



UHY Ross Brooke  
Chartered Accountants

## Helping charities prosper

UHY is ranked No.1 for overall service levels  
in the latest Charity Finance Audit Survey.



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# UHY is the top-rated charity auditor for overall service levels in the UK



We were extremely proud to be named the top-rated charity auditor for overall service levels in Charity Finance magazine's 2024 Audit Survey.

Every one of our clients who participated awarded UHY full marks for service levels. This places us in first position in the magazines 'Charity auditor awards 2024' shortlist - a reflection of the close relationships, sector expertise and tailored support we provide to charities and not-for-profits across the UK.

Our purpose – **helping you prosper** – drives everything we do for our clients and we place great importance on building strong relationships and providing the highest quality service. Whether advising on governance, compliance strategy or financial reporting, we understand the unique challenges charities face, and we're with you every step of the way.



## But don't just take our word for it...



All of us at the Barratt Foundation have been impressed with UHY's professionalism and support through two audits. Our audit team have been personable, thorough and reasonable - and made the process of juggling the busy day job of running a charity and the audit manageable.

**Andy Button-Stephens, Chief Executive  
Barratt Foundation**



UHY Hacker Young's team is responsive and has a good understanding of our organisation. At all levels of the audit team they have been friendly and have worked hard to maintain continuity and build a good relationship with us.

**Philippa Charles, Former Director  
Garfield Weston Foundation**



Right from the initial tender presentation, the team at UHY have provided a quality and professional service which has been appropriate for us as both a sporting NGB and a Charity. They communicate well and are proactive in offering advice and assistance to us. We have also benefited from specialist VAT advice, including assistance communicating with HMRC and with specific queries from our member clubs. UHY oversaw and managed a seamless and smooth audit process last year and we expect nothing different this year.

**Chris Conway, Chief Operating Officer  
British Rowing, Great Britain Wheelchair Rugby**





The team have provided excellent professional VAT advice to the Fund for a number of years. We value the collaborative nature of the engagement, particularly the contribution to developing the knowledge of our own staff whilst providing the service. UHY have always considered the community benefit nature of our organisation and have ensured value for money across all assignments. Through their technical expertise and professionalism, the Fund was able to gain HMRC approval for specific VAT arrangements which maximise monies available for distribution to communities. We would highly recommend UHY for VAT-related engagements.

**Emma Kavanagh, Deputy Finance Director  
The National Lottery Community Fund**



UHY provide audit services to us and I would highly recommend them. Our audit was professionally prepared and the process was smooth and timely. We particularly appreciated the technical advice that was readily available to us as we went through the process of compiling our statements, and of the accounting guidance and debate applied. This contributed to a robust set of accounts that the Trustees had confidence in. The team were supportive, and the experience was one of collaboration and partnership.

**Kristin Parkin, CFO  
Royal Airforces Association**



Burton Upon Trent YMCA have been working with UHY Hacker Young for over 10 years. They carry out a full audit for the YMCA on an annual basis. They meet all the deadlines agreed, share good practice and learning with the charity. They deliver their audit findings and presentations to the senior management team, Chief Executive, treasurer and board of trustees. They have exceptional knowledge of the charity sector, particularly how our federation structure works, a deep understanding of complex funding arrangements, funders requirements and the need to satisfy a number of regulatory authorities. I have no hesitation in recommending UHY to any charity that is seeking a top quality professional service and good value for money.

**Paul Laffey, Chief Executive Officer  
YMCA Burton Upon Trent**



UHY's collaborative approach and high-quality advice made the entire audit process seamless and extremely efficient. They are an excellent partner, going beyond our audit requirements to provide additional services such as supporting us through changing our accounting systems and advising on improving our investment and asset tracking processes. The team's responsiveness and ability to deliver clear, insightful answers to our queries have significantly enhanced our financial systems. UHY's ongoing availability and support beyond the typical audit touchpoints have been invaluable to us.

**Jenny Couper, Director of Finance and Resources  
Cripplegate Foundation**



We have worked with UHY for nearly a decade, and they have supported and added value to various financial aspects to the trust. The audit process is always meticulously planned and seamlessly managed, with clear, proactive communication from the UHY team. Their commitment to staff continuity ensures a smooth experience year after year, fostering a strong and trusted working relationship. UHY consistently meets deadlines, shares valuable sector insights, and provides best-practice recommendations that enhance our financial operations.

**Calum Osborne, Chief Executive Officer  
Nottingham Forest in the Community**

## Are you ready to experience the best level of client service?

We already support over 300 charities and not-for-profits across the UK, from local charities of varying sizes to major national bodies – and we'd love to support yours too.

To find out how we can help your charity prosper, please get in touch at **[c.webster@uhy-rossbrooke.com](mailto:c.webster@uhy-rossbrooke.com)** or visit our website:

**<https://www.ross-brooke.co.uk/sectors-we-help/charity-accounts/>**



# Combining national expertise with a tailored local service

Our UHY Hacker Young experts across our 20 offices nationwide provide the best advice because we understand both local needs and the national picture.

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