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Hi Volunteers!

Welcome to the Volunteer Committee Newsletter :) Written by the Marketing and Publicity officers! We will be keeping you up-to-date on all the news and events happening within all your projects and teams!

Volunteer Welcome Party

Firstly, you will all know by now that the Volunteer Welcome Party is on Wednesday this week! Entry is free for all volunteers and there will be food, drink and fun games. You will see the Marketing and Publicity Officers there taking photos for our magazine so come and say Hello. It will be a great chance for you to meet volunteers on other projects and to meet staff and the committee. We hope to see you all there! Here's the event on Facebook

<http://www.facebook.com/#!/event.php?eid=239461466102809>

Smash It

Another event you will all be looking forward to is Smash It! It's going to be the biggest fundraising event of the year, each project will be assigned an animal to dress up as and there will be loads of fun activities! It's on the 28th November at 7.30, at the Scholar Pub on London Road, (near aldi and the forge). Watch this space for more info...

One Off's

There are some great one-off volunteering opportunities coming up in the next few months, on the 24th November is Student Showcase where students and volunteers can come along to the HUBS and help create a display that will feature in the Winter Gardens on Student week next year. The display will feature information on volunteering, societies, campaigning and the Union in general, so that members of the community and students can come along and see all the work and activities we do!

Also...

Have you met your Volunteer Committee yet? <http://hallamunion.org/volunteering/volunteering-committee/>

Hallam Award

Have you registered for the Hallam Award yet? Make sure you are logging your volunteer activities so you can gain the Award at the end of the year. Anyone involved in Union activities can apply, and it's a great way to have all your hard work recognised. Looks great on your CV for future employers too! For more information visit the Activities Pod or email d.berman@shu.ac.uk.

CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS!

We have a new feature in our Volunteer Magazine and we want your input! It will be called the 'Volunteer Takeover Section' so we want your pictures, jokes, examples of work you've done, news from your project and anything else you can think of. We really want to hear from you, so if you fancy being featured in our next issue get in touch! Email hannahnr1@hotmail.com.

We look forward to meeting you all and hearing from you!

Love the Volunteer Committee