
JCSU Committee Meeting

Sunday, 17.02.2019

Attendees

Sorcha Keenan, President
Liv Wynne-Thomas, Vice-President
Callum Hay-Montier, Treasurer
Adam Goldney, Ents
Joe Jollans, Ents
Priya Bryant, Female Welfare
Jacob Dabb, Male Welfare
Jen Atherton, LGBT+
Emma Loffhagen, Women's
Jamie Brannigan, Access
Nabil Haque, BME
Zannah Lindley, Green
Astrid Godfrey, Mental Health and Disabilities
Annabel Paterson, Services
Sejal Karmarkar, Freshers
Ivan Ivanov, International
Low Chuen Leik, Communications

Absent

Theo King, Secretary

Agenda

New Business

1. Changing minimum Upay top-up.
 2. DRC.
 3. Issues over the intermission process.
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4. Ballot day welfare.
5. Anonymous feedback service.
6. Formal swap.
7. AOB.

Minutes

Sorcha: Reminds people to let us know if they can't make meeting.

Adam + Callum: Have visited finance office. Callum thinks we should say what we want to spend excess money on.

Sorcha: Emergency budget is there for items that aren't planned for.

Astrid: UPay top-up. (They have an incremental charge every time you top up – can top up less if you top up at bar – can use cash at bar). Asks Sorcha to add on info for DRC to bulletin.

Sorcha: If you can put something together, put it on.

Astrid: Fitness to study issues.

Priya: JCSU guide to intermission.

Sorcha: Some people who intermitted weren't on mailing lists etc.

Jen: You lose all access to welfare

Callum: Mental-health booklet would be good idea.

Priya: Important to give out in freshers

Sorcha: Welfare team get together and make a guide so it's there before freshers' week next year.

Jen: Innocent bystander – pages on Jnet for welfare are so bad – would be useful to improve them.

Priya and Jacob: Want to have more welfare for first year ballot e.g. events that distract from stress, have released timetable.

Jen: Are we allowed to be there at the ballot?

Sorcha: Yes. We need to be more visible – wearing jumpers – sit on sofa next to tables – someone always there who has been welfare trained. Watch out for intimidation etc. Doodle poll for the 27th availabilities is up.



Sorcha: Best if just second years help out unless we need more people.

Adam: Anonymous feedback service to counter Grudgebridge stuff so stuff is fed-back to us and not put on Grudgebridge.

Jen: You can't save messages from anonymous messaging.

Sorcha: Google form/doc – Varsity article about halfway hall.

Zannah: Need to be careful that when we say something is anonymous it actually is anonymous – conflict of interests if we say something is anonymous and it's not.

Sorcha: Needs CRSids to make sure voting isn't skewed for CUSU. Could be the one to get access to responses and then can speak to relevant people. Will set up form this week. Concerns it could be brutal.

Priya: People prefer going to outside sources.

Sorcha: People can't go to Varsity because 'it's the only option left'. Everyone get tickets for formal swap.

Jen: My slack has stopped working! Met with bursar, talked about getting data/server about how many people self-identify in college and to get opinions on bathrooms. Option of big survey but should LGBT+ people only vote. Bursar wants data

Sorcha: Another college passed it as a motion. Open meetings at other colleges with online voting the next day. Online vote of everyone would be best.

Jen: Need data for how many people identify not in the binary.

Sorcha: Concerns that that is obtrusive. College might use data against us. Would be against giving that data. What about people visiting college/prospective students?

Jen: Would like the vote in the next couple of weeks as need to have info before next West Court meeting.

Sorcha: Find a way of doing it through Raven so people cannot vote twice. Suggests messaging Evie (Aspinall).

Callum: Any idea about what ticket money could go towards? Something valuable that we could spend it on?

Joe: Table football?

Jen: More board games that aren't two hour strategy games.

Sorcha: At other colleges people can come and propose usage for funds.

Callum: Do vote on what people want – we should use it to make JCR more fun.

Sorcha: Next week's meeting – lots of people have halfway parents' lunch. Do we want to reschedule or wait until week after? Thinks we need meeting because of ballot. Saturday afternoon at 4 best time.

Action Items

- Everyone - fill in Doodle Poll for ballot day availability on 27th (especially 2nd years), remember to wear JCSU jumpers on the day.
- Welfare team - produce guide giving advice on intermission/mental health in time for Freshers Week next year.
- Sorcha - set up form for anonymous feedback service.
- Jen - contact Evie for advice on potential vote for getting data on number of people identifying as non-binary in college.
- Astrid - sort DRC info for bulletin.

Next Meeting Agenda Items

Halfway Hall

Voting Registration Stall

Stash Review

Request that we publicise the fact that CamCards can be topped up with any amount and with cash at Roost

Ballot Day - need thorough plan for Wednesday & timetable

Week of Woman updates

SK: pls book formal tickets!! Only 6 people booked from Jesus & 15 from fitz