



ShelterBox
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“WE WENT OUT AT NIGHT FROM OUR HOME TO THE BORDER. I AM VERY AFRAID FOR MY HUSBAND AND MY ELDEST SON, BECAUSE I TOLD THEM THAT IF THEY GO OUT DURING THE DAY, THEY WILL BE DEAD. WE HID IN THE TREES DURING THE ESCAPE. FROM OUR HOME TO THE BORDER, WE SUFFERED A LOT TO GET THERE, BECAUSE I HAVE DAUGHTERS WHO ARE ALWAYS EXPOSED TO THE THREAT OF SEXUAL ASSAULT.”

- Hawa





Hawa and her family are among hundreds of thousands of people driven into Chad by conflict and violence across the Darfur region in Sudan.

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Front cover: Zara is one of millions of people who have fled violence in Sudan in search of safety, with her children.

2024 - 2025 OVERVIEW

At the end of 2024, we hit the milestone of supporting 3 million people since we first started to provide emergency shelter to people after disaster in 2000.



270,000

PEOPLE WERE SUPPORTED WITH EMERGENCY SHELTER AND OTHER ESSENTIAL AID IN 2024.

WE'VE SUPPORTED PEOPLE AFTER



FLOODING



CONFLICT



DROUGHT



TROPICAL STORMS



CHAIR

Rob Walliser

In 2000, the Rotary Club of Helston-Lizard in Cornwall set up a millennium project with the goal of reaching a few dozen families a year. Now, as we celebrate our 25th year of operation in 2025, ShelterBox has grown into an independent international disaster relief organisation that provides emergency shelter, tools and other essentials to people after disaster.

For over 25 years, Rotary members have been there to support people after disaster. They help us fundraise, network with local communities and authorities, share contacts and knowledge. They work side by side with our teams distributing emergency shelter aid. In Australia, Rotary and Rotarians remains our largest source of income, and I would like to thank them, as well as all our other donors, volunteers and staff for helping us to ensure no one is without shelter after disaster.

In 2024, ShelterBox reached an incredible milestone: over three million people supported in around 100 countries since we were founded in 2000. In the past year, ShelterBox has supported 270,000 people with emergency shelter and other essential aid across 17 countries. And that's all thanks to you, our dedicated supporters, volunteers and partners.

Recent geopolitical and economic factors have had a significant negative impact on the income of those operating in the humanitarian space. The longstanding relationships ShelterBox Australia has established have helped us to weather this storm, and I am thankful we were able to raise \$1.261m in income this financial year, which is largely in line with our budget. This allowed us to transfer \$0.86m to the ShelterBox Trust this financial year to support their humanitarian projects.

ShelterBox Australia has continued to invest in our organisation over the past year. This has included the launch of a new website, volunteer training conferences, and updating all our policies and procedures. We also invested significant effort into the preparation and submission of our application to become a member of Australian Council for International Development (ACFID).

ACFID is the peak body for Australian non-government organisations (NGOs) involved in international development and humanitarian action. ACFID members work to alleviate poverty, reduce inequality, support environmentally sustainable and inclusive development and are on the front lines of humanitarian emergency and disaster relief. Recently we have been notified by ACFID that ShelterBox Australia has attained Interim Full membership status. Their mission is very much aligned with ours. We are proud to join them, and this Membership acts as a stamp of quality, boosting confidence among our funders, partners, and the public.

The global need for the aid we provide continues to grow. ShelterBox Australia will continue to evolve to meet this challenge. To this end, our business plan for the coming financial year is focussed on these key themes:

- Establishing a local aid storage facility in Australia to support aid deployment into the Asia Pacific region
- Enhancing our marketing capabilities with the roll out of improved CRM capabilities and donor journeys
- Leveraging our ACFID membership to explore partnership opportunities and raise awareness of ShelterBox Australia in the community
- Increasing penetration into Rotary Clubs that have not previously donated

Thanks to all of you who donated to us over the past financial year. It's only because of you that we have been able to provide shelter to those most in need over the past 25 years. And of course, none of this would have been possible without the dedicated support of the staff and volunteers, including board members, working behind the scenes. For this I thank you all.

Rob Walliser
ShelterBox Australia Chair



INTRODUCING
2024-2025 ShelterBox Australia Directors



Nicole Carnovale
Deputy Chair



Dr Rob Walliser
Chair



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Company Secretary



Barry Antees
Interim Finance Director



Paul Roger
Director



Yvonne Howie
Director



Paris Ericksen
Director



CEO STATEMENT

Mike Greenslade

Dear friends

As we mark ShelterBox's 25th year of delivering emergency shelter to families devastated by disaster and conflict, I am proud to reflect on a year of resilience, innovation, and unwavering commitment to our mission.

2024–2025 has been a year of both immense need and profound impact. With over 120 million people displaced globally—a number that has tripled since our founding—the urgency of our work has never been greater. ShelterBox Australia, in partnership with Rotary and our global network, has continued to respond to crises that often go unseen, providing life-saving aid to communities in 17 countries, including Gaza, Lebanon, Ethiopia, Somalia, and the Caribbean.

This year, we supported over 270,000 people with emergency shelter and essential items such as solar lights, blankets, cooking sets, and cash assistance. Our responses ranged from conflict zones in Syria and Sudan to climate disasters like Hurricane Beryl in the Caribbean and Cyclone Remal in Bangladesh.

However, the year was not without significant challenges:

Escalating Global Displacement

The scale of displacement continues to rise, stretching humanitarian resources and demanding faster, more flexible responses.

Complex and Overlapping Crises

We responded to multiple emergencies simultaneously, often in regions with limited infrastructure and high security risks.

Funding Constraints

Economic uncertainty and donor fatigue made fundraising more difficult, requiring us to carefully manage expenditures while maintaining operational readiness.

Underfunded Emergencies

Many of the crises we responded to, (particularly in Africa and the Middle East), received little media attention and even less funding.

Volunteer and Partner Engagement

Maintaining high levels of engagement from Rotary and other partners required ongoing effort and innovation in outreach.

Highlights included successful Off the Grid and Giving Day campaigns, the continued growth and success of the Book Club and an inspiring Volunteer Conference. None of this would have been possible without the continued generous support of our donors, Rotary Clubs across the country and our amazing volunteers. I extend my thanks to my small staff team and the members of the board, who give their time expertise to support our mission.

Our strategic focus: *Do More, Do It Well, Do It Together*, continues to guide our work. We are investing in innovation, strengthening partnerships, and advocating for those whose voices are often unheard. As we celebrate 25 years of service, we do so with gratitude and renewed determination to ensure no family is left without shelter after disaster.

Thank you for standing with us.

Warm regards,
Mike Greenslade
ShelterBox Australia CEO

**“I FELT BROKEN AND WORRIED
ABOUT PROVIDING FOR MY
FAMILY, BUT SUPPORT HAS
GIVEN ME HOPE.”**

– Kadir



KADIR



Kadir (top right) and his family have been displaced multiple times due to conflict and climate induced disasters. He has also experienced chronic illness, resulting in the limited use of one of his legs. His family received an enhanced aid package from ShelterBox, tailored for people with disabilities.

WHO WE ARE AND WHAT WE DO

OUR VISION

No one without shelter after disaster.

OUR MISSION

We provide shelter, essential items and technical assistance to help some of the world's most vulnerable people recover and rebuild their homes after disaster. We listen and adapt our support to the needs of each community, working together with those affected by disaster, alongside our supporters and partners.

WHAT WE BELIEVE

Shelter is the foundation for life – for survival, stability and dignity. It offers a place to feel safe, stay together, stay healthy, earn a living and help children get an education.

Right now, over 120 million people worldwide have been forced from their homes by disasters, conflict and climate crisis – and that number is growing every day. So, we have to work in new ways.

Shelter is a human right and enables people to take steps towards recovery.

We started 24 years ago with our iconic green ShelterBoxes. Today, we do much more.

We listen. We hear what people need, creating tailored support to meet complex situations.

We support. We give emergency shelter and aid essentials, including shelter repair kits, water filters and solar lights. And we help people rebuild, repair or return home.

We share. We use our expertise to support people worldwide and champion local partnerships and environmental sustainability.





SOMALIA, DROUGHT



“NOW WE HAVE RECEIVED THE HOUSE WHICH MADE OUR LIVES EASIER DURING BAD WEATHER. WE REALLY APPRECIATE IT. THE FAMILY IS HAPPY WITH THE HOUSE AND THE LAND WE GOT.”

– Hodan

Hodan and her family were displaced by severe flooding. They were forced to flee across Somalia, enduring harsh conditions. Arriving in Dollow with just the clothes they were wearing, Hodan and her family constructed makeshift shelters. With no hope for returning home, ShelterBox and Juba Foundation supported Hodan and her family with a durable home, built with mudbricks and cement, and land tenure, meaning they have rights to live on the land for many years to come without fear of eviction.

OUR VALUES

INTEGRITY

We commit to the highest ethical standards and strive to be honest, straightforward and fair. We hold ourselves accountable for doing the very best we can for those affected by disaster and for each other.

FLEXIBILITY

We adapt and overcome challenges to achieve shared goals. We approach our work with an open mind and the willingness to find the right solution.

PARTICIPATION

We put people and their needs at the heart of what we do. We work together with people affected by disaster, our volunteers, partners and supporters. We support each other. We are inclusive.

LEARNING

We champion continuous growth and development. We are driven to keep improving and exploring what we could do differently. We ask ourselves how we can be better for the people we serve, our volunteers and supporters, and for each other.



ShelterBox and CARE Malawi distributed aid to villages in the Nkhotakota District, including Katimbira, Mtupi and Mdame.

 **BURKINA FASO,
CONFLICT**



ShelterBox and HELP Burkina Faso are supporting people with the construction of new emergency shelters and household items.

INSPIRED BY SUPPORTERS, TOGETHER WITH PARTNERS

Donations helped conduct field visits in Somalia with our partners at Juba Foundation.



HOW WE RESPONDED AFTER DISASTERS IN 2024-2025

In the wake of conflicts, extreme weather and ongoing crises, we joined with partners to support people recovering from disaster. Thank you to our incredible supporters.

It was a year where many disasters failed to attract the media attention they deserved, but the need for shelter was as acute as ever. Throughout 2024, we reached over 270,000 people in 17 countries and territories with emergency shelter and other essential aid.

WE WERE THERE AS CONFLICT FORCED MILLIONS FROM THEIR HOMES



In Syria, we have supported more than 450,000 people affected by the crisis since 2012. This includes Syrian refugees in Jordan, Lebanon, and Iraq. In 2024, we provided mattresses, blankets and children's winter clothes to help families survive the punishing winter cold.

In Chad, we helped people fleeing violence in neighbouring Sudan, providing emergency shelters and transitional shelters for families facing long-term displacement.

In Cameroon, we were there for over 49,000 people, providing everything from roofing materials to wheelbarrows and kitchen sets.

In Gaza, we overcame huge barriers to deliver tents, tarpaulins, mattresses, water carriers and kitchen sets.

450,000

PEOPLE AFFECTED BY THE SYRIAN CRISIS SINCE 2012 HAVE BEEN SUPPORTED BY US

Camp assessments in the northeast of Syria

Tropical Storm Trami - Distributions



WE RESPONDED TO THE CLIMATE CRISIS IN FULL FORCE

Multiple powerful tropical storms tore through the Philippines in 2024, including six in just four weeks during October and November. Our permanent team in Cebu was ready, distributing tarpaulins, tools, nails, rope and more – essential items to help people repair damaged homes and prepare for future storms.

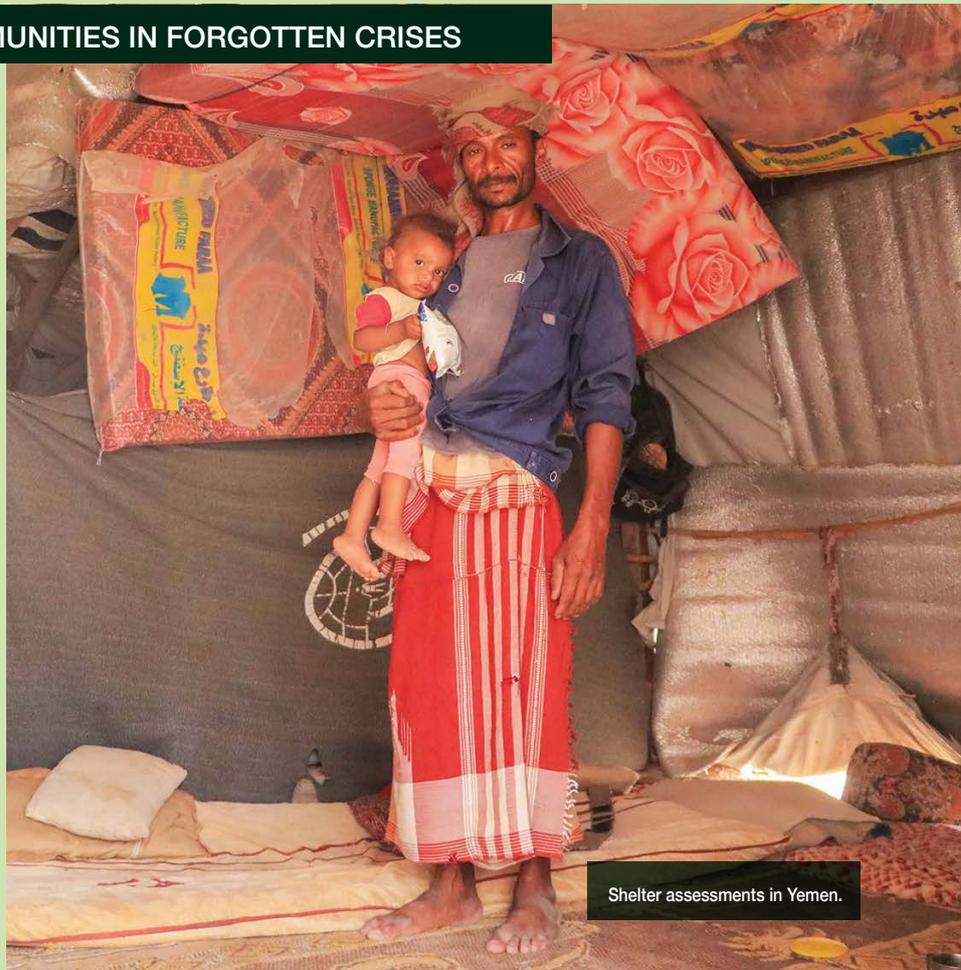
We also saw the value of having aid items ready in our hubs worldwide. When Hurricane Beryl displaced thousands of people in Grenada, for example, we could rapidly link with partners and local volunteers to bring in emergency shelter items from nearby Panama.

WE PROVIDED SHELTER TO COMMUNITIES IN FORGOTTEN CRISES

In countries including Burkina Faso, Ethiopia, Mozambique, Somalia and Yemen, ShelterBox supporters made sure we could respond to long-term and often ignored disasters.

Yemen is one of the world's worst humanitarian crises, but it gets little media attention. We focus on places where we can have the biggest impact, and we provided 9,000 long-term shelter solutions in the country last year. It was a similar story in Somalia – where 16,000 people used our shelter and aid items to rebuild for a better future.

We know shelter is the foundation for life. With our support, families and communities were able to stay together and recover throughout 2024.



Shelter assessments in Yemen.

DELIVERING ON OUR STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES:

DOING MORE

BANGLADESH

After Cyclone Remal in May and flooding in August, we responded twice in Bangladesh in 2024 – and saw the benefit of preparing in advance for potential disasters in the country.

We have responded five times in Bangladesh, learning from each experience and building close links with communities. Our understanding means we can keep responding with the right aid and with the right partners. In May 2024, with preparedness plans in place, we were able to respond quickly and effectively when Cyclone Remal tore through southwest Bangladesh.

Close to four million people were affected, with 173,000 homes damaged and 40,000 destroyed. In the aftermath, one thing was clear – people wanted to stay in their local area, not move to larger cities. So we worked with our partner Uttaran to make that happen, providing shelter kits containing corrugated iron sheeting, bamboo, wood and fixings. All the essentials people wanted to begin rebuilding.

Thousands of people had also lost their livelihoods, so we offered cash assistance to help people pay for tradespeople and building materials. Uttaran engineers delivered technical training to local tradespeople too, as our aid helped communities to rebuild and supported the economy to recover.

Just three months later, disaster struck Bangladesh again – this time with heavy rainfall overwhelming water systems and causing severe flooding in several parts of the country. Again, our local partnerships and experience helped us act.

With over 330,000 homes damaged or washed away, we focused on providing shelter materials more likely to withstand future floods.



Flooding assessments in Bangladesh

THANKS TO SHELTERBOX SUPPORTERS, AFTER CYCLONE REMAL:



WE SUPPORTED MORE THAN
5,800
PEOPLE



WE CONSTRUCTED
1,400
SHELTERS



100%
OF PEOPLE SAID SLEEPING
CONDITIONS WERE THE SAME
OR BETTER THAN BEFORE THE
CYCLONE

**“IF I COULD EARN MONEY,
THEN MY HUSBAND’S
BURDEN WILL REDUCE
AND TOGETHER WE CAN
MANAGE OUR FAMILY.”**

– Saleha



**BANGLADESH,
CYCLONE**

SALEHA

The August 2024 flood in Bangladesh devastated family homes across the northeastern region. Among the affected households was Saleha's. Saleha's family has faced severe losses, including the destruction of their home, kitchen, sanitation facility and livestock. ShelterBox sat down with Saleha to find out more about her situation, and need for aid.

Saleha's husband, Yousuf, works as an assistant in a local tea shop, earning a daily wage of 220 Bangladesh Taka. They have three children, two boys, aged 4 and 1, and a girl, aged 8, who studies at a nearby school. The family also cares for Yousuf's elderly father, who is 65 years old and unable to work, relying on meals provided by Saleha or other relatives.

DELIVERING ON OUR STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES:

DOING IT WELL

PAKISTAN

Monsoon rains and flooding in 2022 led to the worst disaster to hit Pakistan in a decade. In 2024, we continued to support families who had lost their homes, turning our attention from our initial emergency response to a new way to construct durable, long-term shelters that can survive future floods.

In the emergency phase of our response to the 2022 disaster, we had teamed up with our local partner Islamic Relief Pakistan (IRP). Together, we supported thousands of people with essential shelter items that have the biggest impact immediately after a disaster – including tents, tarpaulins and cash assistance. But, by 2024, our focus was on long-term recovery, again with IRP.

As a result, over 4,000 people received materials to construct a more durable shelter – known locally as a pakka house – along with a separate toilet. Pakka houses are one-room buildings made of concrete and brick and built on concrete bases. The bases provide extra protection against flooding and the design of pakka houses makes them durable.

This was the first time we had supported people create this type of shelter, as we continued to evolve our work by listening to communities about the support they value most. We also provided cash assistance, helping families hire skilled local tradespeople and labourers to create homes that last and recover for the long term.



Severe monsoon flooding in Pakistan left thousands of people like Ali with nowhere to live.



People whose homes were damaged or destroyed have been supported with more durable shelters built on concrete bases.

THANKS TO SHELTERBOX SUPPORTERS:

100% of people we supported were satisfied with how the response was run

100% of people with a new home felt protected from rain and sun

100% of people felt safe in their newly constructed homes

93% of people said the shelter design and size was appropriate for their family



When Ali's family home was destroyed by the 2022 floods, we worked with our local partner to provide the items needed to build a resilient pakka house. In 2024, we returned to ask Ali what difference this had made.

"We also received a cash grant from Islamic Relief and ShelterBox. We paid the mason and labourer for the work they did, and the rest of the work I did by myself, along with my wife."

Whereas Ali was previously saving all his income to try and rebuild his home, he can now support his family more easily. He is also hoping to set up a business that will enable him to put money away. With shelter in place, his hopes for the future seem more achievable.

"Having some savings will help us at times of emergencies," Ali says, "so we do not have to ask anyone else for help."

"AFTER A SURVEY FROM ISLAMIC RELIEF, THEY PROVIDED US WITH ALL THE MATERIALS FOR A HOME AND LATRINE, INCLUDING BRICKS, CEMENT, STEEL GIRDERS, DOORS AND WINDOWS. WE HIRED A MASON TO BUILD THE HOUSE, AND WE ALSO WORKED WITH A LABOURER."

– Ali



DELIVERING ON OUR STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES:

DOING IT TOGETHER

CAMEROON

As well as continuing to provide essential shelter items in Cameroon throughout 2024, we launched a new initiative in the country. Together with our local partner, Public Concern, we ran a co-creation storytelling project so people's real experiences of life after disasters could be seen and heard.

Over two million people in Cameroon have now been displaced from their homes due to conflict and extreme weather. Large numbers of refugees have fled armed groups in neighbouring Nigeria, and in 2024 nearly half a million people in the north of Cameroon were affected by the worst flooding in decades.

ShelterBox has worked in Cameroon since 2015 and in that time, we have supported over 250,000 people with items including tents, emergency shelter kits and household items like kitchen sets and water carriers.

In response to the unprecedented flooding that affected millions of people across West and Central Africa, we worked with our partner Public Concern to improve living conditions for people in the Far North of Cameroon. We also provided flood defence kits to help protect these communities from future flooding events.

Our reach figures in Cameroon are so high because our community tool kits reach an average of 12 families per kit and often more. The flood defence kits, made up of sacking (to make sandbags), needle and thread and extra tools, also serve multiple families at a time.

Since our earliest days, ShelterBox's approach has been based on listening. We speak with partners and communities to understand what will make the biggest impact and how we can be part of it.

In 2024, we took our work in Cameroon in a new direction, with a six-month storytelling project run with volunteers in Minawao Refugee Camp. We ran a series of workshops for eight volunteers who live in the camp. The sessions focused on skills including camera work and writing techniques, using a co-creation approach so the volunteers could play a guiding role and experience the full power of sharing stories.

By asking participants what they wanted to show and how they wanted to show it, we captured the reality of life after losing your home to disaster. The volunteers identified three themes they wanted to communicate about – resilience, extreme weather, and providing protection and hope through shelter. We shared the resulting stories with our supporters via email and online and ran a series of digital adverts that were our most successful for several years. The approach brought people closer to our work and showed why working together is fundamental to delivering effective shelter.

"THIS PROJECT GAVE ME THE OPPORTUNITY TO HAVE THE TECHNIQUE AND METHOD OF TELLING A STORY, BECAUSE I LOVE WRITING AND I CONSIDER MYSELF A WRITER. I DID IT WITHOUT ANY REAL TECHNIQUE BUT I LEARNED TO IMPROVE AND TAKE PHOTOS THAT TELL A STORY."

– Ishaku, co-creation ethical storytelling volunteer





**CAMEROON,
DROUGHT**

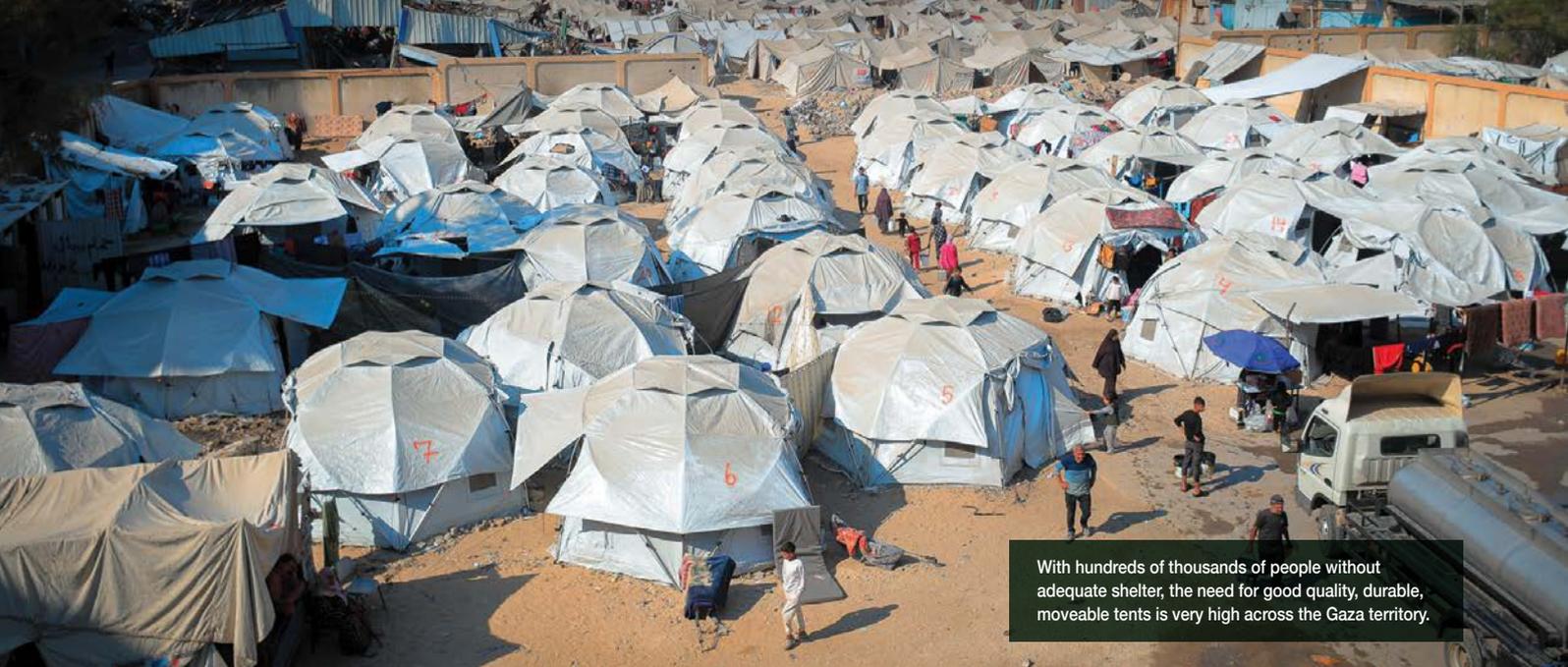
PHILEMON

**“TO SHELTERBOX
SUPPORTERS, I SAY THANK
YOU. KEEP UP THE GREAT
WORK FOR US AND LIFE WILL
REPAY YOU A HUNDREDFOLD.”**

– Philemon

“My name is Philemon. I'm 64-years-old, I live with my wife and our three children and I'm the traditional authority (Blama) for sector 4 of Minawao camp. I've lived in this camp for 9 years and as far back as I can remember, the priority needs have always been related to shelter. Shelter is the most reassuring element in a person's life, it's what guarantees their safety and unfortunately also what we lack most here, as most shelters do not have good roofs anymore. Public Concern and ShelterBox are helping us enormously. Public Concern have been working here for many years but last year we were particularly moved by their assistance. In partnership with ShelterBox, they are currently the only people providing shelter in the camp. ShelterBox and Public Concern are doing a good job, and I'm very happy for my community, even if I would have liked there to be more. If Public Concern and ShelterBox hadn't been there, I don't know what would have happened to us.”

PROVIDING SHELTER WHERE IT'S NEEDED MOST:



With hundreds of thousands of people without adequate shelter, the need for good quality, durable, moveable tents is very high across the Gaza territory.

GAZA

We continued to respond to the conflict in Gaza throughout 2024, in one of ShelterBox's most challenging responses to date.

Providing lifesaving aid and shelter items in one of the most dangerous places on earth was exceptionally difficult. Challenges included unpredictable airstrikes and border closures, safety threats to aid workers, damage to infrastructure and supply routes, and time-consuming checks by Israeli military on aid moving into and around Gaza.

This complex and dangerous picture meant we often struggled to deliver lifesaving aid – but we persisted as our work in the region was more essential than ever.

Together with our partners Medical Aid for Palestinians (MAP) and Palestinian Agricultural Relief Committee (PARC), we supplied tents, water carriers, blankets and other items to thousands of people in Gaza. In September, when 900,000 people were forced to flee their homes as the crisis worsened in neighbouring Lebanon, we also linked with our Lebanese partner Basmehand Zeitooneh to support thousands of people with blankets, hygiene kits and household cleaning kits.

And then, in October, Israeli airstrikes in Gaza targeted a safe zone where people were sheltering in our tents. The safe zone was meant to provide refuge for families whose lives had been uprooted by the crisis. We had spent months calling for an immediate humanitarian ceasefire and protection for all civilians on every side of the conflict, and the bombings underlined why lasting peace is critical. Thanks to our determined supporters, we continue to support people in Gaza.

IN 2024, WE HAVE SUPPORTED OVER 2,600 FAMILIES IN GAZA WITH EITHER SHELTER OR EMERGENCY HOUSEHOLD ITEMS INCLUDING:



TENTS



MATTRESSES



WATER CARRIERS



BLANKETS



KITCHEN SETS



GAZA, CONFLICT

“THE AID WE RECEIVE THROUGH SHELTERBOX AND SDF IS A BEACON OF HOPE, WHICH MAKES OUR LIFE BETTER AND ENABLES US TO FACE THE CHALLENGES WE HAVE.”

– Amany

AMANY

Amany lives in a makeshift tent in a displacement site in the middle of the Gaza Strip. Her husband was a paramedic, but was killed saving others, and she now lives alone with her children after a dramatic journey of displacement.

The one comfort Amany and other displaced residents share is that they are not alone. ShelterBox, with support from Rotary, and in partnership with MAP and its downstream partner Social Development Forum (SDF), have supported Amany and her community with life saving emergency tents and essential household items.

 **GRENADA,
HURRICANE**

**“I GOT THE TENT, WHICH
I LOVE, SO BAD. I LOVE IT,
I LOVE IT, LOVE IT, LOVE
IT. I GOT THIS TENT, PLUS
EVERYTHING INSIDE A BAG.
THE MOSQUITO NET, THE LIGHT
– ESPECIALLY THE LIGHT.”**

– Lucy

LUCY



Lucy lives on Carriacou with her family. Lucy lost the entire roof of her house and most of the partitioned walls. She was provided with a tent and emergency aid items so the family could stay and rebuild their home.

HOW ROTARY HELPS US GO FURTHER

Rotary members have stood side-by-side with ShelterBox since our very beginning. Again in 2024 they made a critical contribution to our work, not only through generous fundraising but by enabling and enhancing our emergency responses around the world.

Thanks to Rotary International's long-term commitment to ShelterBox, in 2024 we were able to work faster and more effectively with communities after disasters. In the early stages of a crisis, local Rotary club members provided first-hand local knowledge, key contacts, logistical help and links into communities.

This relationship makes so much of our work possible. We can't overstate what it means to have Rotary on our team as we respond to disasters together worldwide.

In the Middle East, our partnership with Rotary was vital as we transported aid items into Jordan and on into Gaza, also working with the Jordanian Hashemite Charity Organisation (JCHO). JCHO managed the transfer of aid through Jordan, and our Rotary contacts helped us build links with JCHO and secure warehouse space to store our aid.

After Hurricane Beryl hit the Caribbean in July, we partnered with Rotary to reach remote communities on the islands of Grenada. Rotarians hired a light aircraft to fly over affected areas and assess the level of damage, playing a central role as we planned our response. They also helped us quickly build contacts with local communities and disaster management organisations. As a result, we supported more than 600 families with tents, mosquito nets, kitchen sets and solar lights.

In Ethiopia it was members of Rotaract – Rotary International's youth programme – who strengthened our response as we supported 38,500 people displaced by severe drought and conflict.

Following training by ShelterBox staff, volunteers from Rotaract helped to coordinate our distribution of essential items and delivered aid to people unable to travel to collect aid.

We would like to say a heartfelt thank you to everyone connected with Rotary International for sharing our belief that shelter is the foundation for life.

“The longstanding partnership between ShelterBox and Rotary International is truly a testament to what can be achieved when organisations align their missions for the greater good. This collaboration has not only enhanced our ability to respond swiftly to disasters but has also created a powerful network of support that spans the globe.” – PDG Bashar Sh. Haddad, part of the Rotary coordinating team in Jordan.

During distributions in the Afar region of Ethiopia, ShelterBox and International Organization for Migration (IOM) were joined by local Rotaract volunteers.



SHELTERBOX AUSTRALIA VOLUNTEER AWARDS 2024-2025

2025 ShelterBox Team of Year Award - Team Western Australia.

This incredible team has gone above and beyond for ShelterBox Australia! On Giving Day alone, they raised over \$50,000, helping their district reach a phenomenal \$130,000+ over the year.

They've been spreading the word far and wide through concerts, car shows, schools, festivals, presentations, social posts and more, rallying their community around the cause of emergency shelter for people affected by disaster and conflict. Their creativity, commitment, and teamwork make them true champions of ShelterBox Australia. We're proud to celebrate Team Western Australia as the winner of the Team of the Year Award. This team includes Wesley Sim, Deb Royle, Helen Cawardine, June Wade and many more.

2025 ShelterBox Fundraiser of the Year Award - Dusty and Shirley Rhodes.

Despite ongoing health challenges, Dusty has shown incredible resilience and heart, raising over \$20,000 in the past year for ShelterBox Australia. Together with wife Shirley, this dynamic duo raised over \$10,000 through Rotary outreach, BBQs, personal donations, presentations and their support of the Off the Grid challenge. They also played a key role in the 2024 ShelterBox Australia Giving Day District Challenge, helping raise more than \$9,000 across their Rotary district. Their passion, persistence and teamwork make them true ShelterBox Australia heroes. We're so grateful for their unwavering commitment to helping people affected by disaster and conflict.

2025 ShelterBox Rising Star Award - Val Simons.

This volunteer team member is making waves for ShelterBox Australia! From inspiring presentations to local clubs and businesses, to taking on the epic Cape to Cape Trek where she has already raised over \$6,000 and counting, Val is on a roll! Her energy, commitment, and passion for helping people affected by disaster is truly contagious. She's a rising star in our community, showing what's possible when heart meets action.

2025 ShelterBox Volunteer Excellence Award - Deb Royle and Helen Cawardine.

Deb Royle has gone above and beyond to raise awareness and support for people affected by disaster. From arranging impactful presentations and showcasing ShelterBox Australia at community events and school demonstrations, raising funds through Containers for Change, to keeping the momentum going with social media updates, Deb Royle's commitment is truly inspiring. Her creativity,

consistency, and spirit have made a lasting impact. Helen Cawardine has been a powerhouse of support, helping organise the Music in the Air concert, delivering engaging presentations, and representing ShelterBox Australia at countless community events. Her dedication, warmth, and tireless energy have helped raise awareness and vital funds for people affected by disaster and conflict.

2025 ShelterBox Volunteer Impact Award - Peter Jarvis.

Peter Jarvis is a true force for good within ShelterBox Australia. As a team leader and District Representative in South Australia, he has dedicated countless hours—often using his own annual leave from teaching—to travel across districts, delivering powerful presentations, attending large events and raising awareness about the urgent need for emergency shelter. From schools and Rotary Clubs to Scouts, Girl Guides, festivals, and community events, his ability to connect with people and share ShelterBox Australia's mission has inspired thousands. During his time with ShelterBox Australia, his passion and persistence has contributed to the state of South Australia donating more than \$300,000. Peter's impact is extraordinary, and his belief in the power of community to create change is at the heart of everything he does.

2025 ShelterBox Off the Grid Champion Award - Rotary Club of Yass and Rotary Club of Canberra Sundowners.

What started as a wild idea—camping in mid-winter—turned into a weekend of resilience, camaraderie, and generosity. Through wind, rain, and a few creative sleeping arrangements, the Rotary Club of Yass and the Rotary Club of Canberra Sundowners community came together in true Rotary spirit. From Scouts bringing energy, to kebabs that stole the show, and a shared bottle of Grandfather Port around the fire, this team created a weekend to remember.

The Rotary Club of Yass and the Rotary Club of Canberra Sundowners combined effort has helped raise over \$12,000 for ShelterBox Australia. Their dedication and drive has helped push our total to nearly \$19,000 for Off the Grid in 2025— and donations are still coming in.

Thank you for making a real difference.

*Kieryn Deutrom
Volunteer Program Manager
ShelterBox Australia*





Val Simons

MAJOR DONORS AND DISTINGUISHED AWARDS

A HUGE THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING DONORS* WHO DONATED \$2,000 OR MORE DURING 2024-2025

* Some of our Major Donors requested anonymity

Australian Philanthropic Services Foundation
Howard and Diana Bridgman
Paul Burchell
Ian Chapman
Terrance Clout
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Michael Cowie
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Wylie Foundation

2025 SHELTERBOX VOLUNTEER AWARD WINNERS

2025 ShelterBox Team of Year Award
Team Western Australia

2025 ShelterBox Fundraiser of the Year Award
Dusty and Shirley Rhodes

2025 ShelterBox Rising Star Award
Val Simons

2025 ShelterBox Volunteer Excellence Award
Deb Royle
Helen Cawardine

2025 ShelterBox Volunteer Impact Award
Peter Jarvis

2025 ShelterBox Off the Grid Champion Award
Rotary Club of Yass
Rotary Club of Canberra Sundowners

Well done to all our winners and everyone on the team who continue to raise awareness and funds to deliver shelter to people in need.



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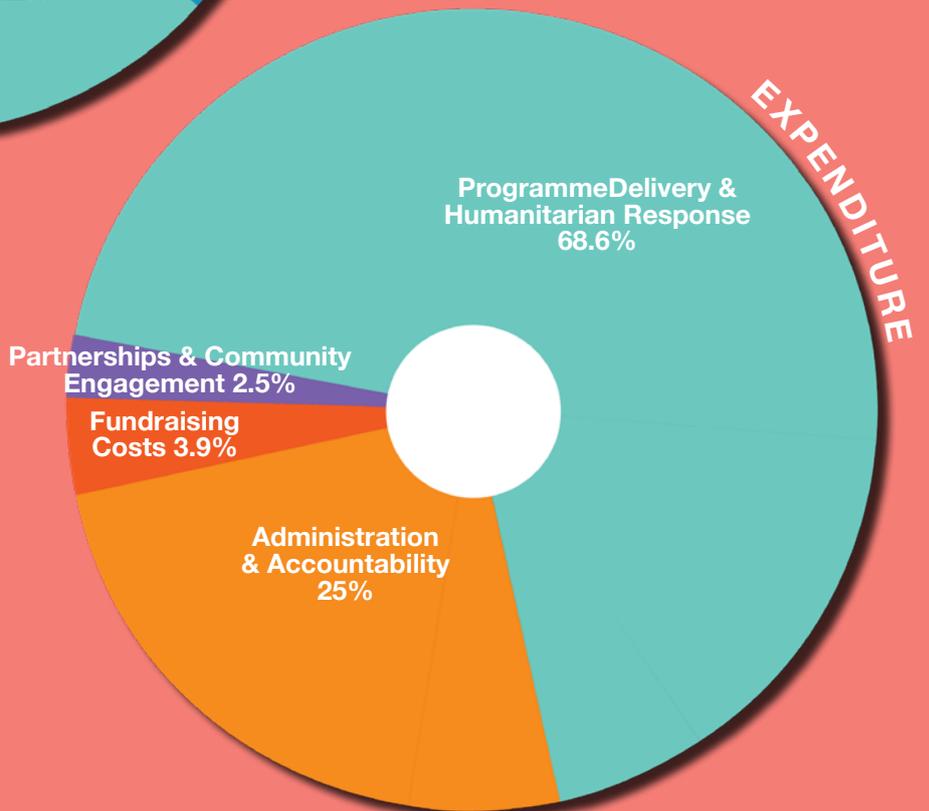
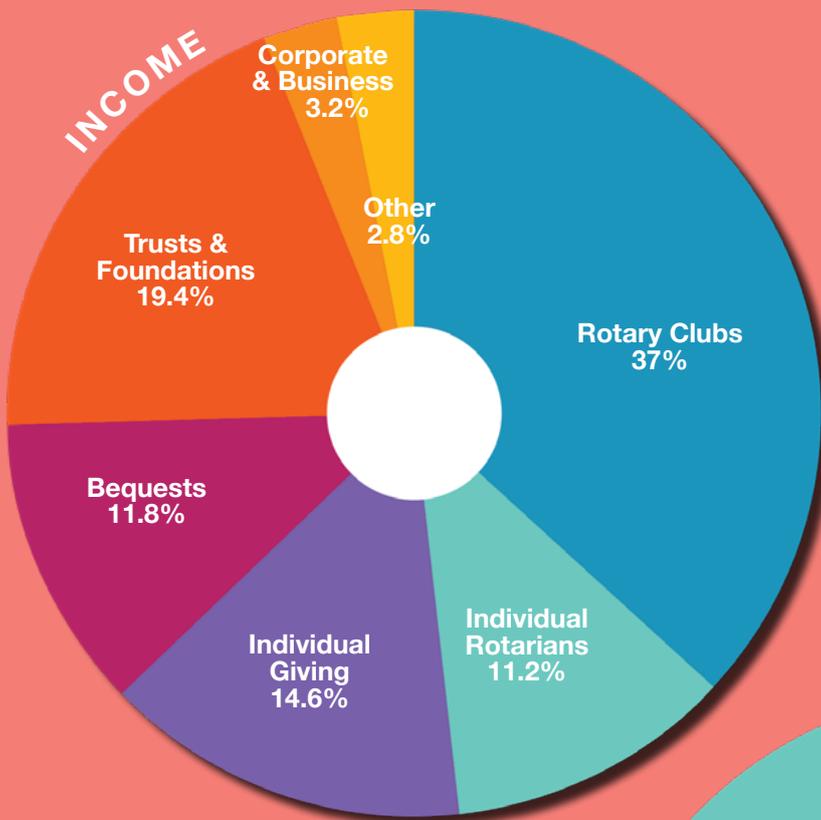
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 ROTARY CLUB OF YASS 
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SHELTERBOX AUSTRALIA 2024-2025 FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT



SHELTERBOX AUSTRALIA
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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED
30th JUNE 2025

HARLEY, RUSSELL & DAY
Chartered Accountants

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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 30TH JUNE 2025

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DIRECTORS' REPORT

Your directors present their report on the Company for the financial year ended 30th June 2025.

DIRECTORS

The names of directors in office at any time during or since the end of the year are:

Yvonne Howie	Paul Roger	Shane Burette
Robert Walliser	Alex Alagheband	Barry Antees
Nicole Carnovale	x Kent Heffernan	+ Paris Ericksen

+ Appointed 27th May 2025

x Resigned 27th November 2024

Directors have been in office since the start of the financial year to the date of this report unless otherwise stated.

COMPANY SECRETARY

On 14th August 2022 Shane Burette was appointed as Company Secretary. Shane has broad experience with Australian Government, health provision arrangement, procurement, management, risk assessment, fraud prevention and investigations, as well as with not-for-profits.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of the company during the financial year was to provide on a worldwide basis humanitarian relief and aid in the form of equipment and materials that provide shelter, warmth and comfort to people displaced by natural or other disasters.

MEMBERS

The number of Members of the Company registered in the Register of Members at the date of this report is:

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Ordinary members	20	22

SIGNIFICANT CHANGES

During the year, the company's constitution was updated. Apart from this, no significant change in the nature of these activities occurred during the year.

OPERATING RESULTS

The operating Surplus/(Loss) of the company for the financial year amounted to a profit of \$20,809 (2024 - Loss \$70,029), after transfers to ShelterBox Trust of \$860,000 (2024 - \$760,000).

REVIEW OF OPERATIONS

Movements in significant items of Revenue are as follows:

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>	Increase/ (Decrease)	%
Donations received	1,243,765	1,068,070	175,695	16.45
Fundraising	28,482	78,146	(49,664)	63.55
Interest	6,902	5,838	1,064	18.23

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DIRECTORS' REPORT

INFORMATION ON DIRECTORS

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Meetings Held</u>	<u>Meetings Attended</u>	<u>Qualification</u>	<u>Retired (R) or Appointed (A) or (C) Continuing</u>
WALLISER, Robert	Chairperson	6	6	PhD, BSc, BCom, GradCert Mngmt, GAICD	C
BURETTE, Shane	Company Secretary	6	6	LLB, GDLP, GradCertMgt (PubSect), GradCertIS	C
ALAGHEBAND, Alex	Finance Director	6	6	CPA, Master of Business Banking and Finance, Master of Professional Accounting	C
ROGER, Paul	Director	6	5	B.JusticeStud, Master of Justice, FAIM (Rtr), FAPIO (Rtd), Dip Bus(Gov), FICDA, MAICD	C
HOWIE, Yvonne	Director	6	6	B.A, Dip. Ed, AICD	C
CARNOVALE, Nicole	Director	6	6	MMktg, BBusMktg, RG146 for the Superannuation Industry	C
HEFFERNAN, Kent	Director	2	0	B. Manuf. Eng., Grad. Cert, Leadership, M. Business Management	R
ANTEES, Barry	Director	6	6	AIMM, Dip Bus (Gov)	C
ERICKSEN, Paris	Director	1	1	B.Science(International), Majored in Biology, Mandarin, and International Relations	A

FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

To maintain the operation on a similar basis to the previous year, and provide relief where needed in accordance with the funds made available.

OBJECTIVES

Short-term objectives:

- Grow awareness and support within Rotary circles through the implementation of our Rotary Action Plan,
- Increase awareness and support in the general public through the implementation of our Fundraising Plan,
- Develop partnerships with small, medium and large businesses, through the implementation of our Corporate Partnerships Plan,
- Leverage the data analysis offered through the implementation of a new CRM (customer relationship management software),
- Increase brand awareness through the use of Brand Ambassadors, Social Media and implementation of our Marketing Plan,
- Support deployment of aid to the Pacific region by exploring opportunities to pre-position aid in Australia,
- Support professional development of Board members and staff.

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DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

OBJECTIVES (CONTINUED)

Long-term objectives:

- Transition ShelterBox Australia from an effective volunteer charity to a professional charity with a sustainable, diverse income,
- Gain membership in peak bodies like the Australian Council for International Development (ACFID),
- Make ShelterBox Australia a household name and the 'go to' charity for international disaster relief.

Strategies for achieving the objectives:

- The company Board of Directors are confident that management is able to work through our corporate goals and with the availability of funding will be able to achieve short and long term goals.

Members' Limited Liability

The entity is incorporated under the Corporations Act 2001 and is a company limited by guarantee, if the company is wound up, the Constitution states that each member is required to contribute a maximum of \$20.00 each towards meeting any outstanding obligations of the company. As at 30th June 2025, the total amount the members of the company are liable to contribute if the company is wound up is \$400 (2024: \$440).

AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENT DECLARATION

The Auditor's Independent Declaration for the year ended 30th June 2025 has been received and can be found on page 4 of this report.

Dated at ShelterBox Australia this 31st day of October 2025

In accordance with a resolution of the Directors



.....
Robert Walliser
 Chairperson



.....
Shane Burette
 Company Secretary

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AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENT DECLARATION
UNDER SECTION 307C OF THE CORPORATIONS ACT 2001
TO THE DIRECTORS OF SHELTERBOX AUSTRALIA

In accordance with s 307C of the *Corporations Act 2001*, I am pleased to provide the following declaration of independence to the directors of ShelterBox Australia. As the audit partner for the audit of the financial report of ShelterBox Australia for the year ended 30th June 2025, I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of:

- (i) The auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the audit, and
- (ii) Any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

DATED AT ROCKDALE
THIS 5TH DAY OF
OCTOBER 2025

.....
HARLEY, RUSSELL & DAY
Chartered Accountants

GARRY WILLIAM DAY
Registered Company Auditor

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STATEMENT OF PROFIT AND LOSS AND COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2025

	Notes	2025 \$	2024 \$
Revenue from Continuing Operations			
Donations Received		1,243,765	1,068,070
Fundraising		28,483	78,146
Interest		6,902	5,838
Total Revenue from continuing operations		1,279,150	1,152,054
Less Expenses			
Administration Salary & Superannuation		(233,088)	(223,954)
Advertising, Marketing & Public Relations		(42,128)	(98,408)
Fundraising Costs		(762)	(227)
Insurance		(10,025)	(9,524)
IT Support		(8,657)	(6,485)
Office Expenses		(21,006)	(20,526)
Telephone		(2,124)	(3,664)
Volunteer Training		(12,760)	(22,287)
Other		(38,436)	(39,122)
Travel, Accommodation & Conferences		(19,198)	(28,282)
Total Expenses		(388,184)	(452,479)
Earnings before borrowing costs, tax, depreciation and amortisation		890,966	699,575
Less:			
Depreciation		(10,157)	(9,604)
Transfer to ShelterBox Trust		(860,000)	(760,000)
		(870,157)	(769,604)
Total Comprehensive Income/(Loss) for the year		20,809	(70,029)

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30TH JUNE 2025

	Notes	2025 \$	2024 \$
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash assets	3	491,335	453,443
Receivables	4	53,673	58,154
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		545,008	511,597
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, Plant & Equipment	5	19,987	30,144
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		19,987	30,144
TOTAL ASSETS		564,995	541,741
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Payables	6	8,492	7,413
Provisions	7	23,439	26,049
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		31,931	33,462
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Provision		32,569	28,593
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		32,569	28,593
TOTAL LIABILITIES		64,500	62,055
NET ASSETS		500,495	479,686
EQUITY			
Retained Profits		500,495	479,686
TOTAL EQUITY		500,495	479,686

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2025

	2025	2024
	\$	\$
Total equity at the beginning of the financial year	479,686	549,715
Total changes in equity, recognised in the Income Statement	<u>20,809</u>	<u>(70,029)</u>
Total Equity at the end of the financial year	<u><u>500,495</u></u>	<u><u>479,686</u></u>

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CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2025

	Notes	2025 \$	2024 \$
NOTE 1.			
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Receipts			
Donations Received		1,243,765	1,068,076
Fundraising		28,483	78,146
Interest		6,902	5,832
		<u>1,279,150</u>	<u>1,152,054</u>
Payments			
Payments for administration		(388,184)	(452,479)
Transfers to ShelterBox		(860,000)	(760,000)
Increase/(Decrease) Total Liabilities		2,445	13,398
(Increase)/Decrease Current Assets		4,481	(916)
NET CASH INFLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		<u>(1,241,258)</u>	<u>(1,199,997)</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Property, plant and equipment and investments		-	(1,331)
NET CASH OUTFLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		<u>-</u>	<u>(1,331)</u>
CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Borrowing		-	-
Loans		-	-
NET CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Net increase/(decrease) in cash held		37,892	(49,274)
Cash at the beginning of the financial year		453,443	502,717
Cash at the end of the financial year	3	<u>491,335</u>	<u>453,443</u>

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NOTES TO AND FORMING PART OF THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2025

NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

ShelterBox Australia is a Company Limited by Guarantee and incorporated and domiciled in Australia.

ShelterBox Australia is a not-for-profit entity for the purpose of preparing the financial report.

BASIS OF PREPARATION

ShelterBox Australia financial report is a general-purpose financial report that has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards - Simplified Disclosures. This includes compliance with the recognition and measurement requirements of all Australian Accounting Standards, Interpretations and other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board and the disclosure requirements of AASB 1060 General Purpose Financial Statements - Simplified Disclosures for Not-for-Profit Tier 2 Entities.

The financial report of the company was prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards - Simplified Disclosures. The 2022 and prior year financial reports were prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards - Reduced Disclosure Requirements. The transition from the previous financial reporting framework to Australian Accounting Standards - Simplified Disclosures has not affected ShelterBox Australia's reported financial position, financial performance, and cash flows.

Australian Accounting Standards set out accounting policies that the AASB has concluded would result in financial statements containing relevant and reliable information about transactions, events and conditions. Material accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements are presented below and have been consistently applied unless stated otherwise.

The financial statements, except for the cash flow information, have been prepared on an accrual basis and are based on historical costs, modified, where applicable, by the measurement at fair value of selected non-current assets, financial assets and financial liabilities. The amounts presented in the financial statements have been rounded to the nearest dollar.

ACCOUNTING POLICIES

a) Revenue Recognition

Grant Revenues

Grant revenue, donations and bequests are recognised as revenue when received.

Interest Revenue

Interest Revenue is recognised as it accrues using the effective interest rate method, which for floating rate financial assets is the rate inherent in the instrument. All revenue is stated net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST).

b) Property, Plant & Equipment

Each class of property, plant and equipment is carried at cost or fair value, less, where applicable, accumulated depreciation and any impairment losses.

Plant and equipment are measured on the cost basis less depreciation and any impairment losses. The carrying amount of plant and equipment is reviewed annually by directors to ensure it is not in excess of the recoverable amount from these assets. The recoverable amount is assessed on the basis of the expected net cash flows that will be received from the asset's employment and subsequent disposal. The expected net cash flows have been discounted to their present values in determining recoverable amounts. Plant and equipment that have been contributed at no cost, or for nominal cost are valued and recognised at the fair value of the asset at the date it is acquired.

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NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

c) Depreciation and Impairment

Depreciation

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets including buildings and capitalised lease assets, but excluding freehold land, is depreciated on a straight-line basis over the asset's useful life to the entity commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use. Leasehold improvements are depreciated over the shorter of either the unexpired period of the lease or the estimated useful lives of the improvements.

The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable assets are:

Class of fixed asset	Depreciation Rate	Method
Plant and Equipment	25% to 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ %	Diminishing Value
Motor Vehicle	20%	Straight Line

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting period.

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with the carrying amount. These gains or losses are recognised immediately in profit or loss. When revalued assets are sold, amounts included in the revaluation surplus relating to that asset are transferred to retained earnings.

Impairment of Assets

At the end of each reporting period, the entity reviews the carrying values of its tangible and intangible assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have been impaired. If such an indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset, being the higher of the asset's fair value less costs to sell value in use, is compared to the asset's carrying value. Any excess of the asset's carrying value over its recoverable amount is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

Where the future economic benefits of the assets are not primarily dependent upon the asset's ability to generate net cash inflows and when the entity would, if deprived of the asset replace its remaining future economic benefits, value in use is determined as the depreciated replacement cost of an asset.

Where it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of a class of asset, the entity estimated the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

Where an impairment loss on a revalued asset is identified, this is debited against the revaluation surplus in respect of the same class of asset to the extent that the impairment loss does not exceed the amount in the revaluation surplus for that same class of asset.

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NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

d) Employee Entitlements

Provision is made for the company's liability for employee benefits arising from services rendered by employees to the end of the reporting period. Employee benefits that are expected to be settled within one year have been measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liability is settled. Employee benefits payable later than one year have been measured at the present value of the estimated future cash outflows to be made for those benefits. In determining the liability, consideration is given to employee wage increases and the probability that the employee may not satisfy vesting requirements. Those cash outflows are discounted using market yields on national government bonds with terms to maturity that match the expected timing of cash flows attributed to employee benefits.

Contributions are made by the entity to an employee superannuation fund and are charged as expenses when incurred.

e) Cash and Cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, deposits held at-call with banks, other short term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within short-term borrowing in current liabilities on the statement of financial position.

f) Accounts Receivable and Other Debtors

Accounts receivable and other debtors include amounts due from donors and any outstanding grant receipts. Receivables expected to be collected within 12 months of the end of the reporting period are classified as current assets. All other receivables are classified as non-current assets.

g) Goods and Services Tax

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST), except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office. In these circumstances, the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of the expense.

Receivables and payables in the Statement of Financial Position are shown inclusive of GST.

The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the Australian Taxation Office is included in other receivables or payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are included in the statement of cash flows on a gross basis. The GST components of cash flows arising from investing or financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to, the Australian Taxation Office are presented as operating cash flows included in receipts from customers or payments to suppliers.

h) Income Tax

No provision for income tax has been raised as the entity is exempt from income tax under Div. 50 of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997.

i) Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the entity has a legal or constructive obligation, as a result of past events, for which it is probably that an outflow of economic benefits will result and that outflow can be reliably measured. Provisions recognised to represent the best estimate of the amounts required to settle the obligation at the end of the reporting period.

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	2025	2024
	\$	\$
3. CASH		
Cash at Bank - Bendigo Donations	100,172	179,046
Cash at Bank - Card Account	5,300	4,524
Cash at Bank - Cash Reserves Account	99,150	267,654
Cash at Bank - Trading Account	6,547	1,998
Cash at Bank - PayPal	166	221
Cash at Bank - Sandhurst Managed Fund	280,000	-
	491,335	453,443
4. RECEIVABLES		
Prepayments	30,231	25,614
Undeposited Funds	23,442	32,540
	53,673	58,154
5. PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT		
Plant & Equipment	45,292	45,292
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(25,305)	(15,148)
	19,987	30,144
6. PAYABLES- CURRENT		
Trade Creditors	59	2,015
Sundry Creditors	3,333	898
Accrued Expenses	5,100	4,500
	8,492	7,413
7. PROVISIONS - CURRENT		
Annual Leave	23,439	26,049
	23,439	26,049
8. PROVISIONS - NON-CURRENT		
Provision for Long Service Leave	32,569	28,593
	32,569	28,593

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9. ENTITY DETAILS

The registered office of the company is:

ShelterBox Australia
C/o - Rotary Down Under
25/1 Maitland Place
Norwest NSW 2153

The principal place of business of the company is:

Rotary Down Under
25/1 Maitland Place
Norwest NSW 2153

10. ENDORSEMENT FOR CHARITY TAX CONCESSION

On 30th June 2015 the Australian Taxation Office granted ShelterBox Australia as a DGR Deductable Gift Recipient.

11. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

There were no related party transactions during the year.

12. AFFILIATED LICENSE AGREEMENT

An agreement dated 19th July 2016 between Rotary International (RI) at Illinois USA, was entered into with ShelterBox Australia affiliated which allowed ShelterBox Australia to use the design mark 'Rotary' and the Rotary master brand, and other trademarks and logos.

13. AUDITOR'S REMUNERATION

Audit Services	4,800	4,200
Other Services	-	-
Total Remuneration	<u>4,800</u>	<u>4,200</u>

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DIRECTORS' DECLARATION

The directors of the company declare that:

1. The financial statements and notes, as set out on pages 5 to 13 are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001:
 - (a) comply with Accounting Standards - Simplified Disclosures and the Corporations Regulations 2001; and
 - (b) give a true and fair view of the financial position as at 30th June 2025 and of the performance for the year ended on that date of the company;
2. there are reasonable grounds to believe that the company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.

Dated at ShelterBox Australia this 31st day of October 2025.

In accordance with a resolution of the Directors



.....
Robert Walliser
Chairperson



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Shane Burette
Company Secretary

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF SHELTERBOX AUSTRALIA

Report on the Audit of the Financial Report

Opinion

We have audited the financial report of ShelterBox Australia (the Company), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30th June 2025, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies and the directors' declaration.

In our opinion the accompanying financial report of ShelterBox Australia, is in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- (a) Giving a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 30th June 2025, and of its financial performance for the year then ended; and
- (b) Complying with Australian Accounting Standards AASB 1060: *General Purpose Financial Statements - Simplified Disclosures for For-Profit and Not-for-Profit Tier 2 Entities* and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report* section set out under Auditing Standard ASA 700. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We confirm that the independence declaration required by the *Corporations Act 2001*, which has been given to the directors of the Company would be in the same terms if given to the directors as at the time of the auditor's report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the financial report of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial report as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

Other Information

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information contained in the ShelterBox Australia Annual Report (but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon).

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not and will not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

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This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.

Dated at ShelterBox Australia this 31st day of October 2025.

In accordance with a resolution of the Directors



.....
Robert Walliser
Chairperson



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Shane Burette
Company Secretary

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT
TO THE MEMBERS OF
SHELTERBOX AUSTRALIA (Continued)

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Report (continued)

- If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial report or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the registered entity to cease to continue as a going concern
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the disclosures, and whether the financial report represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the directors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

DATED AT SYDNEY
THIS 5TH DAY OF
NOVEMBER 2025

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HARLEY, RUSSELL & DAY
Chartered Accountants

GARRY WILLIAM DAY
Registered Entity Auditor



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ShelterBox Australia is a registered charity and a company limited by guarantee with DGR 1 status and is recognised by the ATO under the Overseas Aid Gift Deduction Scheme (OAGDS).

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