

TREVELYAN COLLEGE JCR MINUTES

Exec Meeting

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ABSENT

Grover: I've got employees now, the bar will be doing new cocktails for breast cancer awareness.

Dan: The matriculation photo is now ready to order!

Mary: I've been networking across the university, I'll bring up this later.

Christian: We had the diss open night and it went well. College officers wanted to say thank you to all of us and the freps regarding recent alcohol awareness.

Laura: We have a self-care campaign Friday to Monday. The housing campaign will be in mid November.

We're also doing our first inter-collegiate campaign on consent in December.

Becki: I have new workers, although we might have to close for formal due to lack of sign-ups.

Nat: I've planned an SU Rep meeting for next week before the inter-exec formal. The register to vote campaign will be running in November. The JCR that registers the highest proportion of its freshers will win £500.

Alistair: I did treasurer training. Get your friends to apply for FinnComm!

Jeremy: Day of the dead is happening on Sunday.

Saška: The Edinburgh trip is now in the social calendar which Millie has organised.

Abby: Both outreach projects are running - I'm planning on doing the livers out newsletter soon.

Danielle: Hi, other than settling into my role, I've finalised the formal seating plan.

Jack: I wrapped up the services officer election, I'm about to open the unfilled officer positions next week.

MINUTES ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

Accommodation fees protest:

Mary: It was the best protest I've ever been to, very fun and hopefully effective. If anyone wants to get involved as an individual about the university making these decisions I support you.

BOGSHEET PRIVACY

Dan: There have been concerns with the privacy of the new Instagram Bogsheet. As we can no longer have a paper version what are your thoughts on this?

Abby: Making it private is a good start.

Nat: Firstly people aren't tagged, its difficult that an employer would find them.

Christian: I would make it private and add a disclaimer about messaging / consenting to be used.

JCR COMM FEEDBACK

Christian: We had a formal review, it was okay. Dr Latham had some concerns with noise and the glasses being smashed. For the next formal Mary and I would like more vigilance from the exec.

Mary: Just be on the lookout for me, catch my eye. You have the authority to tell someone off if they are breaking the rules.

Mary: Danielle, can you bring up spoons on tables in catering committee please.

Christian: Regarding FinComm applications, most that get accepted are sports societies - yet there is still a sense of disengagement from them. Trying to get sports societies to engage with the JCR has been

difficult. Please message me with any recommendations on how do you think we can better utilise the Team Trevs page to improve engagement.

Mary: To that end, one of the things that came up in the meeting is how college sport supporters are being perceived as messy at Maiden Castle - I told college I don't think its an exec duty to clean up. **Christian**: I think Robbie needs to send an email out. Otherwise MC won't let us use the facilities.

Action Point:Danielle to talk to catering committee about spoons at formal.Christian to ask Robbie to send out email about supporters at MC

JCR WEBSITE

Christian: I feel like the JCR website acts more like a prospectus. Do we have any ideas for what can be added to help current students?

Dan: I think you'd be hard pressed to drive engagement away from Facebook to a website.

Mary: Durham colleges aren't really supposed to have websites either.

Saška: I think it would be nice to add a calendar.

CROSS-COMMON ROOM SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

Alistair: There's nothing in our standing orders about other common rooms joining our societies, I think we should write it in because the entire membership section of the standing orders is out of date.

Christian: Are you not then creating a backdoor route for people, a potentially dangerous precedent.

Becki: Dr Latham agreed that increasing subs is a good way of dealing with this.

Mary: Can we agree that any external members joining wouldn't be able to participate in a competitive sense, whether that's representation in a competition or training towards one.

Jack: I can talk to the next chair about this.

HALLOWEEN

Saška: There will be decorations, films and fun.

DAY OF THE DEAD

Jeremy: We'll have music, nachos, paper cutting and a Spanish crash corse.

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