

Errigal Amateur Boxing Club– Charity number NI 102694

Trustees Report for the year ended 31st March 2017

About the charity.

We are a group made up of volunteers who organise and implement a sporting club dedicated to the Olympic Sport of boxing. We use the Errigal Hall which is a small parish hall three nights per week, more often coming up to the time of competitions and championships.

We fundraise to buy equipment which includes a boxing ring, punchbags, safety equipment including gloves and helmets, treadmill, skipping ropes and assorted weights and small fitness equipment. The age group we work with is 9 years to 35 years of age separated into different sessions.

We do fitness and circuits as well as boxing tuition. We also spend a lot of time communicating with other clubs organising sparring sessions as well as completing competition entries. We liaise with the Ulster Council re: medical checks and other details and we spend a lot of time fundraising to provide transport to competitions and sparring sessions. We also must find accommodation if they are at amateur competitions over more than one day. We have a committee which manages the club and a child protection officer and voluntary coaches. Some parents also volunteer with transport and fundraising.

Activities Undertaken on behalf of the charity's purposes

Errigal has been a very successful club over the years, having numerous Ulster and Irish Champions plus boxers who have represented Ireland at International level all over the world. Winning medals all over the world the club also has a boxer who captained the Northern Ireland team at the Commonwealth Games in the Bahamas. We fundraise to buy equipment which includes a boxing ring, punchbags, safety equipment including gloves and helmets, treadmill, skipping ropes and assorted weights and small fitness equipment. The age group we work with is 9 years to 35 years of age separated into different sessions.

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How we are funded.

We are totally dependent on local businesses for sponsorship. We raise our own funds through ticket sales, sponsored walks and our annual tournament. This year our income was £3,860 derived from the above sources. Our expenditure included running costs and the costs involved in attending competitions including regional and national competitions. Subsistence, accommodation and travel reimbursement are all elements of expenditure in this year.

Administration Information

The Club was formed in 1964 and is a cross community club catering for 10-year olds and upwards. During the financial year the trustees were as follows, Mr Pearce Brolly, Mr Patrick Bradley Mrs Maureen Deighan and Mr Danny Deighan. The club meets in the Errigal Hall, 77 Boleran Rd, Garvagh, Coleraine BT51 5EQ

Signed 

M. Deighan
Pearce Brolly