

St Hugh's JCR Committee Meeting Minutes

Sunday 22nd October, 3rd Week MT 2017, JCR Committee Room

- 1. Rep's Updates**
- 2. Matters Arising from Updates**
- 3. Matters Arising from Last Meeting's Minutes**
- 4. Items for Discussion**
- 5. Any Other Business**

1. Rep's Update:

President – Ana Pavlova:

- Sent notices email;
- Meeting with Vicki re bike racks;
- Might have to write an infrastructure report, but college can start looking into it now;
- College said 'no' to getting rooved bike racks;
- Talked to Dame Elish re the Aung San Suu Kyi motion;
- Meeting with Kate Cole (Oxford SU Pres);
- Booked rooms for yoga;
- Booked bar for JCR Committee hustings.

Vice-President – Ed Piggott:

- Spoke to Carl re JCR mandate for minimum notification of hall cancelation and Meet Free Mondays;
- Carl had no issue with the first point, and said that though he couldn't remember any times when it had happened, he'd be more vigilant to make sure it doesn't happen again;
- Ran the Aung San Suu Kyi motion online vote which even if the contents of the motion were controversial, went fairly smoothly;
- Speaking to Rahele re low turnouts across all halls;
- There's a sheltered bike shed next to the MCR which seems to be underused that JCR members probably don't know about but could potentially make use of, especially those with road bikes that they want to be kept out of the rain, although it might just be for MCR members to use.

Secretary – Curtis Crowley:

- Wrote minutes from last week's meetings;
- Spoke to the Principal about the Aung San Suu Kyi motion and online vote;
- Co-wrote the email Ed sent out with the vote;
- Made investigations into past yearbooks;
- Sent email about setting up a yearbook committee;
- Initiated discussions with the Oxford SU re voter pads for JCR meetings;
- Will write a motion to change the JCR policy on Aung San Suu Kyi, because it places us in a contradictory position considering the outcome of last week's vote;
- Noticed a gaping hole in the constitution whereby there is no specific clause which stipulates that the JCR Committee has to meet 8 times per term, nor indeed that it has to meet at all;

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- Investigating the latter and will frame a motion to rectify this for next week's JCR meeting.

Treasurer – James Brown:

- Made some payments;
- Informed a member of the JCR of what we do with all of the money.

AccAff – Sophie Roche:

- Attended the Academic Committee meeting, which was very brief. It had nothing much of JCR interest except a suggestion of improving funds available for medical students to cover elective and conference costs. It was decided that college would look into whether this cost could be covered by the Student Support Committee instead.
- Arranged three tours;
- Ran an emergency tour;
- Spoke to Luke about the possibility of arranging a mock interview-style workshop for year 13s who have applied to Oxford;
- This would mostly require student support so will ask around subjects and try to start the ball rolling for next year if we think this is a good idea.

Welfare and Equal Opportunities – Rosie Tabor and Cameron East:

- Some people are expressing interest in being the future Welfare Reps which is uber-exciting - there might be 3 people going for Female Welfare Rep!
- Have decided after hearing that Mates are not a good type of condom (the new ones from Oxford SU) we have ordered a whole load of Durex from online.

International Students' Rep – Tatjana Marks:

- Held Oktoberfest event with the Entz team.

LGBTQ Rep – Elise Page:

- Referred someone who was asking about more info on the LGBTQ 101 workshop to the Oxford SU and the LGBTQ campaign;
- Probably will be paying for someone's binder soon which will be cool (James, expect a receipt in your pidge at some point).

Entz Reps – James Atkey and Nathan Peters:

- Had a film night;
- Met with Raphael to discuss Oktoberfest event - all good.

Charities & Communities Rep – Hannah Taylor:

- Ran the college comedy night! Loads of people went, and it was really good.
- Sold RAG ball tickets.

Environment & Ethics Rep – Ben Jones:

- Signed up St Hugh's to the Student Switch Off campaign;
- Would like his post about the Student Switch Off campaign that will go up tomorrow

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to be pinned to the top of the JCR Facebook page.

Sports and Societies Rep – Harry Thomas:

- Putting together a list of clubs which want a team photo.

Careers Officer – Olayemi Eso:

- Nothing to report.

DODO – Hannah Choi:

- Sorted out Netflix;
- Have a meeting with Nora on Monday to discuss storing the PS4 games in the library;
- Meeting her tomorrow at 9am to discuss it.

Freshers' Rep – Theo Davies-Lewis:

- Picked up group matriculation photos to the freshers;
- Cashed in money at the bank.

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Independent chair and Returning Officer

Curtis: In the fourth JCR Meeting of term we need to elect someone to each of these positions for the next year.

Veggie Pledge

Ana: How can we maximize the number of pledges? We could spread out when we vote, and when we encourage our subject peers and friends to vote as well.

Ben: We could ask people: 'Do you really need that sausage?'

Committee generally decides to think up some extra incentives, mainly food.

5. Any Other Business