Report of the Trustees and
Unaudited Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2017
for
Shetland Rescue Horse And Pony Sanctuary

Douglas Fairless Partnership Seymour Chambers 92 London Road Liverpool Merseyside L3 5NW

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Report of the Trustees for the Year Ended 31 December 2017

The trustees present their report with the financial statements of the charity for the year ended 31 December 2017. The trustees have adopted the provisions of Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2015).

OBJECTIVES AND ACTIVITIES

Objectives and aims

The objectives of the charity are:

The care and protection of horses and ponies, in particular shetland ponies which are in need of care and attention by reason of old age, sickness, maltreatment, neglect, poor circumstances or similar causes.

To meet the needs of not only the animals set out in the objectives but those animals who are suffering in similar circumstances.

To relieve the suffering of the animals brought into the charity's care.

To provide shelter, food and medical care for those animals in the shelter.

ACHIEVEMENT AND PERFORMANCE

The charity had total incoming resources of £80,583 (£2016 - £120,121) in the year. Total resources expended were £39,548 (2016 - £42,590) resulting in a surplus before gains and losses on investments of £41,035 (2016 - £77,531). The charity has fulfilled it's objectives in the period.

FINANCIAL REVIEW

Reserves policy

It is the policy of the charity that unrestricted funds which have not been designated for a specific use should be maintained at a level equivalent to between three and six months expenditure. The committee members considers that reserves at this level will ensure that, in the event of a significant drop in funding, they will be able to continue the charity's current activities while consideration is given to ways in which additional funds may be raised. This level of reserves has been maintained throughout the year.

STRUCTURE, GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Governing document

The charity is unincorporated and is governed by it's constitution dated 9th February 1984.

Organisational structure

The committee members who served during the year were:

S McKenzie

B Rafferty

Efforts are being made to appoint new trustees but in the intervening period the trustee is being supported by professional advisers.

The committee have assessed the major risks to which the charity is exposed to and are satisfied that systems are in place to mitigate them.

The committee have taken due regard to the charity commission requirements on public benefit and are satisfied that the charity meets the criteria.

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Registered Charity number

514964

Principal address

Ramsbrook Lane Hale Village Liverpool Merseyside L24 5RP

Trustees

Miss S McKenzie B Rafferty Trustee

Report of the Trustees for the Year Ended 31 December 2017

REFERENCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

Independent examiner
Douglas Fairless Partnership
Seymour Chambers
92 London Road
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Approved by order of the board of trustees on	and signed on its behalf by
Miss S McKenzie - Trustee	

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Shetland Rescue Horse And Pony Sanctuary

Independent examiner's report to the trustees of Shetland Rescue Horse And Pony Sanctuary

I report to the charity trustees on my examination of the accounts of the Shetland Rescue Horse And Pony Sanctuary (the Trust) for the year ended 31 December 2017.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Trust you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ('the Act').

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the Act and in carrying out my examination I have followed all applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent examiner's statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

- 1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Trust as required by section 130 of the Act; or
- 2. the accounts do not accord with those records: or
- 3. the accounts do not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a true and fair view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I confirm that there are no other matters to which your attention should be drawn to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Douglas Fairless Partnership Seymour Chambers 92 London Road Liverpool Merseyside L3 5NW

Date:			
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Statement of Financial Activities for the Year Ended 31 December 2017

INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted fund £	31.12.17 Total funds £	31.12.16 Total funds £
Donations and legacies		80,574	-	80,574	120,088
Investment income	2	9		9	33
Total		80,583	-	80,583	120,121
EXPENDITURE ON Raising funds	3	22,663	-	22,663	30,964
Other		16,885	<u>-</u>	16,885	11,626
Total		39,548	-	39,548	42,590
Net gains/(losses) on investments		26,617		26,617	33,422
NET INCOME		67,652	-	67,652	110,953
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS					
Total funds brought forward		654,507	-	654,507	544,725
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		722,159		722,159	655,678

Balance Sheet At 31 December 2017

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted fund £	31.12.17 Total funds £	31.12.16 Total funds £
FIXED ASSETS Tangible assets Investments	7 8	379,373 598,191	- -	379,373 598,191	378,039 478,228
		977,564	-	977,564	856,267
CURRENT ASSETS Cash at bank and in hand		13,883	-	13,883	67,200
CREDITORS Amounts falling due within one year	9	(273,327)	-	(273,327)	(268,960)
NET CURRENT ASSETS/(LIABILITIES)		(259,444)	<u> </u>	(259,444)	(201,760)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		718,120	-	718,120	654,507
NET ASSETS		718,120		718,120	654,507
FUNDS Unrestricted funds	11			718,120	654,507
TOTAL FUNDS				718,120	654,507
The financial statements were approved by the its behalf by:	Board	of Trustees on		and w	ere signed on

Miss S McKenzie -Trustee

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2017

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of preparing the financial statements

The financial statements of the charity, which is a public benefit entity under FRS 102, have been prepared in accordance with the Charities SORP (FRS 102) 'Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (effective 1 January 2015)', Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' and the Charities Act 2011. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention with the exception of investments which are included at market value, as modified by the revaluation of certain assets.

Income

All income is recognised in the Statement of Financial Activities once the charity has entitlement to the funds, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably.

Expenditure

Liabilities are recognised as expenditure as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to that expenditure, it is probable that a transfer of economic benefits will be required in settlement and the amount of the obligation can be measured reliably. Expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all cost related to the category. Where costs cannot be directly attributed to particular headings they have been allocated to activities on a basis consistent with the use of resources.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Fixtures and fittings

- 10% on reducing balance

Taxation

The charity is exempt from tax on its charitable activities.

Fund accounting

Unrestricted funds can be used in accordance with the charitable objectives at the discretion of the trustees.

Restricted funds can only be used for particular restricted purposes within the objects of the charity. Restrictions arise when specified by the donor or when funds are raised for particular restricted purposes.

Further explanation of the nature and purpose of each fund is included in the notes to the financial statements.

2. INVESTMENT INCOME

	31.12.17	31.12.16
	£	£
Deposit account interest	9	33

3. RAISING FUNDS

Investment management costs

	31.12.17	31.12.16
	£	£
Portfolio management	6,655	7,215
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4. TRUSTEES' REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

There were no trustees' remuneration or other benefits for the year ended 31 December 2017 nor for the year ended 31 December 2016 .

Trustees' expenses

There were no trustees' expenses paid for the year ended 31 December 2017 nor for the year ended 31 December 2016.

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2017

5. STAFF COSTS

The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows:

			31.12.17	31.12.16
	No employees received emoluments in excess of £60,000	0.		
6.	COMPARATIVES FOR THE STATEMENT OF FINANCI	AL ACTIVITIES		
		Unrestricted fund £	Restricted fund £	Total funds £
	INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM Donations and legacies	120,088	-	120,088
	Investment income	33		33
	Total	120,121	-	120,121
	EXPENDITURE ON Raising funds	30,964	-	30,964
	Other	11,626		11,626
	Total	42,590	-	42,590
	Net gains/(losses) on investments	33,422	-	33,422
	NET INCOME	110,953	-	110,953
	RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS			
	Total funds brought forward	544,725	-	544,725
	TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD	655,678		655,678
7.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	Freehold property £	Fixtures and fittings	Totals £
	COST At 1 January 2017 Additions	378,039	1,482	378,039 1,482
	At 31 December 2017	378,039	1,482	379,521
	DEPRECIATION Charge for year		148	148
	NET BOOK VALUE At 31 December 2017	378,039	1,334	379,373
	At 31 December 2016	378,039	-	378,039

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2017

8. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

					Listed investments £
	MARKET VALUE At 1 January 2017 Additions Disposals Revaluations				478,228 100,001 (6,655) 26,617
	At 31 December 2017				598,191
	NET BOOK VALUE At 31 December 2017				598,191
	At 31 December 2016				478,228
	There were no investment assets outside the UK.				
9.	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN	ONE YEAR			
	Trade creditors			31.12.17 £ 2,080	31.12.16 £
	Taxation and social security Other creditors			391 270,856	268,960
				273,327	268,960
10.	LOANS				
	An analysis of the maturity of loans is given below:				
				31.12.17 £	31.12.16 £
	Amounts falling due within one year on demand: Other loans			266,961	266,961
11.	MOVEMENT IN FUNDS				
				Net movement	
	Unrestricted funds		At 1.1.17 £	in funds £	At 31.12.17 £
	General fund		654,507	63,613	718,120
	TOTAL FUNDS		654,507	63,613	718,120
	Net movement in funds, included in the above are a	s follows:			
		Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Gains and losses £	Movement in funds £
	Unrestricted funds General fund	80,583	(43,587)	26,617	63,613
	TOTAL FUNDS	80,583	(43,587)	26,617	63,613

Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2017

11. MOVEMENT IN FUNDS - continued

Comparatives	for	movement	in	funds
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Comparatives for movement in runus		At 1.1.16 £	Net movement in funds £	At 31.12.16 £
Unrestricted Funds General fund		544,725	109,782	654,507
TOTAL FUNDS		544,725	109,782	654,507
Comparative net movement in funds, included in	the above are as	follows:		
	Incoming resources £	Resources expended £	Gains and losses £	Movement in funds
Unrestricted funds General fund	120,121	(43,761)	33,422	109,782

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12. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

TOTAL FUNDS

There were no related party transactions for the year ended 31 December 2017.

Detailed Statement of Financial Activities for the Year Ended 31 December 2017

	31.12.17 £	31.12.16 £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS		
Donations and legacies		
Gifts Donations Legacies	4,004 76,570	1 4,754 115,333
	80,574	120,088
Investment income Deposit account interest	9	33
Total incoming resources	80,583	120,121
EXPENDITURE		
Raising donations and legacies Hay & feed Vet fees Direct costs	10,487 4,221 1,300	17,259 4,990 1,500
	16,008	23,749
Investment management costs Portfolio management	6,655	7,215
Support costs Finance		
Bank charges Information technology	30	-
Repairs and renewals Human resources	1,629	259
Wages Rent	9,067 1,400	6,890 -
Sundries	236	146
Other	10,703	7,036
Rates and water Insurance Light and heat	2,552 1,211 612	2,383 1,394 554
	4,375	4,331
Governance costs Fixtures and fittings	148	-
Total resources expended	43,587	43,761
Net income	36,996	76,360