

SUBU Clubs and Societies Grant Response Form

SUBU clubs and societies are expected to be mostly financially self-sustaining with income generated through membership, ticketed events, sponsorship and fundraising. Groups can apply for a Clubs and Societies Grant to develop further and enhance what they are able to offer.

Grants are decided by a panel that meets 4 times in the academic year. This Panel is made of SUBU Full-Time Officer, BU Students and Permanent staff.

This document provides a breakdown of the grants that were requested and what was approved.

This information will be made available publicly on the SUBU website.

Date of meeting: 15.03.2022

Panel members present: Student Opportunities Manager- Emma Davies, Student Participation Manager- Kerry Dean, Clubs & Societies Coordinator- Kamila Dowgiert

At the date of this meeting, £12,684 has been awarded for this academic year.

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Fitness (1 of 2)	General Grant	£150	£150
Allocation requested for:			
This grant is for our paintball event taking place on 19/03 £10 per person deposit which is refunded in paintballs			
Comment			
The Awarding Committee note that the Fitness Society do not have any income in their account (as they are still yet to claim the £135 refund for the initial purchase of the paintball event). We understand that this activity is already in place and therefore on this occasion will be supporting the society to continue to put on this event for the members.			

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Fitness (2 of 2)	Transport	£150	£100
Allocation requested for:			
Train transport to paintball Event			
Comment			
The Awarding Committee have previously awarded funding to the Fitness society that was not used and therefore re-distributed. A £100 transport grant will therefore be awarded to support the society members to travel to the upcoming paintballing event.			

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Law	Facilities Grant	£1,100	£1,500
Allocation requested for:			
£3000 deposit for the Hilton as a venue of the Law Ball, £1,100 has been requested.			
Comment			
<p>As per the Grant Funding Guidance, 50% of the full cost of venue hire could potentially be granted to a society. The application states that a £3,000 deposit is required for the Law Ball to be held at the Hilton which will also include additional costs.</p> <p>Please provide the total cost of the event as opposed to the deposit and please let us know how much of this is exclusively for the venue hire (excluding costs for food/ drink/ entertainment).</p> <p>This will be a good opportunity for the Law society to secure sponsorship for this event which the Awarding Committee note has been done by previous Law Society committee members.</p> <p>22.03.2022 Appeal</p> <p>Hilton £6,000 120 guests- £3,000 deposit (includes sound system/ food) Decorations £15/£30 per table x12 Balloon Arch- £20 Fairy Lights - £25 Fairy Light Curtains £10 each Guest Speakers (local)- £50 ticket Guest Speakers (travelling)- £150 for accommodation and ticket</p> <p>The Awarding Committee will be granting £1,500 to cover 50% of the Hilton Venue Hire Deposit. At £50 per ticket for 120 guests, the Law Society should generate £4,500 of income which can be used towards the remaining venue hire along with the funds in the club account for additional costs such as decorations.</p>			

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Photographers Assemble	Give it a Go & Start Up	£200	£0
Allocation requested for:			
Trips & Activities			
Comment			
<p>Declined</p> <p>This application is paused given that the same committee has requested to close this society in favour of opening a new one. As such, confirmation is needed from the society that they will be continuing with this activity.</p> <p>22.03.2022 Appeal</p> <p>No further information for this grant request was provided during the appeals window and therefore the total amount awarded is £0</p>			

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Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Socialist Workers	Transport	£100	£100
Allocation requested for:			
The grant will go entirely towards coach rental, some of which is already funded by BCP Stand Up To Racism			
Comment			
The Awarding Committee will be happy to fund the transport for the society to take part in the UN Anti-Racism Day providing that the committee can provide us with some more information about what the day will entail and the date for the march.			

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Formula 1	Start Up Grant	£125	£125
Allocation requested for:			
F1 TV Subscription - £50 Refreshments at 16 events (£4.74 per event = £75)			
Comment			
Accepted			
The Awarding Committee are happy to award £50 towards the cost of the F1 subscription and £75 towards refreshments to help engage members during social events.			

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Nepalese	General Facilities Start Up	£1,000	£0
Allocation requested for:			
Rhimjim Night - £400 DJ- £200 Sound system- £200 Decorations- £50			
Comment			
The application states that £1,000 has been requested however whilst listing some costs, this equates to only £450 and does not include enough detail for the awarding committee to make a decision on grant funding. The Awarding Committee suggest that the committee go through the recent committee 'Large Scale Events' Training recording here and also make use of the event planning documents on the SUBU Committee Zone here .			

Please note that there are costs involved in hiring The Old Fire Station as a venue and the committee would benefit from a conversation with the SUBU Commercial Manager Alan Dove who can be reached on ADove@bournemouth.ac.uk

Once this is complete, please supply the awarding committee with further information.

22.03.2022 Appeal

No further information for this grant request was provided during the appeals window and therefore the total amount awarded is £0

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Archaeology & Anthropology	General Transport	£388	£388
Allocation requested for:			
16 students to go to British Museum National Express- £177 Tickets £288			
Comment			
The Awarding Committee will be happy to grant £100 towards the cost of transport to the British Museum and £288 to support 16 members to attend the Stonehenge exhibition.			

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Politics	General	£258	£169
Allocation requested for:			
Anti-War Event PA system- £150 PL Insurance- £89 High Vis Vests- £14 Crafts- £5			
Comment			
The Awarding Committee will support the Politics society with the cost of the Public Liability Insurance for the 'Say No to War' event at £89. We will also support the society by funding 50% of the cost of the PA system at £75 along with the £5 grant funding for crafts to create a DIY banner. SUBU has a large number of high vis vests that the society can borrow for use on the day of the event.			
22.03.2022 Appeal			
Due to the Politics society being able to gain free insurance, being covered under SUBU's Public Liability Insurance, the awarded £89 was no longer needed. The committee requested to change the use of the £89 for insurance to put towards the cost of advertisement for the event. The awarding committee would not usually alter the nature of grant funding once it has been awarded however on this occasion the awarding committee are happy to make an exception.			

£89 will now be granted for leaflets/ promotion of the event

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Blockchain & Cryptocurrency	General Transport Start UP	£7,300	£714
Allocation requested for:			
<p>Funding for 8 students for a trip to the NFT Conference.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transport to and from airports • Flights • Start up (as a new society) • General for the trip • Accommodation • Tickets (expensive) <p>Coach to airport £15.70 pp Flights £22 pp Accommodation £158.80 pp Tickets £627.68 Member contribution- £50 pp</p>			
Comment			
<p>The Awarding Committee note that whilst the NFT conference could be a beneficial experience for the members of the society attending, the committee have requested an exceptionally large amount of grant funding that we cannot provide at this time.</p> <p>However, the awarding committee is able to award 50% of the total cost of travel and accommodation for the conference which is £89.25 per person (for a maximum of 8 people) according to the submitted application. This is broken down as below; £7.85 per person for the coach (8 people) £11 per person for the flight (8 people) £79.40 per person for accommodation (8 people)</p>			

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Ballroom & Latin (1 of 3)	Transport	£100	£100
Allocation requested for:			
Bristol competition travel cost			
Comment			
<p>Although the Bristol competition has passed, the Awarding Committee note that the Ballroom & Latin Dance Society have yet to receive transport funding and on this occasion we will therefore grant £100 in funding towards the cost of travel.</p>			

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Ballroom & Latin (2 of 3)	General	£420	£0

Allocation requested for:
Competition Fee £20 per student
Comment
As per the Funding guidance, 1 competition entry per year, per society is likely to be awarded. The Awarding Committee have previously granted £320 during the December round of funding and therefore will not be awarding any further funding for competition entry.
22.03.2022 Appeal
No further information for this grant request was provided during the appeals window and therefore the total amount awarded is £0

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Ballroom & Latin (3 of 3)	Facilities	£432	£432
Allocation requested for:			
£432 to cover 50% of the costs of wooden floor hall hire The booking for each week is 4 hours and costs £72 (10% discount included). We need 12 bookings this term and there is a refundable £60 deposit			
Comment			
The Awarding Committee will be awarding 50% of the full cost of hall hire which will be £432.			
We note that £432 in grant funding for hall hire is still outstanding from the January funding round and will need to be spent.			

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Islamic Society	General	£600	£250
Allocation requested for:			
X2 Iftar meals = £200 each £100 for advertising £100 for future sports event			
Comment			
The Awarding Committee note that the Islamic Society has already been awarded £300 for refreshments for Islamic Awareness Week and Weekly meetings which was not spent and therefore has been re-claimed into the overall grant funding.			
The Islamic society only has 7 official paid members and therefore the Awarding Committee will only be funding one of the Iftar dinners (£200) and advertising (£50) for this which totals £250.			
The Awarding Committee would like to know where the dinner will be taking place and question the high cost of the plates and cutlery at £100?			
If it is thought that there are more members of the society, then the committee need to ensure that these members have bought their membership through your web page.			
The Islamic Society also need to consider other forms of raising income to fund such events like charging a token amount to attend or hosting fundraising events.			

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Climbing (1 of 3)	Facilities	£1,000	£1,000

Allocation requested for:
£45 per helmet £130 per rope
Comment
The Awarding Committee are willing to fund the renewal of climbing equipment for the society but before an exact funding decision can be made, the Awarding Committee will need a full breakdown of the equipment to be purchased and the number of items being purchased.
22.03.2022 Appeal
Salamander Helmet - £43 x 10 helmets = £430 Boa Rope 80m £130.50 x 3 ropes = £391.50 Boa Rope 40m £74 x 3 = £222 Twist Tech Harness £50 x 2 harnesses = £100 Twist Tech m/L £50 x 4 = £200 Twist Tech L/XL £50 x 4 = £200 12mm Sling £10.25 x 5 = £51.25 Locking Carabiners £3.87 x 6 = £23.22 Locking Carabiners orange £7.75 x 8 = £62 Belay Plates £16.50 x 5 = £82.50
TOTAL = £1,476.83 (incl VAT £1,762.47)
As per the original funding request for the replacement of Helmets, Ropes and Harnesses, the Awarding Committee will be funding a total of £1,000 to be put towards the purchase of this equipment.

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Climbing (2 of 3)	General Grant	£800	£0
Allocation requested for:			
Stripping and washing holds - £192 Setting - £330 Event specific Staffing/Preparation - £144 Loss of income from closing to the public on a Saturday afternoon in January - £1,140 Conversation about lowering the drop in income is in the works			
Comment			
The Awarding Committee note that this application is a duplication of the requested funding to host a competition in the January round of grant funding. The Awarding Committee have reviewed the application but maintain the same stance as previously, in that the Climbing Club have the opportunity to increase the cost of the competition entry to enable all costs to be covered to host the event. The Climbing Club would need to charge £22.50 based on the estimate of 80 entrants.			
22.03.2022 Appeal			
No further information for this grant request was provided during the appeals window and therefore the total amount awarded is £0			

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Climbing (3 of 3)	Transport	£100	£0
Allocation requested for:			

The club is looking to run another trip to take people to Snowdonia National Park to scramble across Crib Goch, hike to the summit of Snowdon and climb in the stunning Dinorwic slate quarry. The goal of the trip is to share the importance of stepping away from the stress of university life to focus on mental health, building resilience and learning new skills

Comment

The Climbing Club have previously been awarded a £100 transport grant and therefore the Awarding Committee will not be funding any further transport grants for the Climbing Club. The allocation for Transport funding is £100 per club/ society per year.

22.03.2022 Appeal

No further information for this grant request was provided during the appeals window and therefore the total amount awarded is £0

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Racing & Karting (1 of 2)	General	£300	£0
Allocation requested for:			
Equipment Hire out karts at Clay Pigeon Raceway or TeamSport Southampton the total costs of hiring 20 karts would be 600 pounds			
Comment			
<p>The Racing & Karting society have previously been awarded Give it a Go funding to host taster sessions and the Awarding Committee note that whilst the previous recreational karting event has been well attended, the Racing & Karting society currently have only 9 official paid members. If participants have enjoyed such events, the society committee should encourage the participants to purchase memberships for the society. This will allow the Racing & Karting Society to raise income for society activities including the cost of hiring karts for a further recreational events.</p> <p>The Awarding Committee also note that the society web page states that students 'do not need to purchase membership to take part in our events'. Whilst this may have been designed to encourage students to attend taster sessions before buying a membership this ultimately disadvantages the society as there is a missed opportunity to raise income through the sale of memberships.</p>			
22.03.2022 Appeal			
No further information for this grant request was provided during the appeals window and therefore the total amount awarded is £0			

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Racing & Karting (2 of 2)	General	£550	£550
Allocation requested for:			
Competition Fee 8 students (4 previous and 4 new- entry fee £1,050)			
Comment			
The Awarding Committee are pleased to hear that the engagement in the society has increased and therefore led to 4 new students being able to compete within the society. The Awarding Committee again note that it is important for all members to purchase their membership fee through the website.			

The Awarding Committee will be awarding 50% of the total cost of the competition fee totalling £550. Please note that this funding will only be granted if the students competing are current BU students.

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
First Aid	General	£637.80	£345.80
Allocation requested for:			
Choking Charlie Manikin: https://www.sja.org.uk/first-aidsupplies/training-aids-and-equipment/cprand-rescue-training-manikins/ChokingCharlie-Training-Manikin/ Price = £540 Society Contribution = £80 Total = £480.00			
AED Trainer XFT 120C: https://defibwarehouse.co.uk/shop/trainingequipment/training-aeds/aed-trainer-xft120c/ Price = £118. Society Contribution = £15 Total = £103.80			
100 Vinyl Powder-Free Gloves: https://www.sja.org.uk/first-aidsupplies/first-aid-supplies-andconsumables/disposable-first-aidgloves/box-of-100-medium-vinyl-powderfree-gloves/ Price = £6.90 Total = £6.90			
Pack of 200 Clinell Universal Sanatising Wipes: https://www.sja.org.uk/first-aidsupplies/first-aid-supplies-andconsumables/hand-sanitiserswipes/Clinell-Universal-Sanitising-WipesPack-of-200/ Price = £9.90 Total = £9.90			
Refreshments: Biscuits (including gluten-free and vegan options) Price = £5 (per week) Total weeks = 6 weeks (teaching sessions) Total = £30.00			
Total Cost of Grant: 480.00 103.80 30.00 6.90 + 9.90 Total = 637.80			
Comment			
As per the Funding Guidance, the awarding committee are happy to fund 50% of the total cost of the equipment which is broken down below; Choking Charlie Manikin- £270 AED Trainer- £59 Gloves- £6.90 Wipes- £9.90 Total = £345.80			

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Longboard	Facilities	£125	£125
Allocation requested for:			
We will be organising an event at Prevail Junior, an indoor skate park for the 28th of March. The venue can be hired for 30 people at a cost of £250			
Comment			
The Awarding Committee will be awarding 50% of the total cost of the venue hire at £125 however note that the society has been previously awarded a large sum of money during different round of grant funding which unfortunately was not spent and therefore reclaimed into the overall grant funding. Please note that the society has 3 months from the date of the grant funding being awarded to spend the sum of money.			

Club	Grant Applied For	Amount Requested	Amount Approved
Iris	Transport	£200	£200
Allocation requested for:			
Transport to London Pride			
Comment			
<p>The Awarding Committee were pleased to see a well written application by Iris. Ordinarily, transport grants are available to clubs and societies once per year at a total of £100. However, the Awarding Committee note that no other funding has been awarded to Iris this academic year and will therefore be awarding £200 towards the cost of travel to the London Pride event.</p>			