Present (11): the President (Jacob Powell, in the Chair), the Treasurer (Matthew Chan), the Secretary (Lewis Westwood Flood), the Male Welfare Officer (Angus Harron), the Female Welfare Officer (Eva Timlin), the Environmental & Ethical Affairs Officer (Ellie Doran), the Freshers’ Officers (Bella Manfredi & Maddie Mitchell), the Ethnic & Religious Minorities Officer (Imran Mulla), the Services Officer (Will Zeng), and the Communications Officer (Victoria Adjei).

Apologies (3): the Vice-President (Estelle Cho Lin Wing), the LGBT+ Officer (Jack Ward), and the International Students’ Officer (Tara Khanna).

Absent (5): the Ents Officers (Cian Fielden & Ben Mallard), the Access Officer (Robyn Briggs), the Women’s and Non-Binary Officer (Mojola Akinyemi), and the Mental Health & Disabilities Officer (Immie Parsley).

One Minute Summary

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- No major updates in terms of College reopening, except that draught beers are back but that’s not a COVID thing, as they continue to stick to Government timeline.
- The plan for the 26th June is still under discussion, especially affected if the June 21st relaxation does not go ahead as planned, but the JCSU may be getting an inflatable obstacle course.
- College has outlined their planned sustainability agenda to the Green Officer, who is seeking feedback from the Committee.
- The Jesus College Miniature Painting Society have been approved for funding.
- Goodluck with exams x

Minutes

Meeting opened at 19:16

Jacob welcomed Victoria Adjei as the new Communications Officer following Aurelio’s resignation.

1.0 - Approval of the Draft Minutes from the 17th May 2021

The Committee APPROVED the draft minutes as the official record.
2.0 - COVID-19

2.1 - General Updates

- Jacob: Not that much to say, relatively quiet, some stuff on graduation and the garden party, College will obviously have to follow the delay on June 21st if that occurs.
- Ellie: Will the library go back to normal if June 21st goes well? Jacob: Maybe? Have a feeling it will remain physically similar, maybe booking will change. But we will have to see.
- Jacob: PSG is on the 21st so that will be interesting.
- Matthew: What is happening with the ATP? Jacob: Well, we are actually on quite a high takeup College wise (Tit Hall having a small number like 45% or something?) Also questions as to whether ATP will keep going over summer, especially with post grads staying in place.

3.0 - Comments on the Sustainability Agenda

- Ellie: Does anyone have any feedback on it? [Ellie outlined the key points of the strategy, which are currently under embargo by College]
- Lewis: How has College responded to the Climate Campaign Report? Jacob: Zak and I received most of the negative response from College, which basically boiled down to “if you aren’t an ESG professional we don’t need to listen to you”.
- Ellie asked officers for feedback on the strategy.
- Ellie also raised issue of boilers, and the College's slow pace on it. Still pushing on that for refurbs.
- Jacob raised that the JCSU’s focus should be on working with College on details of divestment.

4.0 - Ents/Garden Party

- Jacob: Me, Ben, and Cian met with the catering manager, Manciple, and tried to convince them to sign up for big events. They basically said no, citing security or some other stuff like that. Basically it’s gonna be a ‘wholesome, relaxing afternoon’. The bouncy castle was given the go ahead. College are planning to do food and drinks, a “chorizo thing” [Secretary’s note: that was not the correct thing, Jacob meant churros], maybe a cost of £10-15. We should look at subsidising food as a JCSU as we can’t get that expensive marquee now.
- Eva: Will it be the sort of JBar drinks only? Jacob: Officially probably, but we have a lot of items to plan out with College ASAP.
- Jacob: I think like 4 people are allowed on the bouncy castle at once. Lewis: I am pretty sure we agreed an obstacle course?
- Jacob: College mentioned a maximum of like 350 people, which is obviously not most undergrads. Need to work on that.
- Matthew: Estelle mentioned a sports day a while ago? Eva: Think that’s just an ents officer thing.
- Jacob: I will update you all in two weeks.
5.0 - Graduation

- Jacob: A lot of things have been happening on PSG I haven’t been able to observe because I’ve had exams, but looks like it be on the 7th July. Senate House will be open to just grads, and then guests will have to watch a live stream in Jesus probably.
- Discussion over current thinking over graduation formal, details of which are very much under debate right now. JCSU and Jacob pushing for alignment with Government rules and common sense. More details should be circulated to graduands soon.

6.0 - Fresher Weddings

- Agreed to contact the Manciple, ask for a wedding cake. Contact James for the Chapel.

7.0 - Any other business [AOB]

Any business not raised before the meeting may be raised by an Officer under this agenda point for a lengthier discussion. Points raised during the meeting may also be deferred to this point by the Secretary or President.

7.1 - Miniature Society Notice

- Lewis noted that on May 22nd, 2021 12 members of the JCSU Executive Committee agreed via Facebook Messenger to APPROVE a £250 funding estimate adjustment for the Jesus College Miniature Painting Society, following issues raised at the meeting of May 17th having been resolved by the Secretary and President of the Society.

JCSU Members Who Approved Funding Estimate Adjustment via Facebook Messenger:
1. Eva Timlin
2. Aurelio Petrucci [was incumbent Communications Officer at this point]
3. Angus Harron
4. Will Zeng
5. Jacob Powell
6. Robyn Briggs
7. Matthew Chan
8. Ellie Doran
9. Jack Ward
10. Tara Khanna
11. Maddie Mitchell
12. Bella Manfredi

7.2 - Beers at JBar

- Jacob: The Manciple pulled me aside and basically asked me did I know that they no longer have draft beers at JBar? Basically, drinks were very complicated for a while.
Now they’ve simplified that and gone for a bottled menu, but they should bring back draft beer soon. Will speak to the Manciple about it.

*Meeting closed at 19:58.*