

Trustees' Annual Report for the period								
	Peri	od start	date		Period end date			
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	
From	01	09	2024	То	31	08	2025	

Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator

# Charity name Other names charity is known by Registered charity number Charity's principal address Charity's principal address Ladybird Development Group SC012779 SC012779

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)
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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

## Structure, governance and management

Type of governing document

The centre was established in 1985 and was recognised as a Scottish charity in May 1987. It is administered in accordance with the terms of the Constitution, by a management committee consisting of four main office bearers.

In March 2016, the centre changed legal status to SCIO, with a new Constitution drawn up.

Trustee recruitment and appointment

Office Bearers are appointed and removed in accordance with the Constitution in agreement with the existing office-bearers.

# **Objectives and activities**

Charitable purposes

To offer care and support to children aged from 0-5years who require additional support, due to being disadvantaged through disability or ill-health.

Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects

The centre employs 12 part time staff to offer one to one keyworker support to further the development of 17 children each week with additional support needs, including physical, sensory and learning impairments.

# Achievements and performance

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

- 17 children and their families have benefitted from the service
- 12 staff have received training in various skills to enhance the quality of care offered to children and families
- Curriculum for Excellence adapted to suit the individual needs of each child
- Minibus provided by The Variety Club, continues to be used to transport children to and from home and to take them on therapy and social outings.
- We have had regular trips to a local swimming pool, and also to soft play, Christmas displays, playparks, beach, woodland walks, shops, cafes etc.
- Grant applications to the National Lottery Fund, BBC Children in Need, The Adam Family Foundation and The Hugh Fraser Foundation were successful, and grants were awarded from all until 2026.
- We continue to operate 9 sessions a week in order to cope with increasing demand for places and will continue while demand requires.
- Good progress has been made in becoming a Total Communication Centre. A member of staff has provided training sessions for groups of parents and continues to offer sessions as and when required.

# Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves	Reserves are used to help secure long-term of the centre, and to cover any unexpected events or situations that may arise.
Details of any deficit	
Donated facilities and services (if any)	

Other o	ptional	inform	nation

# **Declaration**

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s) OSCR will accept digital or typed signatures		
Full name(s)		
Position (e.g. Chair)	Vice-Chairperson	
Date	02/12/25	

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Receipts and payments accounts								
	П	Period start date				Period end date		
For the period from		Day	Month	Year	to	Day	Month	Year
		01	09	2024		31	08	2025

Section A Statement of receipts and payments									
	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Expendable endowment funds	Permanent endowment funds	Total funds current period	Total funds last period			
	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £			
A1 Receipts									
Donations	25,277	16,188			41,465	25,687			
Legacies					-				
Grants	154,928	46,965			201,893	148,985			
Receipts from fundraising activities	401	,			401	1,645			
Gross trading receipts					-	,,,,,			
Income from investments other than									
land and buildings	1,096				1,096	525			
Rents from land & buildings					-				
Gross receipts from other charitable activities					_				
activities					-				
A1 Sub total	181,702	63,153	_	_	244,855	176,842			
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A2 Receipts from asset &									
investment sales									
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-				
Proceeds from sale of investments					-				
A2 Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Total receipts	181,702	63,153	-	-	244,855	176,842			
A3 Payments									
Expenses for fundraising activities									
Gross trading payments	386				386	304			
Investment management costs		$\vdash$			-				
Payments relating directly to charitable		<u> </u>			-				
activities	114,538	44,555			159,093	136,085			
Grants and donations	,	,			-	,			
Governance costs:					_				
Audit / independent examination					_				
Preparation of annual accounts					-				
Legal costs					-				
Other					-				
					-				
A3 Sub total	114,924	44,555			159,479	136 300			
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A4 Payments relating to asset and									
investment movements	-								
Purchases of fixed assets					-				
Purchase of investments					-				
A4 Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Total payments	114,924	44,555			159,479	136,389			
		44,000	-	-	133,413	130,303			
Net receipts / (payments)	66,778	18,598	-	-	85,376	40,453			
A5 Transfers to / (from) funds					-				
,									
Surplus / (deficit) for year	66,778	18,598	-		85,376	40,453			
l	,	7.5,500			22,310	11,100			

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Section B Statement	t of balances						
Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds	Expendable endowment funds to nearest £	Permanent endowment funds to nearest £	Total current period	Total last period
B1 Cash funds	Cash and bank balances at start of year	55,892	63,153	to Hourest 2	To Hourest 2	119,045	31,627
	Surplus / (deficit) shown on receipts and payments account	82,965				82,965	40,453
						-	
						-	
	Cash and bank balances at end of year	138,857	63,153	-	-	202,010	72,080
	(Agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	16,187	- 18,598	-	_	- 2,411	-
	Details			Fund to which	asset belongs	Market valuation to nearest £	Last year to nearest £
B2 Investments							
					Total		-
						Current value (if	
	Details		Fund to which	asset belongs	Cost (if available) to nearest £	available) to nearest £	Last year to nearest £
B3 Other assets							
				Total	-		-
	Details			Fund to which	liability relates	Amount due to nearest £	Last year to nearest £
B4 Liabilities							
					Total	-	-
	Details			Fund to which	liability relates	Amount due (estimate) to nearest £	Last year to nearest £
B5 Contingent liabilities							
					Total	-	-
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature*			Print Name			Date of approval
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Section C Notes to the	Accounts		
C1 Nature and purpose of funds (may be stated on analysis of funds worksheets)			
	Type of activity or project supported Individual / institution	Number of grants made	£
C2 Grants		Total	_
C3a Trustee remuneration	If no remuneration was paid during the period to any charity trustee or person a trustee cross this box (otherwise complete section 3b)	connected to	
	Authority under which paid		£
C3b Trustee remuneration - details			
C4a Trustee expenses	If no expenses were paid to any charity trustee during the period then cross the (otherwise complete section 4b)	nis box	
C4b Trustee expenses - details		Number of trustees	£
	Nature of relationship Nature of transaction	Transaction amount (£)	Balance outstanding at period end (£)
C5 Transactions with trustees and connected persons			
C6 Other information			

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Additional analysis (1)						
Analysis of receipts and payments						
1 Donations						
	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Expendable endowment funds	Permanent endowment funds	Total current period	Total last period
	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
	25,678	16,188			41,866	25,687
					-	
					-	
Total	25,678	16,188	-	-	41,866	25,687
	reference	-	-	-	reference	-
2 Grants						
	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £			Total current period to nearest £	Total last period to nearest £
Moray Council	151,358				151,358	105.754
Funders		46,965			46,965	105,764 38,491
Fees	3,570				3,570	4,730
					-	
Total	154,928	46,965			201,893	148,985
	-	-			-	-
3 Gross receipts from other charitable activities	s					
	Unrestricted	Restricted funds	Expendable endowment	Permanent endowment	Total current	Total last period
	funds		funds	funds	period	
Fundraising	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
rundraising	401				- 401	1,645
					-	
					-	
					-	
					-	
Total	401	-	-	-	401	1,645
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4 Payments relating directly to charitable activi	ties		Expendable	Permanent		
	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	endowment	endowment	Total current period	Total last period
	to nearest £	to nearest £	funds to nearest £	funds to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
	114,924	44,555			159,479	136,085
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					-	
Total	114,924	44,555	-	-	159,479	136,085
	reference error		-	-	reference error	-

Additional analysis (2)						
5 Breakdown of unrestricted funds						
	Unrestricted fund 1 - enter	Unrestricted fund 2 - enter	Unrestricted fund 3 - enter	Unrestricted fund 4 - enter		
	name of fund	name of fund	name of fund	name of fund		
	below	below	below	below	<b>T</b> -4-1	<b>T</b> -4-1
					Total unrestricted	Total unrestricted
					funds	funds last period
Receipts						
Donations	25,277				25,277	15,687
Legacies					-	
Grants	154,928				154,928	110,494
Receipts from fundraising activities	401				401	1,645
Gross trading receipts	1.000				-	505
Income from investments other than land and buildings	1,096				1,096	525
Rents from land & buildings Gross receipts from other charitable activities					-	
Sub total	181,702	_	_	_	181,702	128,351
out total	101,702				-	120,001
Receipts from asset & investment sales						
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets					-	
Proceeds from sale of investments					-	
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	181,702	-	-	-	181,702	128,351
					-	
Payments						
Expenses for fundraising activities	386				386	304
Gross trading payments					-	
Investment management costs					-	
Payments relating directly to charitable activities	114,538				114,538	97,594
Grants and donations					-	
Governance costs:					-	
Audit / independent examination  Preparation of annual accounts					-	
Legal costs					-	
Legal costs					<u> </u>	
					-	
Sub total	114,924	-	-	-	114,924	97,898
					-	
Payments relating to asset and investment movements						
Purchases of fixed assets						
Purchase of investments					-	
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	114,924	-	-	-	114,924	97,898
Net receipts / (payments)	66,778	-	-	-	66,778	30,453
Transfers to / (from) funds						
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Surplus / (deficit) for year	66,778				66,778	30,453
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Nature and purpose of funds						1

# Ladybird Development Group SCIO Profit and Loss Account for the year ended 31 August 2025

	12 mo	nths to 31 Augu	st 2025	12 months to 31 August 2024			
	Restricted	Unrestricted	Total	Restricted	Unrestricted	Total	
Income	£	£	£	£	£	£	
Moray Council		151,358.33	151,358.33		105,764.20	105,764.20	
Hugh Fraser Foundation	5,000.00		5,000.00		5,000.00	5,000.00	
Adam Family	2,500.00		2,500.00		2,500.00	2,500.00	
Committee Fund Raising		401.37	401.37		1,645.01	1,645.01	
Bank Interest		1,096.12	1,096.12		524.67	524.67	
Local Donations		25,276.65	25,276.65		15,687.15	15,687.15	
Fees		3,569.50	3,569.50		4,730.00	4,730.00	
Children in Need	21,791.20		21,791.20		14,068.80	14,068.80	
Sale of Books & Cards		0.00	0.00		0.00	0.00	
National Lottery	17,674.00		17,674.00		16,922.00	16,922.00	
Ring Fenced Funds	16,188.00		16,188.00	10,000.00		10,000.00	
Total Income	63,153.20	181,701.97	244,855.17	10,000.00	.166,841.83	176,841.83	

Expenses	Restricted	Unrestricted	Total	Restricted	Unrestricted	Total
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Water, Heat & Light		0.00	0.00		0.00	0.00
Wages inc PAYE & NIC	44,555.20	97,858.39	142,413.59		125,140.95	125,140.95
Equipment		4,841.10	4,841.10		2,068.80	2,068.80
Postage & telephone		1,154.22	1,154.22		1,490.96	1,490.96
Transport		2,408.29	2,408.29		2,071.87	2,071.87
Training		1,471.40	1,471.40		350.00	350.00
Advertising & Printing		386.16	386.16		304.20	304.20
Christmas Presents		54.94	54.94		366.50	366.50
Audits & Accounts		534.00	534.00		765.60	765.60
Stationery		116.67	116.67		826.06	826.06
Consumables		1,915.33	1,915.33		1,112.96	1,112.96
Repairs		225.20	225.20		230.40	230.40
Insurance		1,425.16	1,425.16		1,354.83	1,354.83
Outings		2,533.76	2,533.76		140.95	140.95
Inspections		0.00	0.00		165.00	165.00
National Lottery		0.00	0.00		0.00	0.00
Total Expenses	44,555.20	114,924.62	159,479.82	0.00	136,389.08	136,389.08
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year	18,598.00	66,777.35	85,375.35	10,000.00	30,452.75	40,452.75

#### Notes

#### 1. Income and Expenditure Accounted for on an Accruals Basis

As at 31 August 2025 and 31 August 2024 accruals have been made for PAYE/NIC and Pension Contributions.

#### 2. Restricted Funds

Not all funds of Ladybird Development Group are Unrestricted funds. Grant funding from Children In need, The National Lottery and the Hugh Fraser Foundation is restricted for staffing costs to support children under three years of age only. Adam Family Foundation funding is to be used towards minubus and associated costs only. A anonymous donation was given towards the restricted purpose of purchasing a new vehicle.

Approved by the Trustees on. 18/11 ......2025 and signed on their behalf by:

Chairman and Trustee

#### Ladybird Development Group SCIO Balance Sheet as at 31 August 2025

	As at 31 August 2025 £		As at 31 August 2024 £
<b>Current Assets</b>		<b>Current Assets</b>	
Bank Deposits	163,419.48	Bank Deposits	81,323.36
Current Account	5,449.50	Current Account	2,543.96
Petty Cash	0.00	Petty Cash	0.00
Total Current Assets	168,868.98	Total Current Assets	83,867.32
<b>Current Liabilities</b>		<b>Current Liabilities</b>	
Taxation (PAYE)	629.30	Taxation	1,107.74
Wages (pensions)	784.31	Wages	679.56
Total Current Liabilities	1,413.61	Total Current Liabilities	1,787.30
Net Assets	167,455.37	Net Assets	82,080.02
	As at 31 August 2025		As at 31 August 2024
Reserves	£		£
<b>General funds</b>		General funds	
Opening balances	72,080.02	Opening balances	41,627.27
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year_	66,777.35	Surplus/(Deficit) for the year_	30,452.75
Closing balances	138,857.37	Closing balances	72,080.02
Restricted Funds		Restricted Funds	
Opening balances	10,000.00	Opening balances	0.00
Surplus/(Deficit) for the year_	18,598.00	Surplus/(Deficit) for the year_	10,000.00
Closing balances	28,598.00	Closing balances	10,000.00
Total Reserves	167,455.37	Total Reserves	82,080.02

**Restricted Funds:** Grant funding from Children In need, The National Lottery and the Hugh Fraser Foundation is restricted for staffing costs to support children under three years of age only. Adam Family Foundation funding is to be used towards minubus and associated costs only. A anonymous donation was given towards the restricted purpose of purchasing a new

Approved by the Trustees on 18/11 2025 and signed on their behalf by:





	Independent examiner's report on the accounts v2						
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Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner	The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the terms of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) 2005 Act and the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006 (as amended). The charity trustees consider that the audit requirement of Regulation 10(1) (d) of the Accounts Regulations						
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Basis of independent examiner's statement	My examin	nation is carrie	ed out in acc	ordance with	Regulation 1	1 of the 2006	Accounts
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	have not been met, or						
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# Disclosure section

	Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material problems.
Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose	

#### Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Ladybird Development Group SCIO

I report on the accounts of the charity for the year ended 31 August 2025 which are set out on pages 1 and 2

#### Respective responsibilities of the trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the terms of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) Act 2005 and the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006. The charity trustees consider that the audit requirement of Regulation 10(1) (d) of the Accounts Regulations does not apply. It is my responsibility to examine the accounts as required under section 44(1) (c) of the Act and to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

#### Basis of independent examiner's statement

My examination is carried out in accordance with Regulation 11 of the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeks explanations from the trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently I do not express an audit opinion on the view given by the accounts.

#### Independent examiner's statement

In the course of my examination, no matter has come to my attention

- 1. which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:
- to keep accounting records in accordance with Section 44(1) (a) of the 2005 Act and Regulation 4 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations, and
- to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with Regulation 9 of the 2006
   Accounts Regulations

have not been met, or

2. to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.



05-Oct-25