

Volunteer Officer Report February 2019

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What has been worked on in the past month?

This month has been very busy as for my first full month in the role I wanted to move forward quickly. Our committee's main focus has been on designing a 'Move out' campaign with various events to encourage a reduction in the waste that the student population produces at the end of each year. Our current plans include a social event with non-perishable food as an entry fee, which will be donated to a local charity. We'd also like to introduce temporary additional recycling points in student accommodation for the end of the year (until a more permanent solution can be implemented) in order to make it easier to separate rubbish whilst moving out of accommodation.

Successes from the past month and any Reps Wins

The main success of the month was the finalisation of plans for Make a Difference week in collaboration with other members of the Campaigns Network, it's going to be lots of fun! Committee meetings were held each week to keep plans for move out week moving forward which I feel has helped our campaigns group stay on track with our goals. We also organised a successful community meeting with representatives of interested groups of students to discuss ways to support rough sleepers.

Plans for next month

The next month will be focused on collaborating with the Environmental Campaigns group and with Rag Officer for more definitive plans for move out week. It's also Make a Difference week next month, which is going to be quite busy but I'm very excited to see how it works out.