



PTMUN'22

Let Diplomacy Prevail



Prior to the opening ceremony, chaos commenced for the registrations team at around 8:30 when delegates started to arrive full of the desire to compete and win, the logistics and security team were barely of any help and seemed to have taken pleasure out of the sufferings of the registrations team. After all the registrations were dealt with, the delegates were guided to the auditorium where they waited for an upcoming opening ceremony. After every individual had arrived, the opening ceremony commenced, followed by recitation and the national anthems of Pakistan, Turkey and inspirational speeches by our Secretary and Director-General. Delegates were then escorted to their respective committee rooms and the diplomacy began.

UNSC

The committee began with an introduction and a GSL followed by countries inquiring regarding Palestine's allegiances. Once those were confirmed, the voting for a moderated caucus began and France marked the commencement of the caucus with their speech. DPRK followed this by declaring war (force of habit, we assumed). Thankfully, it was unintentional. The chairs were extremely understanding, guiding the delegates here and there so that no one felt left out. Their advice was equally cherished by both, first-timers, and veterans. The second session began with different countries trying to take shots on Israel. The delegate of Israel was not having any of it though, or to quote the Chair himself: "If we send the transcript to Tel Aviv, they would surely be willing to recruit you." After some critique by the Chair, the delegates launched into an unmoderated caucus and here we finally got to see the formation of blocs, or what the publications team dubbed "peak content". This was followed by an entertainment session where France graced the occasion by singing Baby Shark in a French accent.

The committee continued its second day with delegates working tirelessly on their working papers and drafting resolutions, the delegates of Iran and China declared war (again, accidentally).

The delegates were at each other's throats (quite literally) so the chairs had to take away their veto privileges, and that is pretty much how the committee managed to proceed.

PNA

"The Chaos begins"

The session kicked off with a series of formal introductions and the ritualistic delineation of the rules and regulations. Immediately afterwards, a surprise resetting of the committee room took place on the orders of the chair. The customary bashing commenced as early on as the General Speaker's List. The committee room was graced by several politely phrased insults which left the already anxious first-timers way out of their comfort zone. Both sides also reflected the true spirit of being proud Pakistanis by boycotting each other's caucuses and stopped only after the 'I am disappointed' lecture by the chair (again, just like a true Pakistani). After a well-deserved break, the session resumed. The enthusiasm soared after the introduction of a crisis session which played host to a round of fiery debates. The day ended with the Islamic Republic of Pakistan receiving its decade-long dose of martial law and the parliamentarians leaving the committee room unemployed.



DISEC

"The freedom fighters fight to take their country back while the terrorists fight to overthrow the government."

The chair's arrival was accompanied by a thunderous wave of desk claps. The session was set into motion by introductions of the participating delegates where a vivid emphasis was placed over their institutes, hobbies, and countries assigned. The ACDs provided a quick brief to the first-timers to make them feel more comfortable with the rules and pattern. Against the normal tradition, delegates recorded their stances before their GSL. Questions were raised for clarification to which the Chairs responded with "the intent to provide an equal chance for everyone" and a definition of GSL. Multiple issues like propaganda funding and unstable governments were discussed, to which solutions like task force formation were proposed. Other issues like the impact of terrorism on human rights were also discussed which were dealt with the proposal of counter-terrorism policies. Desk claps followed to support the presented solutions. The second session began with a promise to a much-needed entertainment session, held conditional on the performance of the delegates. Slam! The house was now open to debate once again. This session revolved much around the debate about terrorism within, leading to a discussion about supposed terrorism in Afghanistan.

From the enhancement of educational standards and sensible journalism to using high tech like satellite monitoring and document integrity checks, a wide range of solutions were discussed as an attempt to resolve the previously identified problems and reasons to terrorism. Canada coined the idea of starting small to avoid big issues world-wide, which gained quick support evident by table claps. Legal implementation and the typical request of having nuclear free warzones was one of the others solutions that were presented. With this, the sessions came to an end.



UNWOMEN

"Women rights are human rights"

The session began with brief introductions of the chairs and delegates with a combination of nervous first-timers and confident, experienced speakers. A motion was raised for the commencement of the General Speakers list, and everyone presented their views on facilitating women's access to justice. Delegates, regardless of the countries they represented, proved some extremely well-developed points. Crushing stories of the struggle faced by women all over the world were highlighted as the delegates' speeches unfolded. Delegates proceeded to mention what actions their respective countries were implementing to support women in their war with inequality.

The second session began with delegates signifying the crucial importance of women in worldly affairs. The overall situation of women rights was scrutinized, and solutions were thought to be major problems. Delegates presented statistics to support their judgements in the committee room. It was reminded that social freedom cannot be achieved without women. Delegates discussed general matters regarding women rights interlinking with media access.

Though they were engrossed in the rousing argument, the delegates exhibited qualities of reverence and serenity while analysing the perspectives of other delegates.

The day concluded with an entertainment session, during which, various titles were bagged by delegates like 'Best dressed', 'Most annoying' and 'Cutest' along with hilarious jokes cracked by the Chairs which seemed to calm down the stressful ambience.

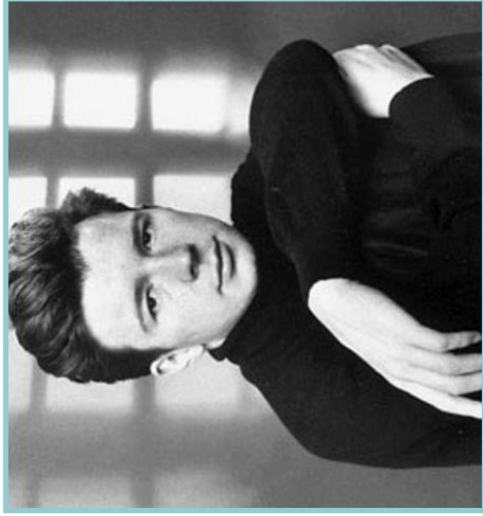


SOCHUM

The SOCHUM committee exceeded the expected amount of delegates and despite multiple attempts, the publications team was not allowed to sit due to a lack of space in the room, so instead, we decided to 'Never Gonna Give You Up':

We're no strangers to love
You know the rules and so do I
A full commitment's what I'm thinking of
You wouldn't get this from any other guy
I just wanna tell you how I'm feeling
Gotta make you understand

Never gonna give you up
Never gonna let you down
Never gonna run around and desert you
Never gonna make you cry
Never gonna say goodbye
Never gonna tell a lie and hurt you



THANK YOU!

Tomfoolery

- A delegate requested to printout a 116 pages, (Which we're guessing was a twitter thread of a 14 year old girl explaining why kpop is the best).
- Our secretary general proposed our second secretary general, which ended in rejection, leaving him heartbroken.
- A mentor from beaconhouse and a teacher from PakTurk joined each other for an intense match of snooker. (Which ended in a truce, because no one managed to pot a single ball)
- Argam Altaf, the chair for UNWOMEN suffered defeat at table tennis by the hands of Salman Yousaf, ACD of the DISEC committee
- The Delegate of DPRK performed the Alphabet Aerobics during an entertainment session in the SOCHUM committee (which explains what a lot of his free time is spent doing).

'Until Next Time'

