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SABBATICAL OFFICER GROUP MINUTES

From meeting held 27th OCTOBER 2014

Present

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

In Attendance

Jo Thomas, Chief Executive Amy Elliott, Executive Assistant (note taker)

The Chair welcomed everyone and opened the meeting at 12:00.

No	ITEM FOR DISCUSSION	Notes	ACTION
1	Minutes from 20.10.14	The minutes from 20 th October were approved.	Approved
2	Matters arising	Peace One Day – To be actioned on Tuesday at Sports Forum. Free Education Buses – The CAO is taking a lead on organising the buses. Breathalysers – To be reviewed in a weeks time.	Noted
3	Diaries	VPHC – electoral registration meeting with the University, Selly Oak project meeting, R&HR, Trustee Board, Chamberlain event, RA Elections, police evening patrol, RA events Committee and WW debrief. VPW – associations' mini-forum, R&HR, evening patrol police, hockey club alcohol awareness event, catch up with CM and xplosion. VPDRS – Trustee Board, elections working group, student groups committee, RA info night, and Guild Council training. VPE – student rep event on Saturday had over 200 people attend. This week electoral registration meeting, student attendance working group, and mop up of student rep training. VPAD – met with BurnFM, associations' mini-forum, Trustee Board, student groups committee, Redbrick meeting, Good Campus Relations and away on Friday. VPSN – Trustee Board, UBS management, student groups committee, sports committee, sports forum, BUCS Wednesday, Guild Council training, alcohol awareness with the hockey team, CLV engagement and xplosion. President – UMC, election working group, ICMG, NSS briefing, CLTC project, Good Campus Relations and WW debrief.	Noted
4	Pongathon University Challenge	The VPSN noted she has received information presenting an opportunity to have table tennis in Student Union bars and a weekly competition. It was noted Unions can bid for a small fund from Sport England to fund the table and assist in the set up. The VPSN is gain further information on initial stages of the scheme.	Noted VPSN
5	Guild Engagement/So cial Media	KLOUT scores were noted; PW – 61, BD – 59, WW – 54, JA – 57, FG – 53, JM – 61 and MB – 61.	Noted

		The VPW noted self-defence classes, personal safety week, RA Elections, Charity Week and Halloweek are to be promoted on social media this week. The VPW to find a time for a group Halloween photo to be taken.	Noted
		The VPSN and President noted they are door knocking at CLV on Tuesday, and anyone is welcome to attend the Mentor events Wed-Fri at the Vale.	Noted
		Religious holidays were discussed, and it was agreed to note the celebration of Halloween, Guy Fawkes, Guru Nanak and Remembrance Sunday.	Noted
6	Schools/College s Update	The VPDRS attended College Quality Assurance Committee and noted the college is unhappy with the turnaround for marking.	Noted
		The VPAD attended CAL Learning and Resources Committee, and noted the investment in new IT services and PGR learning spaces.	Noted
7	Non Sabb Buddies	The VPDRS noted all positions have been filled apart from the SSO. The Women's Officer is to be buddy with the VPW.	Noted
8	Officer Training & Development	The President, VPAD, VPHC, VPDRS and VPE are attending Zone Conference 3 rd – 4 th November, and the VPSN is attending BUCS development on 4 th November.	Noted
		There was a discussion around Sabb away day for December and the Officers are to think about what they would like to do.	All
9	AOB	Carnival Enigma Steward The VPW noted he has been asked to steward enigma this evening due to a number of stewards dropping out; however the event clashes with the Trustee Board. The Officers agreed the VPW can steward the event if there is a shortfall of numbers, but would prefer the VPW to attend the Trustee Board.	Noted
		Live Music The VPAD noted he has been speaking to C&M and a variety of societies about hosting more live music allowing Guild society's	Noted
		opportunities to showcase their talent. The VPAD is to speak to Venues Manager to discuss further.	VPAD
		NUS Women's The President noted she had received an email from NUS women's networking event requesting a room at the Guild for 13 th November. It	Noted
		was agreed to take this booking as an external booking and forward onto room bookings.	President
10	Reserved Business	Two items of Reserved Business were discussed.	Noted

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