

**Sports Zone Meeting**  
**Thursday, 10 November 2016, 1pm**  
**Union**

Position	Name	11.10.16	10.11.16	23.11.16	xx.xx.16	xx.xx.17	xx.xx.17
Events&Varsity Officer	Kimberley Houghton	N/A					
Secretary& Communications Officer	Laura Webb						
Tour Officer	Evie Edmed						
Kit & Equipment Officer	Declan Whiting						
Participation & Inclusivity Officer	Millie Rowbotham						
BUCS Officer	Jags Sanghera						
Councillor for Scrutiny	N/A						
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Vice- President Sports	Matt Bramall						

Absent	
Apologies	
Present	

## 1. Welcome

No apologies received.

## 2. MB report and update

- CS 11-aside football struggling  
**ACTION:** Use AU fb page to help support and promote for them
- AU Ball tickets sold out
- Discussion with CS to have intramural presidents/captains training
- Had meetings with club treasurers to discuss and help club finances
  - All membership money paid
  - 14 clubs started the year in debt, now only 6 remain
- Game of the Week attendance is low
  - Lacks support from own clubs too/weather/cancellations**ACTION:** Use of social media and screens in Sanc as a platform to publicise and use of surveys to gather data
- Need to think about HYMS who have different schedule to all other AU teams
- AU Exec to access social media with training  
**ACTION:** MB to organise a meeting and training session and to set targets
- Astro delayed due to weather

### 3. MB GIVES AU EXEC TO-DO (ACTION)

- Delegate more to AU Exec
- DW to organise meeting with Danny to sort kit issues, possibly invite presidents
  - Support/look for alternative options for smaller clubs who can't access kit
  - Look at future contractors and idea that clubs organise own kit with own suppliers
- LW to ensure consistent support for Hullfire Paper, in regards to sports newsletter and to inform Torch TV of Game of the Week details
- JS to support VD and chase up missing information (results etc)
- EE to answer queries from students and remain in contact with ILT
- MR to continue working with LGBT+ and VP Welfare & Community on respective projects and keep AU Exec informed
- MR to discuss ideas with MB on HYMS and Intramural support
- KH to meet with MB to collate all information on future events (e.g. set dates) and to plan for their trip to Lincoln

### 4. MR Zone Update

- Engaging with LGBT+ and facilitating their turn-up and play sessions, promoting it and liaising with campus sport, Matt Bramall, and LGBT+. **ACTION:** Explore possibly partially funding next clay pigeon shooting turn up and play session?
  - MB thanks MR for huge progress in support and including LGBT+
- Developing the welfare in sport campaign- asked presidents to elect a welfare liaison in each team and organised the welfare in sport session. It will cover all aspects of welfare from mental health, consent, behaviour, participation and support.
  - Reminds everyone the disciplinary meeting with AK scheduled for 9.30am Friday 18th
- Turned up at taster sessions to support new clubs (waterpolo and wheelchair basketball)
- Provide weekly support at Wednesday fixtures to a range of teams

### 5. KH Zone Update

- Organising the Athletic Union Ball
  - Worked with marketing on design of the tickets. Sold out 250 tickets for the event. During this time worked with MR on decorations, and sought a photographer and band – now confirmed.
- Attending weekly fixtures for matches for as many teams as possible
  - Explained some good feedback with teams as any immediate issues at fixtures can be dealt with there and then. This has also made sure people know who Exec are and the other options they have for contacting the AU.

- Attended LGBT+ pongathon

## **6. LW Zone Update**

- In contact with Hullfire, to collaborate with Sports Teams on sending in articles for the paper
  - I am sorting the rota out in line with all the paper's deadlines and release to ensure the paper is not missing sports reports (as it has been lacking recently)
- Beginning the process of taking over some of the newsletters duties from MB
- Need to arrange a second meeting with MB to go through this process
- Unfortunately, not had the opportunity to go around on Wednesdays or to taster session but will begin doing so asap
- Arranged with Kim that I will put together the slideshow for AU Ball to take off some of the load, using photos MB and I collected for the freshers' fair
- I want to find an effective way to collaborate with JS and team captains to consistently upload the results of all matches, in all competitions
  - Help promote sport and support teams not in BUCS/lower teams
  - Get other students involved in teams games

## **7. EE Zone Update**

- £15.95 for tour tops
- Worked to sell extra 60 places
- Half board food to be discussed with Presidents and to go to a vote
- Must let clubs know deadlines for Tour names

## **8. DW Zone Update**

- Already discussed – see above about smaller clubs struggling to find kit

## **9. JS Zone Update**

- Teams not submitting BUCS packs on time
- Mentions sports centre are confusing teams and training times – MB to communicate with them and relay messages back to clubs sooner (before there is an issue e.g. flood lights)
- JS/MR question sports pass (85%) of club need one – MB to find out if it excludes social members and relay information back to Presidents and Exec

## **10. Electing a Chair**

- MB explains role of Chair in these meetings (agenda/timing/reports and thanks)
- Exec vote, KH elected Chair

## **11. General Zone Reminders**

- Exec still students so if work is a priority, can take time away, but **MUST** convey this to the team
- Establish ground-rules and working together  
(Exec openly discuss this together)
  - Principles of being open, trusting each other and honesty
  - Must be able to compromise
  - Separate professional from personal life
  - Support and respect decisions of each role
  - Make sure we all know what each other are doing

## **12. Discipline and Social Behaviours**

- 4 reports in the last 3 weeks
- 1 club caught on camera – discipline actions in place
- Ultimately whole club committee held responsible (constitution)

## **13. AU Council**

- Add social behaviours to agenda
- Mention BUCS and Welfare actions

**Date of next meeting TBC.**