

TREVELYAN COLLEGE JCR MINUTES

Exec Meeting

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ABSENT

Becki Smith Buttery Chair

Alexander Grover Incoming Bar Sabb

INDIVIDUAL REPORTS

Eddie: I have ordered some blue tokens for use in Formal!

Mary: I had a meeting with the college officers last Monday, naturally they had some questions about some of the things we concluded from bonding; particularly about sports team engagement and the role of sabbatical president.

Christian: Again, the issue is how the sports team feel they are viewed by college, not the opposite.

Mary: There will also be some changes to the timing of open days in June, we'll see what happens. I can confirm that the JKH won't be converted for lectures next year, but the Dowrick will between 9am - 6pm. At my meeting with the Vice Chancellor everyone seemed keen on getting involved with the local community and the history of the region. We should also look into some outreach with a local School in county Durham.

Action Point: Abby to contact Jon and Karen Trevelyan about County Durham outreach

Mary: Martin also suggested that buttery profits should go to special projects rather than JCR.

Christian: The buttery operates differently to the bar though.

Alistair: It's not like the bar which has to make 40% profit, the Buttery is more about not making a loss.

Mary: If not enough people apply to special projects this is something we can look into at a later date.

General agreement get more people to apply for special projects

Mary: Lecture capture has been given the go ahead, and PresComm are looking at how to push open days. There was also the discussion of training reps to teach freshers peer run sexual violence workshops.

Laura: What does Latham think?

Mary: I'll take this to a meeting where all of the principles are present, to see if this is more efficient. In Cuths they trained 2 reps and they did it all within 2 days.

Mary: PDQ is happening in Aidans and Hild Bede

Action point: Mary to upload new DSO document on Slack

MINUTES ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

JCR Levy

Mary: This is going up today, have I missed anything?

Group agreement that the Levy is upstanding

Academic Formal

Christian: I had meeting with prof about academic culture, he'd like to bring in an successful alumni to speak at the second formal in Freshers' Week but he doesn't want people to see their time at Trevs as purely a career stepping stone, but as an academic experience. We need to come come up with a suitable academic focus for that formal.

Mary: Maybe pick returners who are involved in their academic societies.

Social Calendar

General discussion about the social calendar and Instagram account

Binding Machine

Action point: FinnComm application to be written for a new binding Machine

MONEY

Mystery Envelope

Alistair: Anyone know who paid this?

Ask previous Exec about mystery envelope

UPPER JCR

Lock

Mary: I talked to the porters about getting a lock on the upper JCR, this is likely to be very expensive, they suggested a card reader so we know who has gone in and out

Daniel: That is already pretty hit and miss outside the JKH.

General consensus to look into an affordable non-electronic lock for the upper JCR

Vending Machine

Mary: This is going to be in the upper JCR! Would we be okay unlocking this during the holidays so the MCR can use it?

Group agreement that the MCR can access the upper JCR outside of term time

CHARGING STATIONS

Alistair: *Clarifies how the new charging station system works*

Mary: Abby can you ask the porters if they would be okay keeping the key for this?

Action point: Abby to ask the porters about keeping the charging station key.

STRESSLESS

Laura: Please encourage people to come, especially Yoga!

SU REP MEETING

Nat: *Describing the impending SU meeting* Other than updating people on the conference and the ripped off campaign, is there anything we want to bring up at a university level?

Mary: Association accountability.

Christian: Promotion of the durham award and college award

VICE CHANCELLOR MEETING FEEDBACK

Mary: I think I said a lot about this earlier, but it mainly focused on changing academic culture, livers out engagement, and the expansion of the inversely and how the community see us.

General discussion about the communal use of college facilities for Durham residents

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Birthday Celebrations

ACTION POINTS

Mary:

Upload new DSO document on Slack

Abby:

Contact Jon and Karen Trevelyan about County Durham outreach
Ask the porters about keeping the charging station key.

General:

FinnComm application to be written for a new binding Machine.