

Sports and Societies Schedule

1.0 UPSU members may establish individual sports clubs and societies

1.1 A club shall refer to a group of students partaking in sporting activity whilst a society shall refer to any other non-sporting activity.

1.2 A club or society may be recognised by UPSU if:

1.2.1 It has the formal support of at least 20 other members

1.2.2 It submits the required paperwork, including but not limited to, a constitution and health and safety assessment

1.2.3 It has an elected committee of officers who will administer the club or society, at least including a:

1.2.3.1 Chairperson

1.2.3.2 Treasurer

1.2.3.3 Secretary

1.2.3.4 Health and Safety officer

1.3 To be recognised each club or society shall be affiliated to UPSU but in doing so it must have its own Constitution which is acceptable to UPSU and must be financially accountable to its Board of Trustees

1.3.1 Each club or society must be open to all members of UPSU

1.3.2 Each club or society must have an Annual General Meeting (AGM) in the spring term which should be conducted in line with the Meetings Guidelines Schedule

1.3.3 Each club or society must abide by the financial regulations of UPSU and with any additional regulations set out in the Clubs & Societies Handbook

1.3.4 Each club or society must abide by the UPSU health and safety regulations

1.3.5 Each club or society must abide by the UPSU equal opportunities schedule

1.3.6 Each club or society must send a committee representative to the Sports & Societies Sub-Committee of Student Parliament

1.4 Failure to send a representative on three (3) consecutive occasions to the Sports & Societies Sub-Committee will result in club or society budget freezing

1.5 Clause 1.4 may be over ruled at the discretion of the appropriate Vice President

2.0 To be recognised each club or society must send a committee representative and encourage other members to attend the Annual General Meeting (AGM)

2.1 Any club or society that fails to attend AGM, unless agreed beforehand with the relevant VP, will not be eligible for a stand at the Sports and Societies Fair the following academic year.