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GUILD COUNCIL

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Executive Summary:	This motion talks about lobbying the University Sports Centre to stop charging students membership fees during holiday breaks. It calls for the Vice President Sport to ensure that it is optional for students to pay for the holiday period when purchasing memberships
GOG Recommendation:	Approval

More sport...less cost!

Guild Council Notes:

1. Students at present must pay for membership to the Munrow Sports Centre gym, pool and courts either annually or every 3 months.
2. Students must pay for membership during holiday breaks when many students go home, therefore effectively paying for months when they will not be in university.
3. Many are discouraged from joining as it is seen as wasted money.

Guild Council Believes:

1. Students should be encouraged to participate in exercise and healthy living.
2. Sport should be accessible to all and people should not be discouraged by having to pay for something when they will not use it.

Guild Council Resolves:

1. To lobby the Munrow sports centre and university to ensure it is optional for students to pay for the holidays when purchasing membership for the gym, pool and courts.

Guild Council Mandates:

1. The VPS to lobby the Munrow sports centre and university to create a pay-as-you-go system for the gym and other facilities.

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