

## **SCC report**

### **Financial Report (Exec and Clubs)**

The finances of the exec are steady at about £275. No financial transactions have yet been recorded by the SCC exec. In general the finances of the clubs have been good. International Tamil have made good headway in repaying their substantial debt. However Labour and Conservative society made a significant loss on an event which was sufficient to put the Labour society in the red. This is currently being monitored by the SCC treasurer.

### **Constitution Changes**

Several constitutional changes were made during the first term around the creation of new posts and one change of club name. All were passed unanimously. It has however been brought to my attention that the clubs often cannot locate their constitutions and that the constitutions are too long and variable where most of their content should be Union policy and not at the discretion of the clubs. It is therefore recommended by the SCC exec that this situation is reviewed. The SCC standing orders will be rewritten this term and taken to the society meetings.

### **Club Membership**

On the whole club membership for the SCC is high. However there are some clubs who will be reviewed – notably Cascade with very low numbers for their membership although others are also below the 20 member mark.

### **Exec meetings**

Exec meetings were held every month with relatively high attendance. Under the new format meetings are much shorter with the shortest being achieved at 10 minutes – this has been widely viewed as an improvement to the situation. Meeting dates have already been sent out for this term. Of note is the dissolution of five clubs which the Union has been made aware of separately – Collecting, Atheist and Agnostic, Ahmadiyya Muslim Students Association, Stop The War and Libertarian have all been dissolved at executive meetings and this executive will continue to take a firm line on clubs that fail to pull their weight in a Union that already has a very high number of clubs. Considerations are also on-going regarding the transfer of two clubs to projects and two further clubs to OSC.

### **Contingency awards**

No contingency awards have been made by SCC exec this year to date.

### **Tours**

No tours have been made this year to date although an application is current being pursued by Artsoc.

### **Any particular club issues, e.g. instructors, cost of transport, naughty clubs**

Naughty clubs have in general been few and far between. However there have been issues with the online tests with some clubs claiming that they have done them but it has not registered on the system. This has certainly been the case with risk assessments where I have witnessed the submission from one club but this was not registered online and the Union has no record of it. In general however the clubs have performed well and not found any significant problems excepting the new finance pages.