



Minutes

of the 3rd ordinary JCR meeting of Trinity Term 2011

Meeting Details: Monday of 6th Week
7pm, Jesus College JCR.

Key to motions:

- 1. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING
- 2. MATTERS ARISING
- 3. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

-LUMBERS HAS REDONE THE ACADEMIC BYLAWS- SCREAMS DRIVE FOR 5. MEETING MADE NO PROGRESS ON REPRESENTING JCR VIEW...

4. TREASURER'S REPORT

-JCR TEA TOWELS: NEED TO BE DONE BY END OF WEEK. ONE MORE SESSION BEFORE HUSTINGS ON WEDNESDAY 1PM
-FINAL DEADLINE FOR DVD RECOMMENDATIONS ON FACEBOOK GROUP- END OF WEEK

5. SECRETARY'S REPORT

-YEARBOOKS SENT OFF TO PRINTERS

6. OUSU REPORT

-No Confidence vote in David Willetts in congregation tomorrow outside Sheldonian from 1:30pm tomorrow
-8:15am+ - OUSU campaign to get tutors to move tutes etc to go protest

7. SOCIAL REPORT

-FINALISTS' STRAWBERRIES IN JCR FROM NEXT WEEK
-POTENTIAL FILM NIGHT

8. WELFARE REPORT

-Meetings with Megan still issue- still fighting on Welfare Committee
-Sex attacks on Southfield Road- careful
-Finalists' massages on Thurs 6th Week- sign up sheet on noticeboard

9. ACCESS & CAREERS REPORT

-ABOUT 30 PEOPLE SHOWED INTEREST IN ACADEMIC/AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

10. DIVERSITIES REPORT

-LGBTQ SOC: IT GETS BETTER CAMPAIGN- FILMING AT GREEN TEMPLETON FROM 8:30PM
-LGBT COMM ELECTIONS THIS WEEK

11. INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS REPORT

12. ARTS REPORT

13. SPORTS REPORT

-WI GOT BLADES!

14. CHARITIES REPORT

-SAT: STEVENS GARDEN PARTY – BBQ, ICE CREAM, GAMES ETC. 2:30-9PM. CHEAP PIMMS AND BURGERS
-SAT 7TH: RAG SUMMER TWIST, 8-11:30PM
CATHOLIC CHAPLAINCY, AFTERPARTY AT

CAMERA. 15 POUNDS FOR UNLIMITED BOOZE

15. GREEN REPORT

16. BAR AND FOOD REPORT

17. IT REPORT

-Email to be sent out Thursday from 9am for online voting for freshers' committee president. Open til 9pm

18. QUESTIONING

19. SCHOLARSHIP

- i) The Jesus College Junior Members' Scholarship
- ii) Jesus College Governing Body
- iii) The JCR/MCR
- iv) Any future scholar

This JCR further notes:

- v) That i) (formerly the Gaza scholarship) has to be slightly amended in light of the support of ii).
- vi) That ii) would like to extend the remit for scholarship applications to include all three universities in the Gaza strip.
- vii) That ii) would also like the scholarship to have a neutral name.



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viii) That ii) have also asked iii) to agree to underwrite the sum of half of the annual maintenance fees of iv) and make a commitment that i) be offered to other regions of the world after the first scholar has completed his/her degree.

It therefore proposes:

- ix) That iii) ratify the amendments outlined in vi) and viii).
- x) That iii) agree to name the scholarship i).
- xi) That in the interest of iv), iii) agree that no motion of iii) can remove the battels charge whilst iv) is still at the college.
- xii) That iii) mandate Emily Dreyfus to give finalists the opportunity to contribute to the scholarship fund before they leave college

Proposed: Emily Dreyfus

Seconded: Ross Evans

-GB: 14 votes for, 3 against. Have agreed to waive college fee (contrast from Academic Committee)

OREN:

-Recommendations made stems from concerns over political edge of name, and connections

between IUG and Hamas, and explicit anti-semitic sentiments/holocaust denial by IUG Committee etc
-Conflict over nature/extent of damage done to IUG
-But all students in Gaza do face academic isolation- must think of future instances/other places where scholarship may be provided

OPEN FLOOR:

-Financial: inability to remove battels charge simply means no JCR motion can be put in to remove entire system of battels charging, opt-out still viable whenever
- In case number of opt-outs makes scholarship unfeasible, JCR asked to make up cost, but very unlikely (never happened in Teddy Hall example)

For: Majority
Against: -
Abstentions: 2

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20. CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE- ONLINE VOTING

This JCR notes:

- i) Election Times
- ii) 10am-6pm
- iii) Online Voting
- iv) JCR Committee to man the ballot

This JCR further notes:

- v) That it was once necessary for the iv) each time there was a JCR Election
- vi) That we have now introduced iii) and so it is no longer necessary for the iv)
- vii) That the i) were changed in the constitution to make it easier for the iv) and are currently ii)
- viii) That with iii) returning the i) to 9am-9pm gives people more time to vote, and is easier for those who have labs/are busy.
- ix) That in addition to this, there are several clauses in the constitution that refer to “ballot papers” which will be irrelevant once iii) begins

This JCR therefore proposes:

- x) To change the constitution so that elections can be held from 9am-9pm using the iii) system.
- xi) To also change the relevant parts of the Constitution to allow for iii). This will include the change from the AV voting system to the STV voting system.

Proposed: David McMullan

Seconded: Yoon Hur

For: Majority
Against: -
Abstentions: -



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21. CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE- EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES SUB-COMMITTEE

This JCR notes:

- i) Diversities Officer and International Students' Rep
- ii) Equal Opportunities Sub-Committee
- iii) Equal Opportunities Officer

This JCR further notes:

- iv) There are students of various different ancestries, sexual orientation, faiths, and cultural backgrounds in Jesus College.
- v) Currently these students are represented only by the i) who sit on the JCR Committee.
- vi) The introduction of a Black Minority Ethnic Rep, a specific LGBTQ Rep, a Women's officer, and possibly even specific culture/faith reps (e.g. CU Rep, China Rep etc.) would ensure that the welfare of students at Jesus is better cared for.
- vii) The nature of such positions is one of support, and means that there is little for them to do on JCR Committee, but they are necessary additions to college's welfare system, especially at times like

pre-Freshers week, where incoming Freshers tend to have lots of questions specific to their own culture.

This JCR therefore proposes:

- viii) To introduce an ii), consisting of various appointed officers of the like mentioned above, which will aim to be fully representative of all the different and diverse cultures that Jesus College has to offer.
- ix) To abolish the roles of i) creating instead an iii) for the JCR Committee.
- x) The main job of the iii) will be to head the ii), appointing and leading officers to represent any minority group that the JCR at the time feel should be catered to and otherwise taking on the duties of the current i), delegating them to Sub-Committee officers as appropriate.
- xi) The iii) will be required to submit a report to the JCR at the final JCR meeting of each term to ensure that officers have been appointed fairly and that the ii) is functioning as intended.
- xii) This ii) and its constituent officers should then be recognised by college as the official body representing

minority students with which it should liaise on matters concerning equal opportunities.

Proposed: Danielle Zigner

Seconded: Yoon Hur

Women's Welfare/Officer difference? Officer more about campaigning etc rather than support

For: 34
Against: 9
Abstentions: 2

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22. CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE- ACCESS AND ACADEMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

This JCR notes:

- i) Access and Academic Affairs Officer
- ii) Access and Academic Sub-Committee
- iii) Schemes such as shadowing and organizing and fundraising for JCR members to visit their local comprehensive schools

This JCR further notes:

- iv) That academic matters and access issues are very important



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- v) That iii) are really important and worthwhile
- vi) That iii) is time-consuming
- vii) That the i) does not have time to organize all such schemes to their greatest potential

This JCR therefore proposes:

- viii) To add it to the duties of the i) to organize an ii) of all students who wish to be involved.
- ix) The aims of the ii) will be to run access initiatives for college, work with the i) to help with any academic issues the i) might be facing at the time, run academic feedback sessions, and in general to ensure both that all students who might want to are able to apply to Jesus College, and that when they get here their academic needs will be best looked after.

Proposed: Luke Eaton

Seconded: Yoon Hur

-Suggested by some JCR members. Way of spreading load of work.

-No fixed quota of members.

For: Majority

Against: -

Abstentions: 3

MOTION PASSES

23. CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE- SCHOLARSHIP REP ON JCR COMMITTEE

This JCR notes:

- i) JCR constitution
- ii) Responsibilities
- iii) JCR Committee Representative
- iv) *Jesus College Junior Members' Scholarship*

This JCR further notes:

- v) That the success of the iv) depends on the effective conferral of ii) in order to ensure the implementation and future of the scheme after the end of TT 2011.
- vi) That these ii) include but are not restricted to admissions, advertising, and feedback to charitable foundations and donors.
- vii) That these ii) would most efficiently and reliably be carried out by a iii) who could take up Emily's place as the leader of the joint Scholarship Working Group (made up of JCR/MCR/SCR members).

This JCR therefore proposes:

To change the (i) to include a new iii) responsible for the iv) beginning MT 2011.

Proposed: Emily Dreyfus

Seconded: Ross Evans

For:

Against:

Abstentions:

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24. CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE- SCHOLARSHIP OFFICER ON ACCESS AND ACADEMIC COMMITTEE

This JCR notes:

- i) Responsibilities
- ii) Officer on the JCR Access and Academic Sub-Committee
- iii) *Jesus College Junior Members' Scholarship*

This JCR further notes:

- iv) That the success of the iii) depends on the effective conferral of i) in order to ensure the implementation and future of the scheme after the end of TT 2011.



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v) That these i) include but are not restricted to admissions, advertising, and feedback to charitable foundations and donors.

vi) That these i) would most efficiently and reliably be carried out by an ii) who could take up Emily's place as the leader of the joint Scholarship Working Group (made up of JCR/MCR/SCR members).

This JCR therefore proposes:

To include an ii) responsible for the ii) beginning MT 2011.

Proposed: Emily Dreyfus

Seconded: Ross Evans

For: Majority
Against: 1
Abstentions: 4

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**25. CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE-
SCHOLARSHIP REP ON EQUAL OPS
COMMITTEE**

This JCR notes:
i) Responsibilities

ii) Officer on the JCR Equal Opportunities Sub-Committee
iii) *Jesus College Junior Members' Scholarship*

This JCR further notes:

iv) That the success of the iii) depends on the effective conferral of i) in order to ensure the implementation and future of the scheme after the end of TT 2011.

v) That these i) include but are not restricted to admissions, advertising, and feedback to charitable foundations and donors.

vi) That these i) would most efficiently and reliably be carried out by an ii) who could take up Emily's place as the leader of the joint Scholarship Working Group (made up of JCR/MCR/SCR members).

This JCR therefore proposes:

To include an ii) responsible for the ii) beginning MT 2011.

Proposed: Emily Dreyfus

Seconded: Ross Evans

-EqualOps vs AcAff duties? AcAff committee doesn't have specific roles, while EqualOps would have actual named positions
-Fixed terms needed- intended to be written into constitution
-Representaion on AcAff as 2nd position or sit on both?
-Need for both: culture shock issue etc as well as admin
-Same person if both AcAff/EqualOp representation motions pass
-Role not just to support person, but for entire scheme
-Appointment by EqualOps or voted in? Ross Evans to be unofficial successor, appointment on nominal basis amidst interested people

For: Majority
Against: 1
Abstentions: 3

MOTION PASSES

**26. CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE-
CHARITIES BALLOT**

This JCR notes:

- i) The Charities Ballot
- ii) JCR Members
- iii) Article VII of the Constitution

This JCR further notes:



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- v) That larger charities can dominate (i) every term, making it difficult for other smaller charities also close to the hearts of (ii) to receive money.
- vi) That encouraging (ii) to support different charities over consecutive terms would reduce the number of (ii) who opt out of the charities levy.

This JCR therefore proposes:

To add the following point to (iii): ‘No charity which receives money from the charities ballot may be nominated for the ballot in the following term.’

Proposed: Will Normington

Seconded: Charlotte Norton

- Repeated victory indicator of actual JCR voice? Just try encourage going to/representing at hustings
- 1 charity could still win every other term, just not consecutive
- Top 3 charities still get share, not just one dominating
- eg Help for Heroes won 5x

For: 16
Against: 16
Abstentions: 8

MOTION FAILS

27. CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE- PROPOSING AND SECONDING POSITIONS

This JCR notes:

- i) JCR Constitution
- ii) running for a JCR Position
- iii) Proposed or seconded
- iv) Slates
- v) Elections
- vi) Annoying

This JCR further notes:

- vii) According to the i), when ii), you must be iii) by a JCR member who is not ii)
- viii) This rule in the i) was originally intended to prevent iv)
- ix) This JCR is not full of hacks and has never had a problem with iv)
- x) Last v) there were numerous cases of people ii) in contravention to the i) by inadvertently being iii) by someone who was also ii), which lead to time being wasted on the part of the returning officer
- xi) This was vi) and if somebody wanted to run iv), they could very easily find people not ii) or on the iv), and hence still get iii)

- xii) As a result this rule is completely pointless

This JCR therefore proposes:

- x) To abolish this rule from the i)

Proposed: Jonny Woodward

Seconded: Yoon Hur

For: Majority
Against: 4
Abstentions: 8

MOTION PASSES

28. CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE- BEANZY’S BIKES

This JCR notes:

- i) Beanzys Bikes
- ii) The Sports Representative

This JCR further notes:

- iii) That upkeep of i) requires a JCR committee member to take charge of it.
- iv) That ii) is the most appropriate representative to look after a system of bike rental.

This JCR therefore proposes:



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iv) To add the following clause to Article V.3, detailing the duties of the Sports Representative: 'To take charge of Beanzy's Bikes, holding responsibility for the upkeep of both the bikes and the rules of the rental system involved.'

Proposed: Tom Rutland
Seconded: Oliver Capehorn

For: Majority
Against: 7
Abstentions: -

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29. HOT TUB

This JCR notes:

- i) 9th week trinity term
- ii) always hot
- iii) JCR members (especially finalists)
- iv) Hot tub time machine
- v) Hot tub for barts
- vi) up to £300

This JCR further notes:

- vii) That i) is ii)
- viii) That iii) have worked extremely hard this year and deserve a reward.

ix) That iv) is a fantastic film

This JCR therefore proposes:

x) To hire a v) during i) costing vi)

Proposed: Clarissa McMaster
Seconded: Jon Dallimore

Shahpur has given okay, passed safety requirements etc already
-Group rota to be set up so everyone can benefit.
Finalist priority
-Capacity: 5-7 people at a time
-Opt-in system
-MCR access? JCR priority. MCR can pass motion to use if wished.
-Should arrive for Leavers' BBQ
-Can be renewed if all goes well

For: Majority
Against: -
Abstentions: -

MOTION PASSES UNANIMOUSLY

30. JCR MURAL

This JCR notes:

- i) Mike Clapton
- ii) The JCR Mural
- iii) Acrylic paint

iv) £500

This JCR further notes:

- v) That (i) is painting a replacement for (ii), using lots of (iii)
- vi) The design of (ii), along with reimbursement and proposal for payment for (i) was previously agreed by the JCR

This JCR therefore proposes:

vii) To pay (i) the sum of (iv) for labour and expenses

Proposed: Mike Clapton
Seconded: Ross Evans

MCR are painting 2x as much for theirs

For: Majority
Against: -
Abstentions: -

MOTION PASSES UNANIMOUSLY

31. JR GREEN SOCIETY FUNDING

This JCR notes:

- i) The JR Green History Society
- ii) Open to all JCR members
- iii) £350
- iv) Exciting speakers



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v) Wine and other refreshments

This JCR further notes:

- vi) That i) is one of the biggest and busiest academic societies in college, hosting at least four iv) each year for a dinner, talk and drinks
- vii) This chance to engage, dine and schmooze with such iv) is ii)
- viii) To keep these talks free and ii) i) is usually given iii) each year by the JCR to cover the costs of v)
- ix) That i) has yet to have requested this funding from the JCR this year, and so this iii) is crucial for us to cover the costs of v) for both the past and forthcoming year

This JCR therefore proposes:

- x) To provide i) with the usual sum of iii) so it can continue to provide iv), v) for all history-keen members of college

Proposed: Yoon Hur

Seconded: Andy Kramer

For: Majority

Against: -

Abstentions: -

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32. LEAVERS BBQ

This JCR notes:

- i) The Leaver's BBQ
- ii) Open to all students in college
- iii) £500
- iv) Alcohol
- v) Food
- vi) Entertainment

This JCR further notes:

- vii) That i) is ii)
- viii) That iii) would help cover the costs of iv), v), and vi)
- ix) That the sum of iii) has been provided in previous years

It therefore proposes:

To provide i) with the sum of iii) to enrich i) with the presence of iv), v) and vi)

Proposed: Alex Bassett

Seconded: Natalie Blundell

Sunday of 9th

For: Majority

Against: -

Abstentions: -

MOTION PASSES UNANIMOUSLY

33. XBOX RAGE

This JCR notes:

- i) the Xbox
- ii) public nuisance
- iii) gimps

This JCR further notes:

- iv) that i) is a ii).
- v) that i) is played only by iii.
- vi) that i should be DESTROYED.

THIS JCR THEREFORE PROPOSES THAT I) SHOULD BE DESTROYED BY HAMMER.

PROPOSED: CLARISSA MCMASTER

SECONDED: JON DALLIMORE

Hooper: More about noise rather than xbox itself...but amount of xbox played indicates FRESHERS NEED TO GET LIVES.

For: 16

Against: 18



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Abstentions: -

MOTION FAILS

- 30.** ANNOUNCEMENTS PERIOD
- 31.** ANY OTHER BUSINESS
- 32.** NEXT MEETING

Yoon Hur
JCR Secretary, 6/6/11