MANY HOPES UK

A Charitable Incorporated Organisation

TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT

31 December 2025

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Section 1 – Legal and Administrative Information

Charity name: Many Hopes UK
also known as: MANY HOPES

Charity Commission reg. no.: 1193700

For the financial year starting: 1 January 2025
and ending: 31 December 2025

Charity's principal address: 5 Red House Lane, Bristol, BS9 3RY

The Charity's Governing Document: The charity is constituted as a Charitable Incorporated Organisation with governing documents dated 15 February 2021

Trustees as at 31 December 2021: David Gordon Scott
Alice Nani Scott (Chair)
Victoria Hannah Thompson
Anoushka Rayner
Thomas Keown

Professional Advisers

Bankers: Triodos Bank, Deanery Rd, Bristol BS1 5AS

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Charities Act 1993.

Section 2 – Structure, governance and management

Trustees and Governance

The Board of Trustees continues to consist of five Trustees.

Management

The Trustees are all responsible for the management of the Charity and each Trustee is on the Board that manages the affairs of the Charity. A chairperson is elected annually at the AGM of the Charity.

On appointment new Trustees are given a copy of the Trust Deed and a copy of the Charity's latest report and statement of accounts. A register of the name and address of each Trustee and the dates on which their terms of office begin and end is kept by the Trustees.

All Trustees give their time freely and have not received any benefit in money or in kind from the Charity except that the Trustees are insured against claims or the costs of defence to a criminal prosecution brought against them as charity Trustees.

Objectives and Activities for the public benefit

The Objects of the charity are specified in the Trust deed as follows:

'The relief of poverty, sickness and distress, the preservation and protection of good health and advancement of education among orphaned, abused, impoverished or enslaved children and adults by such means and in such parts of the world as the trustees shall determine.'

The Trustees have complied with their duty to have due regard to the guidance on public benefit published by the Commission in exercising their powers or duties.

Section 3 – Activities and Achievements

We worked closely with Many Hopes, a charity in the USA. We have looked in depth into their policies related to searching, establishing and long term supporting partner organisations located in various different countries. The trustees decided that the most efficient way to make use of the funds we raise is to give grants to Many Hopes, thus enabling them to provide additional support to their partners on the ground.

Many Hopes UK provided grants in a total of £21,001, which contributed towards the following activities.

BOLIVIA

330
Children served

81
Children rescued from living on the streets or from abuse

184
Children equipped with the education and care needed to thrive

65
Children enrolled in university or trade school

Program Highlights

Rescue

- 37 children received legal support.
- Provided medical care to children, including a life-saving open-heart surgery for a young girl who has recovered fully.
- Local dentists provided cleanings, treated cavities, and taught dental hygiene to children.
- Worked with the national ID agency of Bolivia to secure identity cards and required documents, giving each child access to school and medical care.

Equip

- Helped high school students secure part-time jobs for work experience.
- Children received life-skills workshops throughout the year to help with topics like self-esteem and nutrition.
- Participated in a national student government program to promote child-friendly policies with municipal leaders.
- Alalay partnered with local university students studying education to provide after-school tutoring sessions to help children catch up in math and reading.
- Children performed two original theater productions, which included drums, violins, and hip-hop dance as part of an eight-month arts program.

Launch

- 3 students started university.
- 45 young adults secured full-time employment.
- 15 young adults started trade/vocational programs, including culinary, electrical, fashion, and plumbing.
- Teens received help setting up bank accounts and took courses in financial literacy. The program requires children who have after-school jobs to put a percentage of their earnings into a savings account.

GHANA

1748
Children served

135
children rescued from trafficking and slavery

1511
Children equipped with the education and care needed to thrive

102
Children enrolled in university or trade school

Program Highlights

Rescue

- 5 rescue missions freed 135 trafficked children from slavery.
- Partnered with the Ghana Police Service to rescue 25 Nigerian girls trafficked to Ghana for sexual exploitation.
- Trained 96 community child protection volunteers who, because of their deep community ties, provided critical intelligence for rescue missions and helped prevent trafficking.

Equip

- 818 (448 girls, 350 boys) children from low-income and vulnerable families received subsidized tuition.
- 100% of all children who were reunited with family were either enrolled in school (85%) or in trade programs (15%).
- Continued to expand anti-trafficking clubs in schools around the country. Ten additional clubs were started and led by formerly rescued children.
- 80% of final-year secondary students passed the national university entrance exam.

Launch

- 67 students were enrolled in vocational school training, which included tiling, auto repair, welding, and digital satellite installation.
- 35 students were enrolled in university.
- 10 students graduated from university.

GUATEMALA

273
children served

70
children rescued from living on the streets or from abuse

195
children equipped with the education and care needed to thrive

8
children enrolled in university or trade school

Program Highlights

Rescue

- Provided a loving home for 70 children rescued from extreme poverty, abandonment, or abuse.
- Children in the home received medical care and counseling.
- Held nutrition training for children, teaching them how to identify and prepare healthy foods.
- Hosted workshops in the rescue home on topics such as setting personal goals, self-care, hygiene, and children's rights.
- 8 children received legal support.

Equip

- Achieved a 100% pass rate; 23 students graduated from 6th grade, with 22 continuing on to secondary school.
- Took children on field trips throughout the year, which included hiking Central America's tallest volcano!
- Hosted an end-of-year arts festival, which featured a marimba concert, painting exhibition, and a published book of student poems and stories.
- Several career days were hosted throughout the year to expose children to different career paths.

Launch

- 2 students from the home graduated from high school. One was bound for a psychology degree, and the other was admitted to a university nursing program after passing her entrance exams.

- 8 students enrolled in vocational training.
- Expanded workshops for students on financial literacy and money management.

KENYA

589
Children served

63
children rescued from sexual abuse, abandonment, or extreme poverty

348
Children equipped with the education and care needed to thrive

178
Children enrolled in university or trade school

Program Highlights

Rescue

- 63 children were rescued from sexual abuse, incest, child marriage, or abandonment and placed into safe care.
- Secured life sentences and 25–30-year convictions in multiple child abuse cases, including one reopened after two years when the perpetrator was finally located.
- All survivors received medical support and counseling.
- Hosted community outreach programs to educate the public on how to identify, prevent, and report abuse in their community.

Equip

- Ran Little Friends for Justice clubs in 38 schools, teaching 200+ learners their rights; over 90% can now identify a trusted adult they can turn to for help reporting abuse.
- Expanded structured therapy program for children affected by trauma, loss, and violence.
- Hosted a three-week academic boot camp for 58 national exam candidates, pairing students with professional examiners and giving them career mentors to shadow.
- Enrolled 14 newly rescued children in school (6 for the very first time in their lives).

Launch

- Of 73 program graduates celebrated this year, 32 earned direct university placements and 7 entered medical school.
- Trained 140 caregivers in business skills and provided seed capital that launched or restocked dozens of small businesses; one mother's income grew 40%.
- Submitted 65 higher-education funding applications to keep university within reach for graduating students.
- 23 students enrolled in university and 6 university graduations.

MALAWI

392
Children served

10
Children rescued from abandonment after being orphaned

363
Children equipped with the education and care needed to thrive

19
Young adults either enrolled in university or secured employment

Program Highlights

Rescue

- Admitted abandoned and orphaned infants and children year-round, including a two-week-old rescued from a pit latrine and a newborn whose mother disappeared after giving birth.
- Reunited siblings who were separated after the death of both of their parents.
- Partnered with Malawi’s social services to support children rescued from refugee situations.
- Provided excellent medical care to children through the on-site clinic, which serves over 30,000 local patients annually.
- Made improvements to the homes, which included additional solar panels so children have light at night to do their homework.

Equip

- 100% of Grade 8 pupils passed the Primary School Leaving Certificate and were admitted to secondary schools.
- Pothawira Academy was the top-performing school in its zone on the Grade 7 district mock exams.
- Continued construction of the secondary school, so students can continue with the same quality of education they receive at Pothawira's high-performing primary school.
- Opened a pre-school with 22 students and set up a new library.
- Expanded the after-school tutoring and English programs.
- Organized field trips and hosted quarterly career days to expose students to different career paths.

Launch

- 4 university students graduated with degrees in primary education, agriculture, nursing, and midwifery.
- 19 students enrolled in college or university.
- 4 young adults secured employment.
- 1 young adult received the seed money needed to start her own seamstress shop after completing a fashion apprenticeship.

Partner funding by country

Partner funding by country	
Malawi	$706,251
Ghana	$959,601
Bolivia	$684,705
Kenya	$801,460
Guatemala	$231,798
Peru*	$82,500

*Our partner is Peru supports 22 girls transitioning into adulthood through education and vocational training.

Section 4 - Policies

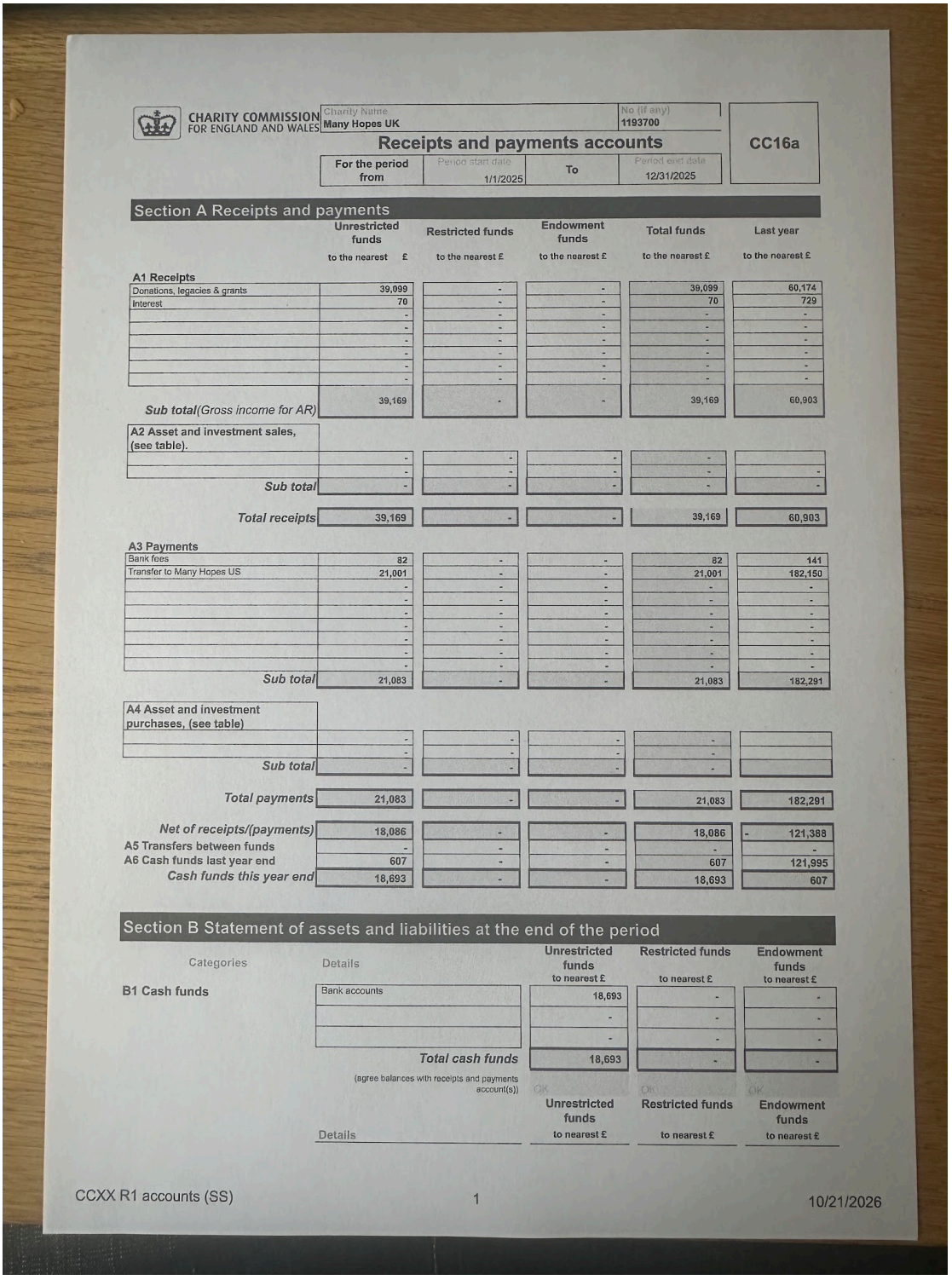
Reserves policy: In the Trustees' view, the reserves should provide the charity with adequate financial stability and the means for it to meet its charitable objectives for the foreseeable future.

The trustees propose to maintain the charity's reserves at a level which is at least equivalent to six months operational expenditure in the light of likely funding streams.

Investment policy: The Charity's reserves are currently held on deposit at our bankers, Triodos Bank.

Section 5 – Financial Statements

The charity's expenditure exceeded income this year as funds carried forward from the previous year were used to support activities.



CHARITY COMMISSION FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Charity Name: Many Hopes UK | No (if any): 1193700

Receipts and payments accounts — CC16a

For the period from: Period start date 1/1/2025 To: Period end date 12/31/2025

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Donations, legacies & grants	39,099	-	-	39,099	60,174
Interest	70	-	-	70	729
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	39,169	-	-	39,169	60,903
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	39,169	-	-	39,169	60,903
A3 Payments					
Bank fees	82	-	-	82	141
Transfer to Many Hopes US	21,001	-	-	21,001	182,150
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	21,083	-	-	21,083	182,291
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	
	-	-	-	-	
Sub total	-	-	-	-	
Total payments	21,083	-	-	21,083	182,291
Net of receipts/(payments)	18,086	-	-	18,086	- 121,388
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	607	-	-	607	121,995
Cash funds this year end	18,693	-	-	18,693	607

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Bank accounts	18,693	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds (agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	18,693 OK	- OK	- OK

Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £

B2 Other monetary assets

	-	-	-
	-	-	-
	-	-	-
	-	-	-
	-	-	-
	-	-	-

B3 Investment assets

Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-

B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use

Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-

B5 Liabilities

Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
		-	
		-	
		-	
		-	
		-	

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

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
ASScott	Alice Nani Scott	21/10/2026

CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Independent examiner's report on the accounts

[redacted]

Report to the trustees/ members of	Many Hopes UK		
On accounts for the year ended	31 December 2025	**Charity no (if any)**	1193700
Set out on pages	1 - 2		

Responsibilities and basis of report

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31/12/2024.

As the charity trustees of the Trust, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention (other than that disclosed below *) in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Act or
- the accounts do not accord with the accounting records

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

** Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.*

Signed: *SE Reed* **Date:** 20/10/2026

Name: Sarah Reed

Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):	Fellow Chartered Accountant, ICAEW
Address:	

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.	No matters of concern.

Section 6 – Signature and Declaration

Declaration:

I declare, in my capacity of charity trustee, that the Trustees have approved the report above and have authorised me to sign it on their behalf.



21/10/2025

David Scott **Date**