

University Of Exeter
Rag Committee

69 Oxford Road,
Exeter

15/1/1962

Miss G. Field
News Editor, Pathe News
142 Wardour Street
London W.1.

RE Exeter University's Rag 1962

Dear Miss Field,

Last year you sent a cameraman to film our Rag - a film very successful in the local cinemas last year - & I wondered if you would like to film this year's Rag. I am therefore sending you some information about it & if you are interested in it, I will supply you with everything you want to know.

The dates of the Rag are 21 to 24 February 1962 the latter date being of course the day of the procession.

The stunts have not been fully planned as yet. There will be the "oldfaithfuls" such as the popular PYJAMA BREAKFAST in the main street, the Boat Race, all home construction, the Pram Race, mock political speeches, public bubble bath & the Slave Market - where girls are sold by the dozen. However some more spectacular - & legal - stunts are planned, details of which I will be able to give you later.

After last year's capturing the WORLD Longest-walking backward record, a more well known record is to be attempted this year.

The main goal of this year's Rag is to give A "Machine" costing about £1000 to aid cancer research. While the R.N.L.I., the Devon Red Cross, & the Mayor of Exeter's Appeal also feature in the plus £2500 we hope to raise.

I hope these preliminary details have at least interested you - & you will be able to send a cameraman. If you are, please write & tell me in good time so that I will be able to help you to my utmost.

Yours sincerely,

Boyd Keast
Rag Publicity Officer

EXETER UNIVERSITY

6/21 - 38, New North Road,

RAG COMMITTEE could be OKed

Exeter

we covered last year 17.2.1962

Ston flopped a bit who covered?

Grace Field,

News Editor, Pottle News,

142, Wandour Street

London W.1.

was it Martin Lewis, man covering
would have to use his head

could get to

Devon Film Unit

to use if interested

Dear Sir,

I'm now able to give you further details of our Rag.

I enclose a time-table that is correct to Thursday 15/2/1962.

I'll keep you informed of additions, alterations and the more spectacular

"unofficial" stunts when news of them comes through the

"grape-vine". I have * stunts which may prove of interest

to you.

If you are sending anyone to Exeter, I will be only

too pleased to meet them, give them up-to-the-minute news

and show them the best places to see the stunts. You can contact

me at the above address, the law library, in Gandy Street,

in the city centre or in the afternoons at Exeter 74770.

At other times - leave a message and I will ring you back as

soon as possible.

We are giving to the following Clubs:-

Devon / Exeter Cancer Fund *	Was on Want
Spokes *	N. A. of Boys' Clubs
R. N. L. *	Devon Red Cross

and Manager of Exeter's Fund

Three very filmable stunts - often very amusing:-

- ① Drum Race
- ② Boat Race
- ③ Pyjama Breakfast

Our procession is being judged by a well known
Jazz musician.

I hope these details are of some use to you,

Yours faithfully,

Perps Keast

Boy Publicity Officer.

TIMETABLE FOR RAG WEEK

TUESDAY, February 20th.

3.00 p.m.	KILMORIE LIFELINE *	
3.30 p.m.	KEEP - FIT	(LOPES)
8.00 p.m.	WHIST DRIVE	(THOMAS) In Thomas Hall
8.00 p.m.	BARREL ORGAN	(TECH.) In 'The Greyhound'

WEDNESDAY, February 21st.

11.00 a.m.	1,000,001 DARTS *	(TECH.) In London Inn
12.00 a.m.	TUG - O' - WAR *	(KILMORIE v. HOPE)
8.00 p.m.	RAG FORMAL	(Reception 7.30 - 8.00 p.m.)
11.00 p.m.	SLEEPING IN SHOP WINDOW *	(SLEEP SHOP)
	" " PRINCESSHAY *	

THURSDAY, February 22nd.

8.30 a.m.	PYJAMA BREAKFAST *		In Princesshay
	COMIC BAND	(THOMAS)	
	JAZZ BAND	(ST. LUKES)	
10.30 a.m.	COLLECTING IN CHAMBERS	(HOPE)	
12.00 a.m.	BEATNIK PARTY		In Princesshay
1.00 p.m.	HUNT *	(TECH.)	
2.00 p.m.	CHARLESTON MARATHON *	(LOPES)	In Princesshay
3.00 p.m.	MARBLES	(KILMORIE v. BIRKS)	
3.30 p.m.	SLOW CYCLE RACE	(THOMAS)	
4.00 p.m.	FOOTBALL		
5.00 p.m.	FASHION	(TECH.)	In Princesshay
8.00 p.m.	COMIC BAND		Pubs.
9.00 p.m.	YARD - OF - ALE CONTEST *	(ST. LUKES)	In 'The Greyhound'
11.00 p.m.	MIDNIGHT MATINEE - 'THE BIG COUNTRY'		Theatre Royal

FRIDAY, February 23rd.

10.30 a.m.	VOLLEY BALL	(ST. LUKES)	In Princesshay
11.00 a.m.	ACTION PAINTING		London Inn Sq.
12.00 a.m.	PILLORY *	(ST. LUKES)	
12.15 p.m.	PRAM RACE *		
1.00 p.m.	SPEAKERS' CORNER *		
2.00 p.m.	KEEP - FIT	(LOPES)	
2.30 p.m.	TOILET ROLL RACES		
3.30 p.m.	BOAT RACE *		
3.30 p.m.	CAR BREAKING *	(ST. LUKES)	
4.00 p.m.	NETBALL	(KILMORIE v. LOPES)	
5.30 p.m.	MONSTER *		
6.00 p.m.	PILLOW FIGHT *	(KILMORIE v. ROLLE)	
7.30 p.m.	BAGPIPES		

SATURDAY, February 24th.

	HOT DOGS		In Princess. Arc.
	DRAIN FISHING		In High Street.
10.30 a.m.	BUS COLLECTING		
	SLAVE MARKET *		
	SHOE CLEANING *	(BIRKS)	
	JUDO *	(ST. LUKES)	
	DANCE OF THE SEVEN DEADLY SINS *		
11.00 a.m.	TRAMPOLINE *	(ST. LUKES)	
3.00 p.m.	PROCESSION *		
8.00 p.m.	RAG BALL		

.....

For further information please see your Rag Rep. or ask at the Rag Information Bureau in Devonshire House.