Annual General Meeting James Cook University Law Students' Society

Tuesday 20 October 2014, 6pm

27-002 JCU, Townsville

Attendees and proxies

Attendee	Proxy 1	Proxy 2
Madeleine Rudge (MR)	Alice Baldwin	Ben Hall
Nicholas Potter (NP)	Troydon Maltby	Kayla Doig
Jack Middleton (JM)		
Jo-Anne Hunt (JH)	Jade Fitzgerald	Carlie Norton
Rachel Stuart (RS)	Rhiannon Rowe	Sarah Meyer
Maclane Schloss (MS)	Charlotte Simpson	Mathai Joshi
Jake Bailey	Katherine Kachel	Lauren Hobson
Edward Harridge	Remy Atkinson	
Mathew Cook		
Elijah Weightman	Maxii Macdonald	Rebecca Marmara
Rabia Hussain	Shruthi Thangiah	Louise Bugno
Mitchell Kellett	Kate Kachel	
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(gave her proxy to Mitch		
Kellet when she left early)		
Sharon Sangha	Joanne Keune	Naim Santosa-Miller

Minutes

Motion by NP, seconded by MR to affirm minutes of the previous meeting of executive members. Motion carried unanimously

President's report

NP presented an overview of the LSS's events for 2014 and commended the work of fellow executive members.

NP noted a number of 'firsts' attached to the law ball: a donation to charity, which was raised from ticket sales; a privately sponsored award, namely the Maurice Blackburn Social Justice Award; and the establishment of a sub-committee to organise the ball.

NP noted the lack of an organised and up-to-date method for keeping a list of members of the LSS. He suggested next year's executive develop a formal system for recording members, such as using Google Docs.

NP said the LSS's current financial institution was not optimal and he recommended the 2015 executive committee switch to a different financial institution.

Motion by NP, seconded by MS to make NP the first life member of the JCU Law Students' Society. Motion carried.

Treasurer's report

DD presented the treasurer's report.

Amendment by 2015 Executive: By way of flying minute, the following motion was passed:

Motion by JH, by way of a flying minute, to accept that the financials were presented at the AGM as required by s 59B of the *Incorporated Associations Act*, but that they were not adopted.

Sent: Monday 3, November 2014

Motion passed unanimously. Reid Fraser abstained.

The financial presented were presented as required by s 59B of the *Incorporated Associations Act*.

Constitutional amendments

Motion by MS, seconded by MR to add the following sub-section to the Constitution of the JCU Law Students' Society, "7.4.4 a special meeting confers the authority to amend, rescind, or add to the JCULSS constitution pursuant to a special majority." Motion carried unanimously.

Resignation

2014 Executive committee resigned from their positions.

Election of executive committee for 2015

NP declared he will not vote in the election of the 2015 executive committee.

NP counted votes. MS scrutineered.

President Rachel Stuart

Vice President Maclane Schloss

Secretary Jo-Anne Hunt

Treasurer Mathew Cook

ALSA and Competitions Rabia Hussain

Public Lecture Convenor Edward Harridge

Social Convenors Sharon K Sangha

Jack Middleton

Publications officer Elijah Weightman

Information Technology Representative Rachel Stuart

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Representative Mitchell Kellet

International Rep Reid Fraser

Mature Age Rep Jade Luchsinger

Bank account signatories

Motion by MS, seconded by RS that Rachel Stuart, Maclane Schloss, and Mathew Cook replace the current signatories on the LSS's bank account. Motion carried unanimously.

Public Liability Insurance

Motion by MS, seconded by RS that the JCU Law Students' Society does not take out public liability insurance. Motion carried unanimously; however, MK abstained.

Meeting closed 9:50pm.