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Introduction

Hiya everyone! How's everyone doing? Hope everyone had a happy holiday and happy new year everyone! December has been fairly chilled compared to some other months as I had a lot of deadlines but I'm hoping to hit the ground running again and really get things up and happening.

Goals

Coming up, this month is all about finalising plans for February/History Month and beginning back up with events. I'm hoping that the two for this month – a Clothes Swap and Bake Off cake decorating thing go smoothly. I'm hoping things stay in person but if not, I will be using this month to replan them to work online.

What have I been up to?

The past month has been very much less active forward facing and I'm sorry for that, but I just had so many deadlines. I've been planning all the events upcoming for the community this term and let me say now, there are a lot (please come). The two for this month are a Clothes Swap and a Bake Off. If you got clothes you don't want for Christmas/have clothes you don't wear, then come along and swap them for some you do (just please make sure they're clean and in wearable condition). The Bake Off isn't a traditional Bake Off, basically we will have some plain cakes, bring your artistic skills, and the best decorated one wins!

What to expect next month?

Next month is February which means LGBTQ+ History Month! This month is going to be absolutely jam packed and I cannot wait for you all to see what we have coming up. There's going to be so much happening – we have an event in the squares all about learning about key events in LGBTQ+ history, we have potential Instagram takeovers, we have three separate trans events where we get to talk all about being trans. The first is The Future is Trans – discussing what we want to see in our futures, what we're excited about and the good parts of being trans; the second is a Coffee and Coming Out chat – we sit, chill out, and discuss coming out as trans, hardships and sharing our experiences; the third is a fun one – Random Presentation Night – you know that tiktok trend where people would make presentations about anything and everything and then present them? Yeah, we're doing that. Anything you want to talk about, you can (within reason). So yeah, I can't wait for you all to see it!

Stay safe and be kind folks,
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