

OPEN UNIVERSITY STUDENTS ASSOCIATION**Central Executive Committee (CEC)**

25 – 27 October 2019

REPORT OF THE AFFILIATED SOCIETIES

The C E C is asked to:-

i) **note** the information provided in this report and appendix

1. The purpose of this paper is to give an overview of the members and the financial position of each Affiliated Society.
2. The appendix provides information on the state of OU Students Association's Affiliated Societies, showing the number of societies affiliated, the position of their members and financial information regarding their accounts and grant payments.
3. The data included on this report is taken from information held on the OU Students Association Office database and financial information provided by the Resources team within the Association office.
4. In the event of any inaccuracies, omissions or errors being noted, you are asked to advise the OU Students Association Office of these as soon as possible following the CEC Meeting.
5. The next Societies Committee AGM was held on 28 Sept along with a Freshers Fair/ Meet Up where new students met societies face to face.
6. At the AGM a draft of the Societies Guidelines were presented for discussion, these were positively received and feedback will be included in the next draft. At the AGM a vote was held and it was decided that Cin McGuigan would continue to stand as Chair.
7. Around 40 students attended the Meet-up/Freshers Fair (including one who came all the way from Switzerland!), it was great to see so many new students socialising, meeting with societies and taking up tours of campus.
8. We now have a total of 41 Clubs with a combined membership of 7628 students.

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