

Chair: Rhiannon Ogden-Jones
Secretary: Hugo Shipsey
Returning Officer: Adam Steinberg

1. Report from the JCR President

Rhi: Aside from Made in Dagenham, I went to JCC last Friday and we are getting better gym equipment. Andy said he'll have a proposal ready for Wednesday for some proper weights and a mat. Sam and I spoke to college about Iffley pool membership and we need enough people to say that they'll use it. We have a motion on the PDF coming up this weekend. I went to GB with Ben, ball committee got shouted at, Helen praised us for getting some art. They like that we are now using the coffee machine. Well done Owen for running the room ballot. We had Merton formal swap and our version will be third week of Trinity.

2. Reports / Questions to Officers

3. Reading from the Poet Laureate

The Case of the Missing Camp-beds

It really seems wrong
That 4 camp-beds have gone
In this dreary old Hilary term.

Before, they were squashed,
But now, they are lost!
And it really is making me squirm

That there can be such thieves
Who hide up their sleeves
Their tactics for stealing our slumber.

Our DO's in shock
To keep under lock
All the beds, so they stay in their number.

An Oxfess came clean
Unashamedly keen
To confess, but not to return them.

They are all mine
Said #32259

As we wept in the comments in yearning.

4. Ratifications from Previous Meetings

Access Committee:

- 1) This JCR Notes:
 - a) Access is good
 - b) More Access can be done by more people
 - c) An Access Committee would bring fresh ideas and suggestions, and support the Access Officer in doing these ideas.
 - d) The Socio-Economic liberation rep has been empty for a while
- 2) This JCR believes:
 - a) An Access Committee could do good work in encouraging more access within Corpus, and can bring ideas and suggestions.
 - b) There are multiple access-related tasks that must be completed, such as updating the alternative prospectus, for which a committee would be more representative.
 - c) Someone in the JCR should be performing the role of the Socio-Economic liberation rep.
- 3) This JCR resolves:
 - a) To create an Access Committee with a maximum of 5 appointed positions, appointed by the Access Officer and the JCR President, and to open certain committee meetings to a wider body of people.
 - b) To have 3 meetings a term. In 2nd week, a closed meeting with the 5 appointed and the Access Officer, in 5th Week, an open meeting, and in 8th week a meeting which can be open or closed.
 - c) To amend the constitution as per appendix A:
 - d) To add new standing orders:
 - i) The Access Committee
Appointed: Hilary
Term of Office: One Year
Committees: Access Committee
Note: Up to five to be elected
 - ii) To represent JCR interests on the above committees, and to keep Junior Members informed of developments
 - iii) To help the Access and Admissions Officer in providing ideas and suggestions to improve access at Corpus.
 - iv) To assist in providing information for the alternative prospectus and JCR website, based on their experiences, allowing the JCR documentation to represent a wide range of backgrounds. This documentation will include the alternative prospectus, pages on the JCR website and videos for the YouTube channel.

- v) To act as socio-economic representatives for the JCR, providing a focal point for student welfare in college, with a particular emphasis on socio-economic/finance issues.
- e) To add to the standing orders of the access officer:
 - i) To appoint up to five Access Representatives in Hilary for one year.
- f) To dissolve the Socio-Economic Liberation rep from the Equal Opps committee, and to incorporate it into the Access Committee.
- g) To remove all mentions of the Socio-Economic Liberation Representative from the Constitution, and replace them with relevant references to the Access Committee
- h) To remove the standing orders of the Socio-Economic Liberation Rep, which have been updated and included in those of the access representatives.

Appendix A:

- i) The Access Committee shall assist the Access and Admissions Officer in suggesting ideas for more access work within college, and helping with this access work. They will also give inputs into the documentation and resources provided by the JCR, such as the alternative prospectus, to allow the JCR resources to represent the wider college community more effectively.
- ii) The Access Committee shall be chaired by the Access and Admissions Officer and shall meet at least twice per term, with at least one open meeting, one closed and one optional open/closed meeting, in 2nd, 5th and 8th week respectively
- iii) There will be 5 members of the access committee, appointed by the Access and Admissions Officer as well as the JCR President.
- iv) The members of the Access Committee shall have taken part in the Access training provided by college.
- v) If possible, an MCR member should sit on the Access Committee, in addition to the 5 appointed members.

Proposed:

Florence Goodrich

Seconded:

Will Song

SFQ:

None.

Debate:

None.

Overwhelming majority. This motion passes.

5. Constitutional Amendments

6. Motions of No Confidence

7. Charities Motions

8. Monetary Motions

Tabling a motion

- 1) This JCR notes:
 - a) After the JCR refurb we have lost a few tables used for working in the JCR
 - b) Made in Dagenham has fold-up tables they need to get rid of
 - c) When not in use they can be stored in the grotto, so they wouldn't be obtrusive
- 2) This JCR believes:
 - a) We would like for these tables to not be thrown away
 - b) We should reimburse Made in Dagenham for the tables since we are nice people
- 3) This JCR resolves:
 - a) To mandate the President to purchase 5 fold-up tables for up to £15

Proposed:

Ben Lakeland

Seconded:

Caleb Barron

SFQ:

Lil: When we did the refurb there was talk about having more stuff updated after. Is there any possibility we can get college to get us tables?

Rhi: I have spoken to college about this and they are happy with how the JCR looks now.

Tyron: Can I have more info on these tables?

Rhi: They're the size of school desks (H 65.5, W 49, D 37.5 cm).

Debate:

None.

Overwhelming majority. This motion passes.

Can't Believe It Has Come To This

- 1) This JCR notes:

- a) In 2nd week HT19, the standing orders of the domestic officer were changed to require them to maintain a stock of camp beds
 - b) Since then, all but 1 of these camp beds have been lost
 - c) Repeated efforts by the Domestic Officer to locate the lost camp beds have failed
- 2) This JCR believes:
- a) Camp beds are good
 - b) One month is a ridiculously short time in which to lose 4 camp beds
- 3) This JCR resolves:
- a) To mandate the Domestic Officer to purchase 4 replacement camp beds up to the value of £50 and once said solution has been reached to encourage JCR members to return the cushions
 - b) To put in place a system whereby:
 - i) Camp beds are kept in a locker and have to be signed out in person in order for members of the JCR to access the key
 - ii) The aforementioned sign out sheet and key are kept by the lodge
 - iii) To change the spreadsheet used by the JCR to book camp beds to view only so that only the Domestic Officer is able to alter bookings

Proposed:

Jennifer Donnellan

Seconded:

Ben Lakeland

SFQ:

Will: Are these the new air mattresses that were lost?

Jen: It's three mattresses and one of the old camp beds.

Jake: If we find the old mattresses what will happen?

Jen: I think we would just add them to the stock.

Caleb: Can we divert these funds into an inquest?

Jen: When I say repeatedly tried to locate, I have messaged everyone who had them in the past few weeks.

Ella: Have you tried the usual suspects?

Jen: Who are the usual suspects?

Ella: I can't say.

Josh: Can we ask the scouts?

Alex: No.

Lil: That's not their job.

Tyron: Where is this locker?

Rhi: In the Plumber.

Jen: It would be one or two lockers in the plumber.

Debate:

Ella: Can we make a safe-space for someone to return the camp-beds?

Jen: Yeh, I'll do that.

Gemma: What are people's thoughts on the large cushions being used in place of camp-beds? Amendment: Once said solution has been reached to encourage JCR members to return the cushions (seconded by Sam – taken as friendly).

Overwhelming majority. This motion passes.

9. Motions as submitted

Accommodating an Accommodation Accommodation

- 1) This JCR Notes:
 - a) A new group ballot system has been put in place over the past year
 - b) As a result, the Accommodation Officer's role has changed substantially in the past year
 - c) The Accommodation Officer's standing orders are more than a little out-of-date
- 2) This JCR Believes:
 - a) Out-of-date standing orders are bad
 - b) Up-to-date standing orders are good
- 3) This JCR Resolves:
 - a) To change standing order 5) to read: "To organise, along with the Domestic Bursar and the Dean, the drawing of the individual accommodation ballot in 3rd week of Hilary Term, the running of the group ballot in 4th week of Hilary Term, and the conducting of the individual ballot in 5th week of Hilary Term."
 - b) To change standing order 8) to read: "To attend any and all room surveys as organised by the Domestic Bursar, to request the Domestic Bursar to undertake any additional survey the JCR deems necessary, and to distribute the results of any survey to the JCR in a report."
 - c) To change standing order 9) to read: "To organise the de-cluttering of the bike-shed at the beginning of Michaelmas term in co-ordination with college."

Proposed:

Owen Tuck

Seconded:

Freya Chambers

SFQ:

James: What are the old standing orders?

Owen: Number five was a summary of the old ballot system. Eight was on room surveys and nine was because they had already done a bike cull.

Florence: Does one bike cull happen a year?

Owen: Yeh, at the minute.

Alex: Did you just say that you want to change them because they've already done one?

Owen: My order is to do one in Michaelmas and college had already run one so there was no point me running one.

Debate:

Lil: I propose an amendment "To organise the de-cluttering of the bike-shed at the beginning of Michaelmas term in co-ordination with college." (seconded by Alex - taken as friendly)

Overwhelming majority. This motion passes.

Clubs & Docs

- 1) This JCR notes:
 - a) that there is currently no established route to becoming an official JCR club or society
 - b) how the clubs and socs fund and the pdf works is not clear
- 2) This JCR believes:
 - a) that there should be one
 - b) that the PDF fund should be used to present extra-curricular opportunities to JCR members which they would otherwise be unable to access
- 3) This JCR resolves:
 - a) to add the clubs and societies and PDF documents to the JCR policy document
 - b) to mandate the JCR president to affirm these changes with college
 - c) to mandate the Clubs and Socs Officer to circulate these documents at the start of the academic year

Proposed:

Sam Hazeldine

Seconded:

Caleb Barron

SFQ:

Lil: What is this motion doing?

Sam: In discussion with the dean we're creating a new set of documents to make clear JCR policy.

Debate:

Gemma: Mandate the Clubs and Socs Officer to circulate these documents at the start of the academic year (seconded by Will - taken as friendly)

Overwhelming majority. This motion passes.

10. Emergency Motions

11. Any other Business