



Student Activities Committee

This meeting was held on 23rd of February at 1:00pm on Microsoft Teams.

1. Welcome and Apologies

Invited C. Fieldhouse (LTSU VP, Chair), M. Halliday (Treasurer and first captain) M. Slavov (VP ISoc) N. Barker (secretary to SAC), K. Simpson (VP Men's Football), H. Tombling (VP Badminton), L. Ramshaw (Treasurer Dance/Social Sec CathSoc) J. Randall (Treasurer RATTs/Chair Gaming), [REDACTED]
Present C. Fieldhouse (LTSU VP, Chair), M. Halliday (Treasurer and first captain), N. Barker (secretary to SAC), J. Randall (Treasurer RATTs/ Chair Gaming), K. Simpson (VP Men's Football), H. Tombling (VP Badminton), L. Ramshaw (Treasurer Dance/Social Sec CathSoc)
Apologies M. Slavov (VP ISOC)
Not in Attendance [REDACTED]

2. Applications for the Student Activities Committee funding

CF asks if [REDACTED] from Dance committee will be attending today to support the application with the committee.

[REDACTED]

CF asks LR if she would like to start the discussion and provide an overview to the application as LR is unable to vote. LR agrees.

LR – States that travel was in place but then complications and a mix up meant that it has fallen through.

Dance are concerned that if they pay the travel out of their upcoming budget then they would not be able to afford activity next year.

KS – How much money do you intend to make next year?

LR – Next year we are intending to raise memberships to make more money

KS – What membership numbers are you on?

LR – 13 in the comp team, and unsure how many are on the social team

CF – Question from Martin

How much do they intent to approximately spend by the end of this academic year? Will it deplete their funds entirely?

LR – We still have reimbursements to be made and part of the competition entry money.

MH – How much roughly do you think will come out of your funds? How much are comp entries?

LR - £25 per dancer and we have 13 dancers attending

KS – Do memberships not count towards the cost of entry per dancer?

LR – Yes they do, but we still have to pay some money per dancer

CF – Dance has already had money for costumes, was the travel budgeted for at the start of the year? Where is the money from your initial travel budgets?

LR – We did make a budget for what was told to us as the cost of travel, but the price we have now received is higher and we cannot afford to give money to next year if we spend it on travel

CF – Another question from Martin is

Is there not a cheaper alternative?

LR – The only other alternative is National express which leaves at 2AM. With a full days of dances this would be a lot.

MH – Do you have any drivers in your club who could help with transport?

LR – We only have one member who drives

CF – Any more questions?

No member comments

CF – Okay so who votes in favour? Who votes against?

MH – I think they should get a partial funding of half. They have a lot of money in their account already as I don't think the full grant is a good idea.

JR – I agree with half

HT - How much is half?

CF – Half is £175

HT – I agree with half

CF – Okay so who votes half?

3 votes for, 2 votes against (*but conversation continues*)

KS – I think they needs to look for ways to get additional funds. Ending a year on £2000 is a lot, to then still rely on SAC Grant. My vote is still no

CF –MS has voted no

H – I have changed my mind, I do not think they should get it at all they have a lot of money in their account.

CF – Can we have a decision from everyone on the final votes on dance receiving the SAC grant

3 Votes for No funding (MS, KS, HT)

2 Votes for Partial Funding of £175 (MS, JR)

CF – That is decided, Dance will not receive a grant towards their application.

3. Any Other Business

CF - Is there any other business anyone wants to raise?

No business raised

CF – Thank you for attending this meeting you are all welcome to leave the call.

Meeting is closed.