



## SAINTS LGBT+ COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA

DATE: 2019:10:16 :

Committee Room

### 1.0 Adoption of the Agenda

#### 1.1 Agenda

### 2.0 Attendance

#### 2.1

1. President
2. Social Officer
3. Secretary
4. Treasurer
5. Marketing Officer
6. Queerfest Coordinator
7. Volunteer and Outreach Coordinator
8. First Year Officer
9. Trans and Non Binary Officer
10. Design Officer
11. Glitterball Coordinator

### 3.0 Apologies for Absence

#### 3.1 Postgraduate Officer

#### 3.2 Wellbeing Officer

### 4.0 Minutes from Previous

#### 4.1 2019/10/2 - Accepted, to be put on website by Secretary

#### 4.2 2019/10/9 - Accepted, to be put on website by Secretary

### 5.0 Matters Arising from Previous Meeting

#### 5.1

### 6.0 Events Postmortem

#### 6.1 Queer Question Time (Thurs 3rd Oct)

- Around 50-60 people there?
- Went real well, speakers were excellent, really interesting
- Matric checks = good (no terfs!)

#### 6.2 Safeword Bop (Fri 4th Oct)

- Good!

- No reports of harassment
- Less kinky outfits, wholesome bop overall
- 6.3 Faithfully LGBT (Sat 5th Oct)**
  - Only 1 person!
  - Want to involve organisers in QF!
  - Utilise Chaplaincy to contact people for events
  - Contact CU for other events?
- 6.4 Trans/NB Meet Up (Sun 6th Oct)**
  - 20-25 people!
  - Should do a CS Trans event!!
    - hackathon? Open to everyone
    - coffee first in CS and then see reception to it
- 6.5 EGM (Wed 9th Oct)**
  - Elected people for all positions! (Welcome!)
  - Announced Campaigns position
  - No tears
  - Minimal alcohol REALLY worked (good for budget too!), complementary glass idea, nice touch
  - Inclusive bar staff too :)
- 6.6 Outings (Thurs 10th Oct)**
  - Loved it!!!
  - More advertising next time
  - Good that bar was closed, good location
  - Scripts good for monologue workshops etc?
    - use for Scratch night? (QF convo)
- 6.7 National Coming Out Day (Fri 11th Oct)**
  - Good reception, esp. on crushes
  - Went well, make sure things planned in advance!
- 6.8 Questioning Meet Up (Sun 13th Oct)**
  - Low turnout but could be due to event not reaching many people
  - Success!!
- 6.9 Queer Comedy (Tues 15th Oct)**
  - Donate money to charity (Terrence Higgins)
    - promote charity events more! Make more explicit. (george, DW)
  - Excellent turnout, really good comedy
  - Another collab w/ Comedy Society?

## **7.0 Upcoming Events**

- 7.1 Faithfully LGBT+ (19th Oct)**
  - QF Coordinator
- 7.2 Ace/Aro Meet Up (27th Oct)**
  - Secretary
- 7.3 Pumpkin Carving (30th Oct)**
  - Social & Design Officer
  - Starts at 7pm

- £20 from us (£60 total)
  - McIntosh in charge of clean up
- 7.4 QtH Submissions Go Over (30th Oct)**
- Secretary, Volunteer Coordinator, President?

## **8.0 Committee Reports**

### **8.1 President**

Last Week:

- handovers
- trans guide approval - ongoing
- gay saint setup - ongoing
- trans meeting
  - went as expected, best outcome that we could get
  - motion going to ESMG (proctor) soon
- hate crimes motion
  - put undue burden on societies committee
  - now solved
- responding to the saint

This Week:

- going home
- harm reduction research stuff
- Legality of name changes?
  - Research on convincing uni on changing how to handle uni name changes
  - Make every system look as 'known as' name rather than 'legal' name
  - Doesn't solve all problems, but better than right now

Other things:

- Drop in clinic? In Med building - do they do HIV testing? (Design, QF Coordinator)
- Museum??? (President, QF Coordinator)

SABBS - Agreed on how diversity is reported as a student association (no. of reports, questionnaires, reporting every way we have done things to improve students lives)

### **8.2 Social Officer**

Last Week:

- pumpkin event
- Risk assessment is done, phil has seen it (ents meeting)
- Macintosh is helping plus cleaning up
- Will be making an event to advertise for it and also so that we can budget

This Week:

- murder mystery is cancelled bc trans day of remembrance the day before(President to cancel)
- Jamie windust, two weeks without contact

- email and ask for an invoice/confirmation
- Transfest committee member to take over (Trans/NB Officer to sort)

### **8.3 Wellbeing Officer**

Last Week:

- Nothing really to report - still waiting to hear back from DoWell and Student Services about support groups
  - support groups set up by a trans student have gone through so looking good for us

This Week: /

### **8.4 Secretary**

Last Week:

- Q&H submissions rooms booked etc, 5.30pm Wednesday 30th until 7pm.
- Need to sort out mailchimp! Basically because it's sending to and from the same domain, the uni is filtering the emails as spam? And I need to contact IT to whitelist the Mailchimp IP Addresses?
- Handover with Marketing Officer

This Week:

- PLEASE update the calendar - want to get the easy-read summary out by end of reading week!
- mainly need Transfest things filled in

Other things:

- also has anything been decided for the final film screenings - where is it? Who's in charge of that now? (Thurs 21 Nov)
  - change to boardgames night? Collab w knitting etc.
  - potlucks?
- Do we know which topics the final 2 queer theories will be on? There's one in Transfest on the Monday and one in week 11 on the tuesday
  - Polyamory? Q&A in Transfest?

### **8.5 Treasurer**

Last Week:

- Nothing major to report, started amount spent section but did not finish it.

This Week:

- Sending out a slew of emails for sponsorships
- finishing amount spent section

Other things:

- Question by the cash office as to whether the EGM was well-being or social but they haven't got back to me yet - whatever works better for them

### **8.6 Marketing Officer**

Last Week:

- I got the Marketing position!

This Week:

- Adding events on facebook page for events 2 weeks later, getting access to all accounts
- Intersex awareness day planning
- Coordinating w Design Officer

Other:

- Reach out to people regarding Memory Project things (work w QF subcommittee)
  - (was told Natalie would contact Marketing Officer)
- Marketing - instagrams 'meet the committee'
  - Tagging ppl who want to be tagged

### **8.7 Queerfest Coordinator**

Last Week:

- Room bookings for Drag Walk rehearsals/workshops
- Sort out Heels Performers
- office hour for Drag Walk applicants
  - Had a convo with Rag committee, 20% of what we make will go to Rag and their charities, other 80% to us (at our discretion on where to spend) - document it ALL with cash office
  - they will run coat room and doors
- moving on steadily with QF projects
- Outings was a success!

This Week:

- More QF and Drag Walk stuff

Other things:

- I will be away during ILW but able to work remotely. (why does this sound so gay)

### **8.8 Volunteer and Outreach Coordinator**

Last Week:

- Gaint interviews - so many Gaint interviews. But we have a committee now so yay

This Week:

- Actually going to start doing memory project things (contact QF subcommittee)
- start bringing to events

### **8.10 First Year Officer**

#### Last Week:

- Asked about polyamory meet-ups (and volunteered to assist with them in future)
- Started preliminary efforts to team up with Her Choice to work on their inclusivity

#### This Week:

- Going to review some other societies (such as FemSoc) on social media to see if they need help in regards to inclusivity, if people are interested in this
- Going to think of an event tailored towards first years (maybe simply a first year lgbtq+ meetup?)
  - no replies as of yet for what interested in (put something on the 24th Nov)?
- Currently considering a lgbtq+ alternative to Don't Walk, so people who are lgbtq+ and too scared to apply for Don't Walk and want to model have a chance
  - speak to lucy beale for disability inclusive fashion, emma rose walsh for sustainable fashion and inclusivity in fashion
  - look at for next year? Approach Don't Walk to try improve inclusivity?? In Union!

#### Other Comments:

- Thank you for inviting me onto committee!

### **8.11 Postgrad Officer**

#### Last Week:

- I had my handover yesterday

#### This Week:

- Thinking about a regular (monthly) PG meeting (starting in January?).
- Making contact with Pride in STEM for an outthinker event in StA. However, I will wait until we talked about it at the next meeting before I start reaching out. So that's probably more a plan for week 7.
  - Talk to Astrosoc committee!

### **8.12 Trans and Non Binary Officer**

#### Last Week:

- TransFest things
  - Communicating with AU President about colour run
  - Some halls don't want clothing drive there (they have their own) so we'll just have 3-4 throughout town
  - Week 7 to drop off clothes (speak to Residential Managers (RSMs)), pick up at the end of Week 7

#### This Week:

- Organising TransFest marketing schedule with Marketing Officer :)

- Give Design Officer info about clothing drive collections - could we have some posters for that? Same as last year, similar schedule to last time
- (Maybe the next week) - Get schedule of events to Design Officer for main TransFest posters

Other things:

- HeForShe didn't reply RE TDoR - who is best to speak to? (Gender Equality Rep)

### **8.13 Design Officer**

Last Week:

- We had some really good Gay Saint Interviews!
- I fixed the issues with my photoshop so I'm back in action

This Week:

- Send out emails confirming roles on the Gay Saint - tomorrow!
- Organise first Gaint meeting
- Organise a meeting with Gaint team and George to talk about possible funding - from this I'll look more into design
- Handover with Marketing Officer
- Meeting with Erika about Glitterball design

Other things:

- At my Sexpression Training Weekend I talked to the girl who wants to collaborate with us and Sexpression on a Burlesque event, I'm happy to represent SaintsLGBT+ at a meeting about this

### **8.9 Campaigns Officer**

Last Week: N/A

This Week: N/A

### **8.14 Glitterball Coordinator (in camera)**

### **8.15 Contributions from Sabbatical Officers**

### **9.0 AOCB**

- Erika photos?
- advice on how to work w/other people, line managing etc.
  - Teams?

### **10.0 Student Councils' Business**

### **11.0 Open Forum (in camera)**