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<b>Manifesto Point</b>	<b>Updates</b>	
<p><b>Objective 1</b> 75% of members will agree that they feel promoted and recognised by the 'Students' Union'</p>	<p><b>Progress this month:</b></p> <p><b>Plans for next month:</b></p>	<p>It has now been over five weeks since Lincoln Students' Union closed its doors. It is vital now, more than ever, for the Student Leaders and I, continue to promote and recognise our students. I have absolutely loved the continued WeAreLincoln community that has been online. A couple of highlights include, American Football's No Trim Challenge Fundraiser, Fandom's regular Stay Home checks, Pole Fitness's Aerial Isolation Challenge, Members completing the Run 5, Donate 5 and Nominate 5, and Activities Bingo. Thank you to everyone who has continued to support their members and keep your teams occupied during this time.</p> <p>A huge project we have been working on this month is the Swannys Awards which will be happening on the 1<sup>st</sup> of May 2020. This will be a virtual awards afternoon so that we can reward and recognise our students who have achieved greatness over this last semester. All of the nominations and shortlisting has now occurred and I honestly look forward to the afternoon of celebration.</p>
<p><b>Objective 2</b> 50% of sports, societies and academic societies feel as though partaking in activities, committee training, and extra opportunities is making them more employable</p>	<p><b>Progress this month:</b></p> <p><b>Plans for next month:</b></p>	<p>As the Union is closed for the foreseeable future, now is the perfect opportunity to work on, and improve all of the projects that we produce throughout the year. Making our students employable but also ensuring that our students know that what they are already doing is already making them more employable.</p> <p>Specifically, over the last month, we have been working on reviewing our committee training, handover documents, Look After Your Mate training, Conflict Management, new sport and society application, a push on the Skills Log, and online First Aid Training. In addition, we have been working on a badge scheme for the Activities Mini-Sites which will help students to keep a track of their achievements. This will help our students to recognise how activities can make them more employable.</p>
<p><b>Objective 3</b> 100% of sports and societies have one 'Look</p>	<p><b>Progress this month:</b></p> <p><b>Plans for next month:</b></p>	<p>Objective: Incomplete</p> <p>Look After Your Mate training has now been given to all volunteer officers and Sabbs. We have held two open sessions available for all sports, society and academic society committee members. Ideally</p>

<p>After Your Mate' Trained committee member by June 2020</p>		<p>I wanted one committee member in each activity to be trained by June 2020 but due to the Covid-19 situation this will now not be possible.</p> <p>Planning for the next academic year, I do think it would be beneficial for at least one committee member in each activity to be trained so I would like to make this training compulsory. This will work nicely alongside the Wellbeing Champions for next academic year. We are now working on the possibility of making Look After Your Mate accessible online, in case our students are working from home from September.</p>
<p><b>Objective 4</b> 70% of sports teams feel happy with the overall kit application, quality and delivery process of Rhino kit through an annual kit survey</p>	<p><b>Progress this month:</b></p> <p><b>Plans for next month:</b></p>	<p>Objective: Incomplete</p> <p>We released our second Rhino survey last month. This survey was rated from 1-5 in relation to satisfaction and will help us to map out what the specific areas of improvement are. From reviewing the feedback there was widespread discontent with 76% unhappy with Rhino. Kieron sent some comms for me to pass on to all teams about the situation and how we are going to move forwards.</p> <p>Moving into 2020/21 semester, we want to provide the Rhino kit process to teams much earlier in the year so that all our teams have kit to play in by the start of the BUCS season. However, we need to be mindful of the current global pandemic and advise our students not to purchase playing kit until BUCS is confirmed for the 2020/21 season.</p>
<p><b>Objective 5</b> Complete a funding review of Activities by March 2020</p>	<p><b>Progress this month:</b></p> <p><b>Plans for next month:</b></p>	<p>Objective: Complete</p> <p>A funding review of activities has been worked on since November and is now complete, we have changed the BUCS Funding Allocation criteria and process to make it more streamlined with the rest of the Union. In addition, our review of space allocation is now complete, this will be more beneficial for teams to give us all potential availability for training and not a preferred one hour slot in the week. Both forms for the 2020/2021 season have been sent to all BUCS teams for the new season and the deadline is the 1<sup>st</sup> of May. I look forward to seeing everyone's Funding applications and allocating it to our teams.</p>
<p><b>Objective 6</b> Have a 5% increase in unique membership for all sports, societies and academic societies</p>	<p><b>Progress this month:</b></p> <p><b>Plans for next month:</b></p>	<p>Objective: Completed</p> <p>The Union had more than a 5% increase in unique membership for all sports, societies and academic societies which is fantastic. I hope this can continue next year. Following our Lincoln Together Campaign in October last year. Emma, Mohit and I have been working on a new workshop to deliver to our committees and part-time officers in the 20/21 semester. Following feedback, we have</p>

	<p>included more interactive games, more of an even spread of the liberation groups and more input from the Liberation Officers who will hopefully help us to deliver the training. It has been great to reflect on last year's campaign and I look forward to seeing how we can develop it further.</p>
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<p><b>Student Interactions</b></p>	<p>Weekly Facebook Lives, Liberation Officers Meeting to research Lincoln Together, a catch up with our Harry, Rhys and Lexy regarding Taskmaster challenges, Accountability Forum, MRU QIsolation Quiz, Answering Queries and Emails around Covid-19, Med Soc Meeting,</p>	<p><b>Committee &amp; University Staff Interactions</b></p>	<p>Academic Offenses Committee, Mentor meeting with Liz Mossop and Simon Parks, EDI Training with Equality and Diversity.</p>
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