



Trustee Annual Report Form – 89th Belfast Brownies

This template is to provide guidance to units who are completing a Trustee Annual Report for the NI Charity Commission. If you do not wish to use this form please ensure that the headings in this guidance are followed when completing a Trustee Annual Report.

All Girlguiding Ulster Charities are governed by the Royal Charter and Bye-laws.

The Purpose of each of these Charities is to educate girls and young women to help them develop emotionally, mentally, physically and spiritually so that they can make a positive contribution to their Community and the wider world.

Name of Charity as it appears on the Register and any other names it may be known by

89th Belfast Brownies

NI Charity Commission Number

104530

The principal address of the Charity- this should be the address that was used at the time of registration with the Charity Commission

The Guide Association
30 Station Road, Holywood, County Down, BT18 0BP

The names of all Charity Trustees on the date the report was approved and all individuals who served as Charity Trustees during the year

Mrs Gillian Hinds
Mrs Nikki Croft

The financial year the report relates to – for example, 1st April 2016 to 31st March 2017

1st January 2022 to 31st December 2022



A summary of the Charity's main activities to further its purposes for the public benefit and the main achievements in the year

This Unit had not been meeting during the Covid pandemic. Under new leadership the Unit resumed in October 2022 with 15 girls registered in the Brownie Unit.

The new Brownie Programme was fully implemented from this time. Various activities from this new programme included many different Arts and Crafts such as painting ceramic Butterfly house, Shaving Foam Art, Sewing Hand Puppets, Clay pots, Easter crafts, a Jumping Clay "Mini-Me" workshop. Science & Discovery including designing their own Mini-Golf course & building it in the Hall, Edible Architecture – constructing buildings using fruit & veg & spaghetti, Experimenting with Mirrors, Bubbles & Sand; Making Oblec with cornflour & water. We also did some Health & Fitness Activities, Music with Boomwhackers & also looking at Instruments from around the world. Cookery/Baking is always a firm favourite.

All activities completed during Unit meeting time counted towards a number of interest badges & Skills Builders. Some tasks were sent home to be completed.

There was no harm flowing from the Charities purposes and that there was no private benefit.

A statement that the Trustees have had regard to the Commission's Public Benefit requirement statutory guidance

All Trustees are aware of the Commission's Public Benefit requirement statutory guidance

A review of the Charity's financial position at the end of the year

Opening Balance 01/01/2022 =£1556.78

Closing Balance 31/12/2022 = £969.07

Surplus (Deficit) for Year = £587.71

Details of any fund held by the Charity that was materially in deficit at the end of the year and steps taken by the Charity Trustees to eliminate the deficit

Not applicable



One or more of the Charity Trustees must sign and date the box below.

Gillian P. Hinds 24/07/2023