



## Student Activities Committee

A meeting of the committee will be held on 23<sup>rd</sup> of January at 1:15 pm in Group Study Room 11 (AKLC).

### AGENDA

#### Invited

C. Fieldhouse (LTSU VP, Chair), M. Halliday (Treasurer and first captain) M. Slavov (VP ISoc) M. Rayson Regan (secretary to SAC), K. Simpson (VP Men's Football), H. Tombling (VP Badminton), L. Ramshaw (Treasurer Dance/Social Sec for CathSoc) J. Randall (Treasurer RATTs/Chair Gaming)

#### Present

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#### Apologies

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#### 1. Welcome and apologies

Quoracy was met so voting could take place.

#### 2. Matters arising

Feedback is better. Things get done and we see the outcome.

#### 3. Membership numbers

MH - BUCS is going well.

Chair- Socs and Clubs increased. Pool Club is new. Society numbers 7 up to 17. Clubs 11 up to 12

MRR - Society memberships are low.

#### 4. Applications for new Clubs and Societies

Disbanded but not disbanded – needs to go through SAC.

JR - Can we put them up for elections? See if anyone wants to take them?

#### 4.1 Adoptions of previous clubs and societies

JR - Hockey, Women's Rugby Union and Arts Soc – at Jumpstart January see if anyone wants to be on the committee for it.

## **5. Applications for the Student Activities Committee funding**

### **DANCE £600 for costumes**

MRR – dance have looked at many different ways of funding these costumes and have struggled figuring out a way that will keep the balance positive for the next academic year.

Current balance: ██████████

SAC: fully approved by the whole committee

New balance: ██████████

SAC confirmed LTSU pushing specific clubs and societies to apply for SAC grant.

Discussions took place of clubs/societies that should be encouraged to go for the grant to ensure sustainability and development of their club/society.

SAC say it is helpful to see other clubs/socs finances

## **6. Varsity**

Chair gave a huge congratulations to the teams.

Overall a great day but the sports hall for Netball and Cheer was freezing.

Feels better to host it on LTSU because YSJ was all over for example Netball couldn't go to Basketball. They could not support each other fully due to different locations.

SAC liked that Varsity came to SAC for feedback during the planning and development.

The delay with the coaches after was long. They wanted to get home sooner. MRR clarified that LTSU was trying to get the coaches to come sooner however they did not answer the phone.

Chair asked if two varsities are wanted they all voted yes.

## **7. LTSU Awards Evening**

Terrace is booked 11<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

Price is £35 a ticket.

Buffet – 2 course rather than 3 from SAC feedback.

Students' Union prices from SAC feedback.

MH – prefers the cheaper drinks.

Voted for Badminton as a new club and can nominate themselves for this award

MH can't come on 6<sup>th</sup> she is going to send MRR the scores before.

## **8. Sustainability**

Chair – please submit sustainability awards

Chair – a form will be sent out soon about sustainability skills – action to complete before next SAC (6<sup>th</sup> Feb)

## 9. Communications

Teams channel/emails if essential is still working.

No news letter.

MH – likes the communication because even when busy with classes she can still keep up to date with what is going on.

## 10. Any Other Business

AGM 6<sup>th</sup> February 3:30-4:30

BUCS must be approved at AGM.

JR, MH, and HT are all encouraging members to attend.

Minimum voters is 30. Need to come vote on union matters.

### 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%-)

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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

**Item B: Dance SAC Grant Application**