

### **Association of Lighthouse Keepers**

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Registered charity: 1089142

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#### Dear Member

In common with many other charities, the Association of Lighthouse Keepers is keen to maximise its income and we can do this though Gift Aid with your help. Gift Aid is a scheme designed to encourage individuals to donate money to a registered charity by allowing such UK charities to claim back the basic rate tax already paid by individuals on such gifts.

Gift Aid applies only to donations of money (which includes membership subscriptions) and such donations must be supported by a valid 'Gift Aid Declaration' which confirms that:

- 1. You have paid or will pay at least as much UK tax (for the tax year in which you donate) as the amount we will reclaim on your donation(s)
- 2. You want us to claim tax back for the donations specified

Donations are gifts of money and in the case of the ALK may be given in GB Pounds by means of Cash; Cheque; Standing order or Direct Transfer.

In reality the ALK is able to increase your donations by 28p/25p for every £1 you donate, so it would be very much appreciated if you are able to complete the declaration overleaf, and then forward to me. As your Treasurer, I will then make the claim on behalf of the charity.

If you are not able to Gift Aid your subscription to the ALK, please still complete the form and return to me, ticking the declaration near the bottom of the form and we will update our records accordingly.

Many thanks

Hon. Treasurer

Fiona Harrison



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### Gift Aid declaration - for past, present & future donations

Name of charity or Community Amateur Sports Club:-

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Please treat as Gift	Aid donations all qualifying gif	ts of money made	
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If you are unable to	sign this declaration or do not	wish to Gift Aid your donations ple	ase tick this
box. We will then update our records and not bother you again.			
Please notify the ALK	Hon Treasurer if you:		
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- No longer pay sufficient tax on your income and/or capital gains.
- If you pay Income Tax at the higher or additional rate and want to receive the additional tax relief due to you, you must include all your Gift Aid donations on your Self Assessment tax return or ask HM Revenue and Customs to adjust your tax code.

Please send your completed declaration to:-Fiona Harrison, Hon Treasurer ALK, Unit 3, Pixel Mill, 44 Appleby Road, Kendal, Cumbria LA9 6ES