



Annual Report 2025

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Message from the Founder

The year in review presents a period of consolidation and renewed focus for the RS Rainbow Foundation. While financial limitations continued to influence the scale and timing of our activities, the Foundation gained certain momentum in its commitment to provide support for the most vulnerable individuals in Bhutan. Through careful planning and collective effort, prioritised assistance was delivered where needs were most immediate, reinforcing our long-term, people-centred approach.

The Foundation, this year, supported more than 30 individuals through several structured initiatives to provide ongoing assistance rather than short-term relief. These outcomes were made possible through the continued generosity of our Key Member Sponsors and one-off donors. Further, a team of highly dedicated group of voluntary Program and Project Officers working across multiple dzongkhags/districts in the country have helped immensely in identifying the individuals in need. Their contribution of time, trust, and local knowledge remains central to our ability to deliver support effectively. A network of collaboration and coordination working across borders with a shared purpose has helped to build a hope and anticipation for disadvantaged people, especially from rural communities.

Looking ahead, the Foundation remains optimistic yet realistic. As we work to strengthen financial sustainability and operational capacity, our focus remains responsible growth, transparency, and meaningful long-term impacts. With this, I extend my sincere gratitude to all the supporters and invite the public to support and remain updated by following our ongoing works through our official website and Facebook page.

1. About The Foundation

The Foundation is a not-for-profit, non-registered charitable organisation established in 2023 by like-minded individuals based in Perth, Australia, with the objective of supporting underprivileged individuals and communities in Bhutan. Inadequate funds delayed the full commencement of the Foundation till mid-2024, and active engagement and program delivery were operationalised only by 2025.

1.1 Geographic Focus and Beneficiaries

The Foundation's initiatives are focused exclusively on Bhutan and are designed to support disadvantaged students, elderly individuals and vulnerable families and communities. Being in its nascent stage of operation, support prioritisation is based on urgency and need, which may result in phase-wise or delayed delivery for lower-priority initiatives.



Vision

A compassionate and inclusive society in Bhutan where vulnerable individuals are supported with dignity and long-term opportunity.

Mission

To deliver targeted, needs-based support to underprivileged individuals in Bhutan through sustainable initiatives, transparent fund management, and collaboration between overseas coordinators and local volunteer networks.

Core Values

1. **Compassion** – People and dignity first
2. **Integrity** – Ethical and transparent use of funds
3. **Collaboration** – Strong partnerships across borders
4. **Commitment** – Long-term support over short-term relief
5. **Sustainability** – Realistic, lasting impact within available resources

1.2 Legal and Registration Status Disclaimer

The Foundation has not yet met the financial and administrative thresholds required for formal registration as a non-government organisation. Steps toward future registration will be considered as organisational capacity and funding increase. All funds received are managed with full accountability and transparency, and are directed solely toward approved support activities.

2. Governance and Management

The Foundation operates under a centralised governance and management structure with the guidance from the Founder and management team in Perth, Australia, and with a more decentralised program delivery carried out in Bhutan. Strategic oversight, financial management, and decision-making are undertaken by the Management Committee comprising of four core roles: Founder, Co-Founder, Treasurer, and an Executive Committee Member, all based in Perth. On-ground implementation and beneficiary engagement are managed by a group Program and Project Officers within their respective jurisdiction.

In addition, the Foundation is supported by the regular financial contributions from 15 Key Member Sponsors residing in Australia. These people are also consulted on major program decisions, funding priorities, and approvals.

At the local level, Program and Project Officers play a key operational role. Regular meetings are held with these officers to identify beneficiaries, collection of information, review any other risks and opportunities and to monitor project implementation. Progress updates are provided to the Management Committee following each program execution and project delivery.

2.1 Management and Coordination

All charitable activities are coordinated and overseen from overseas, with clear separation between program identification, approval, and delivery. Program and Project Officers located across eight dzongkhags in Bhutan play a critical role in identifying potential beneficiaries, verifying needs, and delivering approved support (see Figure 1). These officers act in a voluntary capacity and work closely with local institutions and communities to ensure accuracy, fairness, and relevance of assistance.

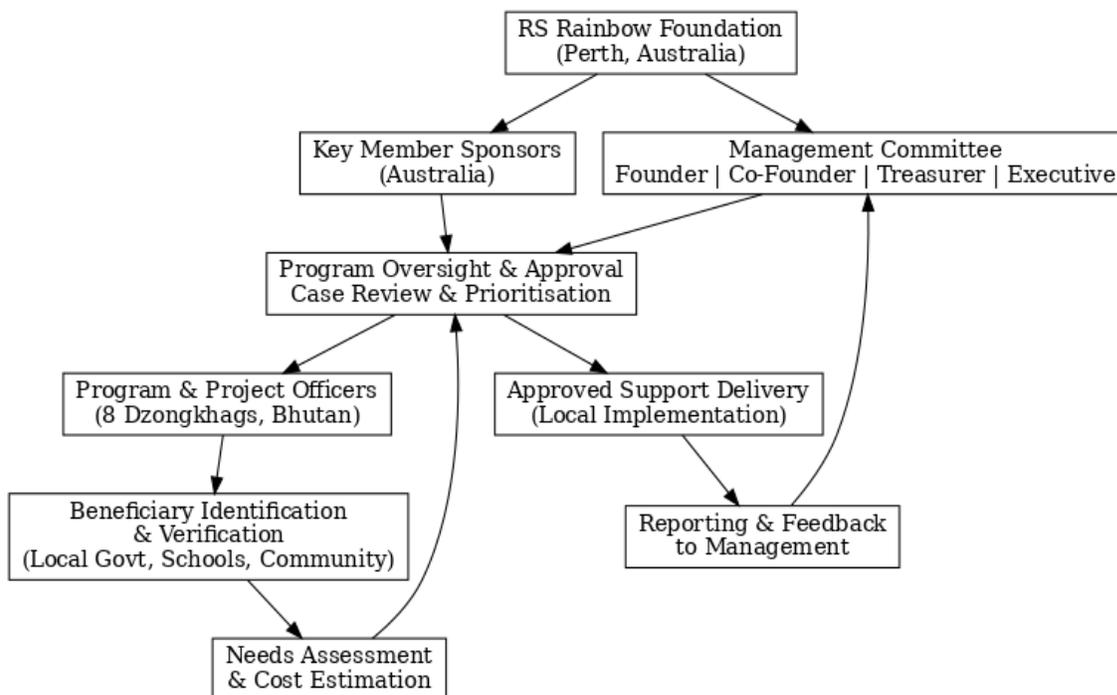


Figure 1 The Foundation – Governance & Program Delivery Framework

2.2 Ethical Conduct, Transparency, and Accountability

The Foundation maintains a zero-tolerance approach to corruption including mismanagement, misuse of funds, or unethical conduct. The Foundation is committed to ensuring transparency and accountability, and undertakes measures to prevent any of the aforementioned corrupt practices. There is continuous check and balance, and financial statements are documented at the end of each year.

All funds are applied solely for approved purposes, and financial decisions are collectively reviewed by the Management Committee to reduce risk and ensure prudent stewardship of donor contributions.

2.3 Conflict of Interest and Volunteer Management

Any actual or perceived conflict of interest is required to be declared and discussed for transparent management. Where relevant, decisions are reviewed to ensure alignment between the Foundation's support priorities and the interests and expectations of its Key Member Sponsors.

Voluntary Program and Project Officers are selected based on local knowledge, integrity, and commitment to community service. Their role extends beyond project delivery to include beneficiary identification, verification support, post-delivery follow-up and mentorship, ensuring continuity and accountability at the local level.

Beneficiary Identification and Approval Process

- ✓ **Identification:** Local Program or Project Officers identify potential beneficiaries within their jurisdiction based on observed need and community referral.
- ✓ **Verification:** The authenticity and circumstances of each potential beneficiary are verified through collaboration with relevant local governments, administrative offices, schools, and community representatives.
- ✓ **Assessment:** Following verification, realistic and itemised cost estimates are prepared to reflect the actual needs of the individual or household.
- ✓ **Review and Approval:** The proposal is submitted to the Management Committee for assessment. Decisions are made following internal discussion and consultation with Key Member Sponsors, considering urgency, priority, and available financial capacity.
- ✓ **Delivery:** Approved support is delivered locally by the respective Program or Project Officer, with oversight from the management team.

3. Strategic Focus Areas

The Foundation operates under a set of clearly defined strategic focus areas that guide program design, funding priorities, and delivery decisions. While the Foundation recognises the breadth of social needs across Bhutan, our approach is to focus first on building capacity and expanding responsibly over time.

At this stage of development, the Foundation prioritises Educational Support and Elderly and Vulnerable Community Support to ensure the effective use of limited resources. As organisational capacity and financial sustainability grows, the Foundation intends to expand support across all the five strategic pillars progressively.

3.1 Primary Focus Areas

3.1.1 Educational Support

Why it matters

Education is a critical pathway out of poverty and vulnerability. However, young school-going orphans, and children from broken families, abandoned without care or living in households experiencing severe financial hardship often struggle to meet basic stationery and uniform needs despite Bhutan's free education system. It is of utmost importance that these children have the opportunity to continued education to enhance their livelihoods.

What the Foundation aims to achieve

The Foundation is committed to providing long-term educational support to the disadvantaged children so that they have the opportunities to become independent. Assistance may include school uniforms, learning materials, basic supplies, and mentoring. The Foundation prioritises

continuity of support over one-off aid, recognising that sustained intervention is essential for meaningful outcomes.

3.1.2 Elderly and Vulnerable Community Support

Why it matters

Many elderly individuals and vulnerable households in rural regions live in dire conditions where basic needs such as food, clothing, and essential supplies are not adequate. Some are abandoned by family members while some do not have any family, and in their advanced age, they have to fend for themselves. Without family support or reliable income, these individuals face heightened risks to dignity, wellbeing, and quality of life.

What the Foundation aims to achieve

The Foundation seeks to assist elderly and vulnerable individuals to live with dignity, security, and confidence. Support may include essential rations, basic household supplies, and needs-based assistance tailored to individual circumstances. Priority is given to cases where immediate intervention can significantly improve daily living conditions and wellbeing.

3.1.3 Secondary Focus Areas (Future Expansion)

As the Foundation becomes more established, it intends to expand support across the following areas:

- **Disability Support** – Targeted assistance to improve inclusion, dignity, and quality of life
- **Spiritual and Wellbeing Support** – Promoting emotional resilience, Buddhist culture, and holistic wellbeing
- **Animal Welfare** – Supporting compassionate and ethical care for vulnerable animals

Guiding Philosophy

The Foundation believes that no individual should be forced to live in conditions that none of us would choose for ourselves. Where we are able to help illuminate a path forward—through education, care, or essential support—we do so with humility and purpose.

This commitment reflects a desire to give back to the community and nation, in gratitude for the free education and healthcare systems provided by the Royal Government of Bhutan. The Foundation's work is aligned with the national vision championed by His Majesty, which places compassion, collective responsibility, and the wellbeing of all citizens at the heart of development, consistent with the principles of Gross National Happiness.

4. Programs and Activities Summary

In 2025, the Foundation delivered a range of needs-based programs and individual assistance initiatives across multiple dzongkhags in Bhutan. While a small number of activities initiated in 2024, most of the program delivery happened this year, highlighting the increased operational focus and improved coordination. A summary of the assistance provided during the year is presented in the Table 1, with further program details outlined in Appendix B.

In accordance with privacy and confidentiality requirements, written consent was obtained from beneficiaries or their respective guardians prior to sharing any information on social media or other public platforms. With consent, number of individual cases supported, detailed case narratives and photographic records are shared on the Foundation's official website and Facebook page.

4.1 Education Support Program

Under this program, we have supported more than 100 students through the following initiatives:

- Provision of school uniforms, sports and casual clothing, stationery, and learning materials
- Monthly provision of essential hygiene support (sanitary pads)
- Coordination with schools and local authorities for verification and project delivery
- Ongoing mentoring and follow-up through Program Officers
- Monitor academic progress and livelihood conditions

4.2 Elderly and Vulnerable Community Support Program

Through this program, RS Rainbow supported an elderly orphan and a vulnerable family, addressing essential needs while ensuring respect and wellbeing among elderly and vulnerable communities. The key activities undertaken include:

- Distribution of essential food rations and basic household supplies
- Other needs prioritised by urgency
- Community-level verification and follow-up
- Monitor livelihood conditions

4.3 Impact and Outcomes

The Foundation measures the reach of its programs by focusing on meaningful change achieved at the individual and household level, rather than the volume of activities delivered. While operating with limited resources, the Foundation has prioritised interventions that result in a more tangible improvements to education continuity, daily living conditions, and overall wellbeing. Table 1 presents a summary of the projects, with further detailed project breakdowns included in Appendix B.

Table 1 Overview of project summary 2024-2025

Program Area	Scope of Activities	Location	Total Assist	Start Date	Frequency	Status
Education support	School supplies, uniforms, sports and casual clothing, pocket money, follow-up, mentoring	Tashigang	2	2025	Bi-annually	Ongoing
		Pemagatshel	149	2024 & 2025	Bi-annually/Annually	Ongoing/Completed
		Tashiyangtse	2	2025	Bi-annually	Ongoing
		Dagana	2	2025	Bi-annually	Ongoing
Hygiene and personal care	Sanitary pad	Zhemgang (school)	30	2025	Monthly	Ongoing
Elderly and vulnerable support	Essential rations, pocket money and basic supplies	Mongar & Tashi Yangtse	2 families	2025	Quarterly/biannually	Ongoing

Beyond numerical outputs, the Foundation observed several positive qualitative outcomes:

- Improved school attendance and continuity
- Reduced immediate hardship for elderly and vulnerable individuals
- Strengthened community trust
- Improved livelihood security and overall mental wellbeing
- Increased confidence and dignity among beneficiaries

These outcomes reflect the Foundation's emphasis on depth of support rather than breadth, ensuring that assistance provided leads to meaningful and lasting change.

5. Financial Overview

The Foundation is committed to transparency, responsible financial management, and prudent use of donated funds. During the reporting period, the Foundation operated on a modest financial base, with all funds directed toward needs-based assistance and essential program delivery (Table 2). Financial decisions were made conservatively, with priority given to direct beneficiary support. A detailed breakdown of all collections and expenses incurred to date is presented in Appendix A and Appendix B.

Table 2 Summary of funds collected, expenditures, and available balance (2023–2025)

Year	Collection (AUD)	Expense (AUD)	Available (AUD)	Available (BTN)*
2023	807	0	807	46,806
2024	3,316.5	2,127	1,189.5	68,991
2025	6,932	2,671	4,261	247,138
Total	11,056	4,798	6,258	362,935

*Figures are based on an assumed exchange rate of 1 AUD = 58 BTN, subject to variation at the time of currency conversion

5.1 Income Summary

The Foundation's income during the reporting period was derived primarily from voluntary contributions, with no external grants or commercial fundraising activities undertaken. A summary of total income for the reporting period is presented in Table 3 below and a detailed record in Appendix A

Key Funding Sources

- Monthly contributions from Key Member Sponsors based in Australia
- Occasional one-off donations from individual supporters

The Foundation does not receive government funding and operates without paid staff/members.

Table 3 Total funds collected during the period 2023–2025

Description	Year	Collection (AUD)	Collection (BTN)*
Members Donation	2023-2024	3,107	180,206
One-off Donation	2023-2024	1,017	58,986
Members Donation	2025	5,900	342,200
One-off Donation	2025	1,032	59,856
Total		11,056	641,248

*Figures are based on an assumed exchange rate of 1 AUD = 58 BTN, subject to variation at the time of currency conversion

5.2 Expenditure Summary

Expenditure during the year focused predominantly on direct program support, aligned with the Foundation's strategic priorities. A summary of total expenditure by category is presented in Table 4 below and a detailed record in Appendix B

Program Costs:

- Educational supplies (uniforms, stationery, learning materials, etc)
- Essential food rations and basic household supplies
- Needs-based assistance for vulnerable individuals

Logistics and Delivery Costs:

- Transportation and local coordination expenses associated with program delivery

Administrative Costs:

- Website development and hosting
- Administrative and overhead costs (kept to a minimum to ensure donor contributions translated into tangible outcomes).

The Foundation does not incur salary expenses, as all management and delivery roles are undertaken on a voluntary basis.

Table 4 Total expenditure incurred 2023 to date

Description	Year	Expenses (AUD)	Expenses (BTN)
Education Support	2023-2025	3,576	207,408
Hygiene care	2025	126	7,308
Elderly and vulnerable support	2025	174	10,092
Admin	2024	922	53,476
Total		4,798	278,284

*Figures are based on an assumed exchange rate of 1 AUD = 58 BTN, subject to variation at the time of currency conversion

5.3 Financial Oversight and Controls

Financial oversight is provided by the Treasurer, with expenditure decisions reviewed and approved by the Management Committee in accordance with the Foundation’s governance framework. All disbursements are linked to approved cases and documented for accountability and reporting purposes.

5.4 Financial Limitations and Outlook

Due to limited financial resources, not all identified cases could be supported immediately. Assistance was therefore prioritised based on urgency, need, and available funds. As the Foundation’s supporter base grows, it aims to strengthen financial sustainability, expand program reach responsibly, and enhance financial reporting practices over time.

Treasurer’s Statement

RS Rainbow Foundation confirms that funds received during the reporting period were managed responsibly and applied solely for approved charitable purposes. Financial records have been maintained with due care, and expenditure reflects Foundation’s commitment to transparency, accountability, and prudent financial stewardship.

6. Donors, Partners, and Supporters

The Foundation’s work is made possible through the collective generosity, trust, and commitment of individuals and volunteers who share a common belief in compassion, responsibility, and community service. The Foundation is deeply grateful to all those who have contributed their time, resources, and support during the reporting period.

6.1 Donors and Key Member Sponsors

The Foundation’s activities are funded primarily through monthly contributions from key member sponsors based in Australia, complemented by occasional one-off donations from individual supporters (see Table 5). These contributions form the financial backbone of the Foundation and enable the delivery of needs-based assistance across Bhutan.



In recognition of privacy and personal preferences, donors are acknowledged only with consent. The Foundation extends its sincere appreciation to all donors—named and unnamed—whose generosity has directly supported underprivileged students, elderly individuals, and vulnerable communities.

Table 5 Current and Former Member Sponsors

Name	Start Date	End Date	Country of Residence
Current Member Sponsors			
Jamphel Jamphel	2024	-	Australia
Karma Choki	2025	-	
Karma Dorji	2025	-	
Kelzang Tshering	2025	-	
Kencho Nima	2025	-	
Kinga Dendhup	2025	-	
Kinley Namgay	2025	-	
Kuenzang Wangmo	2025	-	
Namgyel Dorji	2025	-	
Sherab Tshering	2025	-	
Tandin Lhamo	2025	-	
Tashi Dema	2025	-	
Tashi Tobgay	2025	-	
Thinley Dorji	2025	-	
Tsheltrim Phuntsho	2024	-	
Tshering Wangmo	2025	-	
Previous Member Sponsors			
Jigme Choden	Aug-23	Dec-23	Australia
Kinley Choki	Aug-25	Sep-25	
Rinchen Wangchuk	Oct-24	Nov-24	
Sangay Dhendup	Oct-24	Feb-25	
Shareb Gyeltshen	Dec-24	Dec-24	
Silas Hick	Dec-23	Dec-23	
Sonam Chime	Nov-24	Nov-24	
Sonam Choden & Jigme	Aug-23	Oct-23	
Sonam Dorji	45597	45689	
Sonam Lhendup	45139	45200	
Sonam Phuntsho	Aug-23	Oct-23	
Tshering Yangki	Oct-24	Dec-24	
Tshewang Choden	May-24	Aug-24	

Name	Start Date	End Date	Country of Residence
Tshewang Dema	Aug-23	Nov-24	
Ugyen Wangdi	Aug-23	Aug-23	

6.2 Partners and Community Collaborators

The Foundation works closely with local community stakeholders in Bhutan to ensure responsible, transparent, and effective program delivery. These collaborations include:

- Local government administrative offices
- Schools and educational institutions
- Community leaders and representatives

Such partnerships play a critical role in beneficiary identification, verification, and follow-up, helping to ensure that assistance reaches those most in need.

6.3 Volunteers and Program Officers

A dedicated network of long-term committed members serves as the engine of the Foundation. This network comprises voluntary Program and Project Officers operating across multiple dzongkhags in Bhutan, as well as volunteers based in Australia who support coordination and oversight functions (see Table 6). Their commitment, local knowledge, and voluntary service are central to the Foundation’s ability to operate effectively and ethically, with minimal administrative overhead.

The Foundation acknowledges and thanks all the members for their time, integrity, and continued service.

Table 6 The Foundation’s Core Volunteer Members

Name	Position	Jurisdiction	Country of Residence
Jamphel Jamphel	Founder	All	Australia
Tsheltrim Phuntsho	Co-founder	All	Australia
Kuenzang Wangmo	Treasurer	All	Australia
Kelzang Wangmo	Executive	All	Australia
Ngawang Jordan	Chief Program Officer	Pemagatshel, S/Jongkhar	Bhutan
Phuntsho Dorji	Vice Chief	Trashigang	Bhutan
Pema Wangchuck	Program/project Officer	Dagana	Bhutan
Pema Dorji	Program/project Officer	Tashigang, Tashi Yangtse	Bhutan
Tshering Nidup	Program/project Officer	Mongar	Bhutan
Ram Bhattarai	Program/project Officer	Thimphu	Bhutan
Ugyen Tshomo	Program/project Officer	Chukha	Bhutan
Choney Dorji	Program/project Officer	Pemagatshel	Bhutan
Sabitra Matara	Program/project Officer	Zhemgang	Bhutan
Phuntsho Dorji	Project Coordinator	Dagana	Bhutan
Rinchen Choden	Program/project Officer	Pemagatshel	Bhutan

7. Compliance and Accountability

The Foundation is committed to responsible governance, transparency, and ethical management of all funds and activities. Although the Foundation is currently operating as a non-registered charitable initiative, it adheres to sound governance and accountability practices consistent with recognised charity and not-for-profit standards.

7.1 Use of Funds and Financial Controls

All projects and assistance initiatives are subject to a structured approval and budgeting process. Once a project is approved by the Management Committee, a budget is finalised based on a detailed review of needs and realistic cost estimates.

To minimise the risk of fund mismanagement, cash assistance is not provided directly to beneficiaries. Instead, approved funds are transferred to the respective Program or Project Officer, who is responsible for purchasing the required goods or materials and delivering them directly to the beneficiary. This approach ensures that funds are used strictly for their intended purpose.

7.2 Procurement, Documentation, and Record Keeping

For every approved purchase:

- Receipts and invoices are mandatory
- Supporting documentation is submitted to the Treasurer
- All financial records are securely stored in the Foundation's official cloud-based record management system

These records are retained to support transparency, internal review, and future audit or regulatory requirements.

7.3 Budget Oversight and Review

The Treasurer is responsible for maintaining oversight of all budgets, expenditures, and financial records. Financial updates are reviewed regularly, and management meetings are held at least every few months to monitor spending, review program progress, and ensure alignment with approved budgets and priorities.

7.4 Application and Verification Process

To ensure legitimacy and transparency, individuals seeking assistance are required to submit a formal written application. This provides a documented basis for assessment, verification, and decision-making. Applications are reviewed in conjunction with verification conducted by local Program and Project Officers in collaboration with relevant community and institutional stakeholders.

7.5 Donor and Sponsor Accountability

The Foundation maintains regular communication with its Key Member Sponsors, providing updates on proposed initiatives, approved projects, and completed activities. This ensures donors remain informed about how their contributions are utilised and reinforces mutual trust and accountability.

7.6 Challenges and Lessons Learned

The Foundation recognises that operating a growing, volunteer-led charitable initiative presents both opportunities and challenges. The year in review provided valuable learning experiences that have informed improvements to governance, planning, and delivery approaches.

7.7 Challenges

7.7.1 Limited Financial Resources

The most significant challenge during the year was limited funding. The Foundation relies primarily on monthly contributions from a small group of Key Member Sponsors, supplemented by occasional one-off donations. This funding structure constrained the number of cases that could be supported at any given time. In addition, the absence of permanent Key Member Sponsors adversely affected budget forecasting and the Foundation's overall financial stability. As a result, some identified needs could not be addressed immediately.

7.7.2 Balancing Demand with Capacity

The number of verified assistance requests exceeded the Foundation's financial capacity. This required careful prioritisation and resulted in delayed delivery for lower-priority cases.

7.7.3 Regulatory and Operational Capacity Constraints

As a volunteer-led start-up organisation, the Foundation could not fully meet all regulatory and administrative criteria applicable in Bhutan and Australia during the reporting period. This was primarily due to limited financial capacity, which restricted the establishment of permanent administrative staffing and a dedicated office structure.

7.7.4 Administrative and Communications Constraints

Due to the absence of dedicated administrative staff, the Foundation faced challenges in managing website updates, correspondence, social media engagement, and fundraising activities. Operating as a volunteer-led organisation, these functions were managed on a limited basis, resulting in delays in updating certain information that requires regular and ongoing maintenance.

7.7.5 Volunteer-Led Operations

The Foundation is operated entirely by volunteers—from the Founder and Management Committee to Program and Project Officers on the ground. All volunteers maintain full-time professional or personal commitments and contribute their time to the Foundation alongside these responsibilities. Coordinating activities around varying availability required flexibility and occasionally affected delivery timelines.

Despite these challenges, volunteers consistently demonstrated exceptional commitment, often sacrificing personal time to ensure projects were delivered responsibly and with care. This dedication remains ongoing and is central to the Foundation's ability to operate with minimal administrative costs.

7.7.6 Cross-Border Coordination

Managing governance, approvals, and financial oversight from overseas while delivering programs locally required additional coordination across time zones and locations, occasionally affecting response times.

7.8 What Did Not Go as Planned

- Some projects were delayed or delivered in phases due to funding and time constraints.
- Not all identified beneficiaries could be supported within the reporting period.
- Expansion into secondary focus areas progressed more slowly than initially anticipated.

These outcomes reinforced the importance of aligning delivery expectations with available resources and volunteer capacity.

7.9 Lessons Learned

- **Focused prioritisation improves impact:** Concentrating on core programs enabled deeper and more meaningful support.
- **Volunteer commitment is a strength:** A dedicated volunteer network can deliver high-quality outcomes when supported by clear processes and realistic timelines.
- **Clear systems build resilience:** Formalised approval, documentation, and verification processes improved efficiency and accountability.
- **Communication sustains trust:** Regular updates to Key Member Sponsors helped maintain confidence during periods of delayed delivery.

8. Future and Outlook

The Foundation's immediate focus is to consolidate and strengthen its core programs, particularly long-term educational support and assistance for elderly and vulnerable individuals, while ensuring continuity of existing commitments. In the coming year, the Foundation will actively seek to expand its Key Member Sponsor base to improve financial sustainability and program delivery capacity.

As the Foundation builds a portfolio of successfully delivered projects, it aims to strengthen donor confidence, engage larger sponsors, and collaborate with a wider range of community partners to support sustainable revenue generation. The Foundation also intends to introduce structured fundraising campaigns, enhance engagement with Bhutanese communities, and explore vendor-supported initiatives as organisational trust and capacity continue to grow.

Over time, the Foundation aspires to progressively expand its geographic reach across all 20 dzongkhags of Bhutan, enabling the delivery of a greater number of projects and support to more individuals and communities. In parallel, the Foundation remains committed to achieving formal recognition and registration as a charitable organisation in both Bhutan and Australia, subject to the availability of sufficient and sustainable funding.

To improve operational efficiency and reduce pressure on volunteers, the Foundation plans—subject to financial capacity—to engage one to two paid part-time administrative staff to support essential coordination, documentation, and other administrative activities. Central to all future



objectives is a zero-tolerance approach to the mismanagement of funds, underpinned by strong financial accountability, transparency, and ethical governance. The Foundation is committed to maintaining the highest standards of credibility and integrity, ensuring all resources are managed responsibly and in the best interests of beneficiaries and stakeholders.

9. Thank You and Closing Note

The Foundation extends its sincere appreciation to all donors, volunteers, partners, and supporters who have contributed their time, resources, and trust throughout the year. Every contribution—whether financial, voluntary, or advisory—has made a meaningful difference in supporting underprivileged individuals and communities across Bhutan.

As a volunteer-led organisation, our work is driven by collective effort and shared values. We invite continued support through monthly sponsorships, one-off donations, volunteering, and community collaboration. With sustained support, we can expand our reach, strengthen long-term impact, and assist more individuals and families in need across all regions of Bhutan.

To learn more about our programs, follow ongoing activities, or explore ways to get involved, please connect with us through our official channels:

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With gratitude,

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Founders

RS Rainbow Foundation

Appendix A

Summary of Funds Collected

Monthly membership collection 2023-2025

Name	2023			2023 Total	2024							2024 Total
	Aug	Oct	Dec		May	Jun	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
Active Members												
Jamphel J	50	50	50	150	50	50	50	50	50	50		300
Karma Choki	-	-	-	-	50	50	50	50	50	50		300
Karma Dorji	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	50	50	150
Kelzang Wangmo	Nu.1600 (or A\$28)	Nu.1600 (or A\$28)	-	56	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kencho Nima	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kezang Tshering	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kinga Dhendup	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	50	-	100
Kuenzang Wangmo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Namgay Dorji	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sherab Tshering	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	50	50	150
Tandin Lhamo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tashi Dema	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tashi Tobgay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	50	50	150
Thinley Dorji	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tshering Wangmo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tshiltrim Phuntsho	30	30	30	90	50	50	50	50	50		50	300
Former Members												
Jigme Choden	40	40	35	115	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kinley Choki	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rinchen Wangchuk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	50	-	100
Sangay Dhendup	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	50	50	150
Sherab Gyeltshen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	50
Silas Hick	-	-	50	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sonam Choden & Jigme	50	50	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sonam Dorji	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	50
Sonam Lhendup	30	30	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sonam Phuntsho	50	50	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tshering Yangki	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	50	50	150
Tshewang Choden	-	-	-	-	50	-	100	-	-	-	-	150
Tshewang Dema	Nu.1600 (or A\$28)	Nu.1600 (or A\$28)	-	56	-	-	-	-	50	50	-	100
Ugyen Wangdi	30	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ugyen Wangmo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	100
Grand Total	336	306	165	807	100	50	150	50	400	500	300	2300

Name	2025												2025 Total	Grand Total
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
Active Members														
Jamphel J	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	600	1050
Karma Choki	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	600	900
Karma Dorji	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	600	750
Kelzang Wangmo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56
Kencho Nima	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	50	50	50	50	-	250	250
Kezang Tshering	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	50	100	100
Kinga Dhendup	-	-	-	-	50	-	-	-	50	50	100	50	300	400
Kuenzang Wangmo	-	-	-	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	450	450
Namgay Dorji	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	50	50
Sherab Tshering	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	600	750
Tandin Lhamo	-	-	-	-	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	400	400
Tashi Dema	-	-	-	-	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	-	350	350
Tashi Tobgay	50	50	50	50	-	50	50	-	-	50	50	50	450	600
Thinley Dorji	-	-	-	50	-	-	50	-	-	50	50	-	200	200
Tshering Wangmo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	50	50	150	150
Tshiltrim Phuntsho	-	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	550	940
Former Members														
Jigme Choden	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	115
Kinley Choki	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	50	-	-	-	100	100
Rinchen Wangchuk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100
Sangay Dhendup	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	250
Sherab Gyeltshen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50
Silas Hick	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50
Sonam Choden & Jigme	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100
Sonam Dorji	-	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	100
Sonam Lhendup	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60
Sonam Phuntsho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100
Tshering Yangki	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	150
Tshewang Choden	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	150
Tshewang Dema	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	156
Ugyen Wangdi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Ugyen Wangmo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100
Grand Total	250	400	350	400	450	450	550	500	550	650	800	550	5900	9007

One-off donation collection for 2024

Name	Date	AUD	BTN
Harrison Paul	09/05/2024	50	
Jigme Jamtsho	30/05/2024	100	
Karma Dorji	22/09/2024	100	
kencho Nima	24/05/2024	50	
Kezang Wangmo	24/05/2024		3000
Kinga Dhendup	08/05/2024	50	
Kinley Gyeltshen	11/05/2024	50	
Rada Wangmo	24/05/2024		500
Rinchen Choden	24/05/2024		1000
Sherab Tshering	08/05/2024	50	
Sonam Dorji	14/05/2024	105	
Sonam Phuntsho	11/05/2024	101	
Sonam Yangchen	24/05/2024		1500
Tashi Tobgay	24/05/2024	50	
Tenzin Norbu	24/05/2024		2000
Thinley Dorji	09/05/2024	50	
Tshering wangchuk	11/05/2024	56	
Wangchen	24/05/2024		1000
Yangka Tashi	10/05/2024	50	
Total		862	9000

One-off donation collection for 2025

Name	Date	AUD	BTN
Chencho Namgyel	10/06/2025	21	
Derrick Chan	7/08/2025	50	
Dorji Gyeltshen	11/06/2025		3500
Jigme Norbu	6/06/2025	50	
Namgay Dorji	24/06/2025	30	
Palden	22/06/2025	50	
Phuntsho Choden	8/06/2025	30	
Rinchen Wangchuk	05/06/2025	50	
Singay Wangchuk	16/06/2025	50	
Sonam Choki	7/06/2025		5000
Sonam Dhargyel	15/06/2025	55	
Sonam Dorji	6/06/2025	100	
Sonam Lhendup	19/06/2025	50	
Sonam Lhuendup	28/06/2025	50	
Sonam Yangchen	11/06/ 2025	100	
Sonam Yoezer	10/07/2025	100	
Tandin Lhamo	15/06/2025		1100
Ugyen Norbu	15/06/2025	50	
Yeshi Jamtsho	10/06/2025	30	
Total		866	9600

Appendix B

**Detailed Summary of Projects and
Associated Expenses**



Project Summary and Associated Expenses 2024-2025

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Name	Project Category	Assist type	Item Description	Delivery date	Status	Location	Dzongkhag	Cost (Aud)	Cost (BTN)
Beneficiary 01	Educational Support	Individual	Clothing, school supplies, and financial assistance	Jun-25	Ongoing	Daga Central School	Dagana	185	10,730
Beneficiary 02						Daga Central School	Dagana	36	2,088
Beneficiary 03						Gonpasingma Lower Secondary School	Pemagatshel	175	10,150
Beneficiary 04						Gonpasingma Lower Secondary School	Pemagatshel	175	10,150
Beneficiary 05						Nganglam Central School	Pemagatshel	190	11,020
Beneficiary 06						Nganglam Central School	Pemagatshel	80	4,640
Beneficiary 07						Tokaphui Primary School	Trashiyangste	80	4,640
Beneficiary 08						Gongthung Middle Secondary School	Trashigang	130	7,540
Beneficiary 09						Jigme Sherubling Central School	Trashigang	99	5,742
Beneficiary 10	Elderly Support	Individual	Basic food rations and household necessities	Jun-25	Ongoing	Mudungkhar village	Mongar	52	3,016
Beneficiary 11	Basic Support	Family	Basic food rations and household necessities	Jun-25	Ongoing	Tongzhang village	Trashiyangste	122	7,076
Beneficiary 12	Basic Support	Group	Sanitary pads	Nov-25	Ongoing	Shingkar Primary School	Zhemgang	126	7,308
Beneficiary 13	Educational Support	Group	School supplies, uniforms, and casual clothing	Jul-25	Ongoing	Tsatsi Primary School	Pemagatshel	1,221	70,818
Beneficiary 14	Educational Support	Group	School uniforms (sports component)	Aug-24	Completed	Tsatsi Primary School	Pemagatshel	1,205	69,890
Website	Admin	-	Website Development and host	Nov-24	Completed	Australia		922	53,476
Total								4,798	278,284

Note: Recipient names have been withheld to protect privacy and confidentiality.