

### **Thursday, 5th December 2024 - JCR Meeting Minutes**

#### **Attendees**

Ritika (President), Jessica (VP), Vladimir (Secretary), Gemma (CCE), Izzie (LGBTQ+), Sarah (Women's & enby welfare), Anna (WMG), Iris (D&I Rep), Keane (Access), Szymon (Men's enby welfare), Ruxi (International Rep)

#### **Vladimir (Secretary)**

- There was an offer from another stash provider.
- Our current provider has an established history with us and many other Cambridge colleges, societies. They are easy to communicate with and have always been of help when needed.
- The committee did not express a need to look for a new stash provider.

#### **Sarah (Women's & enby welfare)**

- **Plodge working times**
  - Peterhouse is the only college that does not have a 24/7 open plodge. As such, people need to escort their guests out late at night, which has its own welfare concerns.
  - Suggests to trial a 24/7 open plodge on Fridays and Saturdays.
- **Cambridge University Humanitarian Fund** provides scholarships for students from war-torn regions. Suggests an open letter for support from Peterhouse JCR.

#### **Iris (D&I rep)**

- Welfare roadmap poster is in process of creation.

#### **Izzie (LGBTQ+ officer)**

- LGBTQ+ help document has been sent out through email. It should be posted to the website (Alina can help as she has editing rights)

#### **Gemma (CCE officer)**

- Concerns have been raised about fellow students' behaviour and how to address it, especially when living communally.

#### **Keane (Access officer)**

- Proposal for an anonymous concerns platform.

#### **Ruxi (International rep)**

- Issues with availability of cages. Many people who can request cages and needed 2, could get only 1 because there were none left.

- The new cages have not been ready yet (which should be available to home students for a charge as well). The rooms in SPT where they will be placed are empty, but there are no cages in there yet.

**Ritika (President)**

- **Alcohol in food.** It is sometimes not mentioned in the menu. It could be signed similarly to allergens. In any case, people should ask the servery for absolute certainty.
- **Plevy bar as a study space during the day.** It has not been open this year. College has not been cooperative this year, as they believe it was a temporary trial only for Easter 2024.
- **Room bookings for university societies.** Following the passed motion in a previous Open Meeting, a proposal has been prepared and is ready to be sent out to students for consideration.
- **May Ball bursary tickets for international students.** Friends of Peterhouse are willing to help upon agreeing on a criteria for a wider bursary. A proposal has been prepared and is ready to be sent out to students for consideration.