

CUSU LBGT Exec Meeting
Sunday 4th February 2007
Boys Smith Room, St. John's College

The meeting commenced at 7.00pm

1. Apologies: Luke, James C, Noel, Carol, James T Absent: None

2. Matters arising from the minutes of the last meeting

- None

3. Exec Announcements

- None

4. Questions

- None

5. Items of business

5a. Awareness week

Reports on events:

- Kaur – film night at Robinson went well and twice as many people as normal attended the event.
- Emma – there was a good turn out to the women's event. There are still some soft drinks left which can be used for other events.
- Colin – The launch party had good attendance with the appropriate amount of drinks. Faith and sexuality discussion was well attended with about 4 times the normal attendance rate.
- Grad – the grad event was well attended and went on for a considerable amount of time.
- Speed Dating – well organised and overall a fun night.

5b. AGM and Elections

- Exec members to be at Emma Upper Hall at 7:30pm on Monday night.
- Please can exec members prepare documents and files ready for hand over to the next exec.

5c. CICCUCU

- Issues with CICCUCU selectively targeting groups in the run up to their awareness week.
- Colin has written to the CICCUCU president voicing his concerns and cc'd Mark Ferguson (CUSU President) in on the communication.
- College Deans should be informed if people are unhappy about how they are treated during the next 2 weeks and issues can be dealt with in colleges.
- Philip Jensen Talks – Philip Jensen is renowned for his homophobic comments. It is suggested that a contingent of LBGT people attend his talk on Tuesday 14th February at 8pm at the Guildhall to ask pertinent questions and show a presence.
- Also drinks may be held pre-talk so that people can group before going to the talk.
- Colin is going to contact the police homophobia liaison officer to see if they would like to send somebody down to the talk so that they can see what is going on in Cambridge – the speaker is known for his homophobic comments and incitement of hatred.

5d. Merrill Lynch

- Merrill Lynch is holding an event in Cambridge on 20th February in conjunction with CUSU LBGT.
- Merrill Lynch would like to take out the old and new CUSU LBGT Execs out to dinner for their help with the organisation of this event.

6. AOB

- None

The meeting concluded at 7:25pm

The next meeting will be held on Sunday 11th February at 7pm in the Boys Smith Room, St. John's College.