

**ANNUAL
REPORT**

2025

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CATFLAP

TRUSTEES' STATEMENT

CATFLAP is an independent Glasgow-based charity dedicated to cat welfare, established in 1997, with the following aims:

- To find suitable permanent homes for homeless cats
- To re-unite lost cats with their owners
- To provide short-term emergency accommodation for cats in need
- To assist with veterinary expenses in cases of genuine hardship

To help achieve these aims, the Charity has several volunteer fosterers and a number of high quality pens installed at the home of one of the trustees in Bearsden.

From the inception of CATFLAP, until the end of 2025, we have homed 4,828 cats and kittens, including 79 during the period covered by this report. We also helped to reunite 4 lost cats with their grateful owners.



CATFLAP conducts a preliminary home visit for every potential household prior to rehoming any of the cats in our care, and all CATFLAP cats undergo an examination by one of our partner vet practices as soon as practically possible.



As well as any specific veterinary treatment required, cats receive vaccinations and spot-on treatment for parasites, as well as being microchipped.

Adoption fees at CATFLAP are on a sliding scale; kittens attract the highest fee, while older cats are rehomed at our lowest fee - this encourages the adoption of older/elderly cats, who make great companions but are often overlooked by potential new owners.

No matter how long it takes to re-home any cat, CATFLAP maintains its “no-kill” policy, and we will only euthanize on the advice of a veterinary surgeon, where they believe the animal has no hope for quality of life.

CATFLAP has no paid staff, and is operated entirely by volunteers, without whom we would not be able to carry on our work. Thanks must therefore go to all those members and friends who have given their time to staff fundraising events, to help out at the shelter, to collect and transport both cats and goods, to carry out home checks, etc. etc.

Our gratitude also goes to those people who have donated - and continue to donate - cat food and goods from our Amazon wish-list to keep the cats fed and comfortable whilst they are in the shelter.

Thanks also to the people who have contributed in any way to help CATFLAP achieve our aims during 2025.

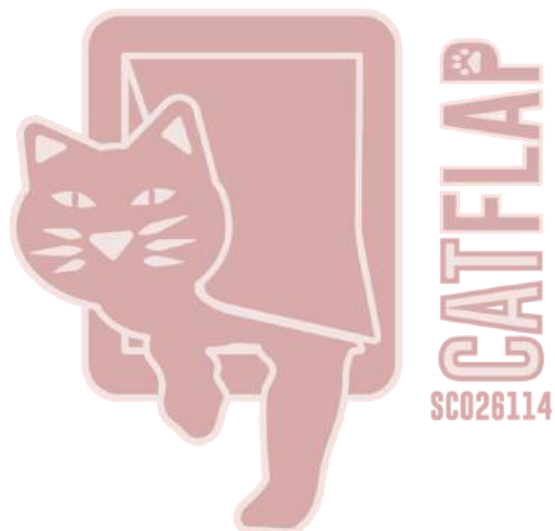
Signed, on behalf of the Trustees,



Annie Macfarlane

TRUSTEES 2025

- ❖ Annie Macfarlane
- ❖ Kerr Ross
- ❖ Janice Kennedy
- ❖ Irene Toey
- ❖ Tanya Valerio



CHARITY ACTIVITIES



Following removal of the older, wooden cat pens, and some remedial drainage work, new state-of-the-art secure pens and runs were installed at the beginning of 2025, ensuring that CATFLAP charity will be able to carry on our work for many years to come.



Generous in-kind donations from Catflap's supporters allow us to create luxurious themed hampers which can be sold or raffled to raise funds.



INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

INCOME

	2024	2025
Fund-raising Events	£3,079	£4,743
Donations	£22,348	£20,274
Membership	£ -	£ -
Legacies	£ -	£ -
Pen Sponsorship	£3,079	£2,624
Gift Aid	£ -	£3,040
Total	£28,784	£30,681

EXPENDITURE

	2024	2025
Admin	£559	£838
Shelter Expenses	£2,329	£2,357
Fund-raising Expenses	£781	£682
Vets	£32,832	£26,671
Shelter Maintenance	£6,002	£7,422
Travel/Transport	£159	£132
Surplus/(Deficit)	£(13,878)	£(7,421)
Total	£28,784	£30,681



Primed for selling! Pictured left is founding trustee Janice Kennedy, while above are young volunteers Lauren and Maia, who raised £35 for Catflap running a stall at their school Xmas Fair.

SUCCESS STORIES

These pages show some of the cats and kittens who passed through CATFLAP's care during 2025. Unfortunately, there are many others still in need of a loving home of their own...





**THANKS AGAIN TO ALL
THOSE WHO HELPED SUPPORT
CATFLAP THROUGHOUT
2025**

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