

St Cuthbert's Society JCR

Article 1 Awards



1. Information

1.1. There shall be a formal during the week prior to Cuth's Day which shall be a Sports and Societies Formal.

1.1.1. There shall be a number of awards given out at this formal to individuals, sports, and societies that have displayed outstanding performance during the academic year.

1.2. Nominations

1.2.1. Any Member of the JCR may submit a nomination for an individual, sport, and/or society to receive an award.

1.2.2. Nominations should include:

- 1) The award the Member wishes to nominate them for,
- 2) The name of the individual, sport, or society, and
- 3) The reason why they believe the individual, sport, or society deserves that award.

1.2.3. All nominations should be submitted by the Friday prior to the formal.

1.3. Prize winners

1.3.1. There shall be a panel who shall review all nomination for awards, and shall select the recipients of the awards.

1.3.1.1. The panel shall consist of:

- 1) The President of the Society,
- 2) The Sports and Societies Chair, and
- 3) The Vice-President.

1.3.1.2. They shall consult any sports captains or society presidents as is necessary to aid their decision.

1.3.2. Individual prize winners (with the exception of those receiving half or full colours) shall have a ticket for the formal reserved for them, should they wish to purchase it.

- 1.3.3. Sports and Societies that are prize winners shall have tickets for the formal reserved for their executive committee, should they wish to purchase them.

2. Awards

2.1. Fresher of the Year

- 2.1.1. This award shall only be presented to a student in their first year of study (undergraduate or postgraduate).
- 2.1.2. It shall be awarded to the student who has made the most significant contribution to Sports and Societies within St Cuthbert's Society across multiple clubs and/or societies.
- 2.1.3. The recipient shall be awarded with a certificate from the President.

2.2. Unsung Hero

- 2.2.1. This award shall be presented to a student who has made contributions in various ways to assist the organisation and performance of any, or a number of, Sports and/or Societies throughout the academic year.
- 2.2.2. They may not necessarily hold an Executive position, however should display excellent commitment to the cause.

2.3. Outstanding Contribution

- 2.3.1. This award shall be presented to the student who has made the greatest contribution to Sports and/or Societies throughout the academic year.
- 2.3.2. They will have displayed commitment to a number of Sports and/or Societies, as well as a high level of performance, and a willingness to always get involved.

2.4. Most Improved Sport/Society

- 2.4.1. This award shall be presented to the Sport or Society who has made the greatest steps forward during the academic year. This could be displayed through:
 - 1) Greater involvement and membership,
 - 2) Improved inclusivity,
 - 3) Improved results in Sports leagues and cups,
 - 4) Improved events, and attendance to said events, and/or
 - 5) Overall performance.

2.5. Society of the Year

- 2.5.1. This award shall only be presented to a society (a club that does not compete in competitive fixtures).
- 2.5.2. It shall be awarded to the Society that has displayed the greatest overall performance during the academic year. This could be displayed through:
 - 1) High turn-out and notable achievements of the Society,
 - 2) High commitment of members and the executive committee of that Society, and
 - 3) High inclusivity, through social events and social media.

2.6. Sports Team/Club of the Year

- 2.6.1. This award shall be presented to either an individual team or an entire Sports club (a club that does compete in competitive fixtures).
- 2.6.2. It shall be awarded to the Team or Club that has shown the greatest overall performance this year. This could be displayed through:
 - 1) High attainment in both league and cup competitions throughout the year,
 - 2) High participation and commitment of members and the executive committee of the club, and
 - 3) High inclusivity, through social events and social media

3. Other Awards

3.1. The De L'Isle Booth Award

- 3.1.1. This award shall be presented only to students who are graduating during the calendar year in which the award is given out.
- 3.1.2. A maximum of 6 shall be given each year.
- 3.1.3. The President of the Society shall choose the recipients of the award.
- 3.1.4. They shall be awarded to Members who have made an outstanding contribution to the JCR throughout their whole time at the Society.
- 3.1.5. A person may be presented the award twice in the instance that they return to St Cuthbert's Society to complete a second degree.
- 3.1.6. This should be displayed by:

- 1) Participation at a high level across multiple Sports and Societies, and
- 2) High levels of work while on committees and while holding JCR positions.

3.1.7. Recipients shall:

- 1) Be awarded with, and granted the right to wear, a silver pectoral cross pin, or, if the recipient has received the award more than once, a gold pectoral cross pin,
- 2) Have their name recorded on the wall of the Bailey Bar for time immemorial (or until the board is full) and shall have their names recorded by the college,
- 3) Become an Honorary Member, and
- 4) Be granted the right to use the title Honorary Life Member of the Society (dlB) or Honorary Life Member of Saint Cuthbert's Society (dlB).

3.1.8. The names of recipients of these awards shall be handed out during the final JCR meeting of the year.

3.2. Half Colours

3.2.1. This award shall be presented to:

- 1) Members who have been involved in a club or society for at least two years, or one year if they are undertaking a masters degree,
- 2) Members who have made a significant contribution to a club or society, be it in organisation or achievement,
- 3) Members who have made a huge contribution to the JCR as a whole.

3.2.2. Names of those awarded Half Colours shall be recorded by College.

3.3. Full Colours

3.3.1. This award shall be presented to:

- 1) Members who have been involved in a club or society for at least three years,
- 2) Members who have had a profound impact on that club or society, be it in how it is run or in the achievements of the club of society, beyond what would be expected,
- 3) Members who have made a huge contribution to the JCR across multiple societies, clubs, sports, committees, or positions.

3.3.2. Names of those awarded Full Colours shall be recorded by college.

3.4. Honorary Life Membership

- 3.4.1. A motion to make an individual an Honorary Member shall be conducted as any other motion, with the exception that it must be seconded by fourteen other Full or Honorary Members.
- 3.4.2. If passed, the motion will allow the individual to:
 - 1) Become an Honorary Member, and
 - 2) Be granted the right to use the title Honorary Life Member of the Society or Honorary Life Member of Saint Cuthbert's Society.