

### YOUR UNION



### EVENTS

- Y Ddawns Rhyng-Gol 14/11/15
- Sunday Night Movies 15/11/15
- Housing Fair 19/11/15
- Movember Night 25/11/15

#### RAG MONTH

We are now 12 days in to AberSU's RAG month! This month all sports and societies will be putting on events to raise money for our 3 main charities, Ceredigion Care, Stonewall Cymru and The Teenage Cancer Trust. There are various events going on from plant sales to quizzes to bingo, so keep your eyes-and your wallets open and help support your fellow students, and our 3 worthy charities. Teenage Cancer Trust wristbands available at reception for £1.

Keep an eye on Facebook for various RAG events!

#### TICKLED PINK NAKED CALENDAR

13/11/15, 10-14:00, Outside AberSU Shop

Tickled Pink will be selling their naked calendar outside the union shop on Friday between 10 and 2pm. The calendar features 12 societies and sports clubs from the uni. Calendars are £7 and all profits raised go to our charities CoppaFeel! and Breast Cancer Care.

Come and buy a calendar and check your boobs!

# PETER HANCOCK NEED & MERIT SCHOLARSHIP FUND

**Deadline: 26/11/15** 

Following the donation of £506,000 to Aberystwyth University from Peter Hancock, the Need & Merit Scholarship is now taking application from 'deserving, meritorious, in-need Year 2 Honours students who show potential to benefit society through the successful completion of their degree'.

The application deadline for the inaugural scholarships is 26 November 2015. The inaugural group of scholarship recipients will be announced on Thursday, 10th of December 2015.

For more information please see the website: <a href="http://www.aber.ac.uk/en/student-finance/money-management/peter-hancock-fund/">http://www.aber.ac.uk/en/student-finance/money-management/peter-hancock-fund/</a>



TeamAber are now in full swing for the season with all clubs pushing hard to bring back wins. Doing particularly well this season are the Harriers who have had podium positions in the Aber Twin Peaks challenge and the Betws-y-Coed challenge. Korfball played their first league games, coming up against some tough opponents. Aber Surf travelled to Cornwall for BUCS but bad swell cut their competition short and Aber Snow did fantastically at their first round of Kings.

For full BUCS Wednesday fixtures please visit the TeamAber facebook page.



Hey all, Aber FTPS shall be starting productions VERY soon! If you're interested in getting involved with cinematography, directing, sound design, lighting effects, editing or acting in our productions, do not hesitate to get in touch with us! Our productions shall commence from Monday 9th November onwards, and want to ensure everyone interested has the opportunity to get involved. We have a lot of immense ideas, so come and check us out! Message the Facebook page, tell us what you're interested in! <a href="https://www.facebook.com/AberFTPS">www.facebook.com/AberFTPS</a>



13/11/15, 12:00, Online

We all know life at Aber is great but there is always room for improvement.

As you probably already know, AberSU is obsessed with helping you shape everything around you in any way we can. So if you have an idea about how we can make the Union, University or Community a better place, then we want to hear about it.

Tell us and make your idea a reality by 12pm, Friday 13th November via the website.

Submit your Ideas about how we can change Aber for the better.

http://www.abersu.co.uk/changeaber/myideas/

#### CERDYN COCH OCTOBER UPDATE

In October, £30 was paid to Clubs & Societies for returning their completed 'Cerdyn Coch' cards to the welcome desk – it's as easy as that to earn money for your club or society! To participate in this, please collect your cards from the Welcome Desk, Finance Office or Cwtch Bar and collect stamps when you purchase drinks or Stone Willy's food over the bar. Terms and conditions apply.

http://www.abersu.co.uk/cerdyncoch/



On Friday the 13th between 5-7pm, students will be ensuring that our campus does not waste energy. Creating positive impact of tackling energy wastage, on a campus-wide, collective scale

Find out more <a href="http://www.green-impact.org.uk">http://www.green-impact.org.uk</a> or email Heather Crump <a href="hec7@aber.ac.uk">hec7@aber.ac.uk</a> to get more information

http://www.nus.org.uk/en/greener-projects/greener-institutions/blackout

#### Y DDAWNS RYNG-GOLEGOL

14/11/15, 20:00, AberSU

One of the highlights of the year for Welsh students – "Y Ddawns Ryng-golegol." A gig held at the union with students from Bangor, Cardiff, Carmarthen, Swansea and further come to Aberystwyth. The Dance will be held on the 14th of November this year. With less than a month to go, tickets are now on sale for £10 from the Students' Union Welcome Desk.



16/11/15, 11:00, AberSU

As part of Alcohol Awareness Week, the SU will be holding a FREE SAMPLE Mocktail Bar for you at the Students' Union Picture House @ 11am on the 16th of November.

Come try our Mocktails on Monday:)

# KARMA COLA: 'WHAT GOES AROUND'

Fairtrade cola, lemonade and ginger ale are now available from the SU shop! These drinks are made by the UK's only fairtrade, organic cola company, Karma Cola, who say "Unlike other soft drinks, ours are made from good organic, fairtrade ingredients,& the lightly processed kind of sugar that isn't bleached white with sulphur". Karma Cola – drink no evil!

Come to your Union Shop and have a look!

### INTERESTED IN MAKING A DIFFERENCE?

Aberystwyth conservation volunteers is a student run society focusing on working with local organisations, this semester we have worked with several organisations; from transplanting tropical species at the Magic of Life Butterfly House to renovating the paths at CAT. If you're interested in joining us on o weekly tasks or garden sessions drop us a message. We have much more info available on our facebook page or the ACV board on the bottom floor of Edward Llwyd.

Head to our facebook to find out more or email scty22@aber.ac.uk

https://www.facebook.com/groups/AberystwythConservationVolunteers/?fref=ts



Starbucks Red Cups signal the start of the festive season for many of our customers! We'll be serving all the favourites you know and love from Thursday the 5th of November - The Gingerbread Latte, Eggnog Latte & Toffee Nut Latte. These heart-warming beverages would even melt Mr Jack Frost himself!

Pop in to the SU to try these Christmas favourites soon – they won't be here for long!



Housing Fair in the Students' Union.

Know your options! The fair will help you decide between university halls and private accommodation. Also, the Advice Centre will answer your questions if you have any.

Join us on Thursday, 19th November, 10am – 4pm, in the Main Room.

Join our event and invite friends in need!

http://bit.ly/housingfair2015

### SUNDAY NIGHT MOVIES 15/11/15, 20:00, AberSU

It's time for the first triple movie night of the year, as we cover the Hunger Games entire story in the run up to Mockingjay Part 2 releasing next week! This one lasts a while, we encourage PJs and Onesies... no one will judge you!

http://www.abersu.co.uk/ents/event/2496/



Team Aber kit bags and separates are now available to buy in the Union - whether you want the whole bundle or an individual item, pick it up in the SU Shop now!

Show you're part of Team Aber!

# STUDENTS: FREE VOUCHERS AND PIZZA FOR AN HOUR OF YOUR TIME

For a chance to receive £10 Hospitality credit and free pizza, join our Information Services Focus Group. We are looking for students who will engage with IS to provide feedback and suggest ideas for improving service. If you have good ideas about how to improve the IT, library and media facilities for your studies, please email <a href="is-focus@aber.ac.uk">is-focus@aber.ac.uk</a>

http://www.aber.ac.uk/en/is/feedback/focusgroup/

## TANGO CLASSES IN THE ARTS CENTRE

5 tango classes in the Aberystwyth University Arts Centre start on Thursday 12 November, from 7.30pm till 9pm. You can join at any time, but you have to pay for the 5 lessons at the Box Office.

Please, book in advance or on the same day at the Box Office.

http://abertango1.blogspot.co.uk/2015/11/tango-classes.html#more

### THE ORGANIC FOOD COOP IS BACK!

17/11/15, 12-14:00, AberSU

The Organic Food Coop will be running a stall every Tuesday between 12pm and 4pm in the Students' Union. We sell organic fruit, veg and eggs at affordable prices to students and staff.

Please pop by the stall or check us out on Facebook!

https://www.facebook.com/groups/aberystwythfoodcoop/



Look out for the weekly roundup of news, events and club and society information every week during term time – **your opportunity to get news out to the whole student body**. If you want to include something in the weekly email, please send us a maximum of 80 words in either Welsh or English by Tuesday at 12pm (<u>via this page</u>) which will then be included in the Thursday edition.

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