

freshers/08

21st to 28th September



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CONGRATULATIONS...

...on securing a place at Sheffield Hallam University! I am sure you are excited to find out what will be happening at your Union from September and this pack contains loads of information about Freshers' week and Hallam Union.

Not only do we have a range of fantastic nights out here at the HUBS (The Students' Union Building) we also offer you a wealth of opportunities to get involved with your Union through activities including societies, sports and volunteering.

The HUBS is a great social space to meet new friends and socialise. Whether it's an afternoon pint with your course mates in Bar Phoenix or relaxing in our brand new pod. Pod 4 is full of healthy panninis, snacks and treats along with smoothies so the ultimate healthy alternative. There really is something for everybody.

The Students' Union is an organisation which is run by students for students so feel free to contact any member of the elected Executive Committee or take a look at our website www.hallamunion.org

Enjoy the rest of your summer and we look forward to seeing you in September!

Russ Swanack and the Executive Committee



David Roy Carr Finance & Services Executive	Samantha Gill Sports Executive	Russell Swanack President	Matthew Vicary Equal Opportunities Executive	Dani Beckett Academic Affairs Executive
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Sunday 21st September

Headphone Disco Funfair Toilet Racing
(deposit required)

Laser Quest Fun Casino

Hoopla Candy Floss stall Magician
(All you can eat!)

Pop Corn stall Duck Shooting
(All you can eat!)

Hallam Cheerleaders Dart-a-card

Marquee with live accoutic acts

PLUS: NEW FOR 2008
Festival Challenges...WIN FRESHERS FEST T-SHIRTS

Feature Film Screenings

Ibiza Resident DJ: Joey Fabini

Resident DJs: Jim MacLaine // Dave 'The Hitman' Hunter
Ben The Frenchman // Oliver Twisted

All included in the wristband price

12 hours of madness to welcome you to University life

Ticklet Information
£10 advance / £11 on the door
Tickets available on location: September 16th-18th. These are strictly limited, and the remainder will be on sale on the door from 9pm on 16th September.
We recommend you come early to get the most use of all the entertainment options which include: 12hrs of madness.

***please note**
some attractions subject to change

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The HUBS, Paternoster Row, Sheffield, S120Q



Need a Job?

Do you want to work in a lively student venue?
Sheffield Hallam Students' Union requires:

Bar Staff	Hourly rates:
Bar Cleaners	£4.77 (under 22)
Coffee Shop Assistants	£5.73 (22 and over)
Box Office Staff	Come to our recruitment days:
Cloakroom Staff	2nd - 4th September, 2008.
Promotional Staff	8th - 10th September, 2008
	10am - 4pm, In The Hubs, Paternoster Row, S1 2QQ.

Please bring a completed application form
(Available from the website www.hallamunion.org)
or fill one in on the day.

- Training**
- Will take place on 11th, 12th, 15th, 16th, 17th & 18th September at 2pm in B Pod, The Hubs, Paternoster Row.
 - Please bring bank details, National Insurance Number and Passport.

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Alternatively you can buy one from the box office in The HUBS when you get here.

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21st Freshers Fest

Sun 3pm - 3am / The Hubs / £10 adv £11 on the door
(less after 8pm, when most of the attractions stop)

Get ready for 12 hours of fun and frolics, with the renowned Freshers' Fest, its got it all, Funfair, Headphone Disco, Toilet Racing (Legendary!), Laser Quest, Fun Casino, Hoopla, Candy Floss (as much as you can eat!), Magician, Duck Shooting, Salsa Dancing, Pop Corn (again as much as you can eat!), Dart-a-card, Marquee with live acts, Feature Films on our big screen, Wii Mario Olympics/PS3 Rock Band Competitions.

PLUS complete our Freshers' Fest challenges to bag yourself a limited edition Fest t-shirt! (YOU MUST BE ON SITE BETWEEN 4PM AND 8PM AND/OR 9PM AND 11PM!) DJ's Joey Fabini, Jim MacLaine, Dave 'The Hitman' Hunter, Ben The Frenchman and Oliver Twisted will keep you dancing all the way through the event!

Tickets go on sale ONLINE at www.hallamunion.org on 15th September and are strictly limited, the majority of tickets will be on sale on the gates from 9pm on Sunday 21st.

22nd Why don't you? - Shopping trip to Meadowhall

Mon 12pm / Meet outside The Hubs / Free (you will need £3 for the tram)

Need some new clothes for all those nights out in Sheffield? Then explore Meadowhall with over 240 stores you're sure to find something to spend your money on.

Founded

9pm - 2.30am / The Hubs / £1 before 11pm / £2.50 after

The legendary Monday night is back with a bang for 08/09. Entry is only £1 and drinks from £1. In the main room it's a TOTAL PARTY REQUEST, you request, we play! Room Two sees Ben The Frenchman playing Indie and Room Three has the legendary Jim MacLaine playing all your retro favourites. Tickets for this night regularly sell out in 15 minutes, but tonight ALL tickets are on the door from 9pm, so don't be late.

23rd Why don't you? - Gash Girls Party

Tues 1pm - 2.30pm / The Hubs / £1

Girls get ready for an afternoon of fun and frolics at Hallam courtesy of the Gash girls. Find out what the sexiest shop in town has to offer. The party will include: retail therapy, pampering, goody bags, vouchers and lots lots more.

Club Galaxy
love music

10pm - 2.30am / The Hubs / £4.50 advance / £6 door

Tonight sees Galaxy FM taking over The HUBS with Hed Kandi headline DJ David Dunne. This was one of the biggest nights in Freshers 2007 and we expect nothing less again this year! Joining David Dunne in the main room will be drive time presenter Dan O'Connell and early breakfast show presenter Duncan Wallace. In the second room presenting the best in RnB, DJ Sacha and Darryl Oaks (Hirsty's Daily Dose).

24th Sports Fair

Wed 11am - 4pm / The Hubs

Don't miss out on this SU extravaganza! Your chance to pin any of our 36+ sports teams and find out more about sport at Hallam.

Why don't you? - Relax with Yoga

1.30 - 2.30 / Sport Hallam / Free

Take time to relax mid freshers week and get prepared for the second half of the week with Sport Hallam's yoga class. The class offers a range of gentle movement to aid relaxation and improve posture and breathing. Yoga is also great for overall flexibility and muscle strengthening. Any one welcome.

Sub @ The Hubs

7.30pm onward / The Hubs

The official pre-bar to Boing Boing @ Embrace get down early to avoid disapointment in Freshers Week. Tickets for Embrace will be on sale.

Boing Boing @ Embrace

10pm-3am / Embrace Nightclub

Boing Boing, the party mad haven of Hallam University Wednesdays returns to Embrace, Sheffield on 17th September 2008. Without question, this is one of THE biggest, craziest and damn right naughtiest nights in the country, so, that said, we are preparing a very special evening for our Freshers! Spectacular on Wednesday 24th September! (Arrive early as last year it was sheer pandemonium!) With a combined capacity of over 2000, spread across 5 very differing rooms, Embrace really is a unique experience second to nowhere else in the city.

25th Wellfair

Thur 10am - 4pm / The Hubs

Time to take care of yourself - sign up for a doctor and check out all the other support services available to you while you are at Uni.

Activities Fair

11am - 4pm / The Hubs

The SU has loads of opportunities to get involved and fill any spare time you may have! Come along to find out about joining or setting up a society, volunteering or how to become a student rep.

Why don't you? - Shop & Eat at the Farmers Market

12pm / Meet outside The Hubs / Free

Fed up already of halls catering? Been living off takeaway? or not found your local supermarket yet?... Then take a chance to explore the markets in town and get a chance to buy and eat local food. The Sheffield Farmers Market is a great opportunity to meet local producers and sample foods produced in the Yorkshire region. On one Sunday of every month, traders will be standing on Barkers Pool (in between John Lewis and Sheffield City Hall). You will have the chance to buy a wide range of local produce including fresh meats, fruit & vegetables, jams & preserves and breads & cakes.

Why don't you? - Hallam Volunteering

12-3pm / Activities Pod / Free

Drop in and find out all about volunteering opportunities within the local community with Hallam Volunteering.

25th The HUBS live

Thur featuring The Paddingtons.

7.30pm - 10.30pm / The Hubs / £7 adv

Two stages, five bands, one thrilling introduction to live music in Sheffield!

The Paddingtons emerged onto the scene just over two years ago amidst a flurry of press hype, with their debut album First Comes First - blurring together ferocious guitars and instantly memorable tunes. The Paddingtons are now back with their finest collection of songs yet - latest single 'Stand Down' is an incredible slab of Clash-esque brit-rock, leading the way to their new more melody packed new album 'No Mundane Option'. Renowned for their thrilling live shows, this is one not to be missed!

By way of an introduction to Sheffield, the supporting line-up gives a taster of the best up-coming acts the city has to offer - Alvarez Kings, Vegas Child and Smugglers Run all play to packed venues around the city.

uDisco

10.30pm - 2.30am / The Hubs / £2 adv / £3 door

If you had to sum up uDisco in just two words, those words would be cutting edge. And if indie music is your thing, then uDisco is the place to go! Splicing the newest, most exciting new bands, along with floor filling classic tunes, this is the place to get on your dancing shoes and lose yourself to the most exhilarating new music around.

26th Freebies Fair

Fri 10am - 4pm / The Hubs

As its' name suggests this fair is all about the free stuff! come along, meet the team and leave with bags of goodies!

Why don't you? - Be Active Wake Boarding

11am / Meet outside The Hubs / £20

Get active and try something new at Sheffield's Cable Waterski Park situated in the picturesque setting of Rother Valley Country Park. Wakeboarding is one of the world's fastest growing watersports. You will be able to get out on the water with qualified instructors to take you through the basics. No experience needed for this quality trip out.

Prices include transport, tuition by qualified instructors, hire of equipment inc wetsuit, buoyancy aid, skis, kneeboard.

Back2School

9pm-3am / The Hubs / £3.50 adv / £4.50 door

It's a massive BACK TO SCHOOL theme night! flirt! is the UK's No. 1 student night, at over 30 universities, although clearly Hallam is the best! Come dressed up in your school uniform or as a dastardly teacher, the choice is yours! We'll have flirt t-shirts, hoodies and sweets to give out to the best looking, plus look out for Miss and Master Flirt with our camera, you might get caught flirting tonight!

27th sheff1

Sat

9pm-3am / The Hubs / £3.50 adv / £4.50 door

A night for the discerning clubber, sheff 1 serves up a sophisticated slice of Dance Floorfillers, Twisted Urban Beats and Electric Indie Anthems across 3 club rooms - offering something for everyone. This Freshers' Week special features an EXCLUSIVE live performance from Sam O'Brien, the vocalist behind 'Baditude' - one of 2008's biggest summer dance anthems! With entry and drinks prices unrivalled in the city on a weekend, there really is no better place to be on a Saturday!

28th Last Laugh Comedy Club

Sun

7.30pm-10.30pm / The Hubs / £5 advance, £6 on the door

The Last Laugh is our fortnightly comedy night hosting some of the best and funniest comedians from across the UK. There are usually two acts and a compere for each show. This night went from strength to strength last year, and we expect the laughs to continue into 2009!! This weeks acts are:

Colum McDonnell: What Colum McDonnell lacks in stature, he gains in laughter. The "wee" man from Dundalk has established himself on the Irish comedy circuit with an unusual outlook on life.

Dougie Dunlop: Highly talented observational comic, Dougie Dunlop, effortlessly gets audiences laughing and sharing his unique take on life.

Andy Askins: A diminutive figure who exudes an air of vulnerability and an innocent child-like quality as he steps up to the microphone armed with a guitar and a cheeky grin.

05th Grand Finale

Sun

Freshers Ball 2008
10pm-3am / Carling Academy Sheffield / Sunday 5th October
/ £14 Before 1st October, £16 After

Dress Code: Men: Minimum of shirt, tie and trousers. No Jeans, t-shirts or trainers
Women: Smart/Prom dress

This is the GRAND FINALE of Freshers 2008, hosted at the Carling Academy Sheffield, this is the biggest event so far with over 2000 people, it's the party to end all parties! This year we've pulled out all the stops to bring you an international superstar, Fatman Scoop! Having enjoyed success with his No. 1 Anthem, 'Be Faithful', Fatman Scoop brings his unique MCing style to party favourites. Alongside him will be Hed Kandi duo Booty Love, performing 'Boogie Tonight', 'Shine', 'Don't Mess with My Man' and 'Some Kinda Rush'. Also on stage will be the fantastic band Fun Time Frankies, playing all of your party favourites. In the second room we have a Babysambles DJ set featuring band member Adam Fieck. You can also take advantage of our two chocolate fountains, fun casino and official ball photographer. We'll be hosting a free champagne reception at the HUBS from 8pm on the night as well, with a special guest you won't want to miss...!

To buy tickets and get further info on all events

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