**JCR Committee Meeting 07.03.2023**

**Officer Reports:**

President: Hardwick have got the contracts wrong with the wrong numbers. All colleges impacted have challenged this. Hardwick then said that they can’t guarantee those prices with the smaller numbers that were more accurate. Presidents and Hardwick had a meeting to sort out what should happen but less than half of the presidents showed up. They ultimately decided to sort the marquee out externally from Hardwick and then lots of colleges dropped out of the agreement. This has made it more expensive with the remaining colleges. Because of the prices, we have decided to reduce the dining capacity to 450 so everyone can dine inside, and it is the least popular option compared to ents. This has also meant that priority tickets may now be capped further as well. New contracts have now been submitted

Sports and socs equipment are being handed out and this should be finished by the end of term

ACD is being organised. Trying to get an external organiser for decorating with assistance from Hannah

The pool table is not going to be changed but will be relayed. The contract has now been taken over by College as opposed to the JCR so levys are not contributing to its rent. We are unsure whether or not this will now mean the pool table is actually fixed but it is out of our hands from now on

Vice-President: ordered photos for the Igloo to replace the old ones

Treasurer: Ball meeting tomorrow to sort out finances. James Barry has paid for football

Welfare: successful drop-ins. Dan has worked on body confidence posts to go up next week. Meeting with Ade to sort our racial awareness week in collab with the POC society

Outreach: Roses hopefully will happen on Friday. The trans quiz night went very well and around £60 was raised

Sports Officer: Sports and socs went well. Ella had an email with Rebecca about the Champions dinner which should be on the 19th of June. They think capacity will be 240 and want prices regarding this. This will be for the next Sports Officer to organise. They have elected a new Head of Team Durham but they have a vacancy for College Organiser

Proms and Coms: Fruit boxes tomorrow

Ball Chair: We have lots of jars for Ball decorations. Ball meeting tomorrow to sort out ticket prices. Tickets will be released the first few days back of term

SU Officer: University Challenge team has been made for our college. The first round is tomorrow against Hatfield. Assembly on Thursday

Societies Officer: no updates

Entertainments Officer: *absent*

**Agenda Points:**

* SU Officer on the JCR: no updates
* Climate Society Manifesto: no updates
* Mental Healthy Society: The president is having a meeting with Lottie tomorrow regarding their ratification. They want to ease the stress of students and create a healthy relationship with food. They want to do a jigsaw night, reflection sessions and picnics. They are not trained in welfare disclosures and so they won’t know how to deal with any issues that arise. We won’t know what advice they are giving so won’t be able to make them accountable. It needs to be made clear that they are not welfare. It is concerning that they are not on the welfare committee already and it may be better for them to run for the welfare committee or the outreach committee roles next term. NOT RATIFIED

**Action Points:**

* Lottie to have a meeting and signpost the unratified Mental Healthy Society

**Any Other Business:**