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Trustees' Annual Report for the period							
Period start date				Period end date			
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
From	01	08	2024	To	31	07	2025

Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator

Reference and administration details

Charity name	Auchnagatt and District Pre-School Centre	
Other names charity is known by	Auchnagatt and District Playgroup	
Registered charity number	SC013888	
Charity's principal address	Arnage Primary School	
	Arnage	
	Ellon	
	Aberdeenshire	Postcode AB41 8UX

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	Kayleigh Bonner	Chairperson	06.06.2025	Group Council
2	Kirsty Turner	Treasurer	06.06.2025	Group Council
3	Stacey Cumming	Secretary	06.06.2025	Group Council
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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

Auchnagatt and District Pre-school is a charitable unincorporated association governed by a group constitution.

Trustee recruitment and appointment

All the pre-school trustees are appointed by the members of our annual general meeting held in June each year. In the event of death or resignation of an elected member the vacancy shall be filled by a member co-opted by the committee. The committee may fill casual vacancies among the office bearers of the council until the succeeding AGM.

Objectives and activities

Charitable purposes

The aim of the group is to promote the aims of Scottish Pre-school play association which are to advance the education of pre-school children with the emphasis on play experience so that they take a constructive place in the community, and also to advance the education of their parents and other appropriate persons.

Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects

During the year we continued to operate a playgroup, located in Arnage Primary School. We currently provide daily commissioned and non-commissioned care and education for 2-5 year olds in partnership with Aberdeenshire Council

Our parent and toddler group continues to meet weekly in Auchnagatt village hall to provide social and play opportunities for pre-school children and their parents/carers.

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Achievements and performance

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

An increase in numbers of children attending the nursery has allowed for another successful year. Although there has been some changes in staff the staffing levels have remained the same and allowed us to keep a strong core team which have bonded well with the children.

All fundraising money has been raised to upgrade our outdoor garden area, fundraising events have included Christmas wreath making and the Aberdeen Kiltwalk. Renovations plan to start the renovations during the 2025 summer holidays.

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

As the main source of income is dependent on the number of children attending which we have no control over, money has been retained in reserves from previous years in order to allow the group to continue in future years when numbers are low.

Reserves are also kept to pay staff redundancy if the group should close and also to purchase additional equipment.

Details of any deficit

Donated facilities and services (if any)

During the year we continued to operate the pre-school at Arnage Primary School.

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Other optional information

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Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)	K Turner	
Full name(s)	Kirsty Turner	
Position (e.g. Chair)	Treasurer	
Date	21/04/26	