

Standard form publication requirement General ANBI

1 General organisation details

Name Bird Song Trust (formerly the Vogelgezang Charitable Trust)

Contact details. Please fill in at least 1 of the fields: Address, Telephone number or E-mail address.

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RSIN (**) 8 2 7 1 0 8 9 9 0

Operating in sector (*) Health – Medical research and prevention

Health – Patients and family

Welfare – Other

In which countries does your organisation operate? (*) UK, NL

Number of employees (*) 2 Paid staff in average number of FTEs during the financial year.

Number of volunteers (*) 0 Volunteers who regularly (more than 3 times a year) work for your institution.

Statutory board of the organisation

Names of the boardmembers

Position (for example: chairman, treasurer or secretary)

C.C. Pot-Mees

Chair

W.H.M. Pot

Treasurer

E. Greup

Trustee/Board Member

D. Sillevs Smitt

Trustee/Board Member

J. Arnold

Trustee/Board Member

Additional information on governance (*)

There is one additional Trustee/Board member: V. Pot

Target groups (*)
(several options possible)

☒ General public
☐ Single parents
☐ Illiterate people
☒ Chronically ill people
☒ Homeless people
☐ Animals
☐ Prisoners
☒ Religious groups
☐ Communities
☒ Youth

☐ Children
☐ Lhbtqi+
☐ People with disabilities
☐ Environment
☐ Minorities
☐ Minimum income households
☐ Nature reserves
☐ Oceans and seas
☐ Senior citizens
☒ Patients

☐ Victims of violence
☐ Victims of natural disasters
☐ Victims of war
☐ Victims of sexual abuse
☐ Students
☐ Addicts
☐ Refugees
☒ Women and girls
☐ Unemployed people
☐ Wildlife
☐ Other

(*) Optional field, not mandatory (**) Institutions located in- and outside the Netherlands must fill in the RSIN number

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General *(continued)***Objective**

Statutory objective of the organisation. What does the organisation seek to achieve?

The mission of Bird Song Trust is to support initiatives and organisations which are engaged in charitable activities relating to poverty, education, mental health and religion. Bird Song Trust is a trust and a registered charity in the United Kingdom under number 1191572.

Outline of the policy plan

Please answer the questions below or provide an URL to the policy plan after the last question about the policy plan.

The online policy plan should at least provide answers to the questions about the policy plan asked here.

What are the institution's activities? When are which activities to be carried out? And how do the activities contribute to achieving the institution's objective?

The primary activities of the institution are making grants in its three areas of focus: Eating Disorders Research, Eating Disorders Services, and other programmes to support people experiencing destitution and deprivation.

How does the organisation generate income or revenue?

The funds of Bird Song Trust have been and will be formed by grants, gifts, legacies and donations.

1	General (continued)
How and for what purposes are the revenues spent? <i>If your organisation holds capital, please fill in here where and how this capital is held (e.g. savings account, investments, etc.)</i>	Bird Song Trust will not hold more funds than necessary for the continuation of the activities of the trust, and will hold its funds in accordance with the terms of the relevant gifts and donations, subject to the views of the trustees in the context of the objectives of the trust. Any funds that are received and not required to be immediately spent on the objectives, are kept in an interest-bearing bank account. If funds are invested, the investments should be as a part of a portfolio considered as low risk.
URL of the policy plan <i>Enter the link to the policy plan.</i>	
Remuneration policy Remuneration policy for the statutory board, for the members of the policy-making body and for staff (e.g. collective labour agreement or salary scheme).	The Board Members are not entitled to remuneration from Bird Song Trust in respect of fulfilling their duty as Board Members, except for a refund of a Board Member's out-of-pocket expenses necessarily incurred in fulfilling their obligations as a Board Member. Bird Song Trust's expense reimbursement policy requires that these expenses be reasonable. The current employees, and any future employees of the Trust will be paid in line with the market in the country in which they are employed.
Activity Report <i>List the activities that have been carried out. Alternatively, under the next question, enter the URL to the activity report, or to the financial statements if they clearly describe the activities of the financial year in question.</i>	See annual report linked below.
URL of the activity report <i>Enter the link to the activity report.</i>	

2 Balance sheet

Balance sheet date 0 5 - 0 4 - 2 0 2 6 Enter the balance sheet date. If you continue, the years will automatically appear above the columns.

Assets	05-04-2026	05-04-2025 (*)	Liabilities	05-04-2026	05-04-2025 (*)
Intangible fixed assets	€ 0	€ 0	Continuity reserve	€ 148899188	€ 82311361
Tangible fixed assets	€ 3964	€ 4429	Earmarked reserve	€ 0	€ 0
Financial fixed assets	€ 148648162	€ 81942114	Revaluation reserve	€ 0	€ 0
	€ 148652126	€ 81946543	Other reserves	€ 0	€ 0
				+	+
Stocks	€ 0	€ 0		→ € 148899188	→ € 82311361
Accounts receivable & accrued income	€ 177458	€ 172947	Earmarked funds	€ 0	€ 0
Securities	€ 0	€ 0	Provisions	€ 0	€ 0
Liquid assets	€ 114961	€ 395811	Long-term liabilities	€ 0	€ 0
	→ € 292419	→ € 568758	Current liabilities	€ 45357	€ 203940
				+	+
Total	€ 148944545	€ 82515301	Total	€ 148944545	€ 82515301

Explanation

Provide an explanation of the balance sheet or fill in the URL to the annual accounts if an explanation is included.

The financial statements have been prepared in compliance with FRS 102, 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland', the Statement of Recommended Practice applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) (Charities SORP (FRS 102)) and the Charities Act 2011.

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, as modified by the revaluation of certain financial assets and liabilities at fair value through income or expenditure. The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency and rounded to the nearest GBP, and has been, for the purpose of this form, exchanged to EUR based on the currency exchange rate of 7 April 2026 of 1 GBP = 1.1447 EUR, and for the previous financial year, exchanged to EUR based on the currency exchange rate of 4 April 2025 of 1 GBP = 1.1779 EUR.

Income	2026	2025 (*)
Government grants	€ 0	€ 0
Grants from other not-for-profit organisations	€ 0	€ 0
Other grants	€ 0	€ 0
	+	+
Income from grants	€ 0	€ 0
Sponsorship income	€ 0	€ 0
Gifts and donations from private individuals	€ 0	€ 0
Inheritances	€ 0	€ 0
Contributions from lotteries	€ 0	€ 0
Other donations	€ 106	€ 415
	+	+
Donations	€ 106	€ 415
Income generated through the delivery of products and services (turnover)	€ 0	€ 0
Financial income	€ 2773694	€ 1950996
Other income	€ 68841755	€ -566509
	+	+
Total income	€ 71615555	€ 1384902
Expenses		
Purchase value of products supplied (cost price)	€ 0	€ 0
Grants & donations given	€ 2472488	€ 1300180
Purchases and acquisitions	€ 0	€ 0
Communication costs	€ 0	€ 0
Staff costs	€ 104611	€ 59669
Housing costs	€ 0	€ 0
Depreciation	€ 1128	€ -117
Financial expenses	€ 24031	€ 16796
Other expenses	€ 105465	€ 214701
	+	+
Total expenses	€ 2707723	€ 1591229
Balance of income and expenditure	€ 68907832	€ -206327

Explanation

Provide an explanation of the statement of income and expenditure here or fill in the URL to the financial statements if an explanation is included.

URL of the annual accounts
Enter the link to the annual accounts if you have published these..

https://register-of-charities.charitycommission.gov.uk/en/charity-search/-/charity-details/5166625/accounts-and-annual-returns?_uk_gov_ccew_onereg