

Trustee Report

Humbie Youth and Community Fund - SC028188

Key Achievements:

Renaming/Repurposing of the Charity

This year saw the renaming and repurposing of the Humbie After School Club Charity. Following a successful application process to OSCR, the charity's purpose and name were updated. This is to reflect the new purpose of the new Humbie Youth and Community Fund (HYCF) as a source of funding for the youth in Humbie or community projects. This action was taken following the closure of Humbie Nursery School and in line with the original articles of that charity, every attempt was to be made to distribute any remaining funds to the benefit of the local community. Further, it was hoped that the new purpose of the fund would support and encourage community events previously organised by the school (which is currently mothballed) and the after school club.

Community Support

Upon creation of the fund, we received two large individual donations, one from the local bonfire and one from the Humbie PTA. These were gratefully received and additional funding was raised via the HYCF taking over the organising and running of the annual Winter Market.

Disbursements

We were delighted to be able to offer our financial support to the "Toastie Tuesday" group who organised a fun day for local children, with HYCF providing the funding towards the cost of afternoon teas and games hire for the event.

Appointment of Trustees

We held an open application process within the local community in order to increase our trustee membership to six, following submission of detailed letters of application our current board of Trustees was established.

Future Plans

During the year 2025-2026, HYCF are aiming to take over the running of the annual bonfire fundraising event and run a "burns supper". In addition our community advertising will increase in the hope that we can widen our of youngsters in our community.