



UNIVERSITY OF LINCOLN STUDENTS' UNION President Report

The past month has seen a focus on the Sexual Health Awareness & Guidance and Less Stress More Success campaign planning. We undertook the SHAG campaign this month which focussed on raising awareness and profile of Sexual Health services in and around Lincoln. We wanted to educate students on common misconceptions but also to ensure that students felt empowered that they could discuss topics and issues that could have been considered taboo. We will be reviewing and looking at how we can improve the campaign and ensure that there is a continuous and consistent plan to campaign on Sexual Health.

In regards to the Less Stress More Success campaign (Operation Rosé), the premise is to ensure that students are aware of Academic Offences and how to avoid them. We are also aiming to ensure that students are also aware of how they can combat exam and assignment whilst promoting active lifestyles around campus. This is still in the works and updates will follow.

I have had the opportunity to engage with students invited to the Student Supper by the Vice-Chancellor. It was an opportunity to further find out how the SU could improve on the student experience as well as ensuring that we could adequately ensure that our reps are supported in their roles.

Other engagements I have had include sitting on the Swan's Den panel. It was especially rewarding to see the pitches presented by students who had business ideas. We are now working to support students further to ensure that their ideas come to fruition.

And of course we had Varsity! I would like to commend the conduct and efforts our students showed whilst away at the University of Hull. It was brilliant to see the exceptional sportsmanship shown by our students, and whilst the trophy does return to Lincoln, we are well underway to making sure that we can improve further on what we have done this year!

In regards to Suggestions we have had over 110 Suggestions put forward and we are working hard with the increased engagement to ensure that we are turning those Suggestions that are voted through around!

On-campus lockers

This particular SUGgestion is proving relatively difficult to put in place as we are looking to see whether it is possible to ensure that lockers available on campus at this moment in time. I am in talks with the Estates department to see how this can be facilitated

Bring back ID cards that have expiry dates on them!

Due to changing data regulations, we have to ensure that all processes are compliant with the new regulations that are going to be imposed this year. This currently still a work in progress, however we are hoping things will move forward at a relatively quicker pace.

Vending machines in the library that accept cards

I am in touch with the Head of Campus Services to look at current provisions and how they can be reviewed to implement contactless payment. This is something that is looking to be implemented in the new academic year.

Loyalty Cards for The Swan and Tower Bar

This has now been completed (partly) in that we are now providing 10% discounts on food for students who present a student card with their purchase in Tower Bar.

Card machines to be installed at Quack entry

This is now in place.

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