



## **Student Activities Committee**

**A meeting of the committee will be held on 19<sup>th</sup> of March at 12 pm on Microsoft Teams.**

### **AGENDA**

**1. Welcome and apologies**

**2. Matters arising**

To receive information of any matters of urgency within the activities area of LTSU.

**3. Applications for the Student Activities Committee funding**

To discuss the received applications and decide on their approval/refusal and quantity.

**4. Membership numbers**

To receive an update on total club members, total society members, and BUCS update.

**5. Applications for new Clubs and Societies**

To receive incoming applications and decide on their approval/refusal.

**5.1 Adoptions of previous clubs and societies**

To receive an update on adopted clubs and societies.

**6. LTSU Awards Evening**

To discuss last weeks LTSU Annual Awards Evening.

To receive feedback on the awards process from start to finish.

**7. Sustainability**

To discuss how Clubs and Societies remit can become more sustainable in terms of Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion.

**8. Communications**

To discuss the effectiveness of communication within activities department.

**9. Any Other Business**

## Item A: Membership numbers update

October

This is through MSL, so memberships.

Club Members: 343

Society Members: 144

Student Group Members: 456

Most popular societies (in order): Islamic Society, The Gaming and Esports Society, RATTs

Most popular clubs (in order): Football (Men), Netball, Dance

November

This is through MSL, so memberships.

Club Members: 355 (3.5%↑)

Society Members: 150 (4.2%↑)

Student Group Members: 474 (3.9%↑)

Most popular societies (in order): Islamic Society, The Gaming and Esports Society, RATTs

Most popular clubs (in order): Football (Men), Netball, Cheerleading

November

This is through MSL, so memberships.

Club Members: 364 (2.5%↑)

Society Members: 162 (8%↑)

Student Group Members: 495 (4.4%↑)

Most popular societies (in order): Islamic Society, The Gaming and Esports Society, RATTs

Most popular clubs (in order): Football (Men), Netball, Cheerleading

December

This is through MSL, so memberships.

Club Members: 366 (0.5%↑)

Society Members: 169 (4.3%↑)

Student Group Members: 504 (1.8%↑)

Most popular societies (in order): Islamic Society, The Gaming and Esports Society, RATTs

Most popular clubs (in order): Football (Men), Netball, Cheerleading

January

This is through MSL, so memberships.

Club Members: 378 (3.3%↑)

Society Members: 172 (1.8%↑)

Student Group Members: 517 (2.6%↑)

Most popular societies (in order): Islamic Society, The Gaming and Esports Society, RATTs

Most popular clubs (in order): Football (Men), Netball, Cheerleading

January

This is through MSL, so memberships.

Club Members: 380 (0.5%↑)

Society Members: 177 (2.9%↑)

Student Group Members: 521 (0.7%↑)

Most popular societies (in order): Islamic Society, The Gaming and Esports Society, RATTs

Most popular clubs (in order): Football (Men), Netball, Cheerleading

January

This is through MSL, so memberships.

Club Members: 380 (0%→)

Society Members: 184 (4%↑)

Student Group Members: 527 (1.2%↑)

Most popular societies (in order): Islamic Society, The Gaming and Esports Society, RATTs

Most popular clubs (in order): Football (Men), Netball, Cheerleading

February

This is through MSL, so memberships.

Club Members: 380 (0%→)

Society Members: 187 (1.6%↑)

Student Group Members: 530 (0.6%↑)

Most popular societies (in order): Islamic Society, The Gaming and Esports Society, RATTs

Most popular clubs (in order): Football (Men), Netball, Cheerleading

### Item B: New Club/Society Application: Book Society

Hi Caitlin,

The Book Society has come through the Give It A Go event today.

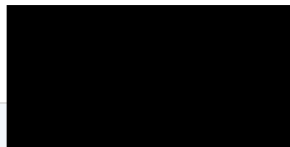
The membership fee of £20.00 will cover books and activities and for members go to books fairs/festivals. They want to be able to provide books for students to borrow and have monthly meetings to discuss books.

Lexi wants to find everyone's interest at the start of the month before the committee selects the books they read. Joseph (Library) and I suggested to do monthly book club meetings or read chapters weekly to make sure students don't feel pressured during stressful times at university. They will host bi-monthly events and activities as well.

An added objective – UN17 goals buying pre-loved books from charity shops. These students are extremely keen and happy to chat if you have any questions.

Best wishes, Mia

**Your Name**



**Your Student ID**

**Proposed name or the Club/Society:** Book Soc

**What category is your club/society?** Recreational

**Please provide a minimum of two overall aims for the society (these is the long term purpose and core values of your club/society)**

- to promote and encourage a love for reading and sharing experiences with books
- to increase socialisation around the topic of books

**Please provide a minimum of two objectives for the society (These are short term goals that you want to achieve)**

- to reach 30 interested people at freshers
- to have a strong committee who stay on track and reach out for extra engagement

**How much do you think you should charge for membership?(this is not set, we just want to get an idea of your thoughts)** £20

**How are you going to try and get other students interested in your club/society?**

- through the library
- [redacted] is aware of different clubs and socs and has good uni links

**Please tell us about the activities, events or trips you would like to run as a society?**

- bi monthly reads
- date with a book
- pre loved book show case

**President/Chairman Name**

**President/Chairman Student ID**

**Treasurer Name**

**Treasurer Student ID**

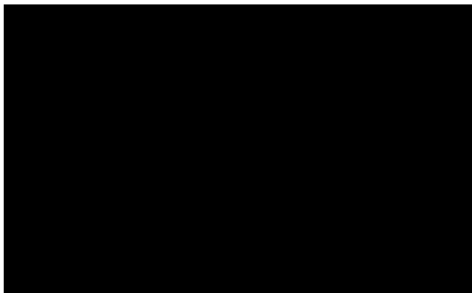
**Social Secretary**

**Social Secretary Student ID**

**Please outline any other committee positions and Student ID details:**

N/A

**Please provide the names and student ID's at least 7 student's (excluding committee) interested in your proposed club/society:  
(This is to ensure the sustainability of our LTSU communities)**



**Item C: New Club/Society Application: Slime Society**

**Your Name**

**Your Student ID**

**Proposed name or the Club/Society:** Slime society

**What category is your club/society?** Recreational

**Please provide a minimum of two overall aims for the society (these is the long term purpose and core values of your club/society)**

- making an easy way to make friends at uni
- helping people to become more creative

**Please provide a minimum of two objectives for the society (These are short term goals that you want to achieve)**

- creating a safe environment for anyone to join in conversation and feel part of a community
- making lots of slime !

**How much do you think you should charge for membership?(this is not set, we just want to get an idea of your thoughts)**

not much at all maybe £1/£2

**How are you going to try and get other students interested in your club/society?**

by holding events and through social media

**Please tell us about the activities, events or trips you would like to run as a society?**

meeting weekly to have a catch up and make slime. we will hold competition within the society too

**President/Chairman Name**

**President/Chairman Student ID**

**Treasurer Name**

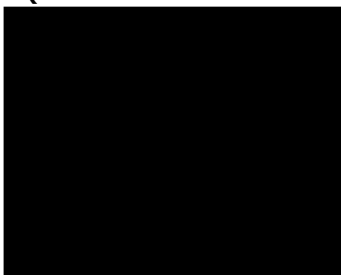
**Treasurer Student ID**

**Social Secretary**

**Social Secretary Student ID**

**Please outline any other committee positions and Student ID details:**

**Please provide the names and student ID's at least 7 student's (excluding committee) interested in your proposed club/society:  
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## Item D: Student Activities Committee grant funding request: Men's Football

<b>Club or Society</b>	Club
<b>Club or Society name:</b>	Mens Football
<b>How much of the grant would you like to apply for?</b>	£1000
<b>Is your club/society contributing anything towards this cost? If so how much?</b>	no

### **What would you like to spend this grant on? Please include a break down of how the money will be spent.**

Leeds Trinity University's Men's Football Club stands as a prominent sporting entity within the university, boasting four formidable teams. However, the extensive distances of our away games have imposed a significant financial strain, necessitating a dedicated allocation of funds to alleviate the burden of travel expenses.

The club's commitment to excellence has seen us traverse considerable distances to compete against formidable opponents, with destinations including Northumbria, Teesside, Liverpool, and beyond. Particularly noteworthy are our multiple visits to Northumbria and Teesside, each incurring costs amounting to £750 per trip, alongside recurrent journeys to Liverpool. Cumulatively, these endeavors have exacted a substantial toll on the club's finances, with an approximate expenditure of £4.5k allocated solely to travel expenses.

In recognition of the indispensable role that travel plays in the club's continued success and participation in competitive fixtures, it is imperative that adequate resources be allocated to support our teams' endeavors. By alleviating the financial burden associated with travel, we aim to ensure that our athletes can focus wholeheartedly on their performance, thereby upholding the proud legacy of Leeds Trinity University's Men's Football Club on the field of play.

### **Why do you require this grant? Please be specific.**

Securing a grant is crucial for Leeds Trinity University's Men's Football Club to sustain our competitive edge and uphold the university's sporting reputation. Our extensive travel requirements for away games to distant locations such as Northumbria, Teesside, and Liverpool incur significant expenses, including transportation, accommodation, and sustenance, which strain the club's financial resources. However, participation in various leagues, tournaments, and cup competitions is essential for maintaining our competitive standing and fostering player development. Furthermore, traveling together to away games fosters camaraderie, teamwork, and a sense of belonging among our players, contributing to a strong team ethos and supportive club culture. As ambassadors of Leeds Trinity University, our football club plays a vital role in promoting the institution's values and achievements, both on and off the field, engaging with the broader community and inspiring future generations of athletes. Therefore, securing this grant is paramount to ensuring the continued success, growth, and positive impact of our Men's Football Club.

**If successful, how would this grant develop your club/society?**

This grant will significantly enhance the club's financial stability for the current year, with potential benefits extending into the following year to alleviate traveling costs.

<b>Current club/society bank balance?</b>	
<b>Your name:</b>	
<b>Your committee position:</b>	

**Item D: Student Activities Committee grant funding request: Pool Club**

*\*Please note that despite their application saying Pool Society, they are classified as a Club and so would receive money from the club grant\**

<b>Club or Society</b>	Club
<b>Club or Society name:</b>	LTU Pool Society
<b>How much of the grant would you like to apply for?</b>	£400
<b>Is your club/society contributing anything towards this cost? If so how much?</b>	No

**What would you like to spend this grant on? Please include a break down of how the money will be spent.**

Pool cue with cases- £75- we would be buying 4 so that is 300 just for the cues.  
Then we need chalk-£12  
Cue tips- £34  
Cue extender- £22

**Why do you require this grant? Please be specific.**

The majority of the grant will go towards purchasing equipment as without proper equipment society cannot progress forward without the proper equipment. As a society we are aware that the bar has pool cues however due to them being used widely by university students they are prone to be damaged so do need to fit the standards and regulations that are needed by society. We need maintenance things to ensure that every player gets a good quality cue that they can use to enhance their skills.

**If successful, how would this grant develop your club/society?**

To be able to start our society all these things are needed so we can provide a high-quality pool playing experience. As we are a new society we do not have the required funding for equipment and without this equipment, we cannot function as a society which will make it harder for us to complete our desired goal of being a competitive team next year. Without this funding, we are unable to train people to reach that goal.

<b>Current club/society bank balance?</b>	
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**Your name:**



**Your committee position:**

