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## 1. Apologies of absence:

Severin Limal

Alice Duffy

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## 2. Officers' Reports:

### President (Rosie Petersen)

1. Formal disabled access via the MCR
2. IT rep – Dan Murphy ratification: 40 for

### Vice President (Jonny Mitchell)

1. Posters on the noticeboard
2. No mobile phones in hall – staff as considering measures against this
3. Don't prop open fire doors – looking to impose fines
4. Got a University Challenge Team

### Treasurer (Kate Dickinson)

1. None

### Secretary (Katie Davies)

1. Nominations open for 6<sup>th</sup> week elections: Sec, Entz, Careers & Alum and E&E; will send round nomination forms after this meeting, deadline for applications on Thursday at midnight; hustings at
2. Apply for this position!

### Welfare (Zoe Larkin & Joel Hide)

1. Fruit bank this Friday in the bar
2. Might do wine and cheese night depending on the Dean

### Equal Ops (Rachel Hulme)

1. None

### Accommodation (Matt Hawes)

1. Living out talk tomorrow (Monday) at 4pm then Arco room allocation at 8pm

### OUSU Rep (Hossein Sharafi)

1. Free education motion passed at OUSU
2. Veggie pledge passed – pledge to go vegetarian for a week, pitching colleges against each other
3. OUSU Council meeting next week – email Hossein if you want to join on Wednesday!

### Freshers' Week President (Katie Millard)

1. None
2. Lydia still has stash to collect; stash orders

### Charities (Lydia Ream & Sarah Peel)

1. Children in Need next week!
2. Buy raffle tickets – really good tickets – on sale
3. Tournament participation: table tennis, FIFA, pool, darts – email Rishi to join in

### Entz (Deanna Greenhalgh, Greg Albery & Severin Limal)

1. Comedy night in 6<sup>th</sup> week
2. Christmas Bop – few dates floating around

3. Christmas dinner – hoping to do free mulled wine in the bar for everyone; or specialty Christmas drink in the bar, open to suggestions

**Arts & Pubs (Kath Baxter, Lily Mackow-McGuire & Mina Ebtehadj-Marguis)**

1. Art Soc in the bar on Fridays 5-7pm
2. KA funding for Keble Arts Festival, will be recruiting for the committee in the next few weeks

**Environment & Ethics (Jake Palmer)**

1. Apply for this position! Diverse role
2. Complaints about recycling bags again – looking into this

**Careers & Alumni (Emma Brand)**

1. Arts and media event this week – speakers are happy for people who were unable to come, get in touch with Emma to contact the speakers
2. Apply for this position!

**Academic Affairs (Alice Duffy)**

1. None
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### **3. Motions:**

**Motion 1: Skin Deep**

**Proposer:** Joel Hide

**Secunder:** Zoe Larkin

This JCR notes:

1. That the Skin Deep magazine is a platform for the discussion of issues surrounding race and racial identity in Oxford.
2. That the magazine includes contributions from members from the Oxford community, including journalists, writers, poets and artists.
3. That the Skin Deep magazine will provide a space for the discussion and expression of issues and ideas which are not explored in existing Oxford publications.
4. That the cost of this term's print run cannot be covered by proceeds generated by events and other fundraising activities.
5. That the cost of the print run will be around £800 for 600 copies.

This JCR believes:

1. That the Skin Deep magazine fills a vacuum in the Oxford publications market, in its focus on race issues.
2. That we need to increase awareness around race issues.
3. That the discussion that Skin Deep promotes is vital for the voices of many students of colour in Oxford to be amplified.
4. That publications exploring such ideas should be supported to grow.

This JCR resolves:

1. To donate £100 to fund the printing for this term, and in return for this the JCR will receive 20 copies.

**Issues Raised:**

- **Proposer:** this zine is important for Oxford culture, around JCRs etc. Wadham gave £200 earlier and is getting support for this meeting; will be kept in the JCR and is available online so will get to as many people as possible

- Why aren't other JCRs giving money so more copies could be printed? Few people closely related to this group; fine to discuss the amount of money
- £100 is fine as long as that's all they need, if they get more than £800 then can we get the money back? The left over money will go towards funding future zines
- How long has this been going on, will it need re-funding every term? This is the 2<sup>nd</sup> copy, has been funded by events but there are many zines out there at the moment – but is important because this is the only publication devoted to race issues
- Can we put copies in the café? Yes
- Will we get a mention in the zine? By precedent, we should; *friendly amendment* – to ask about adding Keble JCR in thank you section

**VOTES FOR: 42**

**VOTES AGAINST: 0**

**ABSENTIONS: 0**

THIS MOTION PASSES.

### **Motion 2: PS4**

**Proposer:** Michael Low

**Secunder:** Lydia Ream

This JCR notes that:

1. We currently don't have any games console in the JCR or the bar  
Last year we had a PS3 which seemed to go missing over the holidays
2. It is Children in Need week next week (5th week) and traditionally this has included a FIFA tournament

This JCR resolves to:

1. Mandate the JCR President and Vice President to find out where the PS3 has gone
2. In the event that no further information has come to light by Tuesday, the JCR resolves to reimburse a member of the Charities Sub-committee for the purchase of a PS4 with an extra controller and FIFA 15 for up to £425
3. Further to this purchase, mandate the JCR Vice President to buy 2 further games for the PS4 as decided by a poll on the Noticeboard

### **Issues Raised:**

- To clarify the current situation: the PS3 last seen in JCR2 by conference people at the end of TT last year, there 2 weeks after that, but 2 weeks later when it was unlocked to clear it out it had been missing, getting a list of people who had been in the JCR2 over that period, to try to find out where it's gone, will get the list on Monday
- **Proposer:** if we find the PS3 before Tuesday this won't happen; having a Playstation in the JCR is important, lots of people take enjoyment from using it; need to get FIFA to run the 5<sup>th</sup> week tournament, FIFA is by far the most popular game
- How much do the extra games cost? £30-40
- With the exception of the FIFA tournament if someone wants to use the TV does that take priority over the Playstation? JCR rule that is if there are live events incl. sport

- Who would decide the options for the games on the poll? Open to adding suggestions
- Is it not a bit worrying that the PS3 has gone missing and we're just going to buy a new one, very expensive; with the PS4 should we put someone with the responsibility to look after it? College thinks that the JCR has responsibility for it; can lock it away in the JCR
- How much does it cost? Up to £425 including another controller and FIFA15
- Is it possible to get it cheaper second hand? PS4s are the best you can get, a good investment, second hand likely to need maintenance
- For the poll, should we prioritise getting a cheaper game? Put the price of the game next to the name on the poll for new games
- Can you use PS3 games on the PS4? No, will only have 3 games
- Is there any reason why we're getting a PS4 than a PS3? Stop making games for PS3 (the games have been lost too)
- Is there scope for blaming college if the console had been locked in the JCR2? Would like to press with college that it shouldn't have been our responsibility, not here over college, not sure 100% that a member of the JCR didn't take it; will aim to do it but can't promise this will happen
- The original motion for buying the PS3 was to keep it in the bar, which was the condition – should we add a clause to agree where it should be stored esp. over the holidays? We are going to get a cupboard installed with a lock in the JCR *friendly amendment*
- The PS3 was moved because the JCR was being used for telethon so thought it would be safer in the JCR2
- Does the JCR have any property insurance? College has some sort of content insurance, but has been lost within college, to get insurance we need to have
- Install a tracker on the new PS4? *Friendly amendment* – mandate someone to look into buying a security device for the new PS4
- Is the JCR 2 only accessible to members of the JCR? Other people who would have gone in would be college staff and all students – members of the MCR
- Things quite frequently go missing e.g. the piano which was found by the men in college? JK has already looked into this

**VOTES FOR: 26**

**VOTES AGAINST: 1**

**ABSENTIONS: 15**

THIS MOTION PASSES.

#### **4. Matters for Discussion**

- Formal Hall (Jonny Mitchell)
- DB keen to get more guest nights in formal hall, currently 1 a term; have 2 or 3 a term: smarter, more guests per person, music, themes etc. How keen are we?
  - In the past guest nights have filled up quickly, having more would be good; making them smarter might be fun too
  - Guest nights aren't great in comparison to other colleges e.g. drinks beforehand, unlimited wine – a proper event

- Nice to have them throughout the term, at the moment are usually at the end of term
  - Making it slightly more expensive to improve the food? Usually about £10
  - Having more than one guest would be good – DB happy to push it to 3 or 4
  - How many a term? At least 2, but 3 would be good
  - Would that reduce the number of subject black ties per term? In HT black ties typically happen once a week
  - World's Biggest Crew Date (Rosie Petersen)
- Anyone here last year remembers the disaster of last year – WBCD happens on Thursday of 8<sup>th</sup> week in MT, all of Keble are invited, is really fun; incident last year in losing people's ticket money; been suggested that Entz could organise it, don't want to associate it with the JCR don't want to formally condone drinking, but might be quite a task to ask an individual to organise this
- Entz could get the tickets for the club night afterwards
  - Fun way for everyone to socialise with everyone in college, good for Keble spirit
  - Getting round losing money – do online payments, bank transfers or Pay Pal ; or give the money to Arzoo on the door (would they allow this?)
  - Should the JCR be involved in this? A bit irrelevant to the JCR's duties; can be dangerous if the JCR is involved, if people want it that badly then they will organise it themselves
  - SO – if someone wants to organise it they can do this
  - It's not that difficult to keep track of money

## 5. Any Other Business

- Question about Keble Reviews – why are they so many published? Get college to reduce the number; if you don't want you Keble Review you can recycle them in the lodge
- OUSU elections are coming up – how many people would be interested in having hustings in Keble, Baillol have opened their hustings up for other people from other colleges to attend
  - Hustings can be time limited
  - 2 people in the JCR interested in holding Hustings – but can just go to Baillol
  - Need to emphasise that people might be more interested in OUSU over JCR things
- Stash – doing a second order this year, would it be worth having them available on a regular basis?
  - Go though OU sports shop which occurs year round
  - Could do seasonal things – more Xmas jumpers, trackies etc.
- Can we get a table tennis budget? Has been updated since
- Raffle tickets on sale!
- Mandate the gym president to get people to stop not wearing shoes in the gym

- MES positions also up or grabs – run the O’Reilly theatre: marketing officer, secretary and treasurer --- 2<sup>nd</sup> years and below
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