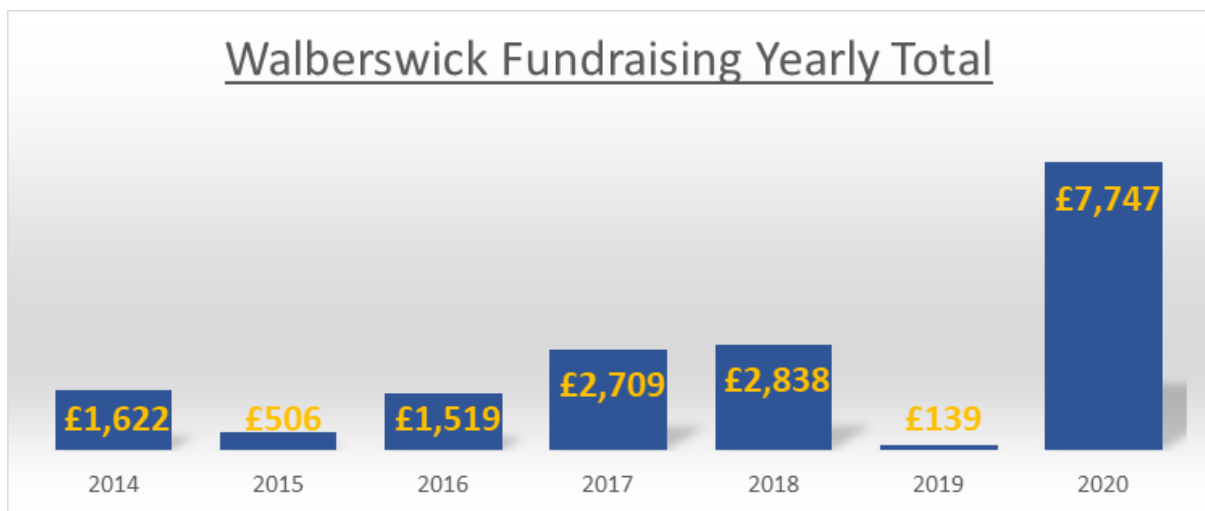


The RNLI provides a 24-hour search and rescue service around the UK and Ireland up to 100 nautical miles offshore. It has 238 operational lifeboat stations, 458 lifeboats (including relief fleet) and employs 1500 lifeguards covering 240 beaches around the coastline. In 2020 lifeboats were launched 8,239 times, aided 8,374 people of which 239 lives were saved.

After many years as Treasurer on the committee Robin Buncombe decided it was time to stand down from this role although happily has agreed to remain on the committee. We would like to sincerely thank Robin for his excellent management of our finances in recent years

The Walberswick fundraising branch in 2020 had its best year yet despite the pandemic due to the amazingly supported online auction we ran in November 2020.



In 2021 we have raised so far over £3000 mainly due to the successful and much enjoyed Mayday Treasure Hunt and plan for another online auction later in the year.

The support from our village is outstanding and hugely appreciated by the Walberswick RNLI Fundraising Team

As at September 2021 the committee comprises: Jon Winyard (Chair), Karen Lewis (Honorary Treasurer), Robin Buncombe, Hannah & Lee Sutton, Chris Hosea.

We are looking to recruit new members who feel they can give some time and energy to our future fundraising events and any of the committee would be happy to discuss what's involved in more detail if you are interested – please do get in touch or contact Jon on 07865659510