank you for your dedication, time and commitment. Your efforts help us fulfil our responsibilities and honour our promise of lifelong support.

From all of us and the trustees of 2ND CHANCE DOGS UK,

Thank you for helping give our dogs the second chance they deserve.

2ND CHANCE DOGS UK - STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS
FOR THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY 2025 TO 31 DECEMBER 2025
RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

		£
INCOME/RECEIPTS		
Income from Donations		31,573.67
Income from Money Boxes		77.50
Income from Sales		1,441.85
Total Income/Receipts		**£ 33,093.02**
EXPENDITURE/PAYMENTS		
Grants/Donations to assist with welfare of dogs at 2nd Chance Dogs, Cyprus		17,782.33
Costs of Supporting Adopted Dogs/Rescue Backup		
Kennelling fees	960.00	
Dog Trainers and Behaivorists	2205.99	
Dog Microchips	86.40	
Dog Transportation	8.778.04	
Fostering expenses	464.90	12,495.33
Costs of Fundraising		
Printing Costs for Calendars	82.87	82.87
Costs of Charitable Activities		
Website fee/subscriptions	105.44	
Bank Charges	12.57	
PayPal fees	52.97	
Exchange Rate Gain/Loss	23.99	
Corrections and other exp	751.07	
		946.04
Total Expenditure/Payments		**£ 31,306.57**

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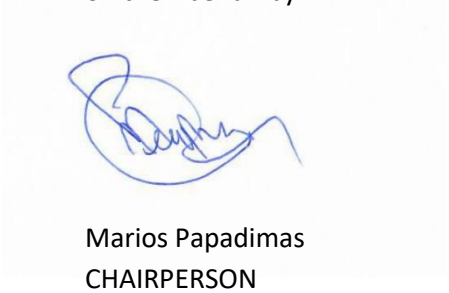
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		£
RECONCILIATION		
Balances of PayPal and Barclays Bank Accounts brought forward from the previous period	17,579.89	
Income/Receipts for the current period	33,093.02	50,672.91
Less Expenditure/Payments for the current period		31,306.57
Net funds/surplus		**£ 19,366.34**

BANK AND PAYPAL BALANCES

Balance of PayPal Fundraising account as at 31 December 2025	£ 8,129.07
Balance of PayPal Fundraising account as at 31 December 2025 (euro acc)	£ 303.54 (€347.86) (fx 0.87260)
Balance of PayPal Web account as at 31 December 2025	£ 2,774.94
Balance of Barclays Bank account (Web) as at 31 December 2025	£ 2,524.20
Balance of Barclays Bank account (Community) as at 31 December 2025	£ 5,634.59
Total Bank and PayPal Balances	**£ 19,366.34**

The statements on pages 8 and 9 are hereby approved by the Trustees and verified on their behalf by:



Marios Papadimas
CHAIRPERSON