

**Colmcille Club**

**Omagh**

**Charity No: NIC107259**

**Annual Report Year Ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024**

The Charity is an unincorporated association established under a constitution. In fulfilling the public benefit requirement, the charity trustees have had regard to the charity commission for Northern Ireland's statutory public benefit guidance.

**The purpose of this charity continues to be:**

1. The advancement of education and protection of health among older people.
2. To provide facilities in the interests of social welfare for recreation or other leisure-time occupation, with the object of improving the conditions of life for older people.
3. To Raise awareness among the general public of the needs and experiences of older people in the area of benefit.

The information below sets out the activities we have carried out to further our purposes and fulfil the public benefit elements during the last twelve months.

**Activities**

The Colmcille Club enjoyed a festive dinner together in the Silver Birches with dancing after. We have continued with weekly games such as botcha and bingo. We also received funding to provide chair exercises monthly. They have been a great success, and we hope to be able to continue with chair exercises. The members are overjoyed with meeting weekly again so we will continue with this,

Our Activities do not lead to any harm. The only Private benefit from our purpose is that a trustee or family member may participate in the same manner as all other beneficiaries, this is purely incidental and necessary so that the benefit is available to all inhabitants of the area.

**Finances:** We applied for and received funding from Asda foundation, Swap and positive aging grant this year, As well as our weekly meeting being introduced, we have seen an upturn in finances. We hope this trend will continue into next year.