



Fresher's Week:

The year started with a bang showcasing our fantastic sports clubs through the Sport's Day and Sports Fair. This gave students the opportunity to get involved and potentially try something new! If you saw something you liked but didn't get the chance to give it a go just contact the club via bathstudent.com and head to a session!



A message from your Sports Officer:

Holly Clemens

Welcome to the 2015/16 sport year at Bath. It gives me great pleasure to welcome you back to wearing #BlueAndGold, representing your University at all your sporting levels.

The offer of sport has once again grown due to the continuation of BUCS teams and expansion of the 3:Thirty Club. Sport here is for everyone.

This year will bring major sporting events and activities which will provide all the opportunities to get involved in sport in a number of ways.

Good luck to everyone competing and wear your #BlueAndGold with pride!

Keep up to date on Twitter through @BathSUSport and remember to send me any pictures from #BUCSWednesdays!

CRPS UK 12 Hour Cycle:

On Monday 2nd November, a group of incredible individuals from CRPS UK set out in the STV to cycle for 12 hours straight. CRPS (Complex Regional Pain Syndrome) is a chronic condition with a range of symptoms. It can be triggered by a small injury or can occur spontaneously. Symptoms include severe pain lasting after an injury occurs, swelling, temperature/colour changes, and movement difficulties.



Rosie Lawrence, our disability sport coordinator helped organise the event and afterwards said "CRPS sufferers deal with pain on levels I can't imagine on a daily basis but stay positive and cheerful, even after 12 hours and 100 miles on an arm cycle!

They were truly inspiring today and I can't congratulate them enough for making it through the day. Thank you to everyone who helped out and donated today!"

This Week's Home Fixtures:

| SPORT | LEAGUE | TEAM | OPPOSITION | VENUE | TIME |
|-----------------|-----------------|------------|--|------------------------------|---------|
| BADMINTON | Premier South | Mens 1st | Imperial College London Mens 1st | STV 3 | 1pm |
| BADMINTON | Premier South | Womens 1st | University College London Womens 1st | STV 3 | 1pm |
| BADMINTON | Western 1A | Mens 3rd | University of Bristol Mens 1st | STV 2 | 1pm |
| BADMINTON | Western 1A | Womens 3rd | University of Bristol Womens 1st | STV 2 | 1pm |
| BASKETBALL | Premier South | Mens 1st | London South Bank University Mens 1st | Founders Hall 1-4 | 1pm |
| BASKETBALL | Western 2B | Mens 2nd | University of South Wales Mens 1st | Founders Hall 1-4 | 3pm |
| FENCING | Premier South | Mens 1st | University College London Mens 1st | Fencing Salle STV | 3pm |
| FOOTBALL | Premier South | Mens 1st | Hartpury College Mens 1st | St Johns 1 | 2pm |
| FOOTBALL | Premier South | Womens 1st | University of Gloucestershire Womens 1st | St Johns 2 | 2pm |
| FOOTBALL | Western 2B | Mens 2nd | Cardiff University Mens 2nd | St Johns 3 | 2pm |
| FOOTBALL | Western 4A | Mens 4th | Hartpury College Mens 4th | Limekiln | 2pm |
| GOLF | Premier South | Mixed | Merrist Wood College Mixed 1st | Bath Golf Course | 12pm |
| HOCKEY | Premier A South | Mens 1st | Oxford Brookes University Mens 1st | Sitec pitch (waterbased) STV | 1pm |
| HOCKEY | Premier A South | Womens 1st | Oxford Brookes University Womens 1st | Sitec pitch (waterbased) STV | 2:30pm |
| HOCKEY | Western 1A | Mens 2nd | University of Gloucestershire Mens 1st | Sitec pitch (waterbased) STV | 4pm |
| HOCKEY | Western 2A | Womens 2nd | University of Plymouth Womens 1st | Astro 1, STV | 1pm |
| HOCKEY | Western 2A | Mens 3rd | University of Exeter Mens 5th | Astro 1, STV | 2:30pm |
| HOCKEY | Western 3A | Mens 5th | University of Southampton Mens 2nd | Astro 1, STV | 4pm |
| LACROSSE | Premier South | Womens 1st | University of Exeter Womens 1st | Medical Pitch | 1pm |
| LACROSSE | Western 2A | Womens 2nd | Royal Agricultural University Womens 1st | Medical Pitch | 2:30pm |
| NETBALL | Premier South | Womens 1st | Cardiff University Womens 1st | STV 1 | 2:30pm |
| NETBALL | Western 2A | Womens 3rd | University of Plymouth Womens 1st | STV 1 | 1pm |
| RUGBY UNION (M) | Premier South B | Mens 2nd | Hartpury College Mens 2nd | Sulis pitch 1 | 2pm |
| RUGBY UNION (W) | Western 1A | Womens 1st | University of Wales Trinity St David Womens 1st (Carmarthen) | Limekiln | 2pm |
| SQUASH | Western 1A | Mens 1st | Cardiff University Mens 1st | Founders Hall Courts | 1pm |
| SQUASH | Western 1A | Womens 1st | Cardiff University Womens 1st | Founders Hall Courts | 1pm |
| SQUASH | Western 2A | Mens 2nd | University of Plymouth Mens 1st | Founders Hall Courts | 1pm |
| ULTIMATE | Western 1A | Mens 1st | University of Exeter Mens 1st | Sulis Pitch | 2pm |
| VOLLEYBALL | Western 1A | Mens 1st | University of the West of England (UWE) Mens 1st | Founders Hall 5-8 | 12:30pm |
| VOLLEYBALL | Western 2B | Womens 1st | University of South Wales Womens 1st | Founders Hall 5-8 | 3pm |

LOOK OUT on social media for our BUCS fixtures this week and go down and support #BUCSWednesday! There will even be #BlueAndGold facepaint available to show your support!

KEEP UPDATED by following us on Twitter @UOBathSUSport
Facebook: Bath SU Sport

Team of the Week 28.10.2015:

Congratulations to our LACROSSE MEN's 1st who were awarded Team of the Week after an incredible win against Oxford University Men's 1st !



Feature Sport:

After rapid growth in popularity to match it's fast passed game play, handball plan to keep up the momentum for the upcoming season.

Expectation is particularly high for the men's first team who were runners up in the National University Championships. This tournament gave the chance for the club to head to Birmingham on 3 separate weekends, staying in hotels together, playing plenty of Handball. It's not the first time our blue and gold handball greats have attended the tournament, most notably in 2012 the women's 1st team won the tournament, only 5 years after the birth of the club in 2007.

Don't be fooled by their elite standard of play, the club still pride themselves on being very sociable and open to everyone.

The club's Chair - Helen - says "We have such a mix of experience on our teams, from elite members of national teams to complete beginners, which means that everyone has a chance to develop as a handballer!"

Helen also gives detail into last years "#TOURTOURTOUR to the exclusive, notorious beach resort of... Woolacombe in Devon", and suggests the plan for next year could be a trip to Euro 16 in France.

Disability Sport:

We had a record number of over 50 sign-ups for disability sport at the sports fair which is a brilliant start to the year so thank-you to everyone who signed up!

There are a lot of opportunities to get involved with disability sport and it is for everyone, not just those with disabilities.

LOOK OUT FOR...

-Disability sports days at the end of each semester for everyone to try out a range of different activities.

-Fundraisers around campus

For more information please contact Rosie:

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The **Volunteer Recognition Scheme** has begun and you can still register your club. To find out more about how this can help you and your club, visit the **SU Sport Moodle page** Or speak to our Katrina, our Volunteer Recognition Exec!
Email: kmh37@bath.ac.uk.

WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL TASTER SESSION

Founder's Hall , Tuesday 6th October, 4-5pm! Everyone welcome!

Sport Exec Spotlight: Recreational Coordinator



Hi, I'm Josh, a second year Sport and Social Science student, I play Lacrosse and do Athletics. This year I aim to look into the inter-halls structure and work out how we can improve it to include more students and sports.

The 3:Thirty Club is an excellent way to get involved in free sport that aims to get people active by bringing sport to you. Weekly 'Top-Up' sessions in mixed netball, tag rugby and basketball are a great way to get involved without the commitment.

If I could play any sport it would be ice hockey without a doubt.. The mixture of skill and a bit of violence makes for an exciting game.

I'm here to help so if you have any suggestions please let me know! #BeAPartOfIt