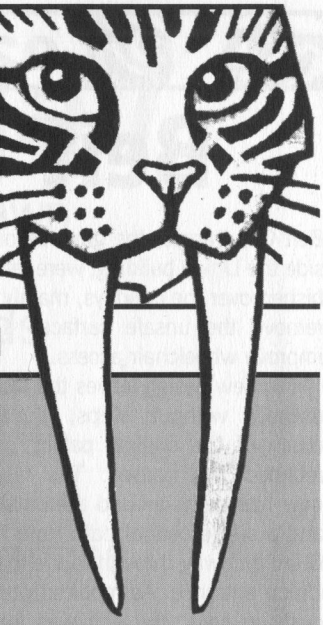


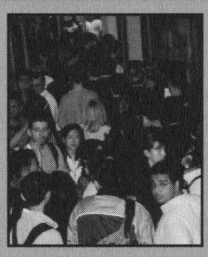
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Extreme ASCAR racing: Driving on the edge (Page 12)



Day Security Threatened

College Security staff have been facing increasing job uncertainty over the holidays due to a drive to get more staff on the beat.

Felix has been keeping an eye on the situation since it was first announced that provision of 'day guards' would stop on the 1st October of this year. The day guards man the security lodges in departments, as well as in Southside and the familiar lodge in Beit Quad where access to club and society facilities is managed. They also take care of departmental post.

In a memo sent during July by Keith Reynolds, Head of Security, Post and Fire services, it was announced that the sixteen day guard posts would be replaced with sixteen patrolling posts, in order to provide "effective patrol and response duties". These new patrolling posts were to have different hours and rates of pay, and while the day guards were eligible to apply for the new positions, there was no guarantee that their jobs were secure. Redundancy was the likely alternative for those guards not given a patrolling job.



Day guards not the only officers to disappear?

On 1st August, the situation further escalated when all Security Officers were warned that their terms of employment were to be reviewed. Meanwhile, some of the day guards previously threatened had sought alternative employment

or had even planned to take the improved redundancy package offered to them the previous month.

The situation changed once again on 9th September when it emerged that Conferences would fund fifteen Campus Receptionist jobs with an additional managerial role – happily matching the sixteen day guard positions that were originally to be lost. With the new employer would come new terms, but Keith Reynolds told *Felix* that they would be "very, very similar" to current hours and pay.

Unfortunately, those planning to leave with the improved redundancy package, either for retirement or other employment, no longer have that option, although some are still planning to leave for health reasons, according to Mr Reynolds.

Every departmental head contacted by *Felix* vehemently refused to comment, but it is clear that there is consternation in College about security arrangements for the future. AW

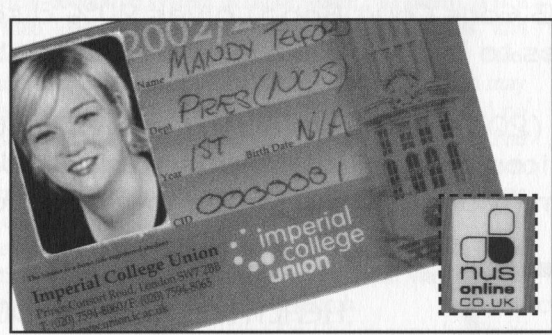
NUS by the Back Door

The National Union of Students seems to have crept into Imperial College despite an overwhelming rejection of the NUS by Imperial students last year.

The new Union card for the 2002-03 session is sponsored by Endsleigh Insurance, who are partly owned by the NUS, and bizarrely marketed as the only student insurers recommended by the body. As such, they include the NUS logo on their marketing material and the back of our Union card is no exception.

The result is that, although Imperial College Union is in no way affiliated with the NUS after students voted 72% against joining (probably on the grounds that beer prices may have gone up), our Union card features an NUS online logo.

It is unclear whether stores accepting only NUS cards for discounts will be taken in, but David Francis,



head of the 'Yes' campaign last year, was clearly amused. Imperial Union President Sen Ganesh added that the presence of the offending acronym had been "unexpected" but that the use of the Union cards would go ahead as planned. AW

INSIDE...

The Union President welcomes you to Imperial College, and invites you to get involved in running the place.

Freshers Week Diary, so at least you know where you can get that all-important drink.

Vintage cryptic crossword, which should give you something to do while queuing.

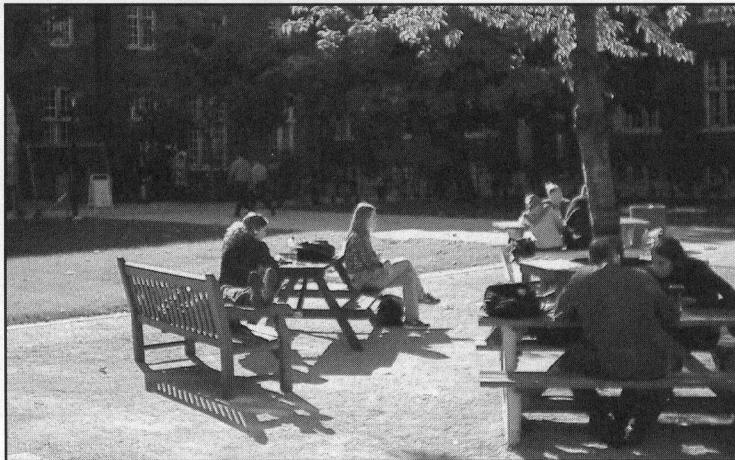
Four clubs reviewed for the first week of term, and a competition to win tickets to Fabric!

Beit Quad Improved?

Beit Quadrangle, the grounds outside the Union building, were refurbished over the holidays, mainly to remove the unsafe surfaces and improve wheelchair access.

The new design leaves the Quad entirely without steps, though much of the original paving was retained and reused. The Quad now has paths around the outside and a single central path from the Quad archway through to the main Union entrance. As reported previously in *Felix*, the aim was for a more Cambridge-like quadrangle feel, but we might have been taking the piss.

There has been some concern among Union drinkers using the tables outside about the 'bonded gravel' which has been used to cover those areas which aren't on the main path, but which are also unsuitable for turfing due to heavy traffic. The gravel is rapidly 'unbonding', creating more of a sandpit effect and problems for those charged with sweeping the



quad of cigarette butts.

Apart from that, it is hoped the new layout will satisfy the Health and Safety Executive who argued that the previous paving was a trip hazard in event of a fire, which might lead to a nighttime stampede of drunk students if it occurred during a large Union event. Despite Union interests, however, the project received only a small amount of funding from the Union for some

additional facilities, the remainder coming from College.

The greatest challenge yet for the new quad will be Freshers Week, which will no doubt see many attempts to destroy it. *AW*

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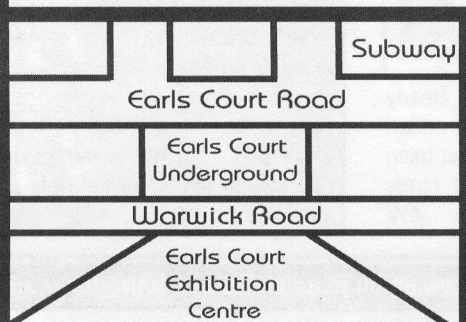
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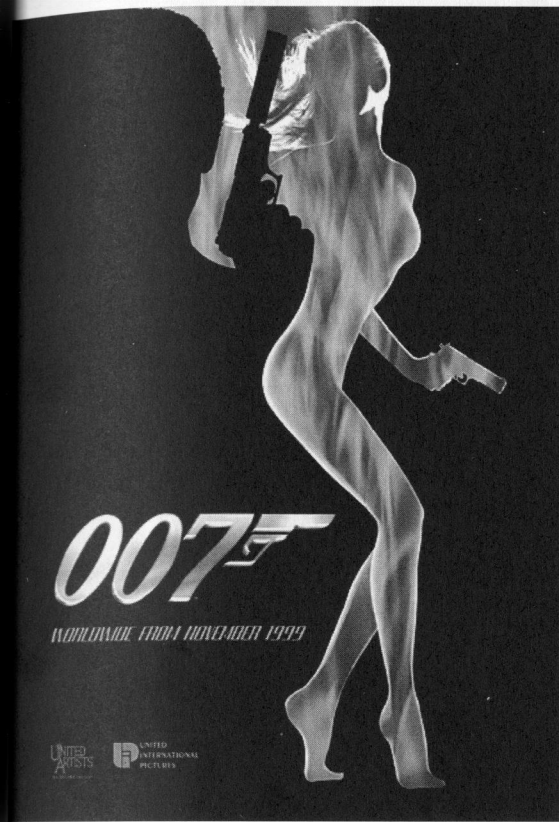
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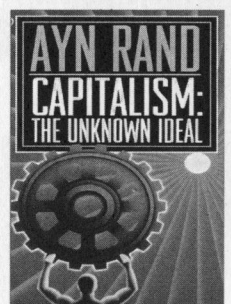
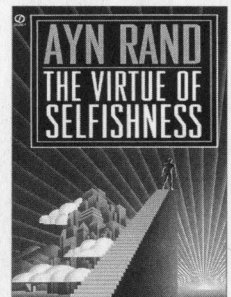
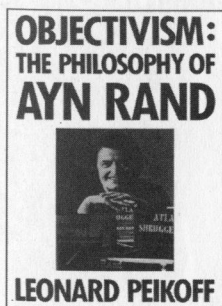
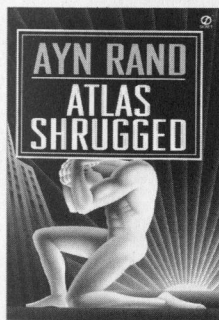
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Novelist-Philosopher Ayn Rand



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Editorial

Hi De Ho, campers. I am here so we can usher in the new term together, as old friends, and hopefully as new.

I hope you are all fully rested after your lovely summer holidays. You should rest happy in the knowledge that I am now significantly more tired than when the holidays started out, and not in a good way, let me tell you.

For those of you who don't know, I'm Will, and I edit this here newspaper. Although officially still a student, I graduated in July 2001, and since then I have been working on this. Not this issue, obviously, but *Felix* itself.

You should also, perhaps, be warned that I am prone to revealing fairly personal issues in this column, so if you are easily offended, then look away now. Until the end of the year.

But all this aside, I can write, as you can tell from my excellent use of a conjunction at the beginning of a paragraph, reasonably well,

as well I should, given the amount of practice I've had over the year. However, I do not like it, because I believe that *Felix* should be written by you lot, since it's you that read it. Therefore I'm asking anyone who's interested to come along and see us at Freshers Fair, or just come down to the office in the West Wing basements of Beit Quad, and you can help out completely at will. And this is because we're special here. There are no members to this club. Every other club you have to join, and give money to, but not this one. 'Write when you like, edit when you like, come and go as you like, and spend a fair amount of time in the bar if you like (researching stories, obviously)'. That was our motto, by the way. It's more catchy in Latin, no really - 'In vino veritas'.

So yeah, it's nice to see you all back here already. It seems like only yesterday that all my friends left, leaving me here languishing in my basement, but you'll all be

pleased to know that I have fully succeeded in having several mental breakdowns over the year, but I still manage to avoid becoming addicted to psychotropic drugs. Sorry - this is a reference to something I wrote at the beginning of last year (and I can assure you I am the only person that remembers), where I considered past editors and their mental healths having completed this job for a year. I am pleased to say that I am the most sane one, in my opinion. Which obviously goes to show how little work I must do.

So, to bring some of you up to scratch. The cat's name is Bridget, and while the more astute of you may recognise her from last year, you have to agree she's had a bit of a make-over. In case you're interested 'Felix' is her middle name. Yes, boys and girls, this is the whole new-look *Felix* that's had the Laurence Llewelyn-Bowen treatment and everything. And I must say she looks fantastic

(thanks Al). So yes. Only a few more hours until my deadline is really, truly upon me, and in that time all I have to do is write a few news stories. But why am I writing them, when you could do a so much better job? I don't know... maybe you're too lazy or busy during Freshers Week.

All those of you who are fans of my more interesting tales of woe and broken dreams may be sad to hear that at the moment I'm feeling relatively stable, but there are a few surprises in store for me next year, I'm sure, so do not fear: mental trauma will not be long in coming. And for the rest of you who like a bit of political commentary in your editorials, then let me just say that the current economic climate does not lend itself to the usual form of self-satisfied self-grandiosement to which you may well be accustomed.

And on that note, my good friends, Adios. Or should that be Au revoir? I don't know.

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FRESHERS WEEK 2002

Welcome to the first day of the rest... blah blah blah. Nothing you haven't heard before, I'm sure. But now is not the time for paternal lectures. Now is the time for merriment and adventure, and of course, to a certain extent, getting pissed out of your tree. This is a quick introduction to a rapid diary section (normally there's a more structured form for the diary in *Felix*, but not much happens in the first week except extreme excess, so I really couldn't be bothered) which will tell you where to go when, and possibly why and who with as well.

Saturday

Well, you are keen to go to Uni, aren't you? As a reward you can go to the Union for free (you usually have to pay for late licence nights - drinking till 1), and embarrass yourself horribly doing

Karaoke and dancing to cheese like the little cheese monkey that you undoubtedly are.

Sunday

You could sleep. People do, I've been told. Oh, and go and make friends with someone.

Monday

KERRANG! Really sums up an emotion, don't you think. Tonight the Union is having a bit of an ID crisis. Do we like rock (this is Kerrang!'s only London gig this year - one of the club's DJs is playing), or do we like cheese? Both will be playing in the Union, and I expect to see you all there, broadening your musical horizons. (Late licence night)

Tuesday

Right. Some bloke with a dog who hypnotises people (the dog

does, that is). I'm not joking. He's been here before, actually, and it's a really good laugh, but the entrance is tickets only at the door, so get there early.

Alternatively, if you think you're a bit too cerebral for such silliness, you could go to prove your intellectual superiority to all your new friends (but remember no-one likes a smart arse) in the room next door (where you don't need a ticket), because there'll be a bar quiz going on, where you can win all sorts of goodies.

Time Out

Just in case you hadn't noticed, everything I'm talking about is in the Union. That's because it's Freshers' Week, and that's where you should be. It's not just a blatant plug, so don't get all cynical and mature on me now. Have some fun, for crying out loud.

Wednesday

Yay! Cheesy wotsits! This is a bar night, also with a late licence, that goes on every Wednesday for the rest of your life, and it's fantastic. I may feel this way because many of the more formative moments of my life have stemmed from encounters here, but they may for you too. Anyway, just go and get drunk. Your liver has been evil. It must be punished.

Thursday

More comedy, this time with Daniel Kitson, who won the Edinburgh Festival Award for Extreme Funniness. This will certainly sell out, so get in there early.

Friday

It's a superhero fancy dress party. This will also sell out. Words cannot express how cool it will be. I'll be wearing PVC.

By Students, For Students

Welcome to Freshers

Firstly I would like to welcome you to Imperial College. You are about to enter one of the best Universities in the world with some of the best teaching and research to be found anywhere. It will be a challenging and exciting time in your life and we in the Union aim to help you during your time here.

The Union runs over 250 clubs and societies offering a wide range of activities, everything from ten-pin bowling to gliding and gives you the chance to meet people sharing a common interest. There is also an opportunity to get involved in the running of the Union. The Union is ultimately an organisation run by students for students and you can participate in its governance, have your say in Union policy, manage its services or even control a budget of millions. Details of how you can get involved are given below.

For many of you this will also be the first time you have lived away from home and you may feel slightly anxious of starting at a new University. If you have any problems or difficulties, please remember there is always someone here to help and the Union is usually a good place to start. Feel free to drop into my office to raise any concerns or ask for more information or simply have a chat, my door is always open. We have a wide range of support networks and

if we cannot help you we undoubtedly know someone who can.

Finally I would like to wish you all the very best with your studies and I look forward to meeting many of you over the coming year.

Want to run the Union?

The Union is run by students for students and every year a groups of officers are elected to govern and manage the Union. There are positions (see below) available for the various bodies that govern the Union.

Ordinary Member of Council

Council is the sovereign and governing body of the Union and exercises all powers of the Union. It is the supreme body of the Union and there are specific positions reserved for First Years and Post-graduates. Council meets once a month during term time.

Ordinary Member of Executive Committee

The Executive Committee is charged with the general management of the Union, co-ordinating Union affairs and controls Union finances (an annual turnover of £5m). The Executive Committee meets approximately once every two weeks.

Ordinary Member of Trading Committee

As a member of Trading Committee you will be in charge of the supervision of the trading outlets of the Union, namely Bars, Catering, Ents

and Events with a turnover of £1m. Trading Committee meets once a month during term time.

Ordinary Member of Services Committee

As a member of the Services Committee you will be charged with the co-ordination of Union services including Reception, Minibuses and the Union Advice Service. The committee meets once a month during term time.

Ordinary Member of Retail Committee

As a member of the Retail Committee you will be responsible for the supervision of the retail outlets of the Union including the shop and newsagent with an annual turnover of £1m. The committee meets once a month during the term time.

Ordinary Member of House Committee

As member of the House Committee you will be charged with the management and usage of the space under the control of the Union and have executive control of a maintenance budget. The House Committee meets twice a term.

You can sign up for these positions on the President's Notice Board on Level 1 of the Union Building (opposite the entrance to the Union Reception). For more information about these positions, please contact me.

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If you think that this all sounds intriguing (or even if you don't), come and find us in Beit Quad at the Freshers Fair on Tuesday 1st October and talk to our members or come to one of our workshops on Sunday 6th October at 2pm or 4pm, where you'll have the chance to get some hands-on experience at making a show. Anyone is welcome to join - we're always looking for new ideas and presenters. When else are you going to get the chance to run a television station, blag your way into gigs for free, or get horribly drunk with a potential audience of 10,000 people?

Even if you don't want to join, we broadcast to the JCR and dBs some lunchtimes, so you can

always watch and see what we've decided to release to the general public. Typically, we'll screen the most recent of the news programmes, a few music videos, some light entertainment and other more specialist shows.

To see the type of show we're currently making, visit our website, www.stoictv.com and have a look around. There you should find a recent edition of our news programme, as well as a documentary to download.

This documentary is a guide to the Union, filmed in the weeks before term started, for anyone who's ever been interested in how the Union works, and exactly what these sabbatical people we vote for every year do. Included is a guide to the Union building itself, as well as interviews with every sabbatical.

To get in contact with stoic for any reason at all, just email manager@stoictv.com, call 48104 from any college phone, or just come down to see us in the Media Centre in Beit Quad.

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Hello, and welcome to the first IC Radio column of the new year. IC Radio is the student radio station here at Imperial, broadcasting 24 hours a day, 7 days a week during term time.

Our programmes

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Make sure you tune in to our special programmes throughout the whole of Freshers' Week, including a live broadcast from Freshers' Fair. We'll be giving away a crateload of CDs, and four one-year supplies of McCoy's crisps.

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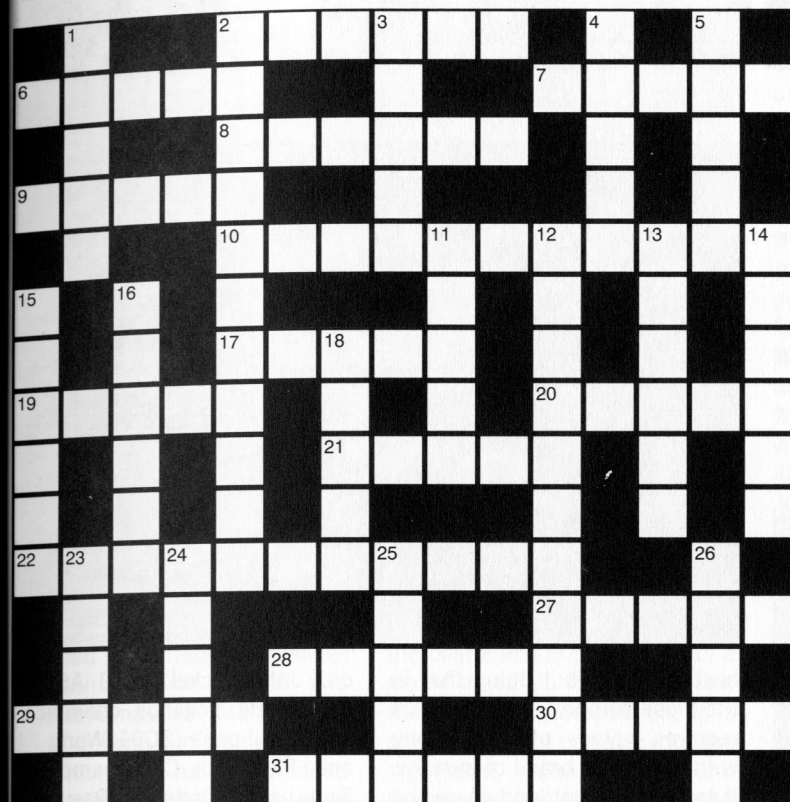
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- 2 Drier around restricted tool. (6)
- 6 Pleasing plant. (5)
- 7 Instrument is back on the road. (5)
- 8 Rest disturbed after former lover makes an effort. (6)
- 9 Employment of universal wise man. (5)
- 10 Embroidery is irritating, but has a purpose. (11)
- 17 Vital for music. (5)
- 19 Sorry to hear German sea feature. (5)
- 20 In the fog nothing is wet. (5)
- 21 Start shiatsu around America for food. (5)
- 22 Blush from lying helps interpret images. (5, 6)
- 27 Tread down to send it on its way. (5)
- 28 God has a plate for vegetable. (6)
- 29 Car carried by people. (5)
- 30 Sounds like I count a country. (5)

- 31 Imitate, and address to the top floor. (4-2)

Down

- 1 Stressed in the past, perhaps. (5)
- 2, 3 Eton held the f-word to be earth-shattering (3,3,2,3,5)
- 4 Nowhere to dance. (5)
- 5 Airline lie holds water. (5)
- 11 Punishment for cheesy flirtation. (5)
- 12 Competition for number one vessel. (11)
- 13 On the beat, eventually. (2, 4)
- 14 Beat on skin. (6)
- 15 Swallow point to bay. (6)
- 16 Turn metal in the back. (6)
- 18 Relish in August orgies. (5)
- 23 Burnt prize. (5)
- 24 Fight for piece of paper (5)
- 25 Note: Study is heavy. (5)
- 26 Broken lamp from the East is enough. (5)



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Quick Clues

Across

- 2 Very cold (6)
- 6 Weak (5)
- 7 Not horizontal (5)
- 8 Body hollow (6)
- 9 Throw, brief affair (5)
- 10 Giving support (11)
- 17 Feudal allegiance (5)
- 19 In addition (5)
- 20 Skill in handiwork (5)
- 21 Sub-continent (5)
- 22 Trickery (11)
- 27 Dried fruit (6)
- 28 Wine (6)
- 29 Normal (5)
- 30 Ice house (5)
- 31 Minister (6)

Down

- 1 Mythical creature (5)
- 2 Whipped (11)
- 3 Lighter (5)
- 4 Vernacular (5)
- 5 Cutlery item (5)
- 11 Piece of pipe (1-4)
- 12 Very important (11)
- 13 Mad (6)
- 14 Instrument (6)
- 15 Aromas (6)
- 16 Cake (6)
- 18 Looking at (5)
- 23 Booth (5)
- 24 In the area (5)
- 25 Clearing (5)
- 26 Irritate (5)

Greetings everyone! A quick word from me, Wailer Ned, to introduce this week's crossword, shamelessly stolen from Turnip Henry. In case you're new to these parts, you'll get a crossword each week written by someone with an increasingly stupid name. Usually we'll give prizes, but this is a repeat and we don't trust you not to look in your secret *Felix* archive.

If any of you would like a stupid name, or even better, would like to write crosswords, then e-mail us at felix@ic.ac.uk. With lots of love from your ever-camp crossworders,

Wailer Ned



Time To Kick ASCAR

If you're sick and tired of watching Formula One, you could well be forgiven for thinking that top line motor racing is interminably boring. That observation is amazingly far from the truth however, because on an industrial estate in Northamptonshire, you can see racing of a sort that will really make your hair stand on end. Imagine going to a circuit where you see cars dicing three wide at 170 miles an hour, where the action is relentless and where mistakes are met by a painful and expensive encounter with a concrete wall. Think of a place where bigger is most definitely better and where the noise is almost guaranteed to make your ears bleed.

plenty of manic action from the moment the first wheel turns in anger. Each race is over a fixed distance of 100 miles, with a single qualifying session setting the grid for the first race of the weekend. The finishing order of the first race determines the grid for the second race and so on. At the start, the field is held behind the pace car until the track goes green, and when it does, it unleashes a 60-lap frenzy of panel-bashing, paint-swapping, wall-scraping, high-speed drafting and that genuine rarity in Formula One - overtaking. Mandatory pit stops to take on two fresh tyres add to the spectacle and with only three mechanics allowed over the wall



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Ladies and gentlemen, welcome to ASCAR.

Anglo-American Stock Car Racing (or ASCAR for short) is a no-holds-barred, high-octane oval racing series loosely based on NASCAR Winston Cup. According to the specialist press, it is a championship that is going places fast, and one that is rapidly increasing in popularity among fans and drivers alike. It is not just a question of flooring the throttle pedal and turning left - there is far more to it than that, and as drivers are willing to testify, ASCAR is more of a way of life, one that is fast becoming very, very addictive.

The ASCAR format guarantees

into the hot pit lane, it always guarantees a certain level of mayhem. Plenty can go wrong during an ASCAR race and invariably does; this is racing where staying out of trouble is an art form and where the opportunist is king.

Underneath the eye-wateringly garish paint jobs, the 500 bhp V8-powered cars are essentially identical (if somewhat agricultural in the technology department), so succeeding in ASCAR depends purely on talent, balls and an astute racing brain. Driving a car at average lap speeds of 155 miles an hour just inches away from a concrete wall is a real test of skill at the

best of times, but doing that in the close company of other cars requires nerves of steel along with a peculiar brand of insanity. It takes a special kind of person to compete here - this is the stomping ground of hard, uncompromising racers and that is why only the best will ever win at this particular game.

The 2002 entry brings together the very best of UK circuit and oval competition, with a wealth of experience and talent from both sides of the divide. Those putting their considerable reputations on the line include Jason Plato (2001 BTCC champion), Kelvin Burt (2001 GTO sportscar champion and a former British Formula Three champi-

on), John Mickel (2001 ASCAR and World Legends champion) and Rob Speak (2001 World F1 and F2 Stock Car champion). Rally star Colin McRae and sportscar ace Ian McKellar Jr. have also guested in the series alongside the regulars,

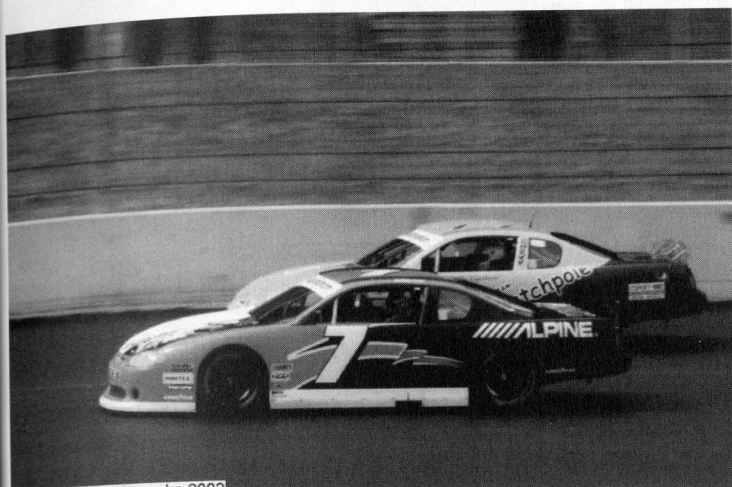


which also includes drivers from the US, France and Germany.

The fierce competitiveness and sheer unpredictability of this championship has been characterised by both the spread of results and the intense driver rivalries that have developed as the season has unfolded. Out of the fourteen races run so far this year there have been six different winners driving for a total of five



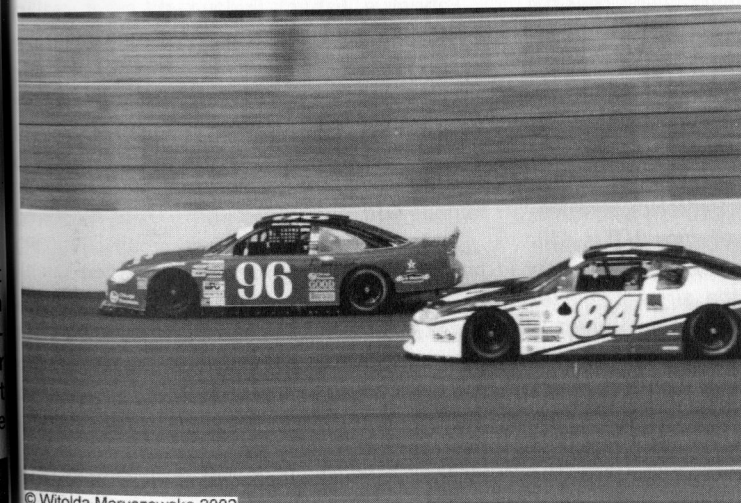
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different teams. Races are closely fought as a whole, but regulars to the series will not easily forget the sight of Jason Plato putting Stevie Hodgson on the grass at over 170 mph or the repeated and frequent clashes between Colin White and Nicolas Minassian. Many of the other drivers and some of the team managers have also added spice to the regular bouts of controversy - particularly in the season-long needle match between the circuit racers and the oval boys.

Everything about ASCAR and its support package of Legends and Pick-ups is geared towards the fans, and the whole atmosphere of a race weekend is friendly and welcoming without the bustle and impersonality of a major meeting. In only its first full season of competition, it is still a voyage of discovery for the organisers, technical crew and the teams, but they appear to have the balance right, from the intense and extremely close racing to the approachability of team personnel; drivers are



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For the most part, the racing had been hard but fair and with just two races left to run, there are still four drivers capable of winning the championship and taking the Mintex Cup away with them at the end of the year. The battling quartet of Kelvin Burt, Colin White, Nicolas Minassian and Jason Plato are separated by a paltry 59 points, and with 175 available for a win (not counting bonuses), anything can still happen and most probably will... ASCAR is like that.

more than happy to pose for photos and to sign autographs while mechanics delight in providing fans of all ages with used tyres to take home as souvenirs.

Rockingham Motor Speedway, known by regular racegoers as The Rock, is the spiritual home of ASCAR - built on the site of a former steelworks, it is the UK's newest circuit and only purpose-built oval. All but four of the Mintex Cup races are contested here, with the remainder being run at the Lausitz Euro

Speedway in Germany. Rockingham is just outside Corby so there is absolutely no excuse in saying its too far away or hard to get to. The facilities are top notch and really puts places like Silverstone and Brands Hatch to shame. The Rock is also the only circuit in the UK where you can watch the racing from the roof of the pits garages - well worth a visit for that alone. Aside from ASCAR, Rockingham also plays host to the only European round of the FedEx CART championship as well as other top-class national race meetings.

both days. If you do decide to go along and see for yourself, you can be sure that the good 'ol boys of ASCAR will put on a show that won't disappoint. Get real - who needs Formula One when you can have racing that's this good?

More photographs from this season's ASCAR meetings at Rockingham can be found at www.thruxton.f9.co.uk/gallery-circuit.htm. For further information on ASCAR and the Rockingham Motor Speedway, visit www.ascar.co.uk and www.rockingham.co.uk.

Thanks go to Jeff Carter and



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There is still time to sample the ASCAR experience this year, with the final two races that will decide the championship taking place on the weekend of the 5th and 6th of October. For those interested in going to Rockingham, a car pass for the practice and qualifying on the Saturday costs £5 and a ticket for Sunday's races is £15. Access to the paddock is free on

Jonathan Clark for their time and co-operation in producing this feature. Additional special mentions must go to Kelvin Burt for giving up some of his time in order to give me a good insight on ASCAR from a driver's perspective and to the RML and Bintliffe Sport crews for their news, views and comments throughout the season.

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NightLife



Welcome

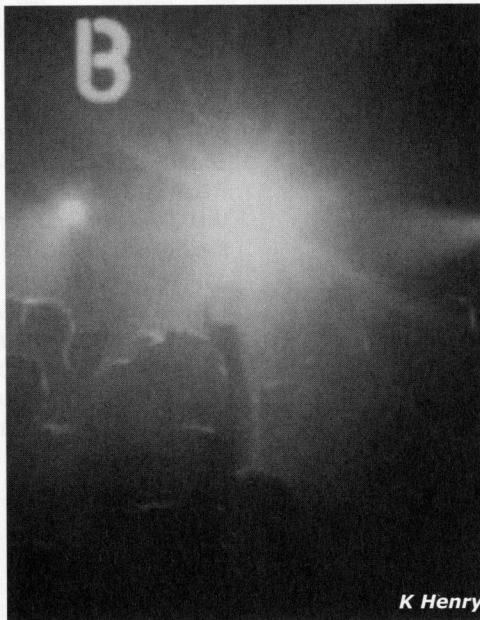
As summer has now definitely left the dance-floor, got a mini-cab home and gone to bed on the tail-end of a J, Felix's very own clubbing section, NightLife, finds itself left with the task of trying to invoke the party-spirit in all of you.

Every week NightLife will point you in the direction of the best events London has to offer and will even offer you the chance to go out for free through the competitions that are run in these very pages. In future issues there will also be interviews with DJs and dance artists - and other insights into the world of dance music and clubbing. So if you've lived in London all your life or only the last few hours, NightLife is going to supply you with just what you need to know to go out on the town and paint it any colour that you can think of.

NightLife isn't just a one-way thing. Whatever your taste in music, if you enjoy going out - but enjoy going out for free more - then get in touch with NightLife and you could be joining our review team. I am especially looking for people into R & B, UK Garage, and Drum'n'Bass because these have so far been under-represented - but anyone with a love of electronic music and going out should seriously consider getting involved. Just e-mail me at clubs.felix@ic.ac.uk to find out more.

Also, if you know of any club or event that you think needs to be covered in NightLife, give me a shout at clubs.felix@ic.ac.uk and I will try to make sure that it does not go unnoticed.

Take it easy.



K Henry

Bedrock

Thursday @ Heaven

This Thursday is Bedrock's fourth birthday, which means things are going to be a little bit more special than usual. The prospect of John Digweed, Phil Thompson and a "Very Special Guest" in the main room seems too good to miss, but with Soma Records taking over the Star Bar, you will also get for your money Stuart Mcmillan & Orde Meikle (Slam) tearing up the dancefloor.

Each month Bedrock promises talented DJs playing the very best of house, sleek visuals and a great atmosphere - and delivers every time. But perhaps one of Bedrock's best features is its enthusiastic, lively crowd. It is difficult not to get swept along when a tidal wave of cheers and hands in the air moves back through the audience when a crescendo is reached or the bass kicks in.

Heaven is perhaps one of London's most friendly clubs, with its well-lit bars, its intimate alcoves and lack of attitude. Bedrock and Heaven make a great team.

For your own sake: forget those Friday morning lectures and instead make time for this mid-week extravaganza.

John Digweed, Phil Thompson, Stuart Mcmillan and Orde Meikle (Slam) and one Very Special Guest.

Thursday 3rd October, 9:00pm - 3:00am

£6 NUS /£8 others before 11pm;
more after 11pm

Heaven, The Arches, Villiers Street, WC2
www.bedrock.org.uk



Fabriclive

Friday @ Fabric

For the uninitiated, Fabric is considered by many to be London's best club: everything from the neon-lit descent into the club to its innovative cutting-edge sound system has helped to make it a living legend of clubland.

Fabriclive, Fabric's Friday night event, really works hard to give you an experience unparalleled by any other major club in London. From the live performances by established and soon-to-be-big electronica acts to the verbal mayhem of the MCs in room two, it goes beyond simply offering you a line-up of famous DJs.

Testament to its abilities, Fabriclive can host between its room one and two such diverse sounds as quirky electro and hard-edged drum'n'bass simultaneously without it seeming like a bad segue.

Best of all, for a club which could have the most famous DJs in the world play there if they wanted, Fabric and Fabriclive avoid this obvious route. Instead they give their decks over to highly respected artists like Jacques Lu Cont and the Propellerheads, which guarantees to give you a unique Friday night out.

Hybrid, James Lavelle, Stanton Warriors, Fabio, Peshay, Krust, 4 Hero (DJ set), and Dub Pistols among many.

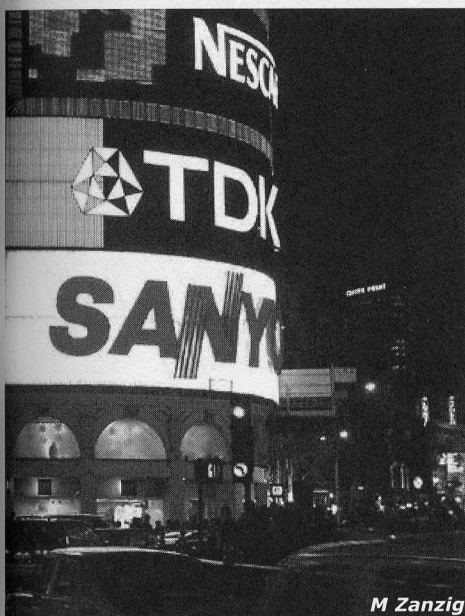
Friday 4th October, 9.30pm - 5.00am

£12 (£10 NUS)

Fabric, 77A Charterhouse Street, EC1
www.fabriclondon.com



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GarageCity

Saturday @ Bar Rumba

GarageCity is a night out which doesn't try to be sophisticated and cool - what it offers is good times and a warm welcome to all who walk through its doors.

Garage (which you might know as US Garage or Funky House) is the soundtrack to the evening; its caramel rhythms glisten on the tongue of every conversation and colours every single drink. Only the most cynical of music fans could resist being seduced by its melodious love-happy lyrics.

Here at GarageCity you will meet a mixed bunch of people. And because the crowd at GarageCity is so mixed, it is impossible to feel out of place. However, it is clear to see that everyone is united by their desire to enjoy themselves, like at an office party or sixth-form disco. Pheromones hang heavy in the air like cigarette smoke or over-applied cologne, charging up everyone's libido.

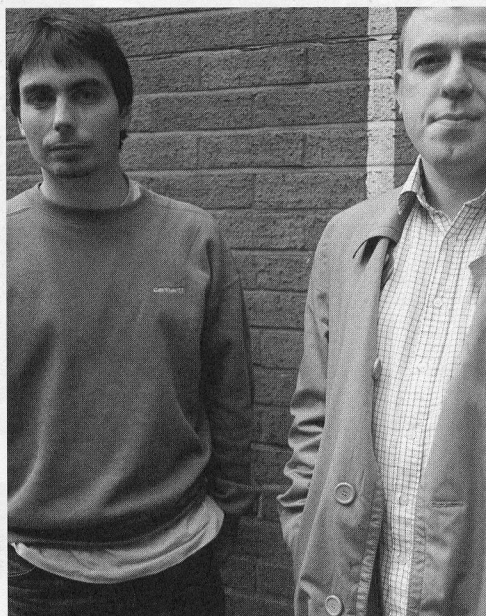
Come here and you'll discover Bar Rumba itself is like Southside Bar with make-up on. There is no cavernous main room, no DJ idolatry, no high-tech lighting - just good music and unpretentious fun. So enjoy it.

Craig Smith will be taking charge, but expect residents like Bobby & Steve, Chrissy T to be there also.

Saturday 5th October, 10:00pm until late

£7 before 11pm;
£12 after 11pm

Bar Rumba, 36 Shaftesbury Avenue
www.zooevents.com



Electric Chair

Sunday @ Bridge&Tunnel

The monthly Electric Chair night this Sunday is sure to be a lot more spiritually rewarding than watching Songs of Praise, with the deceptively named Unabombers bringing a little bit of soulfulness to the Bridge & Tunnel.

The Bridge & Tunnel is one of the classiest of recent additions to London's bar and club scene. It is a hybrid of bar and club: having both a stylish ground floor bar and a minimal basement dance-floor. It is intelligent conversation and not high impact dancing which is likely to be found here.

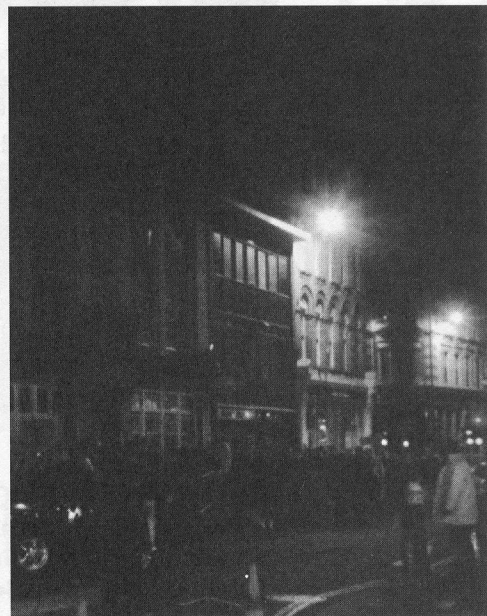
The Electric Chair night at the Bridge & Tunnel is actually a spin-off of the Unabombers' own infamous Electric Chair night in Manchester, which has developed a reputation for its musical diversity, featuring as different DJs as Mr Scruff, Fabio and Francois K in its history. In fact, the Unabombers own sets are known through out the land as being perhaps the most genre defying mixed-bag of sounds that is ever likely to be heard by man, woman or child. So prepare yourself for what is likely to be a whole evening of surprises.

Unabombers will be manning the decks.
Electric Chair is every first Sunday.

Sunday 6th October, 6:00pm until late

£3 after 7:00pm

Bridge & Tunnel, 4 Calvert Avenue, E2
www.bridgeandtunnel.co.uk



Competition

If this first week of the year has been a little too much for you, and you simply have to get out this week-end, check out our competition below - it might just be what you're looking for.

Felix's Clubbing Section is giving you the chance to win yourself a pair of tickets, courtesy of Fabric, to Fabriclive this Friday where you will get to dance to DJs such as Hybrid and James Lavelle. There are four pairs available, the winners to be chosen at random from all of you who answer this simple question below:

Which London Underground station is nearest to Fabric?

E-mail your answer to clubs.felix@ic.ac.uk before noon on Friday 4th October for the opportunity of winning a pair of tickets. Please include in your e-mail a contact phone number, so that I can inform you if you are a winner. These numbers will not be recorded or used for any other purposes.

Don't forget: if you love the idea of clubbing for free, then join the *Felix* clubbing review team. As a reviewer you will be offered the chance to go to any number of clubs in London, including all of the big names, and all you have to do in return is write a decent 150 word review of the event. This is a unique opportunity to go straight to the front of the queue, to get in for free, and maybe even get a V.I.P. pass and a free drink in the process. For more information e-mail:

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Gliding

As we neared two thousand feet, I pulled the release, turned hard left and waved good bye to the tow 'plane. As he dived away to my right I headed for the cloud dead ahead – a white, fluffy, well-developed cumulus cloud, it looked like it could be marking a strong thermal. As I passed under the sunlight side of the cloud, I felt the right wing of the glider being forced upwards. I pulled up and turned hard right to stay in the lift. Glancing at the instruments, and adjusting the radius of my turn, I soon found myself in the core of the thermal. The altimeter needle began to wind round the dial... 2000'...2100'... 2300'. Five minutes later, at 4000', the climb eventually petered out. I was now flying level with the cloud base, staring straight down at the airfield I launched from; now a tiny green strip between the trees.

Well, the weather wasn't quite that good every day, but many members of Imperial College Gliding Club (icGC) had similar experiences during our recent four-week summer expedition to

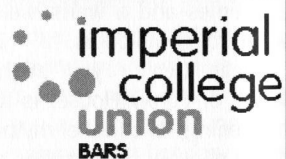
the Black Forest, Germany. Last year's expedition took us to the Spanish Pyrenees, while an expedition to the Czech Republic is on the cards for 2003. icGC is the longest established and best equipped gliding club in the UK, with a fleet of gliders consisting of a two-seat training glider and two high performance single seater gliders. Union subsidy means that icGC is without a doubt the cheapest and most accessible opportunity to learn to fly available. And if you're not sure if it's for you, why not take a no obligation trial flight for just £25.

Finally, several of the pilots who participated in this year's expedition took up gliding only last autumn, so if you start training now, you could be joining us next summer...

For more information, contact me at ajb@gliderpilot.net, visit our stand at the Freshers' Fair on Queen's Lawn (where you can't miss us) or come to one of our weekly meetings in Aeronautics Room 266, 12.30-13.15 on Fridays.

Alan Bamford

Live football From



Sat 28th Sept

12pm Leeds v Arsenal

8.30pm B. Betis v Barca

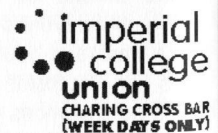
Sun 29th Sept

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Mon 30th Sept

8pm WBA v Blackburn



Tues 1st Oct

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Thursday 4th Oct

4pm Zaphorikya v Leeds

8pm FC Viking v Chelsea

FRESHERS FAIR 2002

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2PM-6PM

Welcome (or welcome back) to Imperial!

I hope you relaxed lots over the summer holidays, because now it's time to get up and do stuff, and I ain't talking about your degree either! This special pullout is designed to help you navigate your way around the now legendary Imperial College Union Freshers Fair. At one or more of the unassuming trestle tables you will hopefully find an activity or group that you will end up spending a fair proportion of your non-study time with. I believe they call it "Having Fun!" And how right they are. The fair is by far the best opportunity to become involved in one of the 250+ clubs and societies and start having the most fun in your university life!

The MDH is a bit of a mish-mash, with companies along one side, sport and recreational clubs down the other side, with a financial-industrial-business-type corner for good measure!

In the JCR, the religious societies are in the centre, with various other social and recreational clubs represented around the edges. And the Sir Alexander Fleming building is the place for clubs run by the medic student association and businesses of interest to medics, which are open to all.

Across the road in the Union Building, there is a plethora of activity! The stage in Beit Quad will host a number of performances from the artistic and musical societies as well as demos from martial arts clubs and fencing. The Quad will also be home to the Union Ents stall, where you can purchase tickets to all Union freshers week events such as the Super Heroes Party on Friday night. The RAG stall is also here, so sign up to do crazy things throughout the year in aid of good causes. There is also a cluster of adventure clubs here, as

well as the *Felix* stall and others. Those of you with an artistic streak should head for the concert hall, which



Phew! Having made that bold statement, it's time for the good news for those of you who may be thinking that they don't wish to join anything at all.

As usual, we have a number of commercial companies visiting us, with the aim of promoting their wares and services to your good selves. Some of them will have items to give to you for FREE. So turn up and get given things. Everyone's a winner, wouldn't you say?!

The handy maps contained in this pullout will hopefully guide you around the various areas, and help you pin down the exact location of your desired clubs and societies. (Although most people find aimless wandering is the Freshers fair navigation method *du jour*.)

As a rough guide, the companies and businesses will be mainly in the Ante Room, and the Main Dining Hall. In the Great Hall you will find all the overseas societies. Queens Lawn is full of outdoorsy-sporty-type clubs, as well as all the motoring clubs (outside the MDH) and departmental societies (outside the library)

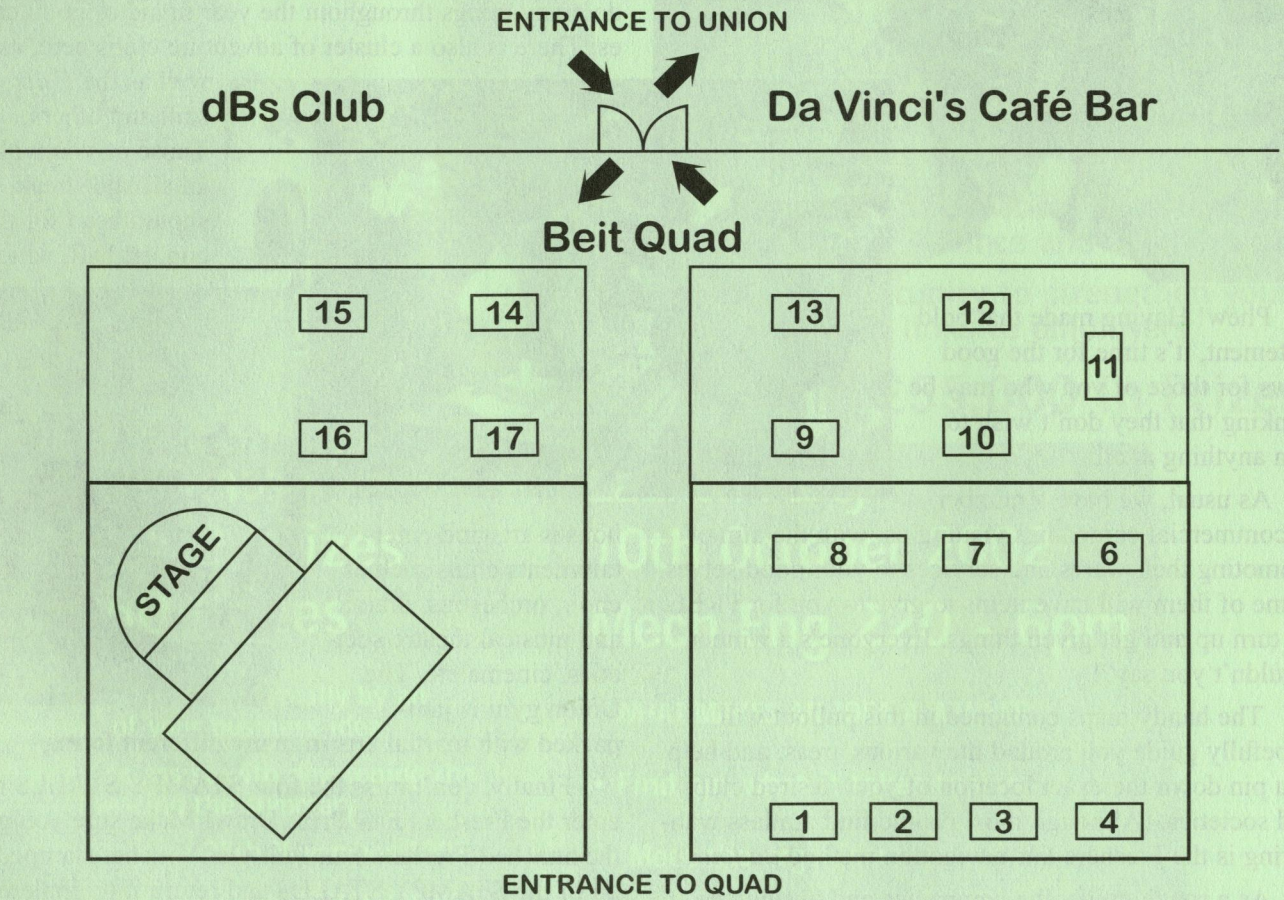
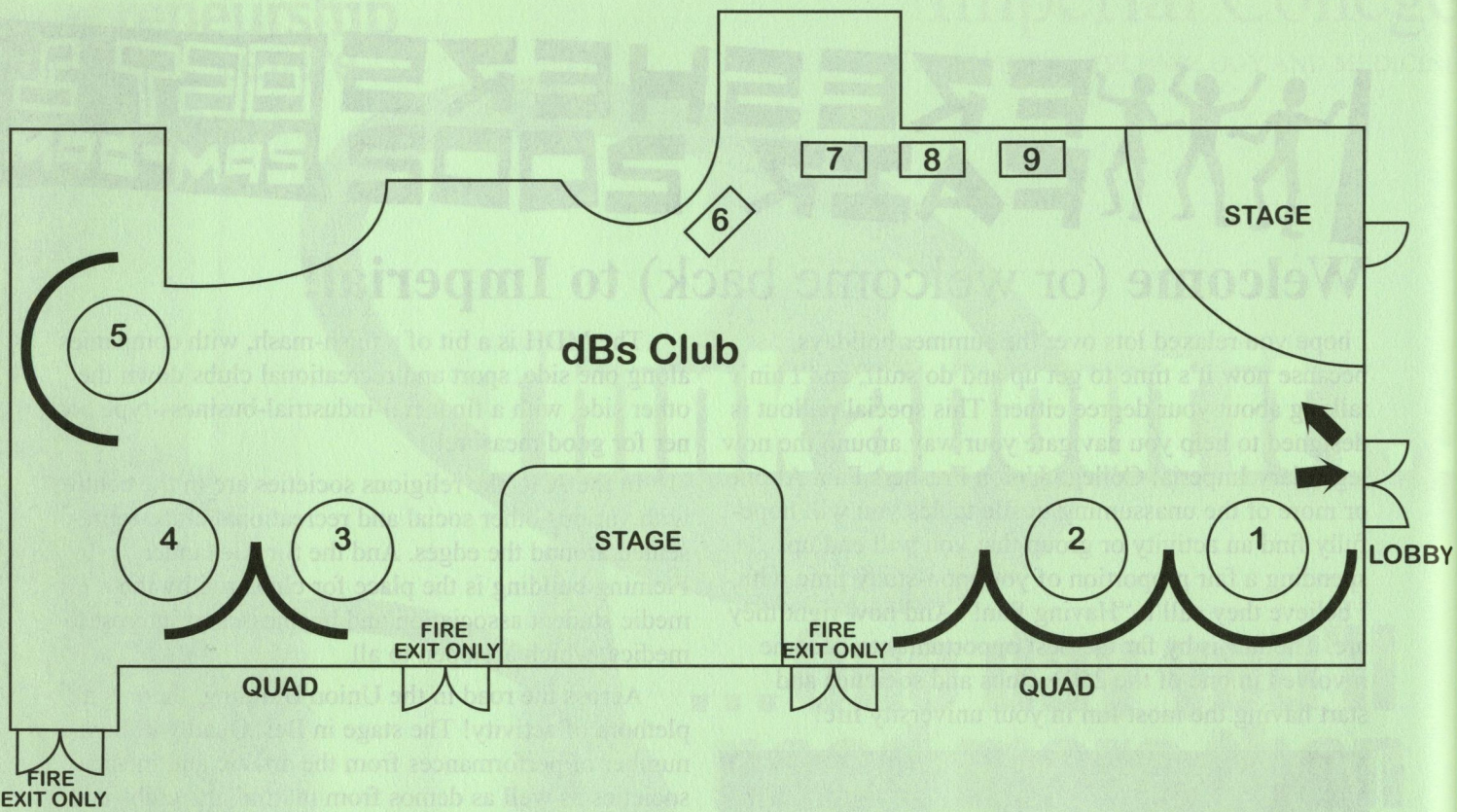


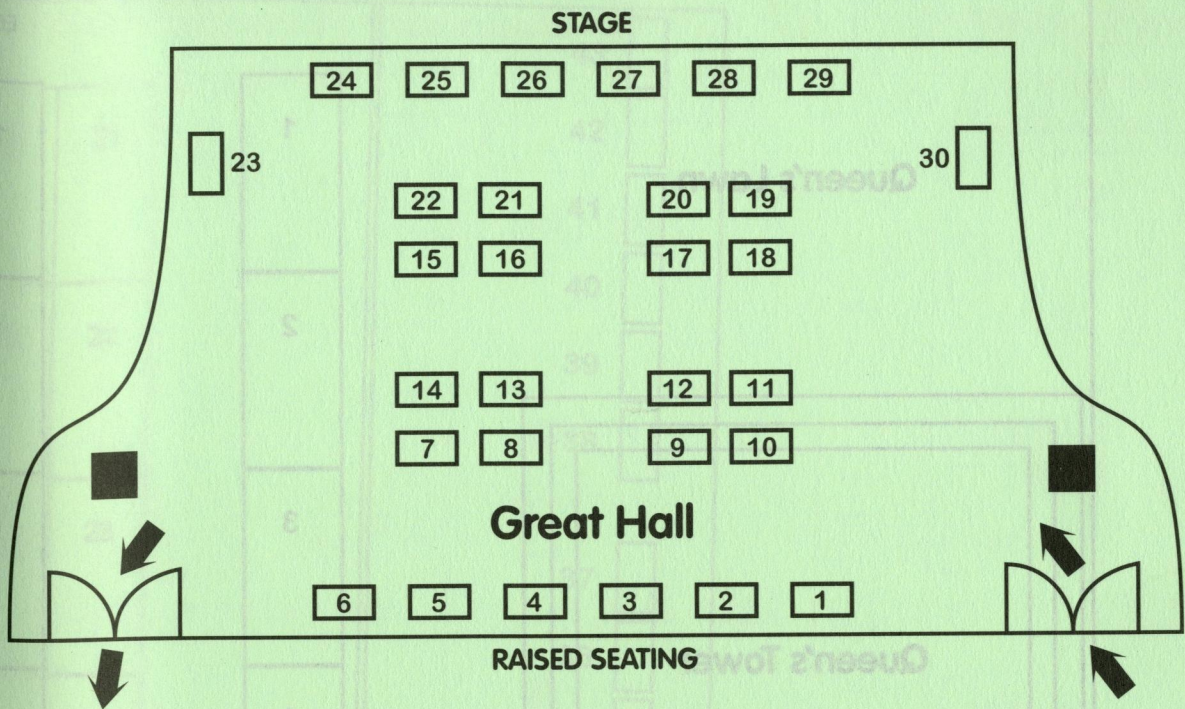
houses arts and entertainments clubs such as choir, orchestras, drama and musical theatre societies, cinema etc. The Union gym is jam-packed with martial arts in many different forms

Finally, don't miss the four STAMPY STALLS to enter the Freshers Fair Prize Draw! Make sure you get the attached Freshers Fair Pull-Out Voucher stamped by all of the STAMPY STALLS and return it (completely filled out) to the box by the catering cashier in Da Vinci's, in the Union Building. Loads of great prizes to win. Good Luck!!

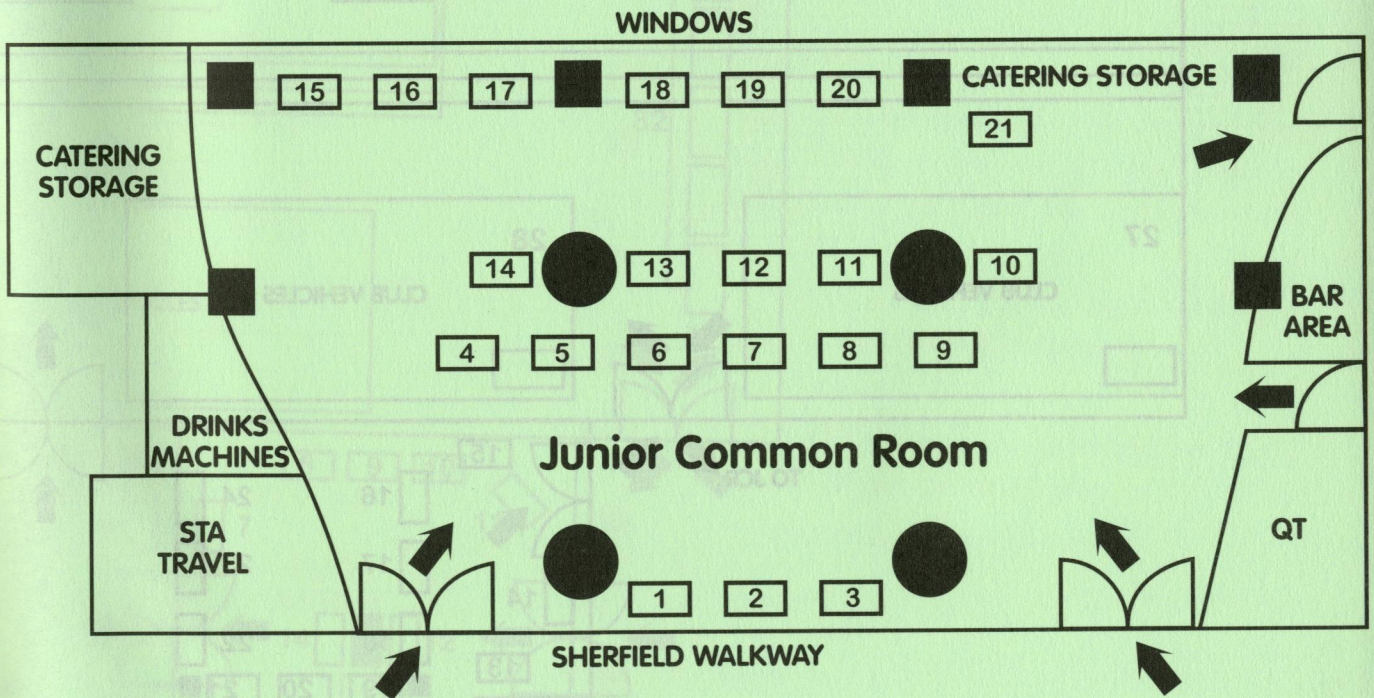
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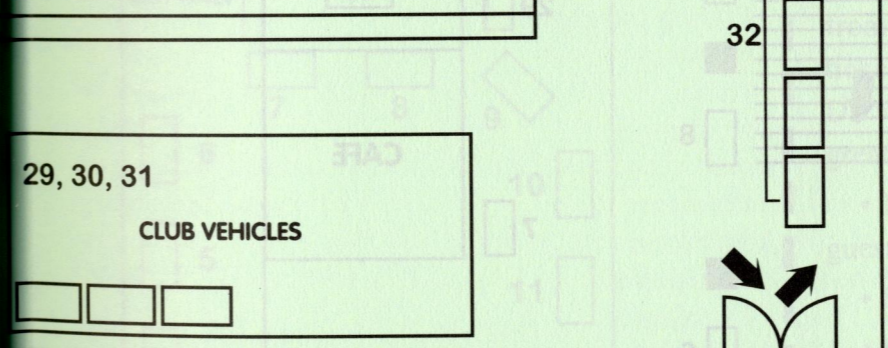
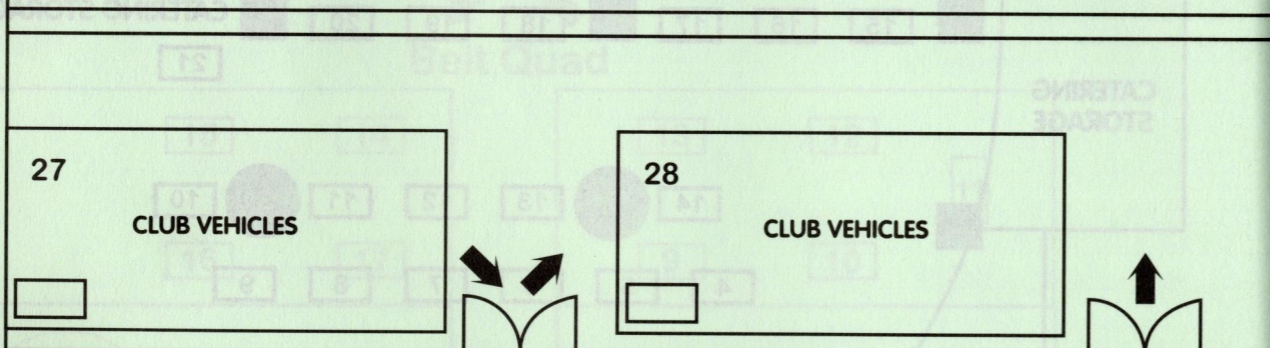
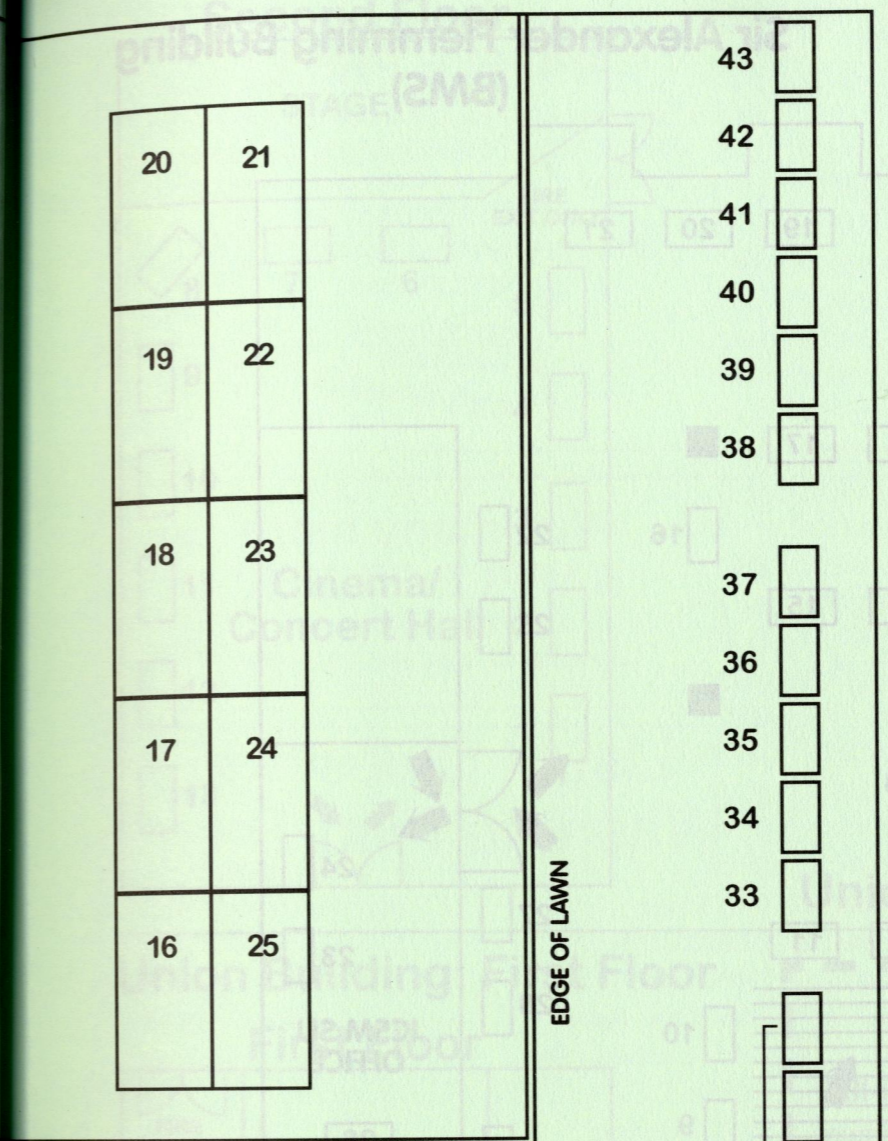
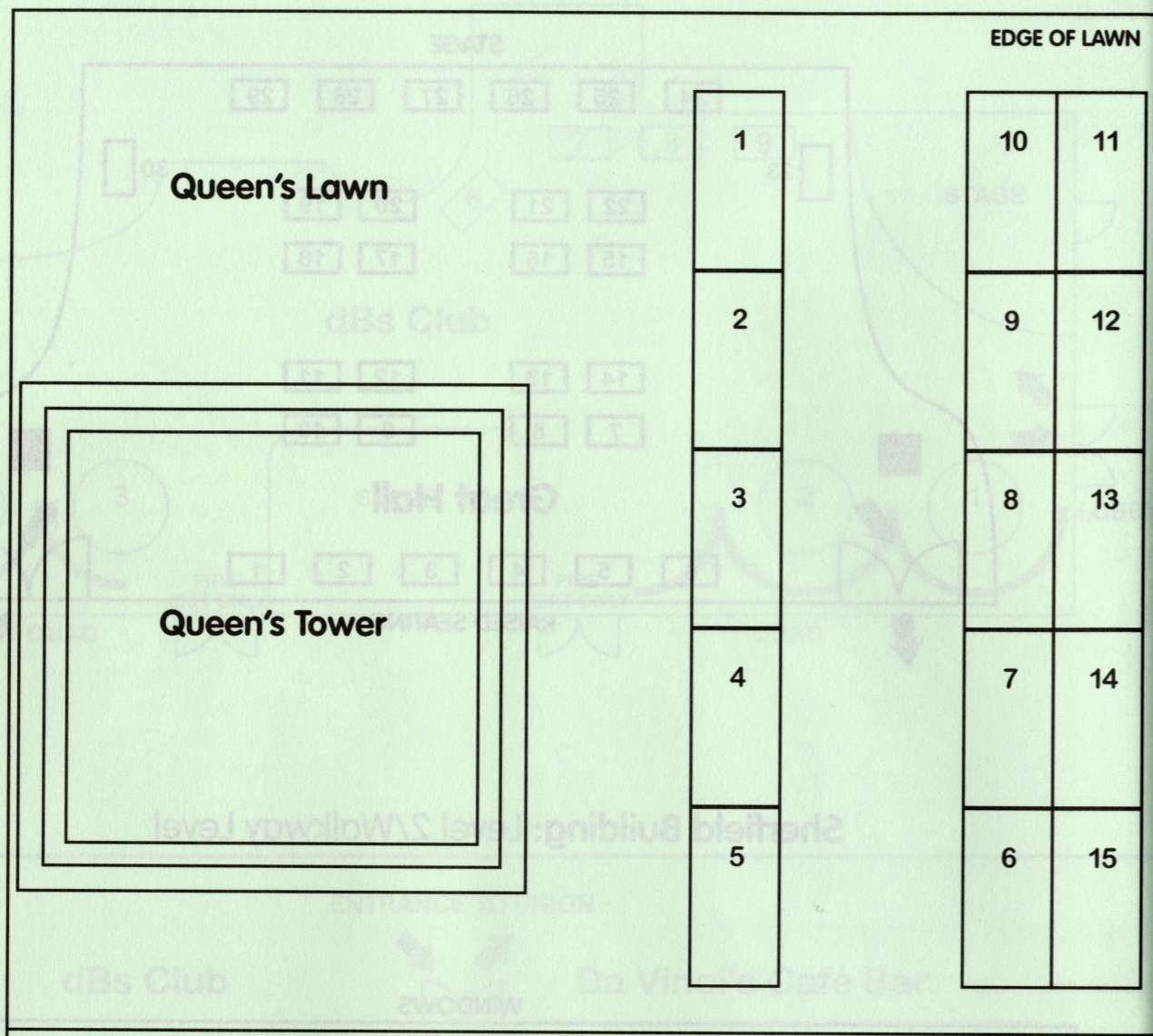




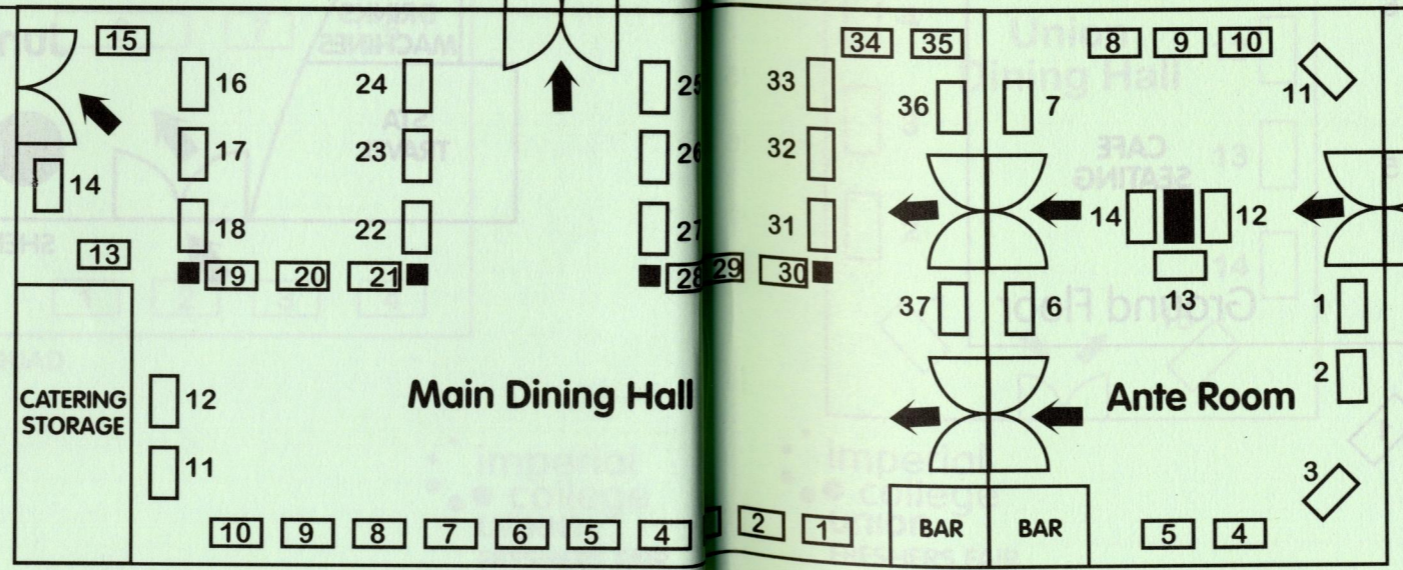


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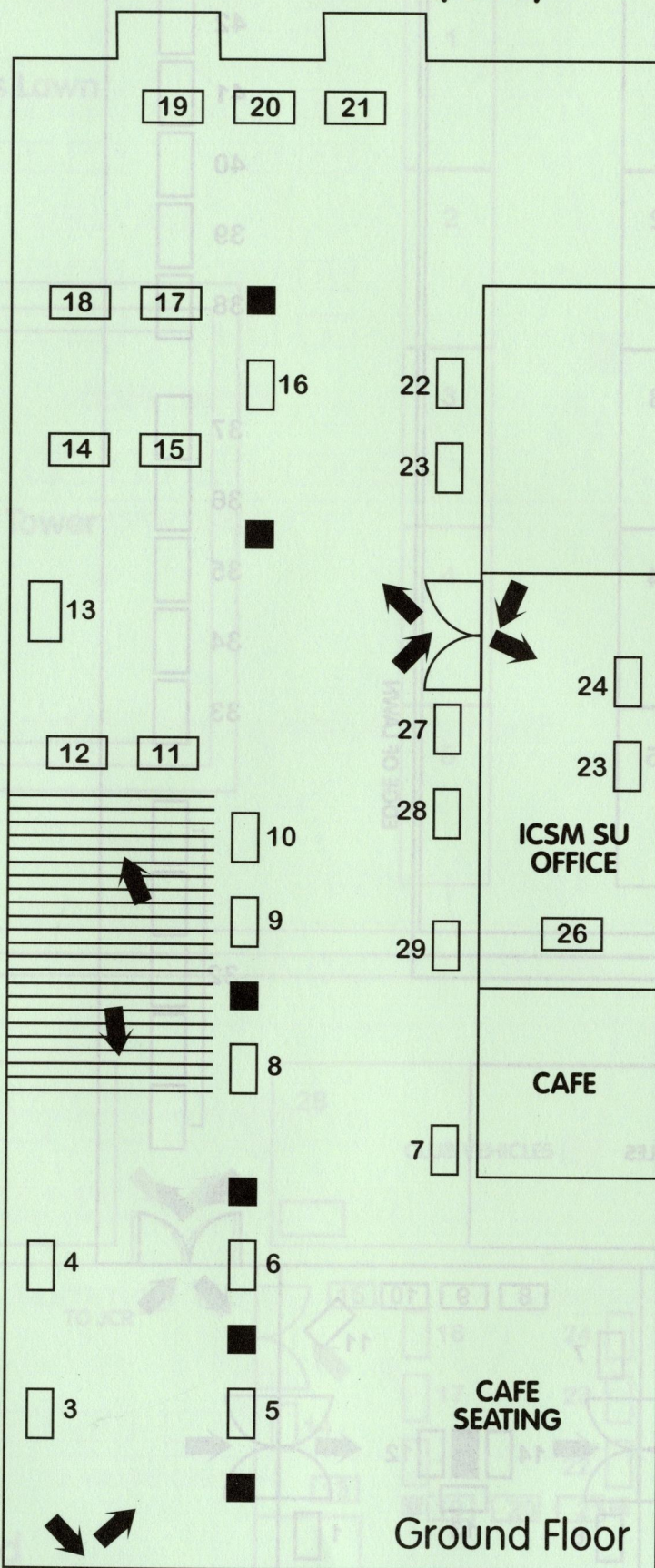
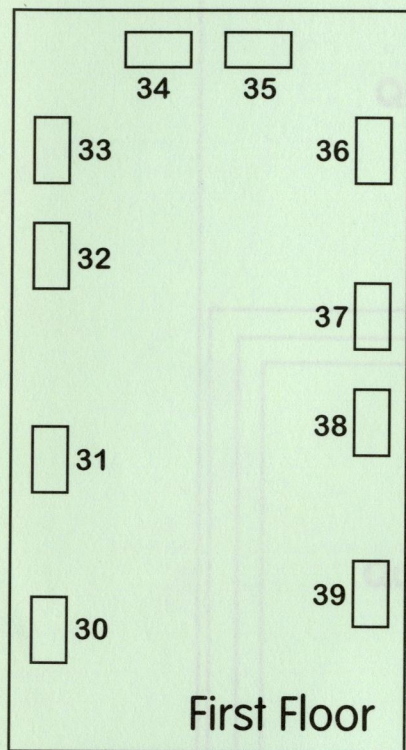




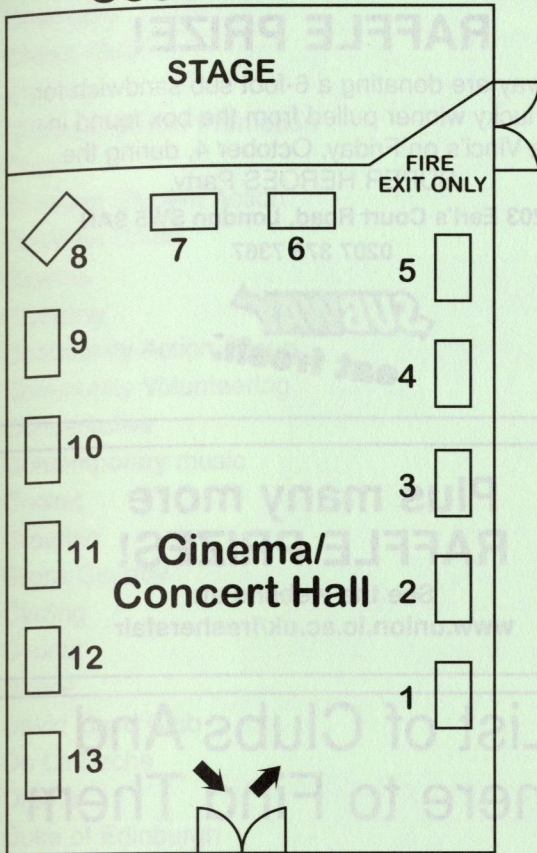
Queens Lawn and
Sherfield Building: Ground Level



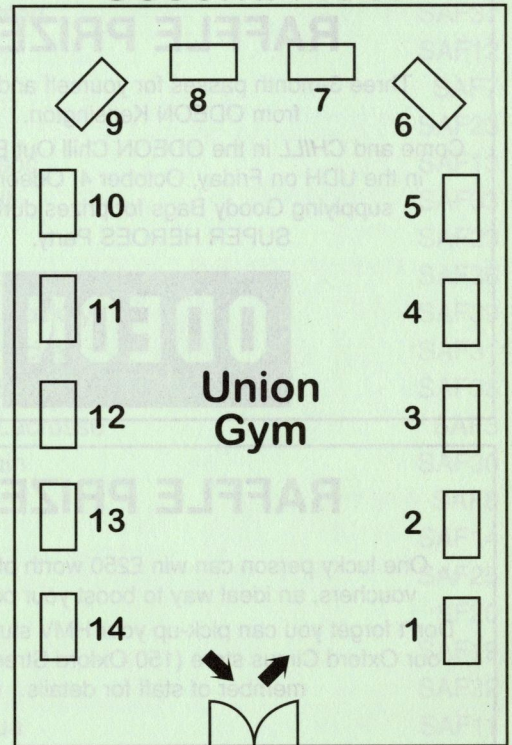
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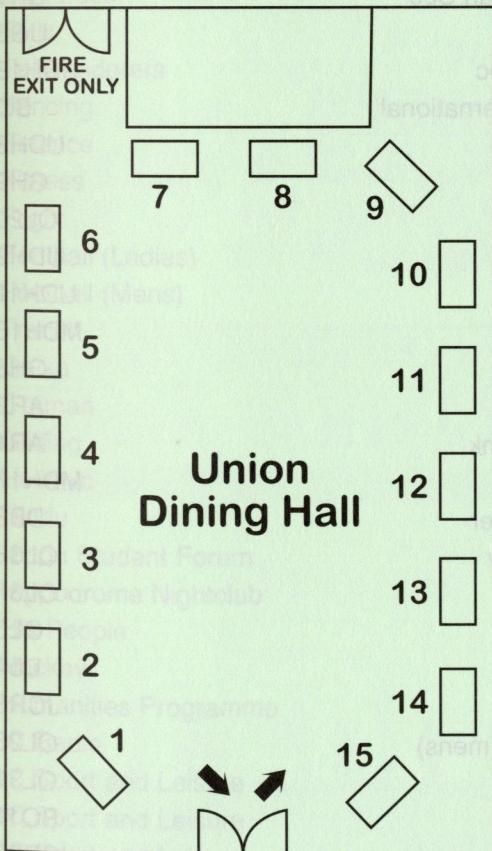
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Union Building: Second Floor

Union Building: First Floor

First Floor



Stampy Voucher

Fill-in your name, address and phone/mobile number and after getting all four STAMPYs from the stalls around the Fair, drop the Raffle ticket into the box by the catering cashier in Da Vinci's in the Union Building. There are great prizes to be won.

- Three 3-month passes for yourself and a guest to the Odeon Kensington
- £250 of HMV Vouchers
- A 6-foot party sub sandwich from Earl's Court Subway sandwich shop
- *plus* many more great prizes

Name _____

Dept _____

Email _____

Phone/Mobile _____

The draw will be held on Friday, October 4 during the SUPER HEROES Fancy Dress Party at the Union, and the winners will be notified by phone/email.

RAFFLE PRIZE!

Three 3-month passes for yourself and a guest from ODEON Kensington.

Come and CHILL in the ODEON Chill Out Balloon Room in the UDH on Friday, October 4. Odeon are also supplying Goody Bags for prizes during the SUPER HEROES Party.

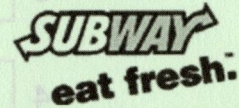


RAFFLE PRIZE!

Subway are donating a 6-foot sub sandwich for the lucky winner pulled from the box found in Da Vinci's on Friday, October 4, during the SUPER HEROES Party.

203 Earl's Court Road, London SW5 9AN

0207 373 7367



RAFFLE PRIZE!

One lucky person can win £250 worth of HMV gift vouchers, an ideal way to boost your collection.

Don't forget you can pick-up your HMV student card at our Oxford Circus store (150 Oxford Street) ask any member of staff for details.



Plus many more RAFFLE PRIZES!

See the website at:

www.union.ic.ac.uk/freshersfair

List of Clubs And Where to Find Them

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| A&E exec | MDH12 |
| ABACUS Soc | UDH9 |
| ACC Exec | MDH14 |
| Acc/Class guitar | CH3 |
| Afro-Caribbean Soc | GH1 |
| Aikido | UG8 |
| Alt Music Soc | UDH13 |
| Amnesty International | BQ |
| Animation | UDH3 |
| Arabic | GH2 |
| Archery | QL20 |
| Arts | UDH2 |
| Astronomy | UDH11 |
| Badminton | MDH16 |
| Bangladesh | GH3 |
| Barclaycard | AR2 |
| Barclays Bank | AR1 |
| Basketball | MDH17 |
| Bill & Snooker | DB3 |
| Biochemistry | QL38 |
| Biology | QL37 |
| Boat | QL5 |
| Bridge | Db4 |
| BUNAC | JCR3 |
| C&G rugby (mens) | QL25 |
| C&Gmotor | QL31 |
| Canoe | BQ11 |
| Catholic | JCR20 |
| Caving | BQ |
| CCUSA | JCR2 |

Stampy Voucher

Collect your Stamps from the Union stalls in the Sir Alexander Fleming building, the JCR, on the Queen's Lawn and from Beit Quad.



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| Chabadline.com | MDH10 | ICSM Arts & Photo | SAF22 |
| Chemistry | QL41 | ICSM Badminton | SAF37 |
| Chess Club | Db5 | ICSM Band | SAF12 |
| Chinese | GH4 | ICSM Cricket | SAF7 |
| Chinese Wushu Promotion | UG5 | ICSM Dance | SAF23 |
| Choir | CH11 | ICSM Dramasoc | SAF13 |
| Christian Student Action | JCR4 | ICSM Football | SAF33 |
| Christian Union | JCR5 | ICSM Islamic | SAF29 |
| Cinema | CH7 | ICSM Ju Jitsu | SAF36 |
| Clubbing | UDH4 | ICSM Ladies Hockey | SAF39 |
| Community Action Group | BQ2 | ICSM Mens Hockey | SAF31 |
| Community Volunteering | BQ8 | ICSM Mixed Hockey | SAF38 |
| Conservative | UDH15 | ICSM mixed Lacrosse | SAF3 |
| Contemporary music | CH4 | ICSM Mountain | SAF30 |
| Cricket | MDH19 | ICSM Netball | SAF8 |
| Croatian | GH5 | ICSM Opera | SAF14 |
| Cross Country | MDH18 | ICSM RAG | SAF25 |
| Cycling | QL18 | ICSM Sailing | SF20 |
| Cypriot | GH6 | ICSM Ski | SAF19 |
| Dance | DB6 | ICSM squash | SAF32 |
| David Lloyd Club | MDH4 | ICSM Subaqua | SAF11 |
| De La Beche | QL34 | ICSM Surf | SAF17 |
| Drama | CH12 | ICSM Tennis | SAF21 |
| Duke of Edinburgh | JCR1 | ICSM Waterpolo | SAF18 |
| Entrepreneurs Challenge | MDH7 | ICSM Weights | SAF9 |
| Environmental | JCR18 | ICSMBC | SAF4 |
| Erasmus | GH7 | ICSMRFC | SAF10 |
| Evening Standard | AR7 | ICSTM LINKS | JCR15 |
| Exploration | BQ | IESA clubs | QL32 |
| Felix | BQ | Indian | GH11 |
| Fellwanderers | QL11 | Indonesian | GH12 |
| Fencing | BQ19 | International Tamil | JCR8 |
| Finance | MDH36 | Internet E-commerce | MDH35 |
| Fitness | DB7 | IQ | UDH7 |
| Flight | DB8 | Iranian | GH13 |
| Football (Ladies) | QL15 | Iraq | GH14 |
| Football (Mens) | QL6 | Islamic | JCR9 |
| French | GH8 | Italian | GH15 |
| Gatka | UG1 | Japanese | GH16 |
| German | GH9 | Jazz Big Band | CH10 |
| Gliding | QL23 | Jazz&Rock | CH8 |
| Hellenic | GH10 | Jewish | JCR10 |
| Hindu | JCR6 | Ju Jitsu | UG10 |
| Hindu Student Forum | JCR6 | Judo Club | UG4 |
| Hippodrome Nightclub | UDH5 | Juggling | BQ |
| His People | JCR7 | Karate-Do-Shotokai | UG3 |
| Hockey | QL9 | Kendo | UG2 |
| Humanities Programme | MDH6 | Kenya | GH17 |
| IC Radio | QL26 | Korean | GH25 |
| IC Sport and Leisure | MDH2 | Kung Fu wu shu kwan | UG9 |
| IC Sport and Leisure | SAF34 | Lawn Tennis | MDH21 |
| IC Sport and Leisure | SAF35 | Lebanese | GH18 |
| IC Union Events | BQ5 | Leonardo | CH9 |
| Ice-Hockey | MDH31 | Life Sciences Exec | QL36 |

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| London Philharmonic Orchestra | AR5 | Science Fiction | UDH8 |
| Malaysian | GH19 | Shaloin Kung Fu | UG11 |
| Materials | QL35 | Shorinji Kempo | UG14 |
| Mauritian | GH20 | Shotokan Karate | UG13 |
| Media Group | MDH11 | Sikh | JCR12 |
| Medic Music | SAF16 | Sinfonietta | CH5 |
| Medical Defense Unit | SAF5 | Singapore | GH24 |
| Medical Ethics | SAF27 | SIS | MDH28 |
| Medical Protection Society | SAF6 | Skate | QL29 |
| Medics Exec | SAF24 | Ski & Snowboard | QL22 |
| MedSIN | SAF28 | Spanish | GH30 |
| Micro Club | DB8 | Squash | MDH24 |
| Milkround Online | AR3 | Sri-Lankan | GH26 |
| Motorcycle | QL30 | STA Travel | MDH1 |
| Mountaneering | BQ10 | Stampy | BQ4 |
| Musical Theatre | CH1 | Stampy | JCR21 |
| National Blood Service | JCR16 | Stampy | QL8 |
| Netball | MDH22 | Stampy | SAF1 |
| Nightly | AR11 | STOIC | BQ |
| O2 | AR13 | Subway | MDH3 |
| Orienteering | QL10 | Surgical | SAF15 |
| Origami | UDH10 | Swim&Waterpolo | MDH25 |
| OSC Exec | GH21 | Symphony Orchestra & Wind Band | CH6 |
| Outdoor | BQ13 | Table tennis | MDH26 |
| Pakistan | GH22 | Tai Chi | UG12 |
| Parachute | MDH32 | Taiwan | GH27 |
| Phoenix | BQ18 | TenPin Bowling | MDH27 |
| Photography | UDH1 | Thai | GH28 |
| Physical Sciences Exec | QL39 | The Bible Talks | JCR13 |
| Physics | QL42 | The Times | AR12 |
| Pimlico Connection | BQ | Turkish | GH29 |
| Poetry | CH2 | UCG Cinemas Ltd | AR14 |
| Po-Na-Na Hammersmith | UDH6 | UL Air Squadron | AR9 |
| Postgraduate | JCR19 | UL Officers training Corps | AR10 |
| Pugwash | JCR17 | UL Royal Naval Unit | AR8 |
| RAG | BQ1 | Ultimate Frisbee | QL19 |
| RCC Exec | MDH13 | ULU | MDH8 |
| RCS Football | QL14 | Underwater | QL13 |
| RCS motor | QL28 | UROP | MDH5 |
| Riding Club | QL21 | Vision Express | MDH9 |
| Rifle and Pistol | MDH23 | Volleyball | MDH37 |
| Rock | UDH12 | War Games | DB2 |
| Royal Bank of Scotland | AR6 | Weights | MDH29 |
| Royal Court Theatre | AR4 | White Crane Kung Fu | UG6 |
| RSM Exec | QL33 | Windsurfing | QL2 |
| RSM Football | QL7 | Wine tasting | DB1 |
| RSM Hockey | QL10 | Wing Chun | UG7 |
| RSM Motor | QL27 | Yacht | QL4 |
| RSM Rugby | QL24 | Yoga | MDH30 |
| Rugby (Ladies) | QL16 | | |
| Rugby (Mens) | QL17 | | |
| Sailing | QL3 | | |
| Sailing | QL3 | Spares: | QL13 SAF26 DB9 |
| Scandinavian | GH23 | MDH15 | SAF2 UDH14 MDH20 |
| SCC Exec | JCR14 | | |

FRESHERS @the UNION WEEK 2002

ICU Good Fun @ good prices

All Events are held at the Union Building, Beit Quad, Prince Consort Road, SW7, *except* Freshers Fair
 Tickets need to be purchased in advance from the Union Reception, First Floor

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Saturday, 28th September 8PM-1AM
Freshers Welcome Disco
 CHEESY **wotsit** KARAOKE
FREE

Monday 30th September 8PM-1AM
KERRANG! vs CHEESY wotsit
 Kerrang Giveaways
£6 ICU
 FREE TO 22
£6.50 GUESTS
 Entrance by ticket only

Tuesday, Oct 1 8:30PM-10:30PM
HUGH LENNON & HYPNODOG
 Entrance by ticket only
FREE STA Bar Trivia Quiz PRIZES BEER MONEY
£3.50 ICU
£4.00 GUESTS
 FREE TO 22

Wednesday, October 2nd 8PM-1AM Cheesy Giveaways
 CHEESY **wotsit**
 osc welcome disco
 urban flavas
 hip hop
 r'n'b
 garage
£1/pint While Stocks Last
 Carling & Tetley only
BarPromo
 Entrance by ticket only
£1.50 ICU
£2.00 GUESTS
 BEFORE 10PM
 AFTER 10PM
£3.50 ICU
 FREE TO 22

THURSDAY, OCT 3 8:30PM-10:30PM
COMEDY NIGHT Daniel Kitson
 Edinburgh Festival 2002 Perrier Award Winner
 with support from Russel Howard
£5 ICU
 FREE TO 22
£5.50 GUESTS
 Entrance by ticket only

Fancy Dress Party Friday, October 4th 8PM-2AM
SUPERHEROES
 Dolly Mixtures & CHEESY **wotsit**
 Chill Out Balloon Room ODEON KENSINGTON
 Friday Night Out Supported by TimeOut
SPECIAL Bar Promo
 Free Shot of SMIRNOFF RED with Mixer While Stocks Last
£6 ICU
 FREE TO 22
£6.50 GUESTS
 Entrance by ticket only

All Passport to Pleasure Card Holders must enter before 10pm to be assured of a ticket.

Do you want to earn £6 per hour?

The Emergency Night Bus Service is looking for Stewards, particularly women, to work from the beginning of the October term.

Ability to drive a Union minibus is desirable, but not essential. Shifts are available on Wednesday and Friday evenings from midnight.

For more information please contact:
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Work for yourself. Work at the Union...and make a difference to your social life.