



**Congratulations on earning a place
at the University of Nottingham!**

Let us introduce ourselves.

We're **PhysSoc**: your student-run Physics Society.

We run all sorts of events and activities throughout the year to keep you entertained and help you enjoy your time at university. From trips to socials, telescopes to masterclasses, there's something for absolutely everyone!

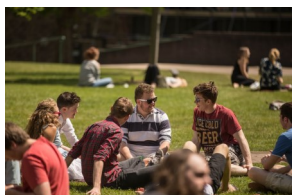
This leaflet should give you an idea of what you can expect during the year as a PhysSoc member. To find out more, come and see us at the Freshers' Fair during Welcome Week. You'll be able to sign up for membership, meet other members, get to know the committee, and ask us more questions!

But for now, read on...



Socials

We run plenty of socials during the year to keep you entertained.



There's bar crawls and boat parties; quiz nights (with prizes!) and film nights; a trip to a big indoor play area, and a great end-of-year BBQ where the whole department gets together.

Something for everyone, and even more besides that!



Astronomy

As a member of PhysSoc, you can use the school's telescopes whenever they're available.



Just sign up for a short session, where our Astronomy secretary will guide you through safety procedures and how to use the telescopes, and they're all yours!

We also run events during special astronomical occasions, as we did during the Mercury transit earlier this year.

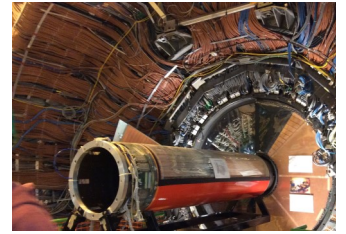




Trips



PhysSoc runs trips to interesting physics projects and facilities around the world. Our annual 3-day trip to CERN has been awarded 'Best University Trip' by the student union.



Last year, we also visited Archenhold Observatory in Berlin, and we're going to the European Space Agency in Amsterdam this year. We also run a range of day and weekend trips.





Sports

We have a range of sports teams, and we compete against other society and department teams in the IMS (Intramural Sport) league.



Our sports teams include men's football and rugby teams, women's netball, and mixed hockey.





Masterclasses

Throughout the year, there are a number of special lectures that complement your first-year studies.

Guest speakers come to talk about interesting and cutting-edge topics in physics. These are then followed up by Q&A sessions and refreshments afterwards.



We also run special events - workshops and projects, with plenty of hands-on involvement.



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