

# SU Sport Newsletter - brought to you by the Sport Executive Committee

What to watch out for next semester...

- 13th-17th February: Inter-Halls Championships, Make sure your halls (current or previous) are crowned Champions of Bath, by taking part or coming down to watch!
- 21st-22nd March: Big BUCS Wednesday, 40 finals from 15 sports, showcasing the best university sporting talent in the UK, and you can see it all on campus! Click HERE for more details
- · 29th March: Varsity, This year Cardiff Met are hosting us, so don't miss out on coach tickets which will be on sale in Semester 2. More to be announced, keep an eye on the

## **FACEBOOK EVENT**

· 26th April (TBC): Disability Sports Day, Free for anyone to participate in it, this year promises to be bigger than ever with more adapted sports!

## Rugby League - Title Winners and Team of the Semester!!

University of Bath Rugby League team, AKA Bath Broncos, are the first team of the 2016-17 season to have brought home a title! Remaining undefeated in the league and averaging a goal difference of +50 per match, they finished the job last week with a 54-16 win to Cardiff Met, at home, who were the last team left with any chance of reaching the top spot. After a stunning derby win of 70-12 the week before against

Bristol, the Broncos were right to feel confident going in to the league decider, embracing the nerves and generating that into yet another superb performance.

That's not the end of their season, however. Looking in to next semester, the Broncos will be channelling all their effort



into securing their spot in BUCS Big Wednesday, which will see Bath host the final of the cup. In his guest appearance on the Sport Show 2 weeks ago, Rugby League Coordinator James Exley sounded quietly confident of their chances. Having made it to the final last year, this year they hope that the home crowd advantage will push them to

victory! The league win has also earned them the chance to battle out against the winners of the South East, in playoffs for a spot in the Premier South in March. Definitely one to watch!

## **SU Sport Radio Show!**

DON'T MISS OUT! The new season of the SU Sport radio show is on air every week on Thursdays from 5-6pm, bringing you interviews (and a quiz!) with different SU Sport clubs each week, latest results and upcoming fixtures. To come on the show or to get a post-match shout-out, email hp419@bath.ac.uk.

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#### Free Fitness Session!

Any member of SU Sport can come along to FREE FITNESS SESSIONS led by an instructor, with or without your teammates, every Monday in the Founders Hall at 7-8pm. Don't miss out!



## **SU Dance Off - Strictly Come Bath!**

This Thursday, Latin & Ballroom will be setting the stage for 8 leading members of the SU community, and their dance partners, to battle it out for the charity of their choice—dance off style! Each couple have spent the last few weeks perfecting their performances, and are ready to win your vote. The non-dancers going head-to-head are Will Galloway, Katherine Moynihan, Rob Coming, Ashia Fenwick, Tom Field, Olivia Perfect, Ollie Lee and Maddie Hollis. Tickets can be found online at <a href="edgearts.org">edgearts.org</a> or at the Box Office in The Edge.

# Futsal Dominate BUCS Leagues!

All three futsal teams at Bath will be seeing out the semester within reach of promotion following a momentous string of wins. The Men's 1st team avenged an early season loss to Bristol with an 8-2 victory when they met them again at home. With Cardiff on equal points, but trailing behind due to a narrow but wellfought win for Bath when they went head to head, Bath will face a tough first



match of the second semester when they play them again, this time in Cardiff.

The Men's 2nd team are also topping their league having won 5 out of 7 games so far, with just one match left to play against 3rd place Cardiff Met next semester. Having beaten 2nd place Cardiff 2nds 5-2 away, the odds are in Bath's favour to go all the way! Once that's out of the way, all eyes will be on the cup, which Bath 2nds started their bid for with an 11-1 win against East London in a cup game last weekend!

The Women's 1st team are also within reaching distance of the top spot, with only Bristol above them with a game in hand. Bath will face Bristol at home in their first match back next semester; if they win, Bath will be set up to jump to the top providing they maintain the form they have displayed so far this season, taking a goal difference of 23 from their last 3 matches!

With several exciting fixtures coming up for Futsal in Semester 2, and title wins looking more and more likely, they are definitely a sport to keep an eye on!





# **Brendon Court Dodge Their Way to Inter-halls Victory!**

Saturday 10th saw a strong force from Brendon Court emerge victorious in Inter-halls Dodgeball, the first of the Interhalls events of the 16/17 season. Your Sport Hall Reps would like to thank everyone who took part in the tournament and made it such an enjoyable day. Well done to the Sport Hall Reps for organising the event!

Interested in Inter-Halls sport? There will be plenty more where that came from in the next semester, kicking off with a week-long Inter-Halls Championship in collaboration with several sports clubs across campus! These events aren't exclusive to freshers, anyone is welcome to represent their previous





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