**JCR Meeting Minutes**

**Date: TTW7 Sunday June 3rd**

**1.** **Officer’s Reports**

President – Ronit Kanwar

* Only two weeks left - any last minute ideas/plans we want to push?

Vice President – Verity Bligh

* Burger night on Thursday
* Plans for Hall pending approval/copyright - will be sent out soon!

Treasurer – Ben Jacobs

Secretary – Caitlin Ashcroft

Welfare – Claire Castle And Adam Bradbury

Entz – Millie Chu, Lucinda Kirk And Bella Imi

Academic Affairs – Ruha Akhtar

Equal Opps – Savi Chahal

Charities – Callum Coghlan, Seb Pippins And Ali Lane

Arts & Pubs – Mila Fitzgerald

Environment And Ethics – Ludo Findlay

Careers And Alumni – Emma Biddiscombe

Drama – Isobel Hambleton

Freshers’ Week – Yannis Baur

It – Morgan King

Accommodation – Josh Stimson

Bme Reps – Robert Pieters And Ope Oreyemi

Lgbtq – Bessie Yuill And Katie Winstanley

Sports – Jack Morrison And James Worthington

International Reps – Tiger Yuan And Lucas Buzaglo

Ousu – N/A

**2.** **Motions**

**2.1 Reimbursing Drinks for Summer VIIIs**

**Summary**: To reimburse KCBC for the drinks they provided at the boat house for Summer VIIIs.

**This JCR notes that**

- Summer VIIIs is a 200-year-old tradition in Oxford, in which more than 1000 students participate

- Keble became head of the river, with the M1 bumping Christ Church

- Many beverages were consumed, most of which the girls’ social sec purchased. She is awaiting a refund.

- In previous years and for different sports these beverages were always provided.

**This JCR believes that:**

- This is pretty good stuff!

**This JCR therefore resolves to:**

- Reimburse KCBC for the drinks purchased for all JCR members that were available at the boat house.

Proposed by: Frederick Kohlhas

Seconded by: Emma Carter

**VOTE:** 42 for, 0 against, 0 abstaining

**MOTION PASSED**

**2.2 Keble Brownie Motion**

**Summary**: To start selling brownies, preferably with vegan friendly options, in the College Bar.

**This JCR notes that:**

- Apart from Hall, there is no current way of acquiring delicious sweet treats or desserts within college during the evening without an arduous trip to Tesco.

- We are always encouraged to use the Bar more, particularly due to the loss of Hall next year.

- The loss of Hall next next year means it is even more important to provide places and incentives for Keblites to eat together in college.

**This JCR believes that**

- The introduction of a brownie option in the Bar would encourage people to use this space more often.

- The prime proximity of the Bar next to Freshers' accommodation would hopefully create a relaxed space for socialising over a delicious brownie four o'clock snack or cheeky dessert.

- It would also be a fantastic alternative pudding to the Hall meals, or a nice treat after a pizza from the Pizza Bar.

**This JCR therefore resolves to**

- Begin selling brownies, ideally with vegan friendly options, as part of the Bar menu.

Proposed by: Bethany Lucas

Seconded by: Eleanor Bolton

**VOTE**: 40 for, 0 against, 0 abstaining

**MOTION PASSED**

**2.3 Stands in Laundry**

**This JCR notes that:**

- there are a lot of short people in college

- the dryers are way too high for said short people to reach, resulting in a lot of blood, sweat and tears (which considering laundry is meant to clean things is a bit counterproductive)

- short people would greatly benefit from a step stool in the laundry room

**This JCR hopefully resolves:**

to alleviate the suffering of the vertically challenged and provide step stools (probs about a tenner)

Proposed by : Megan Cave

Seconded by : Arunima Amar

VOTE: 38 for, 0 against, 0 abstaining

MOTION PASSED

**3.** **Elections**

**Careers and Alumni Officer - Shekinah Opera**

* Lots of opportunities in Oxford - it’s important that everyone gets access to them
* Wants to provide a range of career options and opportunities
* Engaging with Alumni is a good opportunities to gain insight into world outside/after uni

Q. How will you deal with the issue of the grads being in a different space?

* Organising regular events - keeping people informed

Q. Which of Em’s events was your favourite?

* Linked-In was the best idea - couldn’t go due to Law Soc

Q. What could Em have improved of?

* Introducing informal settings to get Freshers’/Undergrad engaged with career options
* Only proactive students who read/went through the emails

Q. How would you encourage people to attend these events?

* Keep them informed
* Make it more informal/less daunting
* Spread the word, make people aware of what they stand to gain

**4.** **Any Other Business**

**Keep Cups for Freshers**

* College has offered to pay for half of the Keep Cups for the Freshers if the JCR pays the other half
* Most people in favour (informal vote, show of hands)