

## **LSU Shotokan Karate Annual General Meeting**

**Number of members present: 27**

**Apologises: 4**

Club Captain: Marc

- Looking forward to BUSA in a couple of week especially as everyone has tried hard and put so much effort into their training.
- Well done to committee members for continuous hard work and dedicated to the club over the past year.

Secretary: Alison

- Next grading is the 13<sup>th</sup> March (last Thursday of term)
- Members informed of number of grading points they had and still required to be eligible to grade.
- Congratulations to members that have graded over the last year and good luck to those taking the next grading.

Equipment Secretary: Sam on behalf of Nerijus

- Apologises to everyone who ordered stash and explanation given of discount being received.
- Members asked if any they wanted more of any sorts of equipment
  - Hannah F and Hayley - smaller gloves for the girls
  - Joe A – clubs own BUSA foot pads to get use to them prior to BUSA

Social Secretary: Alison

- Apologises to the club for not having a full time social secretary but all agree the socials have been fun.
- Floor opened to suggestions:
  - Rose-Marie – paintballing
  - Tracey – meal out
  - Jason – celebration BUSA night after easter.
  - Joe A – more themed nights out

Press and Publicity: Carl

- Reminded members that the DSKFiboro website still holds the majority of information so to keep checking for upcoming events.

- Looking for design for next fresher bazaar – opened to members to design one.

Chair: Sam

- Fresher Bazaar – prize of sheep packs for the best flyer design, members needed to help with stall, powerpoints and demonstrations.
- Courses after Easter with top instructors Sensei T Martin and Sensei R Jackson
  - Members asked for names prior to Easter to allow time to arrange transport for all.
- Summer camp – reminder of dates and activity and reminded members that deadline for deposit is last week of term.

Future plans:

- Committee nominations are in and voting will continue until Wednesday of the last week with winners being announced end of Thursday's training session.
- Looking to increase club member via continued publicity
  - Marcia – put more leaflets up in key areas such as halls and the union as well as training centres.
- Commitment by all members to continue a high standard of training.
- Organisation of more socials by the new social secretary next term based upon members comments.