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SABBATICAL OFFICER GROUP MINUTES

From meeting held 8th JUNE 2015

Present

Poppy Wilkinson, President (Chair)
Wadim Wesolek, VP Activities & Development
Jack Mably, VP Housing & Community
Joe Armer, VP Education
Molly Browne, VP Sport & Nutrition
Frankie Greenwell, VP Welfare.

<u>In Attendance</u>

Michael Garrett, Director of Support & Development Amy Elliott, Executive Assistant (note taker).

Apologies:

Bethan Dovey, VP Democracy, Resources & Sustainability.

The Chair opened the meeting at 12:00.

No	ITEM FOR DISCUSSION	Notes	ACTION
1	Minutes from 01.06.15	The minutes from 1st June 2015 were approved.	Approved
2	Matters arising	A2B – completed. Officer Social – an update was given on the Officer social scheduled for 17 th July.	Noted Noted
3	Diaries	VPSN – LES Education Executive, club disciplinary meeting, UBSport Management team meeting, meeting to discuss transgender and sport issues, sports awards run through, wheelchair Basketball, handover, Not On meeting, Grad Ball, annual leave on Friday, and alumni sports day. VPHC – Student residence issue, SMT coffee morning, catch up with Adam Tickell, meeting with New Street Records, academic policy development group, pre-sessional talk with Guild Lettings, CoSS Education Executive, Audit & Risk Committee, Student mentors introduction, communication and fairs welcome week meeting, Grad Ball, meeting to discuss future of Valefest funding, and summer ball. VPE – Neuroscience meeting, senate briefing, OFFA meeting with Jane Tope, academic policy development group, Article 26 group, EEF advisory board, Senate, Student Voice report, EPS consultation, Grad Ball and annual leave Friday. VPW – IIP steering group, catch up with Emily Owen, student staff consultation on payroll, plagiarism forum, student charter meeting, communications and fair welcome week meeting, Grad Ball, briefing session for new code of practice on health, wellbeing and fitness, and catch up with mentors. VPAD – Visit from Alastair Thomas (Melbourne University), student staff celebration event, SMT coffee morning, CAL Education Executive, mini-forums, Student Groups Engagement interviews, CAL A&AC, space group, Room Bookings tender, Grad Ball, annual leave on Friday.	Noted

		President – SMT coffee morning, catch up with Adam Tickell, IT	
		Strategy meeting, academic policy development group, Audit	
		& Risk committee, handover, Not On meeting, catch up with	
		Adam Tipper, catch up with Mike Carolan, and Grad Ball.	
4	Sabb Photos	All Officers to send photos of the year in AE.	All
5	Not On/Good	The VPSN raised the discussion on the Not On, Good Night Out	
	Night Out	pledge.	
		It was noted training can be arranged for September with the	Noted
		new bar staff and security for £250. The Officers approved the	
		expenditure of £250 towards the 'Good Night Out' training.	Approved
		oxportations of \$250 to Wards the Good Fight Got Halling.	7.66.0.00
		An update was given on the next steps, and the VPSN noted	Noted
		she is to discuss with Adam Tickell at the intervention initiative	Noica
		meeting on 18th June. The CEO suggested the VPW to update	VPW
		the HR Committee on 17th June. The VPSN further noted she	Noted
		has a phone call scheduled this week with the Womens'	Noieu
	Guild	Officer at Oxford who started the campaign.	Notod
6		The VPHC noted Grad Ball ticket exchange to be published on	Noted
	Engagement/ Social Media	social media.	
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		The President noted feedback on Sports Ball to be published	Noted
		on social media.	
7	Schools/	No discussion was made.	Noted
	Colleges		
	Update		
8	Non Sabb	A discussion was had on next year Officers and Non-Sabb	Noted
	Buddies	buddies and it was agreed for the Officers 2015/16 to choose	
		their Non Sabb buddies.	
9	Officer Training	All noted their handovers are going well.	Noted
	& Development		
10	AOB	Engineering Proposal	
		The VPE raised a discussion on the proposed engineering	Noted
		changes and noted civil, mechanical, and electrical are all	
		merging into once school of engineering. The VPE further	
		noted there is potential to be 32 redundancies, mainly	Noted
		research staff.	
		It was requested to find out when the changes are to be	VPE
		made, and how many students will be affected by the	
		changes.	
		The VPE noted he is to meet with Student Reps this week and	Noted
		the paper is to be presented to Senate on Wednesday and	
		Council in July.	
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		Neurology	
		The VPE raised the discussion on the proposed changes to	
		neurology and noted the proposal reduces staff numbers from	Noted
		22 to 13. The VPE further noted he asked for the paper to be	
		un-starred at Senate and has organised a meeting with the	
			VPE
		Student Reps. The VPE is to check they are not planning on	
		making the changes mid=-year and the President is to look at the legislation from the Office of Fair Trading.	President
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	Student Staff Consultation – Payroll	
	It was noted the first consultation meeting is on Wednesday.	Noted

The meeting closed at 12:35.

