Save Our Spaniels

Charity No 1173875

Accounts for Period 01/04/2020 to 31/03/2021

Trustees as at 31/03/2021 were as follows:

Laura Hurt

15, High Street, Swinstead, Grantham, Lincs, NG33 4PA

Appointed 21/07/2017

Clare Watson

Sheridan House, Witham-on-the-hill, Bourne, PE10 0JW

Appointed 21/07/2017

Claire Louise Kerry

13, Garden Road, Bingham, Nottingham, NG13 8YW

Appointed 01/03/2019

Lucy Johnson

5, Back Lane, Godden Green, Sevenoaks, TN15 0JH
Appointed 01/03/2019

Kerry Reid

The Cottage, Daneshill, Birtley Road, Bramley, Surrey, GU5 0LA
Appointed 01/03/2019.

Doreen Reed

14, Dalton Wynd, Spennymoor, Durham, DL16 6PF
Appointed 01/03/2019

Kimberley Jayne Phillips

48, Harebell Drive, Congleton, CW12 4FA

Appointed 01/03/2019.

Niki Anne Wyld

Raftsund, Cromwell Avenue, Woodhall Spa, LN10 6TH
Appointed 01/03/2019

### Christine Lewis MAAT

# 3 The Lawns, Yatton, North Somerset, BS49 4BG

Tel 01934-838768

27<sup>th</sup> January 2022

## Save Our Spaniels – Charity Number 1173875

The examination has been carried out for the period 01/04/2020 to 31/03/2021, with reference to bank statements, Paypal Statements and Invoices as provided by the Trustees.

The accounts are prepared using the Receipts and Payments Method. The Balance Sheet agrees to the bank and Paypal Statements as at 31/03/2021. The accounts show a surplus of £10,412.01 over expenditure at this date.

I Certify that the accounts for the period ending 31st March 2021 have been properly presented according to the records provided.

Signed

Date

27th January 2022

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# Save Our Spaniels

# Income and Expenditure Account

# For the period from 01 April 2020 to 31 March 2021

			2021
			£
Income	Adoptions		52,180.00
	Amazon Smile & Easyfundraising	g & Paypal Funding	6,375.81
	Auctions and Raffles		17,983.32
	Behaviourist Zoom Webinars		240.00
	Charities Trust		3,016.35
	Commission		3,566.88
	Diet Club		1,211.00
	Donations		112,698.49
	Gift Aid		12,055.71
	Merchandise		6,593.78
	Sundry Income		230.00
	Interest Received		2.80
			216,154.14
Expenses	Auction Purchases	-240.47	
	Behavioural Consultancy	-50.00	
	Bookkeeping	-357.50	
	Dog Supplies	-10,374.23	
	Donations to Shelters	-212.00	
	Insurance	-608.38	
	Kennel Fees	-17,980.21	
	Licences	-40.00	
	Merchandise	-2,605.22	
	Mobile Phone	-147.91	
	Paypal charges	-417.36	
	Software	-85.00	
	Postage Printing & Stationery	-1,658.69	
	Sundry	-317.92	

Transport	-79,452.56	
Veterinary Fees	-90,863.00	
Web Space	-140.40	
Zoom Webinars	-191.28	
	-205,742.13	
Net Surplus, Income over Expenditure	10,412.01	

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## **Balance Sheet**

## As at 31 March 2021

		2021
		£
Bank Accounts		
Bank Current Account	34,735.27	
Bank Deposit Account	6,006.68	
SOS Paypal	2,421.51	
Net Assets		43,163.46
		£
Funds at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2020		32,751.45
Net Surplus		10,412.01
Total Funds		43,163.46

## **SAVE OUR SPANIELS**

#### TRUSTEES ANNUAL REPORT

Registered Charity No 1173875

Trustees Report for period ended 31st March 2021

### **CHARITY'S PRINCIPAL ADDRESS**

15, High Street,

**Swinstead** 

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### **OBJECTIVES**

The objectives of Save Our Spaniels continue as we approach our 5<sup>th</sup> year as a registered charity with the heavy stream of requests for help with abandoned, abused and rescues founds in the perreras predominately in Spain. We surpassed 2020 record in helping 219 spaniels and bretons in 2021 despite lockdowns and covid restrictions. As ever, our priorities started with injured, sick and elderly dogs in the kill stations in Spain. All had to be vet checked, surgeries carried out and then preparation for travel to foster homes in the UK. The average cost of each dog is in the region of £720. With Brexit importation regulations being implemented, the UK transporters are now paying extra customs costs to bring each dog into the UK, which in the main, has been passed onto the rescues, hence an increase of the average cost per dog. Still using established solid contacts for exiting from the kill stations across Spain, using 2 trusted internal transporters to take the vast majority of our dogs to one residencia for preparation. We have been acutely aware as we only have one admin member in Spain, that established and trusted procedures are paramount. The rescues are all microchipped, vaccinated, neutered (if over 6 months of age and medically able), bloods taken to check health as well as Mediterranean diseases, wormed, flead and issued with an EU Passport. The 3 or 4 UK transporters are DEFRA registered and all IPAFFS paperwork has been carried out in accordance with commercial regulations transporting dogs.

### **ADVISORS**

The principal advisors of the Charity are:

NatWest Bank

Spalding (A), Market Place

Spalding, Lincs, PE11 1ST

## TRUSTEES AND GOVERNANCE

Save Our Spaniels is governed by CIO-FOUNDATION Registered 20 JULY 2017.

NAME APPOINTED

Laura Hurt 20 July 2017

Clare Watson 20 July 2017

Kerry Reid January 2019

Lucy Johnston January 2019

Claire Louise Kerry January 2019

Doreen Reed January 2019

Niki Anne Wyld January 2019

Kimberley Jayne Phillips January 2019

#### **WORKING WITH OTHER CHARITIES**

We have established a good working relationship with other dog rescues, in particular rescues in Spain who exit and prepare rescue spaniels to be transported to the UK, and in the UK we liaise with Spaniel Aid to sometimes share costs and assist each other.

#### ADMINISTRATION AND ACCOUNTING

Recording of transactions into our books and records is handled by Holly Stubbs, our bookkeeper, and Accounts are examined by Christine Lewis MAAT, on a volunteer basis.

### **FUNDRAISING**

Funds are raised by donation, either regularly monthly donations, or as a result of appeals for specific purposes/dogs. Gift Aid is claimed on donations where appropriate.

Donated Goods are auctioned on a regular basis, to raise much needed funds, and Calendars, SOS teddies and SOS merchandise were produced and sold in November/December 2021.

#### **PUBLICITY**

Our main publicity is achieved by our Facebook Group, Website, Twitter, Instagram and by word of mouth.

#### SIGNATURE AND 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.

Chairperson

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Laura Hurt