

Girls on Tour 2013

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Union Notes:

1. Traditionally Anglia Ruskin Students' Union attends 'sports Tour' every year. The two Experience Officers are mandated to attend in a Supervisory role and are not required to take annual leave to do so.
2. Whilst others attend in supervisory roles, there are no rules for a mandated Women's place. This year as both Experience Officers are male there is no guarantee that there will be a female in a supervisory role on this year's tour.

Union Believes:

1. That if we are facilitating students to go on 'Sports Tour' and to ensure their safety and welfare, the Students' Union will provide at least the two Experience Officers to attend as supervisors.
2. That in order to be inclusive and representative, we designate at least one Female supervisory place on the 'Sports Tour' as women are recognised by NUS as an underrepresented group.
3. In the event of both Experience officers being female in future years, the opposite rule would be in place to guarantee at least one male supervisory place.

Union Resolves:

1. To ensure that there is always a girl on tour (or boy)
2. To actively review policy to ensure that there is equal gender representation in a supervisory role on the annual 'Sports Tour'.
3. That those Officers going in a supervisory role, if they are not Experience officers, will not be required to take annual leave in order to attend.