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Arura NI Trust
Company Limited by Guarantee
Unaudited Financial Statements
31 December 2023

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Trustees' Annual Report (Incorporating the Director's Report)

Year ended 31 December 2023

The trustees, who are also the directors for the purposes of company law, present their report and the unaudited financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 December 2023.

Reference and administrative details

Registered charity name	Arura NI Trust
Charity registration number	108898
Company registration number	NI684449
Principal office and registered office	Crescent Church 6 University Road Belfast BT7 1NH Antrim

The trustees

Lisa Campbell
Timothy Ewart
William Johnston
Timothy Kyle
Stephen McIntosh (Appointed 1 October 2023)
Alan Mullan
David Wilson

Company secretary David Wilson

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Structure, governance and management

The charity is governed under the Companies Act 2006 as a Private Company limited by guarantee and not having a share capital. The Trustees have legal responsibility for the Trust and meet on a regular basis.

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Year ended 31 December 2023

Objectives and activities

Arura NI Trust was set up to provide activities and residential camps which allow children and young people to discover the truths of the Bible. We help to develop strong Christian character through a balanced programme of physical, educational, social and spiritual activity.

Risk Management

Our training events will cover such items as First Aid, How to live a Christian life in a secular world, Navigating social media etc, also the legal requirements for any youth leaders or volunteers to be involved in Arura planned camps and other youth events.

Strategic report

The following sections for achievements and performance and financial review form the strategic report of the charity.

Achievements and performance

Fulfilment of Purposes

While it is difficult to assess achievements when one of the main aims is spiritual and qualitative in nature, nevertheless a number of young people were affected by the trust's programmes. In our initial first full year of operation the Trust ran a weekend residential camp at Whitepark Bay for a small group of young people. A range of physical activities took place. A number of discussion groups considered a range of topics from the Bible and what it means to be a Christian. Also, there were structured talks from a dedicated Christian speaker during the weekend. An Activities evening was held in late November 2022 with a large group of young people attending from a number of churches. It was also an opportunity for church Rally leaders to network and share their ideas and experiences working with young people.

Achievements

At the weekend camp one young person committed their life to following Jesus Christ. A number of others rededicated their lives to following Jesus Christ.

Financial review

The trust operates youth camps on a contribution basis where attendees pay an agreed amount towards the cost of running the camp.

Other finance comes through charitable donations from affiliated church members and other individual Christians. A recognised Christian charity provides gifting towards the extensive cost of operating the Trust's main Summer camp known as Arura.

Any surplus funding is held in a savings account towards any future expenditure on major camps or events. A small current account balance is held for any day to day running expenses.

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Plans for future periods


Our main activity will be a summer residential youth camp lasting approximately one week. A suitable location will be obtained probably within a large school complex to cater for the expected number of attendees.

The camp will include a large range of physical activities, practical workshops and many spiritual activities such as bible study groups, worship evenings and dedicated talk times with a well known Christian leader/speaker.

A large group of Christian volunteers will be involved in the many practical items required to make the camp operate successfully.

It is also planned to have a number of short training events and other group activities during the year.

The trustees' annual report and the strategic report were approved on20/09/24..... and signed on behalf of the board of trustees by:



Timothy Kyle
Trustee