

Rishi Vaswani – 2nd Year Male Head of Non-Residence

“Oh, there’s a Trin event tomorrow?”

- Anonymous Commuter

Dear First Years,

A week before Conversat, I asked my commuter friend if he was going to Conversat. His response was simply, “What’s that?” Never would I’ve thought that those two words would’ve melted my heart and brought tears to my eyes. The amount of sleepless nights I’ve had over this pressing issue is incalculable. Nothing pains me more than to hear a fellow member of Trinity College not aware of opportunities to get fucked out of their minds just because they’re living off residence.

I’m a big man (not really) with an even bigger heart. I can bare the emotional trauma of seeing a squirrel get run over by a car, but when I hear stories of a commuter’s lack of awareness, I break down psychologically. There is an obvious gap of awareness between students that live on residence and those that don’t, and I shall not eat, sleep, or open up my textbook until I close the gap, even if I have an exam the next day.



As most of us first years will be living off residence next year, we will soon experience the struggles our current commuters face. As Second Year Male Head of Non-Res, I will end this terrible ordeal, even if it means eating the fish at Strachan everyday for an entire year.

My fellow commuters, I will be loyal to you with the same commitment as Uoft is to eliminating first years.

Met’Agona,
Rishi Vaswani