



UNIVERSITY OF LINCOLN STUDENTS' UNION
Activities Hub

14.00pm, 11th December
Microsoft Teams

Minutes

Name	Job Title
Abi Brown (AB)	Vice President Activities
Katrina Watson (KW)	Sports Officer
James Morrison (JM)	Academic Societies Officer
Rebecca Sharp (RS)	Societies Officer
Lucy Clarke (LC)	Indoor Ball and Racket
Karen Nedziwe (KN)	Campaigns, Politics and Lifestyle
Rachel Gee (RG)	Faith and International
Emily Sims (ES)	Recreational
Georgina Allen (GA)	Arts and Culture
Jodi Hawkes (JH)	Snow, Water, Extreme

Also in attendance:

Jess Skill (JS) Minute Taking Assistant Opportunities Manager

Apologies:

Vinuja Premakumar (CSIBS)
David Johnson (Outdoor Ball & Racket)
Jason Hawkins (Individual Competitive)

Item

Action

1. Vice President Activities Update

- Noted that Lincoln is in Tier 3, ULSU stance is that all activities will continue to be online up until Christmas.
- SU building is closed from 16th December, all applications need to be submitted before then.
- New applications will be approved in January to ensure they have the best opportunity to hit threshold.
- Noted that all activities will complete finance training in January, to reduce the back and forth feedback.
- Look After Your Mate training still going ahead until 17th December and will restart again in the new year.
- All deliveries are being kept safe and secure in the SU building over the Christmas period.
- Kahoot membership has been purchased, email activitiesoffice@lincolnsu.com and then complete an event application once a date has been confirmed.
- Over Christmas please direct students to www.lincolnsu.com/xmas for support over the Christmas period.
- BUCS will not be releasing leagues until January, first fixtures not until 17th February contact sports not to start until 24th February. Waiting for correspondence from BUCS i.e. travelling outside of area and different tiers.



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2. GOATing Feedback by Officer

How can we support students who are isolating?

- RS Tried to offer events online and students are not engaging, Societies are struggling to engage with students online even when a lot of events are being held.
- KW Can the University help promote Sports and Societies? Students do not follow activity accounts unless they are a member making it hard to reach potential members.

3. GOATing Feedback by Cluster Reps

How can we support students who are isolating?

- JH Participating in Societies and Sports is the best way to meet new people.
- KN Students struggling as they do not have the ability to meet other people outside of their household and there are no options in person.
- GA Speed dating event, depending on covid-19, to help students meet new people.
- KN Advertise online activities more and get Societies to promote these activities as well.
- LC Found it hard to recruit members this year despite advertising.
- RG Have more Society collaborations to advertise events to more students.

4. Officer Report

- JM finalising the International Participations programme.
- JM Helped with Society events to push their promotion and worked closely with the ISA Officer to implement plans for Academic Societies ensuring that there are specific events for International Students.
- JM Looking into offering the same scheme to PG students and working with the PG Officer.
- RS Ensuring communications channels are open and have had online meetings to go through risk assessments and event applications.
- RS Worked on the task master 2.0 challenge.
- RS Completed the Look After Your Mate Training.
- RS Looking into implementing Welfare Officers into committees.
- KW Provided tips and guidance to students on how to cope with the second lockdown.
- KW Assisted with planning the taskmaster 2.0 challenge and encourage students and teams to get involved.
- KW Provided as much help and support as possible leading up to Christmas and thinking of ways to keep students keep involved with the Students' Union.

5. Funding Update

- AB Had several applications submitted and most of these applications were to provide funding for venues and equipment.
- AB Applicants cannot spend any funding currently due to Lincolnshire being in Tier 3 and therefore cannot pay venues or use equipment.
- AB All applicants have been recommended to re-apply in January for the next Activities Hub.



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6. Any Other Business

- AB If you are interested in running in an election this year, please email Abi at activities@lincolnsu.com for more information.

Date of Next Meeting: 15th January at 11am