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| Trustees' Annual Report for the period |                 |       |      |                 |                  |       |      |
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| Period start date                      |                 |       |      | Period end date |                  |       |      |
|                                        | Day             | Month | Year |                 | Day              | Month | Year |
| From                                   | 1 <sup>st</sup> | Jan   | 2025 | To              | 31 <sup>st</sup> | Dec   | 2025 |

### Reference and administration details

**Charity name**  
**Other names charity is known by**  
**Registered charity number**  
**Charity's principal address**

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| Amuka Foundation  |
| N/A               |
| <b>SC047985</b>   |
| Tanglewood        |
| Abernyte          |
| Perthshire        |
| Postcode PH14 9ST |

### Names of the charity trustees on date of approval of Trustees' Annual Report

|    | Trustee name      | Office (if any)         | Dates acted if not for whole year | Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any) |
|----|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1  | Elizabeth Owsley  | Chair                   |                                   |                                                               |
| 2  | Jane Ainslie      | Deputy Chair/Grants     |                                   |                                                               |
| 3  | Ellie Lenawarungu | Founder                 |                                   |                                                               |
| 4  | Yulia Aslett      | Treasurer               |                                   |                                                               |
| 5  | Christian Thurow  | Projects Budget Manager |                                   |                                                               |
| 6  | Adrienne Williams | Fundraising             |                                   |                                                               |
| 7  | Philippa Marks    | Secretary               |                                   |                                                               |
| 8  | Elaine Grant      | Safeguarding/Education  |                                   |                                                               |
| 9  | Jacqueline Green  | Partnerships            |                                   |                                                               |
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## Reference and administration details

Names of all other charity trustees during the period, if any, (for example, those who resigned part way through the financial period)

| Name | Dates acted if not for whole year |
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## Structure, governance and management

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| Type of governing document          | Constitution.                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Trustee recruitment and appointment | In accordance with the Constitution, ensuring that nominated Trustees share the values of Amuka Foundation and is committed to carry out his/her duties to ensure compliance and achieving the objectives of Amuka Foundation. |

## Objectives and activities

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| Charitable purposes                                         | <p>The prevention or relief of poverty</p> <p>The advancement of education</p> <p>The advancement of health</p> <p>The provision of recreational facilities, or the organisation of recreational activities, with the object of improving the conditions of life for the persons for whom the facilities or activities are primarily intended</p> <p>The promotion of equality and diversity</p> <p>The advancement of environmental protection or improvement</p> <p>The relief of those in need by reason of age, ill health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects | <p>Establishing innovative programmes which enable women and young girls to access specific programmes of education; particularly for those excluded following early marriage and pregnancy or denied education because of gender.</p> <p>Developing programmes to equip mothers with vocational skills, enabling them to secure an income and empowering them to support the education of their children and provision of food and healthcare for their families.</p> <p>Equipping teenagers with life skills, develop critical thinking and self confidence to protect from exploitation and radicalisation.</p> <p>Establishing programmes of sporting activities which bring young people together; providing access to information and guidance; promoting healthy living, developing leadership, negotiating skills, peace, friendship and tolerance.</p> |

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### Achievements and performance

#### Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the financial period

##### General

Still very challenging environmental conditions for residents of Karare and surrounding villages. Several outbreaks of tribal feuds resulting in violence in Marsabit and surrounding areas. Working groups are going well and progressing projects – providing action points and updates. We have been bolstered by two Big Give Campaigns - Women and Girls and the Christmas Campaign. Policies have been reviewed and progressed and available for all trustees. Grants – we received a grant from Coles Medlock towards our Girls Mentorship Programme. Planning for a UK Trustees visit in 2027

##### Girls Mentorship Programme and Afterschool

A lead has been appointed for mentors. Ahmed Gate event – girls were provided with solar lamps, food parcels, stationery, sanitary products and soap during a mentorship event. Sponsorship bundles – produced from working group and marketed. These have proved very successful in tracking donations and give donors confidence about how their donation is utilized. The girls on the programme enter into a contract – and there is evidence that teenage pregnancies have been reduced compared to other areas. Menstrual Hygiene Day – an annual event publicised on our Facebook page.

##### Mwangaza Women

Continue to produce good quality uniforms and immediate repairs where needed.

##### Child Sponsorship Programme

85 children are being sponsored. School in a Bag – our continuing partnership has been very successful. We gave out 135 rucksacks containing stationery and school equipment. Continue to monitor each child – support given in return for good attendance at school. Academic clinics at schools – includes head teachers, teachers and parents plus Amuka Team. Sponsors continue to receive a newsletter every 6 months – how their sponsor is progressing at school, includes photos and letters.

##### Partnerships

**FC Darlington** – lots of donations of kit and equipment, also donations to fund porridge.

**Hillingdon Athletics Club** - We also receive donations of sports shoes from Hillingdon Athletics club.

**Bridport clothing bank** - We have connected with the clothing bank, and they have donated a large amount of clothing of all sizes, also shoes, blankets and duvets. We are currently collecting items weekly.

**UTC Reading** – contact is still ongoing and we hope for a student visit to complete their project in the future.

We receive regular donations from **Sal's Shoes**, **School in a Bag** and **Pens for Kids**.

**Westende Junior School** - are holding 3 assemblies per year and 1 mufti day to raise sponsorship funds, and an annual collection of clothing, including uniform, footwear and sports kit.

### **Women and Girls Resource Centre, 'Mainyoto'**

Building on Case for Support to enable us to market to large industry/organisations.  
Going to build in modules, as funds come in.

## **Financial review**

### **Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves**

The Charity currently aims to get to the position where it is able to maintain working capital in the form of cash sufficient to cover at least six months running costs. This is monitored on a monthly basis and reported to Trustees at each monthly meeting. We will discuss how much we need to keep in reserve based on our expenditure and review regularly. We will maintain a breakdown of the funds held in reserves and the intended purpose. The reserve would be spent on maintaining on-going support to children that are sponsored and the programs we support in Kenya.

### **Details of any deficit**

We do not have any deficits for our obligations but are aware of the irregular nature of voluntary income over the years and recognises the need to maintain continuity of service without threat to our programme activities in Kenya.

### **Donated facilities and services (if any)**

The UK trustees are all engaged on a voluntary basis and all time spent on running the charity is time donated by the trustees. Amuka Foundation does not incur any UK running costs, and trustees and visitors fund their own visits to Kenya.  
All donations are invested in Kenya.

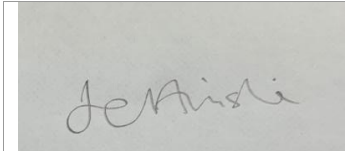
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Other optional information

Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees’ report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity’s trustees

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| Signature(s)          |  |  |
| Full name(s)          | Jane Ainslie                                                                        |  |
| Position (e.g. Chair) | Deputy Chair                                                                        |  |
| Date                  | 28 <sup>th</sup> June 2026                                                          |  |