

JCR Committee Meeting

TTW6 28/05/23

Seminar Room 6



1. President's Business

- Well done, all the positions have been filled for the next year's JCR. Make sure to continue with handovers.
- President Committee update: university admissions have agreed to do online entrance exams for the next 5 years. There was a 77% majority, seems like that will be the case for the foreseeable future.
- Weldone for welfare week, good turn out

2. Vice-President's Business

- If anyone knows where the airbed pumps are pls get people to return them! They were bought 2 weeks ago and they've been stolen in their boxes :/ (Simon says he will pop the airbeds if you steal the pumps owo)
- Going through JCR feedback form:
 - Sam → meeting minutes of the hustings should be up before elections so people who missed it can check and see who to vote for.
 - Difficult because of exams, we do normally get it up before the Wednesday, but not on the Sunday night...
 - Mbere → more BAME events. Want African food and decorations as well, not just Asian.

3. Other Committee Business

a. Rosie (Women's): Sanitary Product Motion

- Someone from the JCR submitted a motion for the JCR to put sanitary products in the bathrooms around college. Would be great but logistically we don't have the budget. There are 16 public bathrooms around college, would have to put them in the men's, women's and disabled so it's a lot.
 - Simon → would also be providing them for college staff/conference people because they use the bathrooms as well, so it would be a lot more. Maybe the library ones but not the others?
 - Rosie → will talk with the person who submitted the motion and try and figure something out.

b. Teresa (Sec)

i. Elections

- All positions are filled! Thanks to everyone who tried to get people together. There are new additions, so if at the GM Ayesha you could read from the manifesto list rather than the email I sent out. Someone also sent in something to read out, so Ayesha maybe you could do that.

ii. Committee handover picnic

- Would be nice to have the handover, but with exams it would be difficult to plan anything complicated. Happy to organise a port meadow picnic for after the GM on Sunday W7 if that's ok with everyone? (yes). Can go watch the sunset, have some snacks/drinks if there is some left over budget. Could do something crewdate style for those who want but don't have to. Would be nice to have a frisbee and then people can go wild swimming if they want.
 - Rosie → Could bring the rounders stuff as well.
 - Ayesha → next meeting will be really short so would be good.
 - Teresa → will speak to Sawyer about budget for drinks ++, and will send out an email next week to the old and new committee, after elections.

4. Any Other Business

- Tom → Wanted to host an open mic night on Friday of 8th Week. All approved by John Banbrook because the bar is still open, but want to speak to some people in Trenamen and ATB just so they are aware because they might have exams etc. If you know anyone from those accoms, please let me know so that maybe they can put a message on their group chats.
- Sawyer → Have to go and study for exams so won't be able to make the GM, but about the motion (asking for funding to buy a new croquet set), the money can come out of the sports budget.
- Ayesha → do we buy a new switch for the Danson Room? Worry is that it will get stolen again.
 - Simon → 300 pounds. Consult the new committee because it's not really out budget anymore.
 - Teresa → Could have a key for the cupboard in the Danson Room and lock it up, you have to go to the lodge to get it and sign it out. That way we have a record, can hold people to account.
 - Krishh/Ruby → yes want to do it.
 - Ayesha will email the lodge to double check that they are ok with keeping a key
- Ellie → Want to find out what the students coming next year for the foundation year are doing so that we can arrange college parents for them and start getting support in place. Where can I find more info on it?
 - Simon → 10 colleges are offering the program with 50 students overall. At Anne's, the students will be doing Materials, PPE, History, English, they didn't fill the Chemistry place.
 - Ellie → will speak with Krishh and the new committee about that. All other colleges who are offering the program are using our motion from previous weeks to also have a foundation year rep.

- Krishh → Next year's exec committee had an informal meeting. Brainstormed ideas for events, figuring out budget, talked about freshers week. We wanted to make some changes and were wondering how that could be done?
 - Ayesha → you don't have much choice about what the college plans on the college side. Have to get people to the talks regardless and then organise around that. Would be worth giving them feedback though if you had particular thoughts.
 - Ruby → Wanted to rework the consent workshop, it was difficult for people to leave, we want a separate welfare space.
 - Simon → We did have that last year but no one used it. Could sign people in to the welfare space instead so right from the start they don't have to go.
 - Ayesha → can have this conversation later at a meeting with fresher's week.
- Daniel → worries about accommodation in RSH being so expensive for next year?
 - Ayesha → it's also due to the fact that the contracts are longer. College hasn't really talked with us about exactly how long the contracts will be, but will check with them and get back to everyone.