

Volunteer Officer Report March 2019

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What has been worked on in the past month?

The second batch of subject committees are done, and all three went rather smoothly, we had plenty of feedback to relay with the academics and were able to bring awareness to some issues throughout the school and to

Tickets have sold really well for the History and Heritage Ball and we are now two weeks away! We have been able to achieve everything we wanted and so much more, I cannot thank everyone involved more for putting everything you've got into making this an event that will end third years uni experiences on a really positive note and show the second and first years how much more great stuff waits ahead of them.

Successes from the past month and any Reps Wins

We had successes in two of the subject committees with changing deadlines that overlapped and were causing a lot of students distress as they were very close to our dissertation deadline.

I attended the fourth Meet the Academic event put on by the History Society and had a great time but was also extremely happy to see that engagement had gone up from the last. The History Society have done some great work this year, and i will be happy to see that continued next year with their new committee.

I am incredibly proud of the three reps that nominated themselves for school rep, you all have done amazing work over the last year and I hope you all know how grateful i am to you for making my role a lot more interesting and useful to our school. Ben I have no doubt you will do an amazing job next year, i wish you all the best!

Plans for next month

My main plan for next month is to make sure all the reps can manage their current work loads - whilst we're heading into deadline season it's important that all the reps continue to represent the views and ideas of the students in their cohort, but that they also look after themselves. To be able to represent students to their best potential the reps need to be fulfilling their own aims for university first.

I am working with our student engagement champion, James to improve the current second years and upcoming first years understanding of the dissertation module and the dissertation itself.

To prepare ourselves for the History and Heritage Ball and make sure everything goes smoothly on the night.

Overall the last two months have been very hectic but very rewarding. I am thankful to all of

the reps in my school for continuously coming to me throughout the year to resolve little issues and work on projects. I hope the last few months in this role are just as productive as the first!